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Thought for the Week: The world's favorite season is the spring. All things seem possible in May. Edwin Way Teals

## CLOSED FOR HOLIDAY

The Van Buren Public Library will be closed on Saturday, May 29 and Monday, May 31, for the observance of Memorial Day

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There will be a Memorial Day Presentation on the lawn of the library on Sunday, May 30, at 11:00. The American Legion Post 368 will hold the service. Music will be provided by the Eastbrook Band. Bring your lawn chair and join us for a patriotic salute to those of the military serving the United States of America.

## **OPEN HOUSE**

An Open House announcing the proud partnership of Schurr Services, Inc. and Quality Air Treatment, Inc. is planned for June 5 from 11 to 3 at 2943 S Main, Liberty Center. The big brick building at the four way stop in Liberty Center!

There will be a hog roast by the Hog Roasting Specialists, sale of slow inventory and door prizes.

Throughout the day Factory Reps will be available to answer product questions about A.O. Smith Water Products.

## FESTIVAL MEETING

Van Buren Popcorn Festival meeting June 8 at 6:30 at the Van Buren Library. This year's festival is August 12, 13 & 14. Theme is "Poppin' Around Van Buren."

## Don'T PROTEST ...

## PARTICIPATE!

In a time of War, the men and women deployed overseas need the backing of the people at home. Protesting a war often sends the wrong messages to our troops and our enemies alike, no matter how well intentioned it might be. The Daugherty Companies of Warren decided to "Participate" in the War on Terror. Dave Daugherty challenged his employees to make donations to assist soldiers with calling card and cell phone minutes. The company promised to match \$2 for every \$1 donated last week. When the can was emptied at the end of the week, \$175 was collected and matched with \$350 from the com-

pany for a total of \$525 raised to age rates, 832 motorists were help soldiers call home. Those donations will allow 250 service men and women to call loved ones and talk for 30 minutes each!

With the news full of scandal and disgrace upon the military, remember the 99.99% of the fighting men and women and show them your support.

## "CLICK IT OR TICKET"

INDIANAPOLIS -- The Governor's Council on Impaired & Dangerous Driving, a division of the Indiana Criminal Justice Institute, is preparing to launch its annual "Click It or Ticket" campaign this month.

The campaign, funded by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, is Indiana's most aggressive, lifesaving traffic safety effort. It uses high visibility enforcement in combination with aggressive public information. education and intense media coverage to send the message to motorists that if they do not comply with Indiana's seat belt and child restraint laws, they will receive a ticket.

The 2004 enforcement period will run from May 23 to June 6. More than 500 law enforcement agencies and 14,000 officers will participate in increased seat belt enforcement across the state during that time frame. Hoosiers will begin to see this year's media message in their communities starting this week.

"Our goal is a 100 percent seat belt usage rate in Indiana. With campaigns like this one, we absolutely believe that goal is attainable," said Jerry McCory, director of the Governor's Council on Impaired & Dangerous Driving.

After last year's "Click It or Ticket" campaign, the Center for the Advancement of Transportation Safety at Purdue University reported that 88 percent of those in cars were wearing seat belts up from 57 percent in 1999. Even pickup truck drivers and passengers, who are not required by Indiana law to buckle up, have increased their seat belt usage from 33 percent in 1999 to 56 percent in 2003.

Despite increasing seat belt us-

killed in statewide traffic crashes last year, and many of those fatalities could have been prevented if those involved had been properly restrained.

"It's not about writing tickets," McCory said. "It's about saving lives on Indiana's roadways."

## CAPTAIN'S BOOK AT WPL

Run Silent, Run Deep by Commander Edward L Beach is available at the Warren Public Library. This gripping, best selling novel of submarine warfare inspired a wellknown Hollywood film starring Burt Lancaster and Clark Gable Set in the aftermath of the attack on Pearl Harbor, this tension-filled story focuses on an American submarine captain given orders to destroy Japanese shipping in the Pacific. From the training of the crew until the exciting conclusion, the novel is authentic. The book is based on true events experienced by the author during World War II.

Captain Beach was a famous submarine captain and the USS Salamonie was his only surface command. Two sets of his white uniforms including ribbons and medals were recently donated to the USS Salamonie Museum in

## LOOKING FOR MEMBERS

The Warren Fire Department will be accepting applications for membership. Applicants must be at least 21 years of age and not over 45. Applicants must be in good health. A mandatory 24 hour course will have to be completed. as well as a physical examination. if any applicant is considered for membership. Anyone interested can pick up applications at the town clerks office. Applications can be turned in at the town hall or give to any Warren fire department member by May 28, 2004.

