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Thought for the Week: We get a living out of what we make. We get a life out of what we give. Sir Winston Churchill

# WINTER WARRENLAND

Tentative Schedule: Friday, November 26, 2004

6:00 pm Santa arrives in downtown Warren at the corner of Second and Wayne Street to meet and greet children of all ages escorted by the Warren Fire Department.

6:15 – 6:30 pm Santa oversees the lighting of the downtown including building lighting, the newly installed Christmas lighting center piece, poles, etc furnished through the Town of Warren and the Warren Area Chamber's annual sale of memorial bows for the community Christmas tree.

6:15 – 6:30 pm Santa, using Christmas magic, lights the Memorial Community Christmas Tree filled with lights and memorial bows. Tree donated by George and Florence Brown.

6:30 – 6:45 The Santa Walk – Santa and children of all ages walk through a pathway of luminaries to the Knight-Bergman Center to participate in the spectacular annual lighting of the Center grounds and building.

6:45 – Santa meets and greets children for serious conversation about their Christmas wish list in the auditorium of the Knight-Bergman Center. A photo of each child talking with Santa and a small gift helps usher in the Christmas Holiday. Adults welcome also as the smell of cookies baking helps to announce the Holiday Season along with coffee and hot chocolate to keep the spirits high, no matter the weather.

Saturday, November 27 9:00 – 11:00 am "Santa at the Center" - Children have another opportunity to meet and greet Santa, have a picture taken, receive a small gift and share cookies, hot chocolate and coffee. Santa's elves, local girl scouts, help to ensure that every child is entertained throughout the visit.

Events supported through the efforts of the Town of Warren.

Warren Area Chamber of Commerce, Knight-Bergman Center, Warren Fire Department, and many community volunteers and businesses.

### INVITATION TO WORSHIP

The Warren Area Minister's Alliance (WAMA) wants to invite the good folks receiving this newspaper to come to a special Thanksgiving Worship Service to be held Tuesday, November 23, at 7:00 P.M. at the United Church of Christ in Warren located at 2nd and Main Streets. We hope to see many of the area churches come together for this service of Praise and Thanksgiving for all the good things God has blessed us with in this past year.

Gerald Moreland, minister of the Warren Church of Christ, will be the speaker with the Praise Team from First Baptist Church leading us in the worship and special music. Different ministers will share in the meeting and we hope to share our common faith and praise to the Lord. A love offering will be taken to help with the projects that the WAMA group underwrites during the year. We hope to see you there.

# RAFFLE BASKETS

Sigma Phi Gamma Sorority are selling raffle tickets for the 2004 Christmas Basket from Longaberger. Tickets are available from any member or you can stop in at PJ's Flower & Gifts and get them from Sandy. Winner will be announced at the annual tree lighting. Proceeds to benefit the community.

### CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE

Handcrafters Boutique, downtown Warren will be opening Thursday, December 2 through Sunday, December 5. They will be open weekends until Christmas 10 am to 4 pm and 12 to 4 on Sundays.

Enter through the Courtyard at 109 E 3rd St. Phone 260-375-

There will be lots of gifts, decorations, art glass, Honey & Me rag dolls, Santas and more.

### FISH FRY

Chester Twp. Fire Dept. will be hosting an All You Can Eat Fish, Chicken and Tenderloin Fry, by Dan's Fish Fry, on Saturday, November 20, 2004 from 4:30PM -7:30PM.

The Fish Fry will be held South of Southern Wells School. Tickets are Adults-\$7.00, Chidlren-6 to 12 years -\$4.50, 5 years and under – Free.

# CHILI COOK-OFF RESULTS

Thank you to all of those who helped make the Scarecrow Festival Chili Cook-Off a huge success. The Winners of the Cook Off were Joe Hartley, the Warren Church of Christ; 5 Chicks Lunch Gals and Sara and Corey Krik. Everyone was a winner though, there wasn't a drop of Chili left by the end of the evening.

The Cook Off raised a total of \$298.56 for the Stephanie Glessner Education Fund. Again, thank you to everyone who helped with the Cook Off, it could not have happened without a lot of help.

# FEATURE HOUSE WALK

ROANOKE, IN— The Roanoke Chamber of Commerce will once again sponsor the annual Christmas in the Village, which will be held Dec. 3 and 4.

Area churches and organizations will offer a variety of crafts, baked goods and specialized holiday activities beginning at 4 p.m. on Friday Dec. 3.

The second annual house walk will be held from noon to 4 p.m. on Saturday featuring new and period homes this year. Tickets are \$6 in advance and \$8 at the door and will be available in Roanoke at the Bippus State Bank, National City Bank, Hoosier Foods and the Roanoke Library and in Huntington at the

Huntington County Visitor Center

The Christmas Lighting Contest will also be back for its second Year and is sponsored by Century 21 Village Property Shop. Contact Bill Brown for additional information at 260-672-2999.

Santa will arrive by fire truck Friday evening at 6 p.m. to sing a few songs with the children before visiting with them in the Roanoke Town Hall until 8 p.m. Photos with Santa will be available for \$2 each. Children can decorate cookies and make a craft while waiting to see Santa. Children can also enjoy a special breakfast with Santa on Saturday morning for 8:30 to 10 a.m. at Comer Stone Alliance Church.

Crafts and used books can be purchased at the Roanoke Library, which will have a special story time on Saturday. The Roanoke Area Heritage Center will also be open.

Faith Lutheran Church will be offering fresh and frozen pies, soup and hot dogs and craft items for sale. Roanoke Brethren Church will offer warm and frozen Apple Dumplings.

A special Christmas menu will be available Saturday during lunch hours at Joseph Decuis.

The Christ United Methodist Church on Third St. will be the site of a live nativity from 6 to 8 p.m. on Friday and noon to 4 p.m. on Saturday.

