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Thought for the Week: Wisdom is knowing what to do next; virtue is doing it. David Starr Jordan

WARREN BUSINESS EXPO

The Warren Area Chamber of Commerce is again sponsoring the Business Expo at Salamonie School on Thursday, April 18th from 6-8 p.m.

Come out and see what all the businesses in Warren have to offer. There will be drawings and giveaways. Don't miss it! Watch for further details.

TWO SUPPERS PLANNED

The Van Buren Lions Club will be hosting a tenderloin supper on March 2 at the school of South First Street in Van Buren. The supper will benefit Switch Up and will be held from 4 to 7 p.m.

On April 20 the Lions Club will hold another tenderloin supper. This supper will benefit the Popcorn Festival. Tickets sold in advance will be \$6.00 and \$7.00 at the door. Tickets will be available at Town Hall and from Popcorn Festival committee members and from the Switch Up committee.

4-H FLOWER SALES

Grant County 4-H members are currently selling flowers and vegetables. The flowers and vegetables available for 2013 are: red, white and pink geraniums, moss rose, snapdragons, purple wave petunias, gerbera daisy, better boy tomato, California wonder bell pepper, wave petunia hanging basket, calibrachoa hanging basket, impatiens hanging basket, and begonia hangingbasket.

If you are planning to buy flowers or vegetables for your home, why not purchase from a Grant County 4-H member?

Contact a local 4-H'er or club

leader to order your plants before April 26, or call the Grant County Extension office and we can put you in touch with a 4-H club. The phone number for the office is 765-651-2413.

Please support your Grant County 4-H.

KINDERGARTEN ROUND-UP

Parents of children who intend to enroll in Huntington County Community Schools for the 2013-2014 school year are encouraged to attend an upcoming orientation session (please attend at your child's home school). Important information about the registration process will be shared with parents at these sessions.

Children who turn 5 before Aug. 1, 2013, are eligible to enroll. All immunizations must be up to date. In addition, parents will be asked to provide proof of residence and a birth certificate. Andrews -- April 25, 6 - 8 p.m. Flint Springs -- April 18, 6 to 8 p.m.

Lancaster -- April 25, 6 to 8 p.m. Lincoln -- May 7, 6 to 7:30 p.m. Northwest -- April 23, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Roanoke -- April 23, 6 to 8 p.m. Salamonie -- April 17, 6 to 8 p.m.

About Huntington County Community School Corporation: HCCSC includes seven K-5 elementary schools, two middle schools, one high school, one alternative high school and preschool services. The corporation serves all of Huntington County, including the communities of Andrews, Bippus, Huntington, Majenica, Markle, Mt. Etna, Roanoke and Warren. The 5,986 children who attend

HCCSC receive countless opportunities for academic, social and physical growth.

PESTICIDE WORKSHOP

A workshop will be held for crop growers from Huntington County and surrounding areas on Wednesday March 6. This session will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in Heritage Hall at Hier's Park in Huntington. Program registration will begin at 9:00 a.m.

This program will include the following topics and presenters:

- "Updates on Weed Resistance to Herbicides / Palmer Amaranth Identification and Management" - George Waters, Winfield
- Solutions Agronomist
 · "High Yield Management
 Practices for Corn and Soybeans"
- -Amy Kinsler, Bayer Crop Science Sr. Tech Sales Representative & Dan Blocker, North Central Cooperative Key Account Manager
- "2012 Drought Impacts –
 Fertilizer Residual / Herbicide
 Carryover" George Waters,
 Winfield Solutions Agronomist
- · "2013 Fertilizer Application Regulations for Growers" - Ed Farris, Purdue Extension Educator, Huntington County

This workshop has been approved as an Indiana Private Applicator Recertification Program. A \$10 fee is required for those who wish to obtain recertification credit for attending the program. Attendees who wish to obtain creditare reminded to bringtheir Indiana Private Pesticide Applicator license number with them. Please pre-register for the program by calling the Huntington County Extension Office by March 4. Lunch will be

provided following the program. North Central Cooperative and Winfield Solutions are the lunch sponsors.

Individuals with an Indiana Private Pesticide Applicator license can find more information about scheduled recertification programs on-line by visiting this Website: http://www.ppp.purdue.edu//parp/. Click the on the link, "Pesticide Recertification Programs" to view a calendar of upcoming events.