## LIMITED OPENINGS

The Small World Nursery School still has a few openings in the 3yr. old class and the 4-5yr. old afternoon class only. The 3yr. olds attend class at the Knight-Bergman Civic Center on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 8:30-

11am beginning September 7" The 4-5 yr. olds will start on September 8, and they will attend Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 12-2:30pm. The registration fee for either class is \$40.00 if registered by June 1st or \$50.00 there after. Please contact LeAnn Wilburn at 375-2492 to register your Child.

**"YOUR HOMETOWN NEWSPAPER"** 

## WINDOW DECORATIONS

The Salamonie Summer Festival is fast approaching! This year's theme is "Summer on the Salamonie". Ann Brauchla is in charge of decorating the windows again this year, and would love to see the town decorated as nice as it was for the Festival of the Arts. Didn't the town look great with all the artwork from Salamonie School adorning all the windows? Think back to a time you spent at the Salamonie River and recreate it for the Festival. Maybe you were in the Canoe races.. what about "Every Saturday Night" performed at the Scout Cabin? Share your memories with everyone by calling Ann at 375-3792 and reserving a window to decorate!

## CHEF LUKE RETURNING

Chef Luke Swagger is returning to Van Buren on July 12 for an encore performance. A Taste of Summer will be presented at 6:00 p.m. He will share some cooking ideas and will also explain the schooling necessary to become a chef. So mark your calendar now and plan to be there. The program will be at the United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall, on second street. Program sponsors are the Van Buren Public Library and the Van Buren United Methodist Church, Please call the library at 934-2171 to register.

## MODEL/TALENT SEARCH

On Saturday, June 5, 2004 at 11:00 A.M. Charmaine Agency will be scouting for models, actors, dancers and singers for the Millie Lewis - American Modeling & Talent Competitions in Orlando. Florida

The chosen individuals will meet face to face with the Leading Model Agents, Film & Casting Directors and Record Companies from Ford, Elite, Next, Jet Set Kids, MTV, Trump Models, FFT -Funny Face Today, Mattel Toys, Abrams Artists, MGM, Sony Music. Twentieth Century Fox just to name a few.

The auditions/interviews are for Men, Women and Children, 4 and up. Bring a recent snapshot. 18 years and under should come with a parent. Models should be prepared to walk the runway, singers & dancers will do a 1 minute performance with their own back up music. Actors will do a cold reading.

Audition/Interviews are at 11:00 AM on Saturday, June 5, 2004 at Charmaine Agency - 3538 Stellhorn Road, Fort Wayne, IN 46815 Call 260-485-8421.

## LIVESTOCK ENTRIES DUE

Families interested in showing Beef Dairy Cattle, Sheep, and Swine in 4-H at the Indiana State Fair, August 11 - 22 must complete an entry form and mail by June 1st. The entry date is early so that forms can be processed for the livestock shows.

An entry fee of \$15 (per specie) must accompany the entry. A fee of \$50 must accompany entries postmarked June 2 - July 31. Only hand delivered entries will be accepted from August 1 until check-in time and must be accompanied by a \$50 late fee plus an additional fee of \$50 per animal.

The July 1st entry deadline remains the same for 4-H Boer Goats, Dairy Goats, Meat Goats, Dogs, Cat, Llamas, Pigeons, Pygmy Goats, Poultry, Rabbits, and Waterfowl. 4-H Horse & Pony entries are due July 31st or three days after the county fair.

Entry forms and rules can be obtained off of the State Fair Web Page. The address is:

Entry forms may also be obtained at the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service located at the 4-H Park in Bluffton, telephone number 260-824-6412. Office hours are 8 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday through Friday.

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## KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

## DEAR EDITOR.

On behalf of Warren's Our Town committee, I would like to extend our sincere gratitude to the hundreds of volunteers who helped make the second Festival of the Arts a success.

A special thanks also goes to those businesses, individuals, and not-for-profit groups that so generously contributed their financial resources toward this community event.

The community support demonstrated during Festival of the Arts further affirms why the Warren-area is a great place to live and work.

Sincerely. Brady Smekens Festival Chair

## HOW OLD IS GRANDMA?

One evening a grandson was talking to his grandmother about current events. The grandson asked his grandmother what she thought about the shootings at the schools, the computer age, and just things in general. The grandma replied, "Well, let me think a minute; I was born before television, penicillin, polio shots, frozen foods, Xerox, contact lenses. Frisbees, and the pill. There was no radar, credit cards, laser beams or ballpoint pens. Man had not invented pantyhose, air conditioners, dishwashers, clothes dryers, and the clothes were hung out to dry in the fresh air and man hadn't yet walked on the moon.

Your Grandfather and I got married first - and then lived together. Every family had a father and a mother. Until I was 25, I called every man older than I, "sir", and after I turned 25, I still called policemen and every man with a title, "sir." We were before gay-rights, computerdating, dual careers, daycare centers, and group therapy. Our lives were governed by the Ten Commandments, good judgment, and common sense. We were taught to know the difference between right and wrong and to stand up and take responsibility for our actions. Serving your country was a privilege; living in this country was a bigger privilege. We thought fast food was what people ate during Lent. Having a meaningful relationship meant getting along with your cousins. Draft dodgers were people who closed their from doors when the evening breeze started. Time-sharing meant time the family spent together in the evenings and weekends - not purchasing condomini-

We never heard of FM radios, tape decks, CD's electric typewriters, yogurt or guys wearing earrings. We listened to the big bands, Jack Benny, and the President's speeches on our radios. And I don't ever remember any kid blowing his brains out listening to Tommy Dorsey. If you saw anything with "made in Japan" on it, it was junk. The term "making out" referred to how you did on your school exam. Pizza Hut, McDonald's, and instant coffee were unheard of. We had 5 & 10 cent stores where you could actually buy things for 5 and 10 cents. Ice cream cones, phone calls, rides on a streetcar, and a Pepsi were all a nickel. And if you didn't want to splurge, you could spend your nickel on enough stamps to mail one letter and two postcards.

You could buy a new Chevy Coupe for \$600 but who could afford one? Too bad, because gas was 11 cents a gallon. In my day, "grass" was mowed, "coke" was a cold drink, "pot" was something your mother cooked in, and "rock music" was your grandmother's lullaby. "Aids" were helpers in the principal's office, "chip" meant a piece of wood, "hardware" was found in a hardware store, and "software" wasn't even a word. And we were the last generation to actually believe that a lady needed a husband to have a baby. No wonder people call us "old and confused" and say there is a generation gap.

And how old do you think I am??

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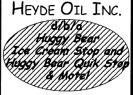
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260/468-2148 Rev. Tom DeFries - Pastor Sunday Trad. Worship ...... .. 8:30 a.m. Mdm Worship ..... 10:30 a.m. Fellowship & Classes .... .. 9:30 a.m.

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 .10:00 a.m. WARREN UNITED METHODIST Rev. Mike Beall, Pastor Sunday School ..... ...9:30 a.m ..10:30 a.m. Worship .. Handicap Accessible & Staff Nursery

WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-3022 Gerald O. Moreland, Minister

Joe Hartley, BS Supt. ..9:15a.m. Fellowship Worship & Communion ..... 9:30 a m ..10:45 a.m.

DILLMAN UNITED BRETHREN 8888S 1100W-90, Warren 375-2779 Lynn Mefferd, Pastor

Sun - 1st Worship Service...... 8:30a.m. Sunday School..... ..9:30a.m. 2nd Worship Service.....10:30a.m. Youth Group (6th-12th)....5:30p.m. . 6:30 p.m. McNATT UNITED METHODIST 375-4359

Bill VanHaften, Pastor Lois Slusher, Supt.

Coffee Fellowship..... ...8:30 a.m. .9:15 a.m. Sunday School .....10:30 a.m. Bible Study - Wed. ...... .... 7:00 p.m.

6th & Nancy Sts. Warren Rev. Bill Barlow, Pastor Wesley Welch, Supt.

.9:30 a.m. 10:15a m ..... 6:00 p.m. Wenesday Prayer Service

LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH 694-6622

Pastor Dan Som Sunday School .... 9:00 a m Fellowship .. .9:55a.m. .....10:15a.m. Worship. Wed. Bible Study .. . 7:00 p.m. SALAMONIE CHURCH OF

BRETHREN 468-2412 Mel Zumbrun, Pastoi

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

Nathan Doyle, Minister Sandy Keplinger, Supt. Worship. ..9:30 a.m.

Sunday School .. .10:30 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) ......... 1st Sun. (Qtrly) Praise Hour.. 6:30 p.m. LIBERTY CENTER

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Steve Bard, Pastor Morning Worship ...... ....9:30 a.m. Sunday School .10:45 a.m. HILLCREST CHURCH OF THE

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Bill Keen, Pastor Bus Service 375-2510

Sunday School. ..9:30 a.m Worship .. 10:30 a m Evening Worship... ..6:00 p.m. Youth Group (Wed.)...... Wed. Midweek Service.. .6:00 p.m. .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 Communion 1st Sunday of the Month 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.

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Family Life Debbie Wiley, S.S. Supt.

Sunday School..... .9:00 a.m Sunday Worshin 10:00 a m Sunday Evening Service ..... 6:00p.m. Wednesday Bible Study ...... 7:00 p.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. .....6-7:30 p.m. Prayer-Bible Study (Thur)..... 7:30 p.m.

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Joe Kober, S.S. Supt. Sunday Worship ...... 9:30a.m. Sunday School .10:30 a.m. HANFIELD UNITED METHODIST

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

1stWorship..... .....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 ...9:30 a.m. Sunday School ..... .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. 0.30 a m OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat 9:00 a.m. Chanel Services

MOUNT ETNA WESLEYAN Wayne Wright, Pastor

Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m. Worship .. .....10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening ...... .....6:00 p.m. .6:00 p.m

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 .....6:30 p.m.

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## AREA NEWS

#### RESPECT FOR LAW CAMP

The Bluffton Optimist Club is encouraging interested youth to attend this year's Respect for Law Camp for students in Grades 4 through 6

This unique camp provides a close up look at law enforcement and the legal system. Police officers staff the camp and focus on topics such as personal safety, drug awareness through the Indiana Students Taught Awareness Resistance (I-STAR) program and exciting demonstrations including police dogs, police helicopter and bomb squad.

Camps are held at major universities around Indiana and offer a unique early glimpse of campus life. Camp dates for 2004 include: Hanover College, June 10 - 12; Taylor University (Fort Wayne), July 8 - 10; University of Indianapolis, July 29 - 31; Vincennes University, June 10 - 12; University of Southern Indiana, June 10 - 12; Notre Dame, July 22 - 24; and Anderson University, July 15

Applications are available from Laura Gentis at Farm Credit Services, Bluffton: Roger Sherer, Wells County Extension Service, 4-H Park, Bluffton; and Ray Shaw, Shaw Real Estate and Auction. Bluffton

For complete details, contact Optimist President Karyn Gilley, 824-5343.

## 4-H CAMP

The annual 4-H Camp for Northeast Indiana will be held June 7 -9 at Camp Alexander Mack, located near Milford on Lake Waubee in Kosciusko County. Camp activities will include swimming, boating, crafts, recreation, nature hikes, rocketry, tin can ice cream and more.

Camp Counselors and other staff have been making plans for the event which will feature the theme "Skittles - Taste the Rainbow". Camp groups will each feature a special flavor for the three day

Staff at the seven county (Wells, Adams, Allen, DeKalb, LaGrange, and Steuben) 4-H Camp will include 4-H Junior Leader Counselors, 4-H Extension Educators,



nurses, and Camp Mack staff. Junior Leaders serving as Camp Counselors from Wells County are Melanie Day, Jessica Meitzler, and Blake Johnson.

4-H Camp is open to youth who are just finishing grades 3 - 5.

Cost of the camp is \$45 which includes three days, meals, insurance and activities. The Wells County 4-H Association will pay for the remaining \$40. Registration is due June 1st. Check-in time at the camp will be at 3:30 PM on June 7th and campers will be dismissed on June 9th. Carpooling with other Wells County families will be available.

For more information about 4-H Camp or to register, call the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 260-824-6412. Office hours are Monday through Friday, 8 AM to 4:30

## NEW AT WPL

New books, videos and DVDs received at the Warren Public Library include:

Adult fiction - Plainsong by Haruf; Flashpoint by Brockman; 'Til Death Do Us Part by White; Legacy Lane by Hatcher; Dumping Billy by Goldsmith; The Sacrifice by Lewis; Second Touch by Theone; Broken Dishes by Fowler; The Shop on Blossom Street by Macomber; Wild Heather by Palmer.

Adult non-fiction - Just Like Us: Burned Alive; Plan of Attack; The Secret Language of Flowers; My Personal Best by John Wooden; Carrots Love Tomatoes: Public

By: Dr.

Speaking for Dummies; Beverly Lewis Amish Cookbook; Rules of Golf in Plain English.

Video & DVD - Pay It Forward; Popeye; Why the Towers Fell; Cast Away; Step Mom; Big Fish; White Oleander; Devine Secrets of Ya Ya Sisterhood; What A Girl Wants: Under the Tuscan Sun: Mona Lisa Smile; Miracle.

Children's - Veggie Tales a Snoodle's Tale; Kipper & Water

## CARD SHOWER

Norma Rettig will celebrate her 80th birthday on May 20th. She has lived in the Warren community most of her life. She has been a faithful member of the Warren Methodist Church and has truly enjoyed working at the Bargain Basement for many years.

If you would like to help us celebrate, please send cards to Norma at 801 Huntington Ave, Warren, IN 46792.