Carriage rides will be available on Friday evening, weather permitting.

For more information contact either Veronica Hover at 260-672-0057 or Jean Nelson at 260-672-9618.

### BIGS MAKE KIDS SMILE

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Children may participate in many different program options, including:

. One-to-One/Big Couple Match: Children spend two to four hour's twice a month with a Big Brother, a Big Sister or a Big Couple (husband and wife team) participating in fun outings and activities, including trips to the zoo, movies, baking, arts and crafts, sports, reading or simply hanging out together.

. Arts Buddy Match: Children spend two to four hours twice a month going to art museums, musicals, plays, concerts or doing arts activities with a Big.

. Sports Buddy Match: Children spend two to four hours twice a month with a Big going to sporting events and playing sports together.

Put a huge smile on the face of your child this holiday season, enroll them in the BBSS program! For more information about signing up your child to receive a Big, please contact BBBS toll free at 888-456-1600,

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

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# KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

#### **THANKS**

Thank you to the Warren community, friends and Bob and Patty Glessner for all your hard work on our 1-day house makeover, November 13, 2004. Julia and Stephanie Glessner were the recipients of this project. Clint had done so much for others we wanted to make sure that Julia and Stephanie were taken care of for the winter. Julia still tries to help others whenever she can. None of this would have been possible also without the donations from home improvement centers. I want to list individually your names and if I leave anyone out please forgive me. Thanks again everybody for all your Help and Support.

Kevin and Shelby Deakyne, Ron Blair, Mr. Smith, Paul Tancrell, Dale, Deb & Jamie Lindhorst, Todd Heyde, Kirk Heyde, Joe Poulson, Stock Building Company, Rusty Sunday, Dirt Excavating, Kevin Drayer, George DeWeese, Vicky Grim, Waldo Knight & Family, Patty Elwel & daughter, Newport Outlet, Yaste Painting, Lynn Shaw, Tony & Norma Gail Chambers, Nicki Zoda and Minnette Bellante.

Love Troy. Marcy, Clinton and Austin

P.S. Just Being Friends

"Friendship happens in that Special moment when the Community reaches out to another, Trusts, Comforts, Believes in another, and makes a Special difference that no one else can make."

### DEAR WARREN WEEKLY,

As usual, the annual Veteran's Day program would not be as successful without the help of many individuals and organizations. I'd like to thank the First Church of the Nazarene for donating their facilities and sanctuary for our ceremony. Thanks also to their custodian, Ron Dixon, who acted as our sound man. Thanks to Max Kaylor and the Sheriff's Department Disaster Team for helping with the parking of vehicles. Thanks also to Doug McElhaney and the Crestview Middle School Band for an outstanding performance. Bruce Van Gilder, Gene Snowden and Paul Baumgardner deserve thanks for helping direct the veterans and their families to the proper locations. And certainly, thanks goes to Rex Frederick and Kevin Shipbaugh of Frederick's Photography for taking the photographs of the veterans as they were receiving their awards and for offering a free 8x10 photo to each one of them. Thanks to all my usual helpers and to Rodney Funk, commander of VFW Post 2689, who was prepared to act as my stand-in had I been unable to attend.

I'd like to apologize to Paul Eugene Myers, who we mistakenly referred to in the newspapers and on the printed program as Paul Miller. And I need to apologize to military retirees Tom Mills, Warren, and Lincoln Reed, Huntington for not also identifying them as World War II veterans.

Tom Applegate, Veterans' Service Officer

# THANK YOU

A big thank you to all the readers of the Warren Weekly for your patience in not having a paper last week.

On November 2, I found out that I had a mass in my chest and went into the hospital to have a biopsy. I have since found out that the mass is not Cancer - we still aren't sure what it is but, we do know what it isn't.

I would like to thank everyone for their thoughts, prayers, calls, cards, gifts and food during this past two weeks. It's overwhelming to know that there is a whole town that cares. I've said it many times before and I'll say it again, there is no better place to be from, than Warren, IN.

Nicki Zoda. Editor. Warren Weekly

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Mike Helms, Pastor Sunday School ...... 9:30 a.m. Adult Worship ......10:30 a.m. Children's Church ...... 10:30a.m. Youth Hours ...... 6:00p.m. Evening Praise Hour.....6:00p.m. Hour of Power (Wed) ...... 7:00p.m. **CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH** 

Van Buren, Indiana 765-934-2199 Rev. Pat Mullen, Pastor

Worship ......9:30 a.m. Sunday School ......10:40 a.m.  $Bible \, Study, Wednesday....... 6:00 \, p.m.$ Youth Fellowship Sun ......6:00 p.m. THE CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY

ALLIANCE — Majenica

Rev. Gus Hacker Sunday School ......9:30 a.m. Worship ......10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening ......6:00 p.m. Wednesday Worship ......7:00 p.m.

MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST 260/468-2148

Rev. Tom DeFries - Pastor Sunday Trad. Worship ...... 9:00 a.m. Mdrn Worship ...... 10:30 a.m. Fellowship & Classes ....... 9:30 a.m. Come As You Are Kids Club, Youth Group & Adult Studies

- all Sunday ...... 6:00 p.m. **JEFFERSON CENTER UNITED** 

### **METHODIST** Corner of 900S & 300W

Kathie Jones, Pastor Sunday School ......9:00 a.m. Worship Service ......10:00 a.m. WARREN UNITED METHODIST Rev. Mike Malone, Pastor

Sunday School ......9:30 a.m. Worship ......10:30 a.m. Handicap Accessible & Staff Nursery WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST

> 375-3022 Gerald O. Moreland, Minister Joe Hartley, BS Supt.