One of the topics presented at

the March 6th program is in regards to the new fertilizer regulations that took effect on Feb. 16. The rules apply to anyone who uses or distributes commercial fertilizer or manure in producing an agricultural crop, except for those who apply less than 10 cubic yards or 4,000 gallons in a year. More frequently asked questions and other information is available on the Office of Indiana State

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PURDUETTES COMING TO HERITAGE POINTE

March 2nd at 2:00 p.m. in Applegate Chapel

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DAFFODIL THANKS!

A grateful thanks from your Daffodil Lady for the outstanding support you gave me for 12 years!

You bought \$27,000 of the gorgeous blossoms. Just learned this is being discontinued. You broke records in Huntington County; so typical of this small town with a BIG heart.

Love & thanks, Lilly Nutter



THE UPTOWN GARDENER by Ruth Herring

Almost forgot again, must be having to many Senior Moments. Today Monday it is so beautiful out that I want to be outside doing something. I have found some bulbs starting to pop thru the ground. So spring hopefully is on

the way. I set in the sunroom and try to vision what I might do to the flower bed outside the window and whether I want new patio furniture. Probally will pass that by and use what I brought with me. I have a few plants rooting inside to put outside when planting time gets here. I also saved some flower seeds that I will be starting very

For all the gardeners soon it will be St. Pats day and I always planted sugar snap peas that day. Good Friday is potato planting day but I would think this year it might be to early. You will need to wait until the moon is in the same phase next month. Peas and potatoes are not on my to do list any longer.

I did go out and apply some epsom salts and fertilizer to the beds that are already here, just anxious to see what plants are already there---maybe nothing.

Today I made cookies and did it the lazy way but they were good. I sent some to granddaughter in Florida with her care(homesick)

Take a box of regular cake mix white, chocolate or what ever flavor you might want to it add 2 eggs, 1/4 cup oil and mix by hand with a fork or spatula as the mix will be a bit dry at first. Roll in balls about the size of walnuts and dip in sugar or powdered sugar press out lightly with bottom of a glass and bake on a lightly greased cookie sheet at 375 for 6-7 minutes. Let cool on the bake sheet for about a minute then remove. If you use the white cake mix dip the balls in a mix of cinnamon sugar, they taste almost like Snickerdoodles. Think Spring!

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Denise Heininger, S.S. Supt.

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Sunday Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.

OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT

Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat

THE NEW BEGINNING

SR 218, 2 1/8 mile west of Poneto Steve Sutton, Pastor

765/728-2065 for more info

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Sunday School 9:30am

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Sunday Prayer....

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375-4359 Bill VanHaften, Pastor Lois Slusher, Supt.

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Pastor Brian Holland www.mountetnachurch.com Sunday School9:30 a.m. Worship10:30 a.m. Bible Study (Wed) 6:30 p.m. Children's Ministry (Wed) 6:30 p.m. Youth (Wed)..... .. 6:30 p.m.

PLUMTREE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-2691

Dr. Jeane Spoor, Pastor Sunday School

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Mel Zumbrun, Pastoi Worship..... ...9:30 a.m. Church School ...

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-2102

Pastor Scott Nedberg Youth Pastor - Rev Harold Smith Jr Sunday Worship.... 9.30 a m Contemporary Service - Wed 6:30 p.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Youth Meetings-Wed 6:30 p.m. Communion 1st Sunday of the Month

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Pastor Leon Pomerov Worship Service 9:30 a m Sunday School10:30a.m. Prayer-Bible Study (Thur)...... 7:00 p.m. UMW 2nd Wed7:00 p.m. Little Ones Book Club 1st Tue ... 10:00 a.m. Just Older Youth 3rd Tue 12:00 p.m. www.vanburenumc.org

WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-3022

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www.warrenchurchofchrist.org Fellowship9:15 a.m. Worship & Communion Sunday School 11 to 11:40 a.m Youth: (Start back up in the fall) K-5th grade, Mon..... Jr/Sr Hi, Sunday .. 6-7:30pm

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Pastor Richard Ladouceur 11044 E 200 N, Marion, IN 765-934-3609

Sunday Worship...... 10:30 am Sunday School Classes9:30 am Youth Group6:00 pm Sunday Adult Bible Study...... 6:00 pm Thurs. Bible Study

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AREA NEWS

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Chemist's website at http://www.isco.purdue.edu/.

If you have questions, contact EdFarris, Agriculture and Natural Resource Educator, Purdue Extension—Huntington County Office, 354 N Jefferson—Suite 202, Huntington by calling 260-358-4826.

SUNDAY LUNCHEON

Beta Delta Chapter of Sigma Phi Gamma Int'l Sorority will be doing a Luncheon, Sunday March 3rd at the Knight-Bergman Civic Center from 11am to 1pm. We will be serving; baked steak, roast pork, scalloped potatoes, vegetables, cold slaw or apple sauce, Jell-O salads, desserts and drinks. The profits will go back to the community projects. Please come and join us.

SPICING UP 4-H

Park Road, Bluffton,

The Purdue Extension Service in northeast Indiana will be offering a special training called "Spicing Up 4-H" for Volunteer Leaders and teen Junior Leaders. The session in Wells County will be held Thursday, March 7, 6:30 to 8:30 PM at the Wells County Community Center, 1240 4-H

Additional locations will include: March 11atthe DeKalb County Office Building, 213 E. 9th Street, Auburn. And March 14atthe LaGrange County Office Building, 114 W. Michigan Street, LaGrange. All times will be 6:30 to 8:30 PM with refreshments being served.

The main topics covered in the training include: Putting the Fun in 4-H through Icebreakers; Safe Clubs and Safe Kids-Understanding Risk Management; Spicing Up 4-H Club-Resources You Can Use; Making Meetings Fun and Meaningful; Developing through Demonstrations; and details on the 4-H Strategic Plan.

Cost of the training is \$5.00 and will be sponsored by the Wells County by the Wells County 4-H Jr. Leaders Club and the Wells County 4-H Association.

Reservations for the Bluffton location are needed by March 4th so that printed materials can be prepared. Please call the Purdue Extension—Wells County, 260-824-6412 to reserve your seat.

HOST FAMILIES NEEDED

4-H members and adult leaders from Poland will once again visit the Hoosier State this summer as a part of the 8th Annual Indiana-Poland 4-H Exchange.

Families in northern Indiana will have the opportunity to host 20 youth and adults from the Swietokryski region of south central Poland. The delegation will be in Indiana approximately July 21 to August 6. Some group activities are being planned and host families will be needed from July 23 to August 3.

Families in southern Indiana will also be able to host Polish 4-H members and adults from the Opole region of southwest Poland. Dates will also be similar

for this group.

The participants will live with host families, participate in 4-H activities and learn about daily living in Indiana. Some special group activities will also be planned for host families and the Polish participants.

Host families are needed for

youth ages 12-18 and the adult chaperones. You must be willing to share your home and community and involve them in 4-H meetings and community activities. Applications are due March 1st at the State Youth Development Office at Purdue. For more information and/or a copy of the application, contact the 4-H Youth Development

copy of the application, contact the 4-H Youth Development Educator, Roger Sherer at the Wells County Extension Office, 12404-H Park Road, Bluffton, IN 46714, 260-824-6412 or rsherer@purdue.edu.

PHARMACY NEWS

This year, 2013, a number of Pharmacy Insurance Plans have chosen, once again, to allow the Warren Pharmacy to fill your prescriptions. administered by CVS/Caremark, will work with us and allow us to process prescription claims! This will include the SilverScript Medicare Part D Plan. We are constantly striving to fulfil all of theregulatoryrequirements and contractual agreements with Pharmacy Benefit Managers and Insurance Companies so that you may receive quality pharmaceutical care from your local Pharmacist, Terry Daniels P.D., and our experienced staff.

JR LEADER MEETING

The Huntington County 4-H Junior Leaders will meet Thursday, March, 7, 7:00-8:30 pmatthe Family Living Building, Hier's Park, Huntington. The group will be participating in an Officer Training Eventled by the Purdue University Collegiate 4-H Club. Members will have the opportunity to sign up to work at their food stand at the Huntington County Cattlemen's Beef Preview Show on Saturday, March 23rd, during the meeting.