## COUNCIL NOTES

On Wednesday evening, May 5, the Van Buren Town Council met in the Council Room at Town Hall. At 7 p.m. president Tony Manry called the meeting to order with the Pledge to the American Flag. Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as submitted.

Ann Carl displayed a quilt she had made which includes many pictures of the Van Buren area.

Officer Pat Collins gave his report.

There had been a complaint of a barking Beagle on East Main

A meeting was scheduled for Tuesday, May 11, with representatives of the Cable company.

Council tabled a decision about license for radios at the Water Plant until the next Council meeting until the matter is clarified

The annual Town Rummage Sales has been set for June 4 and

The next Council meeting has been rescheduled for May 26.

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#### Community Calenda

Items listed here are open to the public. If there is an admission charge or items are for sale or a donation is necessary, there is a one-time \$5 fee to be listed. Events can be listed for as long as 6 months, (If an event is cancelled, please notify WW.) Only event, place, time, and sponsor, for events in Warren, and the surrounding area will be listed.

May 14 Warren Recycle Day

May 19 Van Buren Town Council Meeting, 7 p.m.

Warren Town Council Meeting, 6:30 p.m. Assembly Hall Mav 24

May 28 Warren Recycle Day

Jun 485 Van Buren Town Rummage

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 Storytime at Warren Public Library 10 a.m. Fridays, Walking in the Gym 7a.m. to Noon at Knight Bergman Center

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## AREA NEWS CONTINUED

## TRI KAPPA MET

Tri Kappa sorority met at the Baptist church on May 4, 2004. President, Karen Campbell presided over the business meeting.

The members were invited by Debbie Ledbetter to attend the dedication of a park bench in honor of her Mother, Jackie Huffman. The service will be held May 30, 2004 at 11:00 a.m. at Tower Park.

Stacia Perry reported on the Warren Recreation committee that swimming lessons will be held this summer with the dates to be approved by the Huntington County School Corporation. Sign up for swimming dates in May will be May 10, at 6:00 p.m. at Salamonie School.

Eula Conwell reported on the festival balloon launch which will be held July 1 at the fireworks. Members will be pre-selling balloon launch cards. They will be attached to the balloons and launched at the fireworks on July 1, with all of the balloon sales.

Members will be assisting as hostess at the art show during the Creative Arts Festival

Those in attendance were: Nancy Bonham, Rita Bolinger, Karen Campbell Fula Conwell Lora England, Shervi Horst, Karen Hunnicutt, Suellen Jones, Debbie Ledbetter, Jane Lieurance, Stacia Perry, Kristina Smekens, and Bridget Swaidner.

## **EUCHRE CLUB**

The Jackson Township Euchre Club met at the home of Marge Jones. Jo Banter had High, Jane Lieurance had Low and Sharron Roush, Phyllis Dickey, Mary Jo Zoda, Mariorie Michaud, Florence Taylor and Joan Huffman tied for the most lones. Others playing were Mary Ann Monce, Carolyn Carroll and Sharon Gebhart. Next month we will meet at the home of Phyllis Dickey.

## AFTER SCHOOL STORIES

Seventeen children attended a Mother's Day Celebration at the Van Buren Public Library on Friday, May 7, 2004.

The children signed in and received a Mother's Day picture to

Pat Dehne Davis

Sigrid Douglass

color for their mothers.

Karen read some poetry from a library book titled Mother's Day Program Book #4 found on the shelf of our library. This book is really neat because it also had skits the kids could do for Mother's Dav.

The children were able to make their mothers two more gifts for Mother's Day One was a Mother's Day card and the other was an I will do booklet. We shared aloud some ideas of how we could please our mothers not just on Mother's Day but all week and by doing what we are told to do, all the time

Refreshments were cupcakes they could decorate and dirt pudding

They were able to take home their sunflower they had planted last week. Some of the flowers were pretty tall.

Those attending were: Zach Handshoe, Cameron Riddle, Autum Smith, Karlee Laypoole, Kayla Handshoe, Emily Bryant, Elizabeth Bryant, Olivia Bryant, Nixon Smith, Taylor Beck, Mandi Beck, Jaedyn Beck, Icily Baker and Delta Oswalt, Seth Wright, Jacob Wright, Eddie Quick and Cathryne Anderson. This Friday after school, May 14th we will celebrate Stars and Stripes Forever. Hope to see you!

## IDLE HOUR

The Idle Hour Club met in the Fahl dining room of the United Methodist Memorial Home on Monday, May 3, 2004 for lunch with Violet Yoars as hostess

President Edna Alfeld opened the afternoon meeting in the Calico Lounge by reading the thought for the day. Violet Yoars read Humor from Church Signs.