Fellowship ......9:15 a.m. Worship & Communion ......9:30 a.m. Sunday School ......10:45 a.m. DILLMAN UNITED BRETHREN

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

Sun - 1st Worship Service..... 8:15a.m. Sunday School.....9:30a.m. 2nd Worship Service .... 9:30a.m. Youth Group (6th-12th).5:30p.m. Wed - Circle of Friends

375-4359

Bill VanHaften, Pastor Lois Slusher, Supt. Coffee Fellowship......8:30 a.m. .....9:15a.m. Worship.. Sunday School ......10:30 a.m. Bible Study - Wed. ..... 7:00 p.m.

#### WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH 375-2330

6th & Nancy Sts. Warren Rev. Andy Trowbridge, Pastor Wesley Welch, Supt. Sue Brown, Youth Worker Sunday School ......9:30 a.m.  $Worship......10:15\,a.m.$ ..... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Service ... 7:00 p.m.

LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH 694-6622 Pastor Dan Sommer Sunday School ......9:00 a.m.

Fellowship......9:55a.m. Worship ...... 10:15a.m. Wed. Bible Study ...... 7:00 p.m. SALAMONIE CHURCH OF

**BRETHREN** 468-2412 Mel Zumbrun, Pastor

Worship ......9:30 a.m. Church School ......10:45a.m.
BUCKEYE CHRISTIAN CHURCH 758-2085

Kyle Dahlquist, Pastor Sandy Keplinger, Supt. Worship ......9:30 a.m. Sunday School ......10:45 a.m.

**BANQUO CHRISTIAN CHURCH** 8294S 900W 35 Gary Riley, Pastor

Sunday School ......9:30 a.m. Worship ...... 10:30 a.m. Youth Choir Practice ...... 5:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study ......6:30 p.m. Thurs. Kings Kids ......6:30 p.m. BYG Youth Svc. (2&4Sun.) .. 6:00 p.m. CWF Ladies (3 Tue) ......6:00 p.m. 1st Sun. (Qtrly) Praise Hour.. 6:30 p.m.

#### LIBERTY CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Steve Bard, Pastor

 $Morning\,Worship\,......9:30\,a.m.$ Sunday School ..... ......10:45 a.m. HILLCREST CHURCH OF THE

NAZARENE 375-2510 Bill Keen, Pastor Bus Service 375-2510

Sunday School ......9:30 a.m. Worship ......10:30 a.m.  $\stackrel{\cdot}{\text{Evening Worship.....}} 6:00\,\text{p.m.}$ Youth Group (Wed.).....6:00 p.m. Wed. Midweek Service......6:30 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-2102

Charles Dye ,Jr., Pastor Sunday Worship......9:30 a.m. Junior Church ...... 10:00 a.m. Sunday School ...... 10:30 a.m. (3yrs old - 5th grade) ... 6:30-8p.m. Communion 1st Sunday of the Month McNATT UNITED METHODIST Fun Factory 1st/3rd Sundays 6:00p.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. ThursdayPrayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m.

### WARREN 1st BAPTIST CHURCH Corner of N. Wayne & Matilda Sts.

Rev. Bill Fisher, Pastor of Preaching and Discipleship Rev. Robert Bothast, Pastor of

Family Life Debbie Wiley, S.S. Supt. Sunday School ......9:00 a.m. Sunday Worship ......10:00 a.m. Sunday Evening Service ..... 6:00p.m.

**VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** 765-934-1431

Pastor Blake J. Neff Youth Pastor Adam Pierce Worship Service ...... 9:30 a.m. Sunday School ......10:45a.m. UMYF ......6-7:30 p.m. Prayer-Bible Study (Thur)..... 7:30 p.m. www.vanburenumc.org

### **BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST** Rev. Barry Humble, Pastor Joe Kober, S.S. Supt.

Sunday Worship ...... 9:30a.m. Sunday School ......10:30a.m. HANFIELD UNITED METHODIST

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

1st Worship......8:20 a.m. 2nd Worship......9:45 a.m. 3rd Worship ......11:11 a.m. Sunday School Children & Youth

Programs
PLUM TREE UNITED CHURCH **OF CHRIST** 375-2691

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

**LANCASTER WESLEYAN** 468-2411

Doug Sharrard, Pastor Teresa Davis, S.S. Supt. Sunday School .....9:30 a.m.

Worship ......10:30 a.m. Evening Service ......6:00 p.m. Wednesday: CYC/Teen/Adult Meetings .....7:00 p.m. UNITED METHODIST MEMORIAL HOME SUNDAY:

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

**MOUNT ETNA WESLEYAN** Rev. Charles Dederick, Pastor

Sunday School ......9:30 a.m. Worship ......10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening ......6:00 p.m. Mid-Week (Wed) .....6:00 p.m. **ASBURY CHAPEL** 

UNITED METHODIST 8013W 1100S - 90, Montpelier

Student Pastor - Eric Dubach Worship ...... 9:30 a.m. Sunday School ......10:30 a.m. Wed Evening Carry-in & Fellowship

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or via email at info@bbbsnei.org. Additionally, please contact the agency if you are interested in becoming a Big Brother or a Big Sister. You also may visit the agency's web site at www.bbbsnei.org to learn more about BBBS's many program options.

### CONFERENCE SET

Indiana's high rates of suspension and expulsion for its public school students will be one of the topics addressed at a statewide conference held December 3 at the Indianapolis Sheraton Hotel.

The conference, titled "Up the Down Staircase", will address zero tolerance disciplinary policies and their effects on school achievement, suspension and expulsion numbers and practices among Indiana public schools, and creative alternatives to suspension and expulsion, including community service options.

The conference is based on research from the Children Left Behind project sponsored by the Indiana Youth Services Association and the Center for Evaluation and Education Policy at Indiana University. The conference is sponsored by the Indiana Youth Services Association and the Indiana Department of Education.

Presenters will include Judge Steve David, Presiding Judge of Boone County Circuit Court; Ken Hull, Superintendent of Western Boone Schools; Gaylon Nettles and Kevin McDowell, of the Indiana Department of Education; Bill Stanczykiewicz, Executive Director of the Indiana Youth Institute; Dr. Sigurd H. Zelkie, of Fairbanks Hospital; and Dr. Russell Skiba, chief researcher for the project at the Center for Evaluation and Education Policy, among others

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Two panel discussions including state legislators, juvenile judges, educators, and youth workers will be included.

The conference is open to the public but registration is required. For registration information, contact the Indiana Youth Services Association at 866-888-4972 or visit its website at www.indysb.org.

The purpose of the conference is to open a dialogue among educators, juvenile judges, and state policy makers concerning Indiana school discipline.

### WILDLIFE CLUB TO MEET

The Upper Wabash Reservoir Wildlife Club holds its monthly meeting November 21 at the Salamonie Interpretive Center, beginning at 2 p.m. Novice and long time bird watchers alike are invited to come to the meeting and participate. The special program will be a Wildlife in Action movie about hawks and owls. Please pre-register and bring a friend who is new to birding.

The Salamonie Interpretive Center is open Wednesday through Friday and Sunday 1 to 5 p.m. and Saturday 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. from October through April. This barrier-free building features exhibits, floor to ceiling windows in the wildlife viewing area, and staff to answer your questions. The center is located in Lost Bridge West Recreation Area on, Highway 105 in western Huntington County.

Visit our web site, www.in.gov/dnr/uwis/ for more information about

available programs. To register for this club meeting, call the Upper Wabash Reservoirs Interpretive Services 260/468-2127.

### Cowboy Church

Trinity United Methodist Church, 303 N. Walnut, Hartford City, will present its Cowboy Church on Saturday, November 20, at 7pm. Country Gospel music will be featured at this monthly event. Child care provided.

For more information, call the church at 765/348-0404.

### FAMILY VOLUNTEER DAY

Saturday, November 20, is National Family Volunteer Day. To celebrate, Aging and In-Home Services of Northeast Indiana, Inc. (AIHS) is asking families throughout our nine-county service area to rake leaves for an elderly or disabled person.

AIHS will match volunteering families with individuals who truly need help. Between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 p.m., families throughout the area will spend quality time with one another while making a positive contribution to their community.

AIHS believes that families who volunteer together receive several benefits. It strengthens positive values, makes family time valuable to both the family and the community, it encourages communication, it teaches children important values, not to mention... it's fun.

National Family Volunteer Day is a day of service designed to demonstrate the power of families who choose to volunteer

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together to support the communities in which they live and serve. The Points of Light Foundation created the day to highlight the benefits of family volunteering and to provide an opportunity for America's families to help communities create supportive environments for their children and each other.

To sign up, or for additional information about this and other volunteer opportunities, call Betty Harden, Director of Volunteer Programs at AIHS at 1-800.552-3662.

# TROOP SUPPORT MAIL POLICY

The Department of Defense announced today the continued suspension of the "Any Servicemember" mail program. Accordingly, the general public is urged not to send unsolicited mail, care packages or donations to service members during the holiday season.

During this time of the year, the number of donation pro-

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# **BAKED POTATO SUPPER**



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Nov 17 Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m.

Nov 22 Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Assembly Hall

Nov 26 Warren Recycle Day

**Bread of Life Food Pantry -** Wed 4 - 5:30pm, Sat 10 - 11:30 at KBC or by appointment - Call 375-2381. **Bargain Basement -** Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC **Depression Support Group** 2nd & 4th Thurs at Hope Missionary Church, Bluffton 6-7:30 **Salamonie Valley Museum** Open Sundays 1 to 4 p.m. at KBC **Walking in the Gym** 7 - 11 a.m. daily

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grams increases and causes mail from families and friends to be mixed with mail from unknown sources resulting in delivery delays.

DoD continues to emphasize that names and addresses of military service members must not be distributed by the media, Web sites, companies, nonprofit organizations, schools and individuals for the purpose of collecting letters of support or donations for mailing to service members.

Service members should receive mail only from those friends and family members to whom they personally give their address.

Military addresses should not be passed around by family members for use by donation programs. Unknown mailers could then obtain those addresses and mail harmful items to service members.

For these reasons. DoD continues to indefinitely suspend general donation programs from unknown mailers.

Americans, who don't have loved ones deployed overseas, can still show support during the holidays by other means.

A list of these programs is available at http:// www.defendamerica.mil.

To guarantee mail arrives in time for end of year holidays, family members are encouraged to view the mailing guidelines at http://www.usps.com/cpim/ftp/ bulletin/2004/pb22138.pdf.

### VB COUNCIL NOTES

President Tony Manry conducted the Nov. 3 meeting of the Van Buren Town Council. The meeting was held in the Council Room at Town Hall and opened at 7 p.m. with all in attendance repeating the Pledge to the American Flag.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as submitted.

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Officer Pat Collins gave the Police report. Both police vehicles were reported to be running well.

Five officers were on duty during Halloween hours. According to reports there were no major problems.

Council granted permission for Deputy Kevin Wertherington to purchase a winter coat.

Officers will attend Domestic Violence training.

There was a discussion about permits for a local business.

**Engineer Dave Lahey reported** on updates at the Water Plant and the Wastewater Plant. Water samples had been taken.

The next Council meeting will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 17 at 7 p.m.

### Notes from Warren

The Warren Town Council met in short session on Monday evening, Nov. 8. The meeting was held in Assembly Hall and opened at 6:30p.m. with president Harold Jones leading the Pledge to the American Flag.

Minutes of the previous meeting of Oct. 25 were approved as submitted.