The Huntington County 4-H Junior Leader organization is open to any 4-H member in grades 7-12. For more information, please contact Julia Miller, jwickert@purdue.edu or 260-358-4826 at the Purdue Extension—Huntington County office, located in the County Courthouse Annex Building, 354 N Jefferson Street—Suite 202, Huntington.

SUNDAY BRUNCH

Dogwood Glen is hosting Sunday Brunch on March 10th from 11am-1pm. Buffet provided by Kim's Katered Affair will include: French Toast Casserole, Vegetable & Cheese Frittata, Roast Pork Loin with Gravy, Fried Chicken, Lasagna, Mashed Potatoes, Green Bean Casserole, Buttered Corn, Assorted Breads, Salads, Desserts, and Beverages. Adults: \$12, Kids 10 & under: \$6. Please call Dogwood Glen at 375-4750 for reservations. Carry-out is also available!



PIZZA BENEFIT

On Tuesday, March 12th from 5-8pm the Warren Boys & Girls Club will be having a fundraiser at East of Chicago Pizza in Warren. They will receive \$1 from each buffet and all the tips. This fundraiser will help them raise money for programming supplies. Come out and support the local Boys & Girls Club!!

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Community Calendar

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

Mar 11 6:30 p.m. Warren Town Council Meeting, Assembly Hall

Mar 13 7:00 pm Van Buren Town Council Meeting

Mar 18 6:30 p.m. KBC Board Meeting at KBC

Mar 19 Banquo Christian Church Fish/Tenderloin Supper

Mar 20 7:00 pm Van Buren Town Council Meeting

Mar 23 4:30 - 7 pm Mt Zion Fish Fry, @ Twin Bridge Cons Club

Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wed 2 - 4:00pm & 6 - 8:00p.m. at KBC Bargain Basement - Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC; Cancer Support Group - 3rd Tuesday 6:30-8p.m. at Bluffton Regional South Campus

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Dogwood Glen will be opensoon for the 2013 season! Membership information is available. We are hoping Mr. Groundhog was right when he predicted an early spring! The golf course needs 4-5 warm, sunny days in a row to thaw before we can open for play. Justareminder, when you see the flag in on #8 green on Hwy 5, the course is open!

4-H Design Winner

The Huntington County 4-H Leaders Organization recently recognized the winners of the 2013 Huntington County 4-H Theme/Design Contest. The following youth received recognition for their participation in this annual contest:

1st place – Emma Melcher, Jackson Twp.

2nd place – Kayla Patrick, Clear Creek Twp.

3rd place – Amanda Pugh, Wavne Twp.

Honorable Mention – Walter Hacker, Lancaster Twp.

Emma's winning theme design, "4-Hers Today...Our Leaders Tomorrow" will be used on a variety of 4-H program materials during the year, including the Huntington County 4-H Fair Book which will be available in early March.

For more information about the Huntington County 4-H Program, contact Julia Miller, jwickert@purdue.edu or 260-358-4826 – at the Purdue Extension—Huntington County

office located in the County CourthouseAnnex Building, 354 N Jefferson, Suite 202 Huntington.

TAILGATE PARTY

Community Colts fan welcome. Join Heritage Pointe March 5th at 10:30 for a Tailgate theme activity in the Fults Recreation Room with Chandler Harnish. Chandler will talk about his experience with the NFL and how his faith has played a role in in life. Bring your camera and items for autograph's following his presentation. This is a free activity and everyone is welcome, however Heritage Pointe will collect items for Warren Food Pantry.

WALK INDOORS

The Purdue Extension Office of Huntington County will sponsor a second free session of the "Walk Indoors" exercise class beginning March 6.

This six-week workout regimen, provided by the Family Nutation Program Assistants, will meet in the Family Living building at Hiers Park on Wednesday mornings. Because of its previous popularity among participants, it will be offered at two different times—9:30-10:30 a.m. and 11a.m.-noon at St. Peter's First Church on Etna Ave.

"Walk Indoors" is a DVD exercise routine developed by Debra Palmer, Ph.D., a professor and nutrition specialist at Rutgers University. She partnered with fitness expert Leslie Sansone to develop this exercise and healthy

eating routine.