Roll call was answered by "where would you like to go." Secretary and treasurer's report were given.

Wilodene Birkey and Maxine Jones thanked the club for the cards and flowers they had re-

7-Up was played with Freda Finley high and Maxine Jones low Those enjoying the day were: Edna Alfeld, Wilodene Birkey, Finley, Mildred Gilbert,

Maxine Jones, Margaret Knight, Devonna Leas, Clara Mossburg, Marjorie Lieurance, Evelyn Schweikhardt, Helen Trout, Violet Yoars, Jean Boxell, Martha Burneau, Miriam Rice, Ruth Brooks and Georgia Poulson.

Next meeting at the Home with Jean Boxell as hostess on June 7,

## STORY TIME

The children attending story time at the Warren Public Library on May 7 learned about birds. Joan Boyer read Cardinals, Robins and Other Birds; Why Do Birds Sing?; Chick; and The Ugly Duckling. Children made birds out of construction paper and received a color page of birds and a candy treat

Only 3 weeks of school-year storytime remains! We welcome your pre-schoolers Friday at 10:00.

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## GENEALOGY REPORT

### PATTEN

A resident of the Warren United Methodist Memorial Home, Geraldine Patten, 100, died at 11:16 a.m. Tuesday, May 10, 2004 at the home.

Born Jan. 10, 1904 in Oxford, Ind., to John W. and Laura Parks Kenyon, she was married to Edmund L. Patten, who died Aug. 6, 1964.

She was a homemaker all of her life and moved to the Methodist Home Nov. 11, 1982 from Southgate, Mich.

The only survivor is a niece, Marion Brunet, of Utica, N.Y.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by a brother, Warner Kenyon, and three sisters, Mildred Kenyon, Pauline Fowler and Helen Eberhart.

There was no visitation or services.

Burial will be in the Forest Hill cemetery, Utica, N.Y.

Local arrangement were handled by Glancy Funeral Homes-H.Brown & Son Chapel, Warren.

### KING

Keith D. King, 34, of Montpelier, died at 11:00 p.m. Saturday, May 15. 2004 at his home.

Born in Bluffton on January 25, 1970, he married Amy Reynolds on Nov. 15, 1997 in Bluffton; she survives.

He was a 1989 graduate of Bluffton High School and worked at Fleetwood in Decatur.

Other survivors include his father, James W. King, Sr. of Uniondale; his mother, Jewel (Sage) Van Over of Montpelier; two daughters, Alyssa and Alison King, both at home: three sisters. Tammy King of Warren, Penny Clanin of Delray Beach, Fla.; and Jamie King of Uniondale; three

brothers, James King, Jr. of Liberty Center, Kevin King of Montpelier, and Jon Bailey of Ft. Carson, Colo.; and a step grandmother, Mary Ann VanOver of Montpelier.

Calling hours were held at the First Church of the Nazarene in Montpelier, with Rev. Jack Littlefield officiating. Burial was in Brookside Memorial Park in Montpelier.

Preferred memorials to Alyssa and Alison King in care of Citizens First State Bank of Montpelier. Arrangements were handled by Glancy Funeral Homes, Walker Chapel, in Montpelier.

## GARTON

A resident of Lamar St. in Bluffton, Larry K. Garton, 68, died at his home Monday, May 17, 2004 at 1:05 p.m. Death followed an illness of about six months.

Born in Craigville Jan. 1, 1936 to Wendell and Anna Dubbs Garton. his marriage to the former Roberta Rumple took place in Bluffton in 1956. She preceded him in death in June of 1998. His second marriage to the former Gelene Melching Murray took place in Wells County Sept. 8, 2000. She survives

A 1953 graduate of Bluffton High School, he earned a bachelor's degree from Manchester College in 1957 and a master's degree from Ball State University. Involved in education for 35 years, Mr. Garton taught elementary school in the Bluffton school system as well as at Lancaster and Petroleum. He was principal at several schools including Rockcreek in Wells County and Aboite, Indiana Meadows, Brandywine and Doe Creek, where he retired in 1992.

He coached basketball at vari-

ous schools including Lancaster and Petroleum, and was a member of the Wells County Retired Teachers' Association.

He was also a member of the First Baptist Church, Bluffton, the Moose Lodge and the American

Survivors include two sons, Lance K. Garton, Indianapolis, and Clark L. "Cork" Garton, Fort Wayne; a daughter, Mrs. DeWayne (Leslie) Whitaker, Indianapolis; three step-sons, Linc and Mike Murray, both of Warren, and Jody Murray of Montpelier; two step-daughters, Kim Clark, and Barbara "Barbie" Fugate, both of Bluffton; a sister, Barbara Rowe of Auburn; three grandchildren, 19 step-grandchildren, one greatgrandchild and seven step-greatgrandchildren.

Calling is set for 2 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at Thoma/Rich, Hewitt & Chaney Funeral Home. Services are scheduled for 10 a.m. Thursday at the funeral home under the direction of Pastor Rich Secor.

Following the service here, calling will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. at the Pasco Funeral Home in Greenfield, Ind. A graveside service will be held Friday at 11 a.m. at Greenfield Park Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to Family Hospice of Northeast Indiana.

#### CAPPER

A resident of Jackson Twp., Jack R. Capper, 44, died at St. Vincent Hospital in Carmel at 1:11 p.m. Sunday, May 16, 2004.

Born in Hartford City Jan. 1, 1960 to Billy Ray and Martha Sue Faulkner Capper, he was a 1978 graduate of Southern Wells High School. He worked at Wayne Metals in Markle for 25 years.

Survivors include his mother; four daughters, Amanda, Emily, Michelle and Allison Capper, all of Montpelier: and two brothers, Jeff R. and Paul D. Capper, both of Montpelier.

He was preceded in death by his father.

Private graveside services at the IOOF Cemetery, Montpelier, will be officiated by Rev. Chris Neel. There will be no calling.

Glancy Funeral Homes-Walker Chapel, is in charge of arrangements.

Memorials may be made to the

## ENGAGED

Sarah Nicole Little of Marion and Neal Edr d а Neukomm of Cissna Park, IL are engaged to be married



June 12, 2004 at Watseka First United Methodist Church in Watseka, IL.

The bride-elect is a 1999 graduate of Huntington North High School. She graduated with a bachelor of science degree in horticultural agribusiness management from Illinois State University in Normal II, in December 2003. Her parents are John and Mariene Little of Marion.

Her fiancé is a 1999 graduate of Cissna Park High School, Cissna Park, IL and a May 2001 graduate of Joliet Junior College in Joliet, IL. He received an associates of applied science degree in agricul-

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ture management/production. His parents are Ronald and Donna Neukomm of Cissna Park, IL.

#### CORRECTION

The wedding announcement for Sarah Cardenas and Tobia Zoll in last week's paper had an error. The wedding date was listed as Tuesday, April 20, 2004. The correct wedding date should have been May 12, 2004.

## 40™ ANNIVERSARY

Mr and Mrs Claire T (Sharon K Baker) McMillen of 8202W 625S

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## ECKMAN AWARDED

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Scholar and named to the United States Achievement Academy.

The USAA has established the All-American Scholar Award Program to offer deserved recognition to superior students who excel in the academic disciplines. The All-American Scholars must earn a 3.3, or higher, grade point average. Only scholars selected by a school instructor, counselor, or other qualified sponsor are accepted. These scholars are also eligible for other awards given by the USAA.

Katherine Eckman who attends Huntington North High School was nominated for these national awards by Mrs. Brunson.

She will appear in the All-American Scholar Yearbook, which is published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in America's history.

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## NEW STAMP

WASHINGTON - The achievements and ideals of the men and women who served in the armed forces of the United States during World War II will be the focus of attention May 29 in Washington, DC when the U.S. Postal Service issues a postage stamp depicting the National World War II Memorial. The issuance will take place at the memorial site just prior to the official dedication ceremony, sponsored by the American Battle Monuments Commission (ABMC). The stamp will be available at Post Offices nationwide the same day.

"The thousands of dedicated employees who carry the mail salute the millions of Americans

who defended our nation," said Postmaster General John Potter, who will dedicate the stamp, "This stamp will recognize and pay tribute to the men and women-from the front lines to the home frontwho worked to preserve the freedom of our great nation during World War II

Scheduled to join Potter at this national first-day-of-issue stamp dedication ceremony is World War Il veteran and Vice Chairman of the U.S. Postal Service Board of Governors John Walsh.

The stamp image features a computer-generated design by stamp artist Tom Engeman depicting the National World War II Memorial in Washington, DC. The memorial itself was designed by Providence, RL architect Friedrich St. Florian. The stamp image highlights one of two 43-foot memorial arches and shows a section of a curving row of 56 pillars, each representing one of the states, territories and District of Columbia that comprised the U.S. in the World War II era.