Representing the Youth Services Bureau of Huntington County, Patti Hunt-Mitchell talked to Council about Warren and the Bureau working together to give young people in trouble Community Service work. There is a fee of \$1.00 per hour for each hour assigned by the Court for the youth. There are 15 from the Warren area reported available. Council agreed to the program and suggested an area for work was the Fire Station.

The bird problem was reported to be improving, but it was indicated that with grain dropping off farmers wagons as they go through town, and extra grain around weigh stations for grain, it will require more time to catch

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all the birds.

Council voted to purchase 20 folding chairs for Assembly Hall.

Council also agreed for the Fire Department to use Assembly Hall for their Christmas party.

The Department of Commerce recommended a cold storage be established at 609 East First Street. Council gave a recommendation.

Curtis Day reported from the Utility/Street Departments. He said leaf pick-up is expected to be completed soon. Valves had been put in and some work is still needed to be done at Tower Park. A number of trees around town need trimmed or cut down.

Council advised that bids be taken for an old tractor since there has been an interest expressed to purchase it.

Fire Chief Tim Ford said the Department is interested in purchasing a used '92 tanker truck. Council agreed to take the situation under advisement.

The next Council meeting will be Nov. 22.

#### Wins Again

Robin Hardin's photograph "Peaceful Landing" has been chosen as a winner of over 200 entries in the Westfield Group 2005 calendar photography contest. This is the second consecutive year that Robin has had a picture in the calendar!

You can stop by the Hunnicutt-Kennedy & Associates office at 119 N Wayne Street in Warren to pick up a copy!

### **NEW AT WPL**

New items received at the Warren Public Library are:

Fiction - The Deadly Dance by MC Beaton; Sacred Stone by Cussler; Snowed In by Bartolomeo; Jericho's Road by Kelton; The Marriage Wish by Henderson; Bound for Murder by Childs; Metro Girl by

Evanovich; Now You See Him by Cameron; London Bridges by Patterson.

Non-fiction - The Eighth Habit: From Effectiveness to Greatness by Covey; Cooking with Hot Flashes by Bolton; Got It Alone: Secret to Building a Successful Business on Your Own; Rights from Wrongs by Dershowitz.

Teen Books - The Teacher's Funeral by Peck; When Washington Crossed the Delaware by Cheney: Discovery at Flint Springs by Erickson; Teen Idol by Cabot; I Know It's Autumn by Spinelli; Life, Love and the Pursuit of Free Throws; Santa Kid by Patterson; Now It is Winter by Spinelli.

Holiday Themed Books - A Christmas Promise by Thomas Kinkade; Family Blessings by Fern Michaels; The Gift by Nora Roberts; Crewel Yule by Monica Ferris: When Christmas Comes by Macomber; A Redbird Christmas by Flagg; A Christmas to Remember by Neels; The Christmas Thief by Clark.

members paid birthday dues. Our \$1.00 assessment per member for our Founder's Park at Hartford city was collected. President Sondra Zabel read correspondence from the Province president Amanda Allen had sent to our chapter.

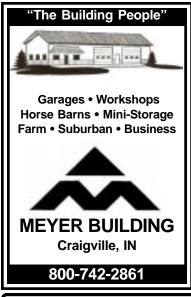
Beth Ostermeyer reported on the meeting she had attended to prepare for our 2006 International Convention.

Chaplain Georgia Poulson closed the meeting with prayer. Those present were: Shelly Stafford, Susan Ralston, Elise Smith, Carol Irick, Sandy Booher, Tara Korporal, Sandy Eichhorn, Sondra Zabel, Georgia Poulson, Beth Ostermeyer, Rosemary Zeller, Suzette Gephart and Opal Brubaker.

We are selling raffle tickets, \$1.00 each, from now til the lighting of the Warren Christmas lights, on a Longaberger Christmas basket with protector and liner. You may see any member for however many tickets you want or call 375-2454 or 375-3574.

### SIGMA PHI

Beta Delta Chapter met November 2 in their room at the Knight-Bergman Center. Roll call was answered by that members favorite pumpkin dish.









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A thank you is extended to all that remembered Larry Michael and his family with kind words, cards, food, visits, and especially prayers. A special thank you goes to the staff of the UMM Home. God bless each of you.

Jerry & Joan Boyer and families Jay & Marilyn Hacker and families

### **N**IGHTENHELSER

A resident of the United Methodist Memorial Home in Warren, Opal M.Nightenhelser, 89, died at 7:50 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 11, 2004 at Bluffton Regional Medical Center.

Born July 11, 1915 in Cicero, Ind., to Leroy and Nellie G. Bright Nightenhelser, she was a 1933 graduate of Arcadia High School in Arcadia, Ind. Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Bill (Jane) Witmore, and a brother, Hubert B. Nightenhelser. both Noblesville.

There were no calling hours. Graveside services were held at the Cicero Cemetery. Funeral arrangements were handled by Glancy Funeral Homes H. Brown & Son Chapel in Warren.

### COREY

Ella Evelyn Corey, 79, 6860 E. 300N, died at 10:30 p.m. Saturday, November 6, 2004 in her home.

She was born April 17, 1925 in Washington Township to the late J. Vaughn and Catherine (Pulley) Boller and graduated from Van Buren High School in 1943. She married Marvin "Bud" Corey. He survives in Marion.

She worked at Foster-Forbes Glass Co. and was a full-time homemaker and a farm wife. She enjoyed going to Florida, cooking, shopping and being with her family.

Survivors also include daughters, Linda (Jay) Hutte, Gas City, and Jill Corey, Okeechobee, Fla.; sons, Rickey "Rick" Corey and Marvin "Buddy" (Amber) Corey Jr., both of Marion; grandson, Marvin "Butch" Corey III, Marion; granddaughters, Jody (Steve) Royse, Monticello, Mindy Turner, Marion, and Jamie Hutte, Hartford City; great-granddaughters, Kayla Corey, Sweetser, Catherine Royse, Monticello, and Autumn Miller, Hartford City; and greatgrandsons, Tylor Royse, Monticello, and James Turner, Marion.

She also was preceded in death by brother, Gerald "Richard" Boller; and aunt, Lennie Pulley. Private graveside services were held in Grant Memorial Park cem-

Ferguson Funeral Home, 201 W. Main St., Van Buren, handled arrangements.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Visiting Nurse and Hospice Home, 205 S. Washington St., Marion, Ind. 46953.

### **FINCH**



VAN BUREN- John Edward Finch Sr., 84, died at 10:20 a.m.

Thursday, November 4, 2004 in his home.

He was born April 27, 1920 in Kokomo to Rex McKinnely Finch Sr. and Nellie May (Hite) Finch. He married the late Geraldine (Whitton) Finch in 1951. He and his wife lived in the Converse area for several years.

He worked at Delco Electronics before retiring in 1982. He was a World War II Army veteran. He was a member of Amboy American Legion.

Survivors include daughters, Roberta (Phil) Corey, Marion, Linda (Pat) Collins, Van Buren, and Denise (Gary) Cromer, Upland; sons Michael Howell, Van Buren, and John (Sara) E. Finch II, Marion; one brother; two sisters; 18 grandchildren; and 26 great-grandchildren.

He also was preceded in death by daughter, Patrica Cardwell; son, Thomas Finch; daughter-inlaw Joyce Howell.

There were no services or visitation. Burial was in Converse Cemetery.

Ferguson Funeral Home, 201 W. Main St., Van Buren, handled arrangements.

### KREIGH

BLUFFTON - Catherine E. Kreigh, 87, died at 8 a.m. Saturday, November 6, 2004 in her home.

She was born October 23, 1917 in Stone Bluff, Okla., to the late Joshua Mellett and Marie Estella (Shultz) Schweikhardt. She moved to Indiana during her senioryear of high school and graduated from Van Buren High School in 1936. She married Everett A. Kreigh in 1953. He survives.

She worked at the Indianapolis Glove Factory in Marion while attending Marion Business College. She then worked as a secretary for Van Buren veterinarian Dr. J.J. Shuff for eight years. She retired from the Van Buren Post Office in 1958 after 19 years of service.

She was an active member of Van Buren United Methodist Church for over 60 years. She volunteered for ten years at Wells Community Hospital and at the Bargain Hut in Bluffton after moving to the city in 1990. She enjoyed working crossword puzzles and reading.

Survivors include husband, Everett A. Kreigh, Bluffton; daughter, Anna (Max) Purvis, Van Buren; sons, Max (Debbie) Kreigh, Hartford City, and Roy (Charlotte) Kreigh, Uniondale; stepdaughters, Karen (Eulis) West, Bluffton, and Janet Orozco, Tacoma, Wash.; sisters, Maxine (John) Plummer, Warren, Marguerite (Earl) Cox, Marion, and Betty (James) Ferguson, Van Buren; six grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

She also was preceded in death by brother, Paul Schweikhardt; and sister, Martha Duckwall.

Services were held in Ferguson Funeral Home, 201 W. Main St., Van Buren, with the Rev. John Pattison officiating. Burial was in Van Buren Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Family Hospice of Northeast Indiana, 265 W. Water St., Berne,Ind. 46711 or envelopes may be picked up at the funeral home.

### RITTENHOUSE-WOMACK

WARREN - Mason Lee Rittenhouse-Womack was stillborn Friday, November 5, 2004 in Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne.

Survivors include father. David Michael Womack, Warren; mother, Meggan Mechelle Rittenhouse. Warren: maternal grandparents, Kevin and Carolyn Rittenhouse, Warren: and paternal grandparents, Michael Todd Womack, East St. Louis, III, and

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Sandra Rippy, Warren.

Services were held in Woodlawn Cemetery with the Rev. Gerald Moreland officiating.

Glancy Funeral Homes, H. Brown & Son Chapel, 203 N. Matilda St., handled arrangements.

# HALE

VAN BUREN - Faye I. Hale, 73, 3391N 600E, died at 11:11 p.m. Wednesday, November 3, 2004 in Marion General Hospital.

She was born July 20, 1931 in Dunkirk to the late Thomas C. and Thelma (Kinney) McKinney. She graduated from Albany High School in 1949. She owned and operated a home day care for 30 years. She married Donald E. Hale on Nov. 5, 1949. He sur-

She was a member of Country Side Chapel Church in Marion. She was a loving wife, mother and grandmother with many friends. She was an avid bowler who loved to travel and enjoyed sports, especially watching her grandchildren play sports.

Survivors include husband, Donald E. Hale. Marion: daughters, Cathy (Keith) Linderwell, Churubusco and Donna (Greg) Wimmer, Fairmount; sons, Robert (Brenda) E. Hale, Wabash, and Thomas (Melody) F. Hale, Marion; granddaughters, Holly Hale, Tiffany Colburn and Allison Wimmer; grandsons, Chris and Joe Hale, Steve, Tyler and Todd Linderwell, Russell Brandenburg, Tommy and Travis Hale, Aaron Colburn and Colten Wimmer; great-granddaughters, Natalie, Sarah and Molly Hale. She was expecting two additional greatgrandchildren.

Services were held at Ferguson Funeral Home, with the Rev. Ronald R. Herring officiating. Burial was in the Gardens of Memory cemetery, Marion.

Memorials may be made to the Country Side Chapel Church in care of Ferguson Funeral Home, 201 W. Main St.

#### **B**IRTHS

Donnie Harness II and Cassi Burnsworth of Huntington are the parents of a son Corgan Jace born at 8:35 a.m. November 4, 2004 at Bluffton Regional Medical Center. The baby weighed 9 pounds 9 ounces and measured 20 inches. He joins a brother, Zane Michael, age 2 1/2.

Grandparents are Donna and Tracy Williams of Painesville OH, Robert Burnsworth of Huntington and Donnie Harness of Warren. Great-grandparents are Mary and the late Keith Platt of Huntington, Julie Williams of Huntington, Robert and Mable Burnsworth of Huntington and Harold and Phyllis Harness of Warren.

Doug and Mary Beth (Sisson) Hill, Warren, are the parents of a son, Joshua Victor Hill, born at 8:49 p.m. October 31, 2004 at Bluffton Regional Medical Center. He weighed 8 pounds 7 ounces and measured 21 inches. He joins siblings Cora, age 5 1/2, and Evan. age 3 1/2.

Grandparents are Rex and Sharon Sisson of Warren, Nancy Hill of Cavuga IN and Rick and Sally Hill of Newport IN. Donna Hill of Cayuga, IN is the greatgrandmother.

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Olan and Waldene Gilbert married November 23, 1935. They have one son, Glen and two grandchildren, Vicki and Mike and one great-grandchild, Cory.

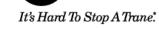
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# AREA NEWS CONTINUED

### **I**DLE **H**OUR

The Idle Hour Club met in the Fahl Dining room on Monday, November 1 for lunch with Mildred Gilbert as hostess.

The afternoon meeting was held in the Calico Lounge. Pres. Edna Alfeld welcomed each one and read the thought for the day. Mildred Gilbert read "The Story."

Roll call was answered by "Your Favorite Color." Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The treasurers report was given.

Clara Mossburg, Devonna Leas and Evelyn Schweikhardt thanked the club for the flowers they had received.

Election of officers was held with Edna Alfeld, President, Mildred Gilbert, Vice President, Georgia Poulson, Secretary Treasurer and Marjoie Lieurance, assistant secretary treasurer.

Each member to bring card revealing your Secret Pal for 2004.

It was voted to each member pay \$5 to the Christmas Project. This years donation goes to the American Red Cross.

There will be no Secret Pals in 2005, but a gift exchange will be held in July.

7-Up was played with Maxine winning high and Georgia Poulson, low.

Those enjoying the day were: Edna Alfeld, Ruth Brooks, Martha Burneau, Freda Finley, Jane Haley, Maxine Jones, Devonna Leas, Marjorie Lieurance, Clara Mossburg, Miriam Rice, Evelyn Schweikhardt, Helen Trout, Violet Yoars, Geogria Poulson and hostess, Mildred Gilbert.

The Christmas Party will be held in the Calico Lounge on December 6, 2004. Be sure your secret pal gift is there.

## **C**HAUTAUQUA

The Chautauqua Club met on November 4th in the Calico Room. Roberta St John was hostess. The Club Creed was recited and the roll call was answered by an election remembrance. The minutes of the October meeting were read and the treasurer's report was given. It was voted to give the library a book and a monetary gift to the food pantry.

Ann Miles introduced the speaker, Diane Clough, from the Family Hospice Center in Berne. She explained the many services which are provided to nursing homes and citizens form Adams, Allen, Blackford, Huntington, Jay and Wells counties. Many volunteers given their time and services to the organization. She quoted from a helpful book, "The Four Things That Matter Most," by Dr. Ira Byock, MD

Members present were Barbara Baer, Janet Beavens, Sue Blair, Nancy Bonham, Ann Brauchla, Mary Brown, Ruth Alice Christner, Jean Cress, Linda Howell, Phyllis Hubartt, Joan Huffman, Mary Emma Huffman, Karen Hunnicutt, Georgina Laymon, Ann Miles, Jane Ruble, Robert St John, Peggy Schweikhardt, Martha Shafer, Ann Sparks, Carolyn Sparks, Harriett Tobias, Alice Whitmore, Betty Yoder, Oma Zent and guest Diane Clough.

The next meeting will be on December 3. The program will be in the Chapel with Jody DeSalvo giving a piano recital. The business meeting will be in the Calico Room following the recital.

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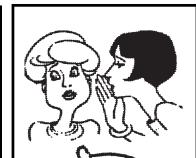
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# AREA NEWS CONTINUED

### BAYVIEW

The Bay View Club met November 9th in the Calico Room at the Home. Lunch was served at tables beautifully decorated with pine cones, colored leaves and turkeys made by Vida Myers. The door prize was won by Donna Deemer and one person at each table was awarded on of the turkeys as a gift. Helen Stokes conducted the business meeting. Willodene Thompson, assistant secretary, gave the treasurer report and read the minutes of last meeting.

Roll call was answered by naming your favorite Thanksgiving dish.

It was voted to send \$50.00 to the Food Bank here is Warren and to pay the bill for the printing of our year books.

Mary Wiley gave a review of Bill Gaither's book "It's More Than Music." This was a story of his life and of Gloria, his wife, and how God had lead and blessed their lives thru their music ministry.

There were 14 members present. Decembers meeting will have Iva Mae Wygant ad Helen Stokes as chairmen.

### Going Bug-gy!

Brady Smekens chose bugs as his theme for storytime at the Warren Library on Friday, November 5. Morgan Richison, Sophie, Andy and Sydney Smekens, Sarah Kline and Lily and Fletcher Sabinske enjoyed stories about spiders, inch worms, caterpillars, butterflies, an old black fly and even a grouchy ladybug.

Story time will be held the next Friday, but there will be no storytime on November 26.