Clients who participate in the program with the Purdue Extension Office will receive their own copy of the "Walk Indoors" DVD after completing the course, and each session will include samples and recipes for healthy snacks, helping individuals incorporate a nutritional diet into daily life.

For more information about "Walk Indoors," call the Extension Office at (260) 358-4826 or email smjennin@purdue.edu.

BLOOD DRIVE

There will be an American Red Cross Blood Drive at Dillman Church Fellowship Hall Saturday March 9 from 7a.m. - 11 a.m.

To schedule an appointment to give, please go to redcross.org, sponsor code "dilch" or you may call Judy Mauger at 260-375-2727.

FEBRUARY SOCIAL

Beta Delta Chapter of Sigma Phi Gamma Int'l Sorority held their February social Tuesday the 19th. We started off with initiating a Pledge. We are glad that we have someone joining our Chapter. The committee for the evening was Claudia Boxell and Sharon Gephart. We played Kings on the Corner, the low winner was Carol Irick and the high winner was Rosemary Zeller. Delicious refreshments were served to Tara Korporal, Jenny Plummer, Sondra Zabel, Beth Ostermeyer, Opal Brubaker, Sandy Booher, Kathy Ralston and

Susan Ralston. Our next business meeting will be March 5th. We will also be doing the March 3rd Luncheonat the Knight-Bergman Civic Center, from 11am to 1pm. Please come and join us for a delicious lunch.

COUNCIL NOTES

The Van Buren Town Council met on February 20 in the Council Room at Town Hall. President Marvin Surber opened the meeting at 7 p.m. All in attendance repeated the Pledge to the American Flag.

A local citizen in attendance asked if Council is still continuing to make sure all properties are up to town code.

There was no police report as local officers were attending training.

Superintendent Rob Reeder reported there are problems at the water plant. He submitted a quote of \$6500 for replacement of equipment to repair the damaged part.

Council voted for local police officers to be member of the FOP.

The next Council meeting will be March 13.

THE RIGHT WAY

Wildlife biologists from the Department of Natural Resources are asking the public to help keep Indiana's wildlife wild.

"Rescuing an injured or apparently abandoned baby wild animal may do the opposite of what you seek to accomplish and eventually cause the animal more harm than good," said Mark Reiter, director of the DNR Division of Fish & Wildlife.

A video that explains what to do when finding an injured or orphaned wild animal is posted on the DNR YouTube channel at http://youtu.be/je509Wjwuzo. State law defines wildlife as a

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public resource that belongs to all Indiana citizens, and the DNR is assigned the responsibility of managing wildlife populations on their behalf. The DNR's professional resource management approach is based on the welfare of wild animal populations, the relationship of a wild animal to other animals, and the welfare of the people. State law prohibits possessing ortaking a wild animal without a DNR-issued license or permit.

Each year, thousands of animals are born into the wild. As suburban areas spread into their natural habitats, young animals are increasingly born near humans. Most baby wild animals that you may encounter are not orphaned. What may seem like an abandoned animal is normal behavior for most wildlife, so picking it up is usually unnecessary.

"The apparent lack of an adult does not mean a young animal is orphaned," said Linnea Petercheff, operations staff specialist for the Division of Fish & Wildlife. "Adults often leave their young alone, safe in nests or dens, while they forage for food, but rarely do they abandon their young."

Taking a wild animal out of its natural environment, even if it's injured, also can reduce its best chance at survival as it becomes accustomed to relying on humans for food or shelter.

Such animals also pose safety and healthrisks for humans. They may look helpless, cute and cuddly, but they can bite or scratch people who attempt to handle them. Wildlife also can carry infectious diseases and parasites that can be transmitted to humans or domestic animals. But there is a proper—and legal—way to care for a wild animal that is truly in need.

The DNR issues wild animal rehabilitation permits to qualified individuals. Licensed wildliferehabilitators are trained in the proper care and handling of wild animals to prevent the animal from being imprinted on humans and to make sure the animal has the best chance of survival when released backinto the wild where it belongs.

Requirements for obtaining a wild animal rehabilitation permit can be found on the DNR website at www.in.gov/dnr/fishwild/5492.htm.

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GENEALOGY REPORT

J ARTHUR GARD

Nov 4, 1912 - Feb 25, 2012 God looked around his farm, and he found an empty place. He then looked down upon this earth.

and saw your tired face. He put his arms around you and lifted you to rest; God's farm must be beautiful He only takes the best.

Sadly missed by his wife, Mariorie, and his children Sandra. Dianne, Jane, James Charles, Rick and Cathy, and grandchildren.

Long

Nellie Madelene "Granny" Long, 96, formerly of Warren. IN. passed away at



2:30 PM on Tuesday, February 19, 2013 at Markle Health and Rehab, Markle, IN.

She was born on Thursday, June 29, 1916, in Grant County, IN. She married Oscar R. Long on Saturday, December 12, 1936. Mrs. Long was a homemaker and a member of Mothers of World War II

Survivors: Sons - Jerry (Julia) Long, Grand Prairie, TX, James Long, Warren, IN, Daughters -Janet (Husband, Don) Slusher, Warren, IN, Joyce (Husband, Terry) Buck, Celina, TN, Joan (Husband, David) Tilden, Huntington, IN, Jacqeline (Husband, Don) Zinn, Warren, IN, Judith Long, Warren, IN, Sister-Wanda Chopson, Warren, IN and several Grandchildren. Great Grandchildren and Great Great Grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her Husband - Oscar R. Long, Father-Burr A. Knight, Mother-Eva E. (Case) Knight, Sisters - Ruby Koby, Virginia Taylor, Wilma Slater, Loreen Carrol, Dorothy Spurgeon, and Brothers - Marvin Knight, Roger Knight, and Ronald Knight.

Family and friends gathered to share and remember at Glancy-H. Brown & Son Funeral Home 203 N Matilda St. Warren on Sunday, February 24, 2013 from 2:00 PM to 8:00 PM and from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM Monday, February 25, 2013.

A service to celebrate Granny's life was held at Glancy - H. Brown & Son Funeral Home at 2:00 PM on Monday, February 25, 2013. Interment followed in the in Jones Cemetery.

WELCH

Earl E. Welch, 83, of Warren, IN, passed away peacefully, surrounded by his children and



grandchildren, at 1:20 AM on Sunday, February 24, 2013 at the Hospice Home in Fort Wayne, IN.

He was born on Tuesday, October 8, 1929, in Madison County, IN. He married Alberta 'Bertie' Pasquariello on Friday, December 6, 1963 in Montpelier, IN. Farl retired from the Dana Corporation. He was a dedicated member of the Hillcrest Church of the Nazarene in Warren, and very much enjoyed his family. Earl was a 1947 graduate of Montpelier High School in Montpelier, IN and was a veteran serving in the U.S. Army where he was stationed in Alaska.

Survivors include Son - E. Estle (Janet) Welch of Arizona, Daughter - Donna (John) Campbell, Warren, IN, Son-Jess P. (Mollie) Welch, Huntington, IN, Daughter - Diana (Welch) Carroll, Andrews, IN and 9-Grandchildren and 13 Great Grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his Wife - Alberta 'Bertie' (Pasquariello) Welch, 1st Wife -Agnes (Scott) Welch (she passed awayin 1962), Father-John Estle Welch, Mother - Margaret (Parker) Welch, Son - Ricky D. Welch, Daughter - Connie Sue Welch, Brothers - Nye Welch, Jess L. Welch, John Welch, Sisters - Viola McCleary, Margaret Koger and 1-Grandson.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at Glancy - H. Brown & Son Funeral Home 203 N Matilda St. Warren on

Wednesday, February 27, 2013 from 2:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Visitation will also be from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM at the Hillcrest Church of the Nazarene 406 E. 1st. Warren on Thursday, February 28, 2013.

A service to celebrate his life will be at the Hillcrest Church of the Nazarene 406 E. 1st. Warren at 11:00 AM on Thursday, February 28, 2013 with the Pastor Mark Davis and Rev. Clyde Gunn officiating. Interment will follow in the Woodlawn Cemetery in Warren.

Preferred memorials: Visiting Nurse & Hospice Home 5910 Homestead Rd. Ft. Wayne IN 46814

Sмітн

The father of a Warren woman, Clarence Smith, 101, of Huntington, died at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, Feb. 18, 2013, at Heritage of Huntington.

Born on Sept. 19, 1911 in Huntington County, he married Mary Bricker on Mar. 1, 1932 in Andrews. His wife preceded him in death

Survivors include four daughters, Carol Buzzard of Huntington, Mary Yeiter of Warren, Janet Smith of Mesa, Ariz., and Marjorie (Val) Hafen of St. George, Utah; and 12 grandchildren, 21 greatgrandchildren, and 10 great-great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Lawrence Smith and William Smith, and two sisters, Lesta Detamore and Helen Keller.

Calling hours were held at the Glancy-H. Brown & Son Funeral Home, Warren. Services were also held there. Interment was in the Gardens of Memory.

STOFFER

Dale E. Stoffer, 85, of Marion, died at 9:35 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 13, 2013.

Mr. Stoffer was born in Hammond, Ind., to Bruce Stoffer Sr. and M. Catherine Shaw Stoffer.

Survivors include two daughters, Cathy (John) Shaffer of Marion and Lorrie (Dick) Arnold of Bluffton; three sons, Gary (Kay) Stoffer of Van Buren, Larrie (Rhonda) Stoffer of Warren, and Steven Stoffer of Marion; and 20 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and by a brother, Bruce Stoffer Jr.

Services were held Monday, Feb. 18, at the Needham-Storey-Wampner Funeral Service North Chapel in Marion. Burial was in the Roann Cemetery in Roann,

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- · Leave it where it is. Fawns, baby rabbits, and other young wild animals are left alone at times while the mother is obtaining food. Rabbits, for example, only visit their nest twice a day to help deter predators.
- · If you find a baby bird, squirrel, or other animal that has fallen out of a nest, carefully put it back in the nest. Human scent will not deter the mother.
- · Call a licensed wild animal rehabilitator; a current list can be found under the wildlife rehabilitator link at in.gov/dnr/fishwild/5492.htm.
- · Call the DNR Division of Fish & Wildlife in Indianapolis, (317) 232-4080.
- · Call the DNR Law Enforcement central dispatch at (812) 837-9536.
- · Call a licensed veterinarian for immediate assistance with a sick

or severely injured wild animal.

CANADA GEESE

If Canada geese have become a problem on your property, information is available through the Indiana Department of Natural Resources website.

Most goose problems occur from March through June, during the nesting season, when geese are especially aggressive, sometimes attacking and nipping at people.

Geese also can cause a great deal of localized damage if many young are hatched in one area. After hatching, goslings are incapable of flight for about 70 days, so the young birds and their parents will graze near the hatching area for that time. Damage to landscaping can be significant and expensive to repair or replace, while large amounts of excrement can render areas unfitfor humanuse.

Information on actions property owners can take to manage Canada geese is available at dnr.IN.gov/dnr/ fishwild/2996.htm.

Solutions range from habitat modification, to daily goose harassment through noisemaking devices, to supporting goose hunting or obtaining a DNR trapping permit. The U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service also allows landowners who are properly registered to destroy resident Canada goose eggs and nests on their property.

More information on registering for federal permission to destroy eggs and nests is at https://epermits.fws.gov/ercgr/gesi.aspx. It's against federal law for anyone to destroy a Canada goose nest that contains one or more eggs without first securing permission through the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service.

It's best to use preventive measures such as habitat modification before geese become a nuisance.

GREAT EXPECTATIONS

by The FlyLady Marla Cilley

With our personalities we often expect the worst. People in the field of psychology call this catastrophising. (my dictionary can't spell this word) Think of it this way. Someone in your family did not call you when you thought they were supposed to. You immediately start thinking of everything bad that could have happened to them. You work yourself into a tizzy and when they eventually call; they just forgot. All the while you are upset; your adrenalin is pumping and you can't settle down.

We have set ourselves up for this by allowing our minds to run rampant thinking the worst. Did you know that we can do just the opposite of this and set ourselves up for more disappointment?

This is when our imagination takes a simple event we are going to attend and make it much more glamorous and special than it really is. One of these events is the holidays. We spend hours

dreaming of how wonderful it is going to be only to be disappointed by its inability to live up to our expectations. Our wedding day can do that to us too. We expect that this is going to be the greatest day of our lives and if that were to happen what would that say for the rest of our marriage. Our imaginations cause us to live in a fairy tale where everything works out and then when it doesn't occur the way we have imagined we are devastated.

This devastation is caused by our perfectionism. Expectations that no one or any event can live up to only come true in fairy tales. I am trying to figure out why we do this to ourselves. It is one thing to have hope but it is an entirely different thing to exaggerate or project an outcome on people's reactions when we cannot read their minds and we don't have a magic wand.

This type of perfectionism is all about control. We want to be the director of the play we have staged in our head. We want everything to go just as we have planned. Then when it doesn't go just the way we imagined we lash out at the people who didn't play their parts well. If for some reason you don't say what is on your mind then you take to your bed and complete the process of closing out the real world more than you already have.

When you are putting a project together, planning an event, making a gift, writing a letter; during the time of the planning if you are projecting in your mind the reactions, responses, compliments, conversations of what will happen upon the completion, you are setting yourself up to be disappointed. You have taken what should have been something fun and something done out of love for others into it all being about you.

Looking for validation from others instead of looking for it from yourself is going to make youmiserable. If you need others to tell you how wonderful you are to feel good, you have to ask why. You can't clean, stop smoking, lose weight, declutter or anything else if you are only doing it for the recognition of others. You have to do it for yourself.

We have to catch our brains before the plot and scheme to destroy our peace. Don't allow

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WARREN BASEBALL & SOFTBALL LEAGUE SIGN-UP

Warren Baseball is about to kick-off another great season! Everychild aged 8 - 17 on June 1st will have the chance to play in every game.

2013 Leagues: Little League Boys: American (8-10 yrs) boys, National (11-13yrs), Pony League Boys (14-17yrs), Junior Girls Softball (8-12yrs), & Senior Girls Softball (13-17yrs).

All 8 year olds that play in the Civic Center League are eligible for the WBSL, however the Huntington County League players are not eligible.

An entry fee of \$30 will be charged for all leagues and they will be no fundraising!

Mail: check/money order payable to Warren Baseball and entry form to: Warren Baseball & Softball, PO Box 719 Warren, IN 46792

(You may write one check for all children but you must have individual sign-up slips.) **DEADLINE MARCH 29** - all entries received after that date will be put on a wait list and may or may not be able to play this season. NO REQUESTS EXCEPT FOR SIBLINGS! Warren Baseball & Softball reserves the right to refuse entry to any player!

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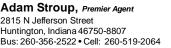
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yourself to project unrealistic outcomes. Be happy with what is. Don't make things worse than they really are or set your expectations so high that nothing can every live up to them. Setting the bar of expectation so high that no one will ever be able to reach it only allows you to always be the victim and martyr. In your own mind you believe that others really did let you down which makes you right in your feelings of being let down and victimized. You are only a victim of your own thoughts. Be happy with what is and enjoy the process. Don't allow your perfectionism to ruin another event in your life

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More than 310,000 people have pledged to start saving money with the America Saves Pledge. You can join in to help stay committed and focused on your financial goals.

2. Order or Download Free Publications to Help Understand Your Finances

Money can be tricky, but these free financial publications will help you understand the insand outs of budgeting and planning for the future. Armed with knowledge about saving for college, retirement benefits and more, you'll be able to make smarter decisions about savings.

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According to America Saves, you're more likely to save successfullyifyouhave a specific goal in mind. Using these specially designed posters, you can write down your goal and hang it somewhere prominent so you can be reminded of it.

4. Assess Your Current Savings This week is a chance for you to look at how you're currently managing your money. Assess whether you have a spending plan in place and if it's up to date. If not, this is your chance to update it to reflect your current financial goals.

5. Share Savings Tips

Whether you're a military member participating in Military Saves Week or just someone trying to make smarter money decisions, you can read and share savings tips by following America Saves Week on Twitter



IMI VISITS SW

Kevin Lemler and Laura Lenwell from Irving Materials in Bluffton visited Southern Wells Elementary third graders last week. They shared with our students the importance of aggregate mining and talked about different jobs within the mining business. The children also watched an interesting DVD about taking rock out of the quarries and ended the visit with each student making their own mold out of concrete. Pictured with Mr. Lemler is Caine Clark during the IMI demonstration.

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