"This commemorative stamp, like the memorial itself, is a beautiful tribute to the service and sacrifice of America's World War II generation," said ABMC Secretary Maj. Gen. John Herrling, USA (ret). "We all are looking forward to greeting tens of thousands of World War II veterans and their families at the dedication celebration "

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## Walk-a-thon nets over \$1.600

As a part of the Indiana 4-H Centennial celebration, Huntington County 4-H hosted a Walk-a-Thon on Saturday, May 1 at Hier's Park. Nearly 60 people representing 14 different 4-H clubs participated in the event and brought in donations totaling \$1,618.08. Half of the proceeds from this event will stay in Huntington County to support the 4-H program. The Indiana 4-H Foundation will also receive a check in the amount of \$809.04 to use the funds on behalf of Huntington County 4-H for the Indiana State Fair 4-H Education Complex renovation.

Nola Cummins, member of the Pork Chop 4-H Club, brought in the highest amount of donations totaling \$100. Receiving recognition for the 2nd highest amount of donations were Joev Pinkerton. member of the Crystal Clovers 4-H Club and Luke Pinkerton, member of the Jefferson Jr. Farmers 4-H Club. Both young men secured \$60 each in donations. Five 4-H members brought \$50 in donations: Kaylie Dunn, Best-N-All 4-H club, Meagan Harrell, Wizards 4-H Club, Malia Meyer, Barnyard Brigade 4-H Club and Kari Villanueva and Kayla Villanueva, members of the T-Bone 4-H club.

Other 4-H clubs represented in the Huntington County 4-H Walk-A-Thon were Blue Ribbon Riders, 4-Leaf Clovers, Wayne Twp Future Farmers, Huntington Llama, Corn Cob, We Raise Em and Markle Wildcats.

Each walk-a-thon participate received a special Indiana 4-H Centennial T-Shirt. The Extension Office has a limited number of these t-shirts available for sale at a cost of \$10 each.

## CPR FOR THE PRO CLASS

The Huntington County Chapter of the American Red Cross will be having a CPR for the Professional Rescuer class on May 26th & 27th from 6:00 – 10:00 p.m. at 354 N. Jefferson Street (2nd floor of the Courthouse Annex in the meeting room).

Participants will learn how to check a victim for consciousness, how to perform rescue breathing, conscious and unconscious obstructed airway procedures, and cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) on an adult, child and infant for one rescuer and two rescuer.

The American Red Cross is the leader in lifesaving training and is committed to ensuring that each class reflects the latest scientific research. This course is specifically designed for people whose employment requires them to respond in the event of an emergency (allied health care professionals, firemen, FMT's law enforcement, park rangers, physicians, nurses, security personnel, lifeguards, athletic trainers, Camp Leaders, First Aid Teams, first responders, and etc). The Red Cross provides visual, auditory, and manual learning tools to increase your learning process. The training is standardized and recognized by many national, state and local authorities. Sending your employees to the American Red Cross training sessions communicates commitment to your employees' health and well-being.

The registration and payment form must be turned in to the Red Cross office at 354 N. Jefferson St., Suite 203, Huntington, IN 46750 by Friday. A registration and payment form may be obtained by calling the Red Cross office at 260-356-2910, visiting the Red Cross office, or send the ofe-mail fice an red.cross@huntington.in.us. The CPR for the Professional Rescuer is \$50 per participant and each participant receives a pocket mask

## FREE FISHING WEEKEND

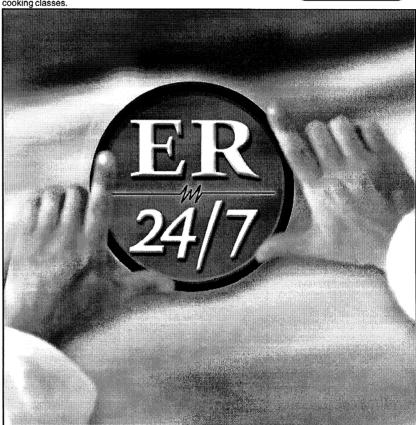
Put a wake on a lake or crank on a bank and get in on some Hoosier panfish pandemonium during Indiana's Free Fishing Weekend.

Hoosier adults do not need a license to fish in Indiana this June 12-13.

Children under the age of 17 do not need a fishing license at any time.

To help kids and adults celebrate Free Fishing Weekend, recreation areas located across Indiana are planning fun fishing derbies, casting clinics and fish cleaning and cooking classes. Check out a new lake or river, or introduce friends and family to a favorite fishing spot. Some properties require pre-registration. Call your favorite property for details. Free Fishing Weekend event locations (locally):

J. Edward Roush Lake, Huntington, 260-468-2127; Mississinewa Lake, Peru, 260-468-2127; Ouabache State Park, Bluffton 260-824-0926; Salamonie Lake, Andrews, 260-468-2127. Bread of Life
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