# VB RED HATTERS

Nine members of the Van Buren Happy Red Hatters enjoyed a luncheon at the Hostess House on Friday with the program of Sacagawea. Being the Indian who traveled with Lewis and Clark on the Corp of Discovery 1804 to 1806. Enjoying the day was Shelby Goff, Waunieta Linton, Shirley Shinholt, Mary Ellen Hawkins, Janet Hunnicut, Phyllis Harper, Norma Briner, Louise Rumple, Donna Zent.

The ladies discussed attending the December 10th luncheon at the Hostess House with The Know Sisters, as the program, also a sharing time with Northwood Retirement Center on December 13th. They will make baked goods for the Christmas baskets of the Harvest House Pantry in Van Buren by December 20th. Reservations for the Hostess House should be made to Donna Zent at 934-3652 by December 8th.

### SLEEP TIGHT!

"Bedtime stories" was the theme for story time at the Warren Public Library on Friday, November 12. Brady Smekens read TEDDY BEAR, TEDDY **STRAWBERRY** BEAR; SHORTCAKE SLEEPS OVER; GO AWAY, BIG GREEN MON-STER; GOODNIGHT MOON; and THE GOING TO BED BOOK to Sarah Bothast, Sydney Bowman, Kennady Chapin, Sarah Kline, Morgan Richison, Fletcher Sabinske, Amelia Sabinske, Colin Sackett, William Sackett, Andrew Smekens, and Sydney Smekens. A doorhanger was the week's activity.

Story time will be held Friday morning, November 19, but will not be held on November 26.

### **VB S**TORIES

Twenty children came to the Van Buren Public Library on Friday November 12, 2004 to honor our Veterans and our men and women in the military. The children signed in and were able to color a patriot picture.

Karen read the book "Veterans Day" by Jacqueline Cotton. She introduced our very special guest Mr. Mike Long from the Air National Guard of Fort Wayne. Mike was stationed in Iraq two months before the war began. He arrived in January of 2003 and the war started in March of 2003. Mike shared a lot of interesting facts and showed a lot of pictures of his stay in Iraq. We found out there are sandstorms two times a week. He had pictures of the sandstorm and you could see very little. He talked on how the

boys and girls do not go to school together. Boys go three days then girls go three day. They also attend school on Saturdays. Mike compared how our policemen have dogs to help them sniff down things. The Navy Seals have Dolphins to help the Seals find bombs. The food the soldiers have is not like our home cooked food but M. R. E. food (Meals Ready to Eat) freeze dried food. Mike brought a stuffed camel. He said he saw a lot of camels so he sent a stuffed camel to his wife for her birthday. We want to thank Mike Long for taking the time to come and share with the children. His information and pictures were enjoyed by all of the children and adults.

A letter was read to the children received from Jessica Fail who is stationed in Virginia Beach, Va. Jessica is one of the soldiers the children write and send pictures too. We appreciate Jessica taking the time to write.

The staff prepared a place in the Children's Department where the children can display pictures and names of our men and women who have served and our serving in the military. The children received a sheet of paper with a place where they can put a person's name that has served or is serving in the military. I hope they return the papers to the library so we can display them.

Those attending were: Kayla Shafer, Nixon Smith, Autum Smith, Icily Baker, David Irwin, Amy Kerr, Emily Bryant, Olivia Bryant, Elizabeth Bryant, Phillip Dailey, Ashley Kerr, Kaylee Morgan, Baylee Morgan,

Cameron Riddle, Peter Bryant, Karlee Laypoole, Mandi Beck, Jaedyn Beck, Delta Oswalt and C. J. Anderson.

This Friday after school 2:30-3:30. We will have a Thanksgiving Party. Hope to see you!

### LIBRARY NEWS

Larry Beouy, Van Buren, has served on the Van Buren Public Library Board of Trustees for over 20 years. He has served as president, vice-president, and member of the board. He is appointed to the board by the Van Buren Town Board.

Larry recently retired from Sears where he worked for over 45 years. He is an avid collector of Sears memorabilia. Part of his collection is on display at the Van Buren Public Library.

Stop into the library and see his collection and sign his thank you book. Larry has always been a real asset to the Van Buren Community. We appreciate him.

# RAIDERS OF THE DAY

The following Southern Wells elementary students were Raider of the Daywinners for September and October, 2004:

Georgia Barr (K), Cory Capper (K), Tommy Beccheria (5), Bradley Bothast (K), Savannah DeaKyne (1), Alexis Collins (1), Brooke Gephart (3), Darren Gillum (3), Evan Huffman (K), Caylynn Hamilton (K), Shana Hicks (3), Chandler Harris (3), Cory Haviland (5), Kammie Kress (K), Brett Irelan (5), Keesha Ivins (K), Steven Jones (K), Ivy

Maddox (3), Ashley Lefebvre (K), Destinea Mason (K), Jacob Moriarity (1), Brianna Pettibone (K), Olivia Mossburg (3), Cori Mossburg (3), Tod Pinkerton (K), Amanda Reimer (3), Josie Rhodes (5), Kennedy Rhodes (K), Josh Rhoton (2), Alex Schmidt (3), Christa Schortgen (3), Blake Spath (K), Kyle Stroud (K), Jacob Taylor (3), Meadow Tucker (K), Daniel Velasquez (3), Austin Vaughn (3), Ethan Westfall (K), William Wyatt (3), Claudia Williams (K), Shiloh Hicks (K), Cassie Crickard (3), Kaitlyn Mounsey (K), Jacob Roush (3), Delaney Smith (K), Kyle Pinkerton (2), Mikayla Oswalt (K), and Samantha Ramseyer (2).

Congratulations Raiders!!

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When the dentists notices an unusual enamel erosion on the teeth of a person who appears to be otherwise healthy, the issue might be addressed about the possibility of an eating disorder. Depression often goes along with an eating disorder and a person that has one of these conditions will often get lax about good oral hygiene. Gum disease may also develop.

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