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Thought for the Week: Kind words can be short and easy to speak, but their echoes are truly endless.

Mother Teresa



Pictured Above (l-r) Curtis Shaw, Dannah Dean, Tony Sirk, Courtney Elmore, David O'Roarke, Melissa Jankin.

CAST & CREW OF PULSE TO GERMANY

As the time grows near for the Pulse Opera House group to leave for Germany to represent the United States in the International Music Festival, the Pulse Players are busy preparing themselves for the trip to Europe. The crate with the sets and costumes was sent two weeks ago and word has been received from Stuttgart, Germany that the crate cleared customs and is now delivered to the theatre where the Pulse will be performing "Dames at Sea" July 8.

Here is a list of the 14 players who are going, what they do and where they are from. Ron and Cynthia Wartzok live in Warren. Ron works at Sweetwater Sound in Fort Wayne and Cynthia is Executive Director of the Northeast Indiana Radio Reader Service. When they are not working full time in Fort Wayne, they spend all of their time working on building sets, setting up sound and lighting, making costumes, choosing and directing shows, coordinating the actors, seamstresses, and musicians. Being chosen to perform internationally is a great honor for them to be recognized for their exceptional talents.

Pastor Charly Dye serves the United Church of Christ in Warren and Plum Tree and along with his busy schedule of serving two churches finds time to act and direct music at the Pulse. Eileen Dye has a degree in Christian music and teaches piano to Warren and area students. Eileen has accompanied many of the Pulse Musicals and will enjoy the opportunity to perform internationally. Emily Dye is a student at Indiana Wesleyan University and serves as secretary for the UCC. Emily has performed in several shows at the Pulse. Pastor Charly and Emily will be running the lights for the show in Germany. Carolyn Textley is the Curator at the Lincoln Museum in Fort Wayne. Carolyn enjoys performing at the Pulse and will be working backstage during this exciting performance. Randy Neuman is Librarian at Huntington College. Randy has been very active in community theatre in Huntington and Warren. He is the backstage manager and looking forward to the opportunity to travel to Germany.

Courtney Elmore will be a senior at Southwood High School and is from LaFontaine. This talented young lady has been in several Pulse shows and is a favorite of many Pulse attendees.

David O'Roark and wife Alicia are both Huntington College graduates. David is working this summer landscaping and Alicia is a grade school teacher in Peru. This is David's first acting season at the Pulse and Alicia will be working backstage during "Dames at Sea" in Germany.

Dannah Dean graduated from Huntington North and Indiana University where she was a "Singing Hoosier" and now works in Fort Wayne as a Social Worker. This is her second appearance at the Pulse and she is looking forward to her first trip to Europe.

Tony Sirk also graduated from Huntington North and has attended IUPUI. He is planning to attend Ball State University this fall in Musical Theatre. Tony can be remembered for his many talented performances at the Pulse.

Curtis Shaw from Fort Wayne is also a music major at IUPUI and very excited to be involved in an international showcase. Curtis is delivering Mario's Pizza this summer to earn some extra money for the trip.

Melissa Jankin, Fort Wayne, is also a music major at IUPUI and has a beautiful opera voice. She has charmed everyone with her appear-

ance at the Pulse this summer. Melissa is working at Cheddar's this summer to earn extra money to travel to Germany.

We in the Warren area should be very proud and honored to be recognized as having one of the best Community Theatres in the United States. Congratulations to Cynthia and Ron and all the Pulse Players who have contributed over the years. A special thank you to the Citizens Telephone Corporation for helping with the expense of sending the crate to Germany and the many who have given money to help in the cost of the trip. The cast and crew are scheduled to leave July 2 and will be staying with host families while in Stuttgart, Germany.

DOLLAR GENERAL COMING TO WARREN

Dependent upon response from the Indiana Department of Environmental Management, Dollar General may be coming to Warren. IDEM needs to waive a sewer connection ban to allow construction of the store at SR5 and 12th Street.

The property has been discussed at recent Town Council meetings in relation to affordable housing by Community Connections, a division of Pathfinder Services, Inc. Huntington. Four additional sites, throughout town, are now being considered as sites.

SKM, Inc. an Avilla based development firm, has signed a purchase agreement for the property, contingent on IDEM's decision, a survey and financing.

Dollar General Stores, headquartered in Goodlettsville, TN, would lease the land from SKM, Inc.

GRAND OPENING

Warren Health & Fitness, Inc. will be providing the community with a clean positive atmosphere to better their physical and mental health.

Warren Health & Fitness is located upstairs in the Knight Civic Center, 132 Nancy Street. There will be free weights, stationary bikes, state of the art treadmill, cable equipment and more.

Membership prices are single \$25 per month, \$240 per year; family \$35/mo or \$360/yr; youth and seniors \$20/mo or \$220/yr.

Hours are 6am to 9pm Monday through Friday and 8am to 5pm

on Saturday. Youth hours are 3:30 to 9pm Monday through Friday and all day Saturday.

Come and check us out during the Festival

NEW PILOT IN TOWN

It has been reported that Clint Glessner of Warren Furniture Works officially received his pilot's license on Monday, June 19, 2000. He has been taking lessons for just under two years in Wabash. Congratulations Clint.

SSF GOLF SCRAMBLE

If you play every week or just dust your clubs off once a year this is your opportunity for a day of golf and fun. The SSF golf scramble will be at Arbor Trace Golf Club (formerly Hart's) on Sunday June 25.

Tee off time will be 7:30 AM with lunch and door prizes to follow at the course.

This will be a shot gun start so please arrive in time to check in well before tee off time. The cost will be \$40.00 per person. All profits will go to the Salamonie Summer Festival.

Get your reservation, for your foursome, in to Dave Keller at 375-3834 or Ron Neff at 375-3659.

BREAKFAST & GARAGE SALE

The Poneto Community Club will be hosting a Sausage Gravy & Biscuit Breakfast on Saturday, June 24th from 6 to 10 a.m. at the Poneto Fire House. There will also be a town-wide garage sale from 8 to 4 on that Saturday.

PET SHOW AT FESTIVAL

Riverside Vet Clinic is sponsoring a Cat and Dog Show for the Salamonie Summer Festival on Saturday morning at 9:00. Please have your pet there 10 to 15 minutes before the show starts. No pre-registration is required. The show will be on the stage on 2nd street again this year.

Dog categories are friendliest, cutest, prettiest, largest, ugliest, smallest and best behaved. Cat categories are friendliest, prettiest long coat, prettiest short coat, and prettiest eyes. There is also a best costume contest for both cats and dogs. You may enter in up to three (3) categories.

All dogs must be on a leash. All cat should be on a leash or in a

carrier. Your pets shots must be current. If you have any questions you may call the Vet Clinic at 375-2555. We would love to have you enter your pet in the contest.

AWARD GIVEN

Joe Pickett of Van Buren has been chosen as this year's recipient of the Community Service Award.

The award ceremony will be held on August 6 at 2 p.m. at the Van Buren American Legion.

SPECIAL ADS

Call the Warren Weekly today to order your Salamonie Summer Festival Ad for next week's issue. Remember there will be a lot of extra people in town and they'll be looking at the schedule of events in the paper. They can't see your ad if it's not there.

Even if it's just a simple holiday greeting - it will jog their memory about your business. Call today!

FESTIVAL COMING SOON

It is that time of the year again for the Salamonie Summer Festival. Time to see old friends and meet new. The Committee again has a busy schedule planned for you. There are some new events, some moved events and some repeats. The Festival will open with the Samuel Jones Pioneer Award being presented at the annual breakfast in the Knight Civic Center Auditorium with breakfast being catered in. The Festival will go through to Sunday evening, closing with the Fireworks display. There will be a Rodeo, sponsored by the Warren Chamber of Commerce, at the Knight Civic Center on Tuesday, July 4, 2000 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

TICKETS AVAILABLE

Beta Delta Chapter of Sigma Phi Gamma, Warren, is hosting Longaberger Basket Bingo on Saturday, July 1st at 1:00 p.m. at the Knight Civic Center Auditorium during the Salamonie Summer Festival. Tickets for adults 16 and older are available from any Beta Delta member, Gebharts Greenhouse and Floral Barn or by calling 219/375-3988. Raffle tickets are also available. The raffle baskets are on display at Video Vision. Doors open at 12:30, refreshments and bingo dobbies will be available for purchase.

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Deadline for news and/or advertising is 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, for that week's edition. Call if you need something in but won't have it here on time.

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

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KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

50TH ANNIVERSARY:

REMEMBERING KOREAN WAR SACRIFICES

And they who for their country die, Shall fill an honored grave.
 For glory lights the soldier's tomb, And beauty weeps the brave.
 Joseph Rodman Drake
 to the defenders of New Orleans

June 25 will mark 50 years since the beginning of the Korean War, one of the bloodiest and most bitterly fought wars of this century. An estimated 5 million people lost their lives in this war, including civilians, military people from U.S. and United Nations forces, and their wartime enemies from North Korea and China.

Today, we remember those who fought. If they survived, they are retired now and out of danger's way. Many of us remember the Korean War stories told to us by our fathers, grandfathers, aunts and uncles. We thank God that America fights no large-scale, active war today.

RAISING UNSPOILED KIDS - TOUGH JOB IN GOOD TIMES

In an era of comparative affluence, how do you keep children from growing up to be self-centered and spoiled?

Here's the advice of psychologists on some common concerns:

- What do you say when a child asks how much money you have, whether you are well off or rich? Be honest, says one Beverly Hills psychotherapist. Don't be afraid to say you are well off, but note that others in the neighborhood probably have more things than you do. Make an age-appropriate answer.

- How much allowance should children get? It depends on what the allowance is supposed to cover. A survey of affluent families by Cambridge Connection, Inc., a financial planning company, shows that more than 40 percent gave children allowances of between \$2 and \$10 a week. Many kids were required to do chores for their allowance, and older children with more expenses received a more appropriate amount. About 40 percent with children under age six gave no allowance.

One recommended way to boost kids' incomes is to post various jobs and what you will pay to have them done. These should not include normal activities like making one's own bed or helping with dinner dishes.

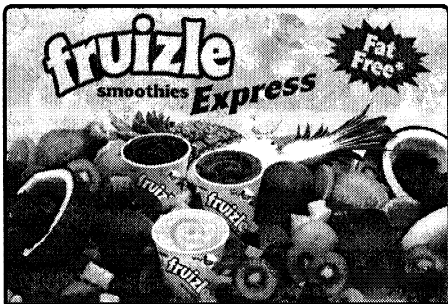
All experts interviewed say older kids should get summer jobs, which teach responsibility.

15 YEARS AGO - WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 1985

The Salamonie Summer Festival for 1985 would be held July 4, 5, 6, 7. The theme was "Family Affair."

Lori Griffin, Van Buren, was chosen a semi-finalist in Teen Magazine's 1985 Great Model Search.

Warren Fire Department was called to Max Brown resident at 7143S-100E to a burning brush fire. No damage was reported.



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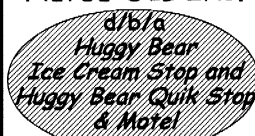


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 Youth Hours 6:00 p.m.
 Evening Praise Hour 6:00 p.m.
 Hour of Power (Wed) 7:00 p.m.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Van Buren, Indiana

765-934-2199

Todd Lamkin, Pastor

Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:40 a.m.
 Bible Study, Monday 9:00 a.m.
 Bible Study, Wednesday 6:30 p.m.
 Youth Night, Thursday 7:30 p.m.

THE CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY

ALLIANCE - Majenica

468-2160

Rev. Kelly Wiley

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

MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST

219/468-2148

Rev. Tim Prowse - Pastor

Worship 9:00 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:00 a.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 Beall, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Handicap Accessible & Staff Nursery

WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST

375-3022

Stephan Leininger, Pastor

Kurt Hippensteel, Supt.

Bible School 9:00 a.m.
 Worship & Communion 10:00 a.m.
 Youth Meetings (Aug-May) 5:30 p.m.
 Choir (Aug-May) 7:00 p.m.

DILLMAN UNITED BRETHREN

8888S 1100W-90, Warren

375-2779

Lynn Mefferd, Pastor

Sun - People's Prayer Closet 8:15 a.m.
 1st Worship Service 9:00 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 Youth Group 5:30 p.m.
 Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.

McNATT UNITED METHODIST

375-4359

Bill VanHaften, Pastor

B. Morton, Supt.

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

WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH

375-2330

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Rev. Bill Barlow, Pastor

Wesley Welch, Supt.

Melissa Tejchma, Children's Ministry
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:15 a.m.
 Children's Church 10:15 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Thursday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST

CHURCH

694-6622

Pastor Jeff McNicholas

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Fellowship 9:55 a.m.
 Worship 10:15 p.m.
 Mon. Bible Study (women) 9:00 a.m.
 Wed. Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

SALAMONIE CHURCH OF

BRETHREN

468-2412

Mark S. Bendes, Pastor

Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Church School 10:45 a.m.

BUCKEYE CHRISTIAN CHURCH

768-2085

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 Thu) Noon

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

Keith Bateman, Pastor

Curtis Allen, Supt.

Bus Service 375-2510

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Youth Group (Sun.) 6:00 p.m.
 Wed. Midweek Service 7:00 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

375-2102

Charles Dye, Jr., Pastor

United Worship Service 9:00 a.m.
 Youth mtg 1st/3rd Sundays 6:00 p.m.

THE NEW BEGINNING

SR 218, 2 1/8 mile west of Poneto

Steve Sutton, Pastor

765/728-2065 for more info

Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Thursday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

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Pastor Reece Bookout

Joe Wiley, S.S. Supt.

Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Sunday Worship 10:00 a.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

765-934-2031

Pastor Chris Stage

Worship Service 9:30-10:45 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45-11:30 a.m.
 MYF 5:30 p.m.

BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Barry Humble, Pastor

Carol Irick, S.S. Supt.

Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

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Dan & Patsy Bryant, Assoc/Youth Pastor
 1st Worship 8:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 2nd Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
 Kids Klub (3rd/4th grade) 6:00 p.m.
 Klub 56 (5th/6th grade) 6:00 p.m.
 Cornerstone (youth 7-12 gr) 5:45 p.m.
 Thur: Terrific Thursday (Bible study, choir, kids activities) 6:30 p.m.

PLUM TREE UNITED CHURCH

OF CHRIST

375-2691

Charles Dye, Jr., Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Church 11:00 a.m.

LANCASTER WESLEYAN

468-2411

Kenneth B Sandefur, Pastor

David Thrift, S.S. Supt.

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

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SUNDAY:

Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT
 Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat
 Chapel Services 9:00 a.m.

MOUNT ETNA WESLEYAN

Wayne Wright, 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.

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 Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Wed Evening Carry-in & Fellowship 6:30 p.m.

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AREA NEWS

CLEAN-UP DAY

Roll-offs will be available from 8 am until 2 pm (or until filled) at the Utility Building, 314 W Second Street, on Saturday, July 15th. This service will only be available to those who can present a utility stub from Town of Warren Utilities or present identification showing residency within the Town. Items which will not be collected are: Appliances, Tires, Batteries, fencing wire, telephone poles, and railroad ties. Any liquids must be kept separate but will be collected on site.

OFFICE OPEN

The guidance office at Huntington North High School will be open from 7:30 until 3:30 through June 27th. If you need an evening appointment, please call ahead to secure a time. During July and August the guidance office will be open on Tuesdays from 10 am until 5:30 pm. Please call 356-6104 and ask for the guidance department to set up an appointment.

MOSQUITO SPRAYING

Town of Warren will once again be spraying for mosquitoes over the summer. The first spraying will be done on Friday, June 23rd and will continue on Tuesdays and Fridays thereafter, weather permitting, starting after 8 p.m. The unit is truck mounted and disperses food-grade mist into the air which is not harmful to humans or animals.

BASKETBALL CAMP

Team Indiana, led by 2000 Indiana University basketball recruits, will conduct a camp for second through twelfth graders, on Saturday, July 1, 2000. After the camp, they will be playing an all-star team of local players led by Huntington North's all-state senior Sean Kline at 7:00 p.m. The camp and the exhibition game will be held at Huntington North High School.

The camp will be held from 12:30 to 5:30 p.m. Dinner (provided) with the Indiana players will be from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. The cost is \$45.00 in advance or \$50.00 the day of the camp. The camp includes instruction in the fundamentals of basketball, a picture with the Indiana players, dinner with the players, and a free ticket to the exhibition game that evening. Instructors will include Indiana recruits including Indiana's Mr. Basketball Jarrod Jeffries, A.J. Moyer and also current players Kirk Haston, Dane Fife, Kyle Hornsby, Jarrod Odle, and George Leach. Registration forms are available in the Huntington North athletic office. Advance registration is encouraged.

The exhibition game features all of the Indiana recruits against some of the finest high school players in Indiana. Admission is \$5.00 in advance and \$6.00 at the door. Tickets will be sold in advance beginning Monday, June 26th in the Huntington North Athletic office. For more information

call the Huntington North Athletic office at 219/356-6104.

CONCERT IN GAS CITY

The Marion Philharmonic Orchestra will be performing on Monday, July 3 at 7:00 p.m. in the Gas City Band Shell in the Gas City Park.

The MPO is a 70 piece orchestra that will be performing a variety of music that evening to help celebrate our nation's birthday.

This is a free concert sponsored by local businesses. Guests are encouraged to bring lawn chairs, blankets or even a picnic. A rain location will be at Indiana Wesleyan University in Marion.

COUNCIL NOTES

The Warren Town Council met on Monday evening, June 12 at the local Fire Station. In the absence of president, Chod Boxell, Harold Jones called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. with the Pledge to the American Flag.

Approval was given to the minutes of a regular meeting May 22.

After some discussion, Council agreed to a survey of residents before a final decision is made for an additional stop sign at Salamonie Heights.

Quotes were not all in for water tower maintenance at Tower Park. It was learned that Warren is in the first filing of the AEP settlement agreement. A refund would be expected in 60 to 90 days.

Council agreed that in compliance with the local Code, properties in violation, and if grass is more than 12 inches high, town employees mow vacant lots at a cost of \$100 to the owner, pending discussion with the Town Attorney.

Warren is scheduled to host W.H.A.R.M.M. on July 10. A cook-out is scheduled to be held at Tower Park at 6 p.m.

Dumpsters are to be available at the City Barn for the clean-up day. It will be scheduled for July 15th if T&C Disposal has units available.

A resident requested sanitation waiver due to a trash dumpster. Council granted the waiver.

A request waiver was considered from Dollar General. This concerned property at the corner

of Twelfth and Huntington Avenue.

Council appointed David Scheib and Gary Sheets to the Tower Park Board, subject to their approval.

Council voted to purchase a new copier with trade-in of the present copier.

According to an insurance report, \$10,500 is to be collect for the '94 police car which had been wrecked. It was believed the radio equipment could be salvaged to put into the new replacement car.

Council voted approved to schedule a Public Hearing on Monday, June 26th at 6:30 p.m. on a \$2.00 per month rate increase by Citizens Cable. The Council, by Federal Law, is the grantor for Citizens Cable.

Council also voted to pay \$400 CSO membership dues. The group consists of municipalities across Indiana with combined sewer overflow systems.

A stop sign at Langston Estates, Van Malson Drive, at the exit onto Wayne Street is to be amended into Town Code.

Ordinance 2000-4 would amend Town Code for stop intersections.

Ron Neff reported on a recent meeting of the Solid Waste Board. Darrel Bice and Marilyn Morrison had attended the annual IMMDA meeting and filed a report. The Indiana and Michigan Municipal Distributors Association represents towns and cities purchasing power from AEP.

Clerk-Treasurer Marilyn Morrison reported on the SBA School she had attended. The May financial report was also given.

Darrel Bice reported from the Utility Department. Projects undertaken by the Department included: hydrant repair on Grover Street, with minor problems; problems with a leak at Pulse Opera House; sewer line problems on Jefferson.

Bice was given permission to

order mosquito spray.

Chuck Booher or Lee Poulson is expected to attend the Indiana Rural Water Association June workshop.

Fire Chief Tim Ford reported the Warren Volunteer Fire Department made nine runs in May. He also reported on the ISO insurance.

Council granted permission to remove mulch around the Fire Station.

Town Marshal Steve Donnelly gave his monthly report.

He also reported a 2000 Ford could be obtained to replace the wrecked police vehicle at the cost of \$20,590.00. With insurance refund expected to be \$10,500 Council approved transfer of \$15,000 from CCI to General for purchase and equipment for a new car.

Announcements included: June 26, Council meeting; June 30 - July 2, Salamonie Summer Festival; July 4, Chamber of Commerce Rodeo.

FROM VAN BUREN

On Wednesday evening, June 14, members of the Van Buren Town Council met in the Council Room at Town Hall. President Tony Manry called the meeting to order at 7 p.m. with all in attendance repeating the Pledge to the American Flag.

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved as submitted.

A local resident in attendance said they were buying ground behind their house and asked that an alley be vacated. They were informed how to proceed with legal procedures.

Council was informed that the local Fire Department had opened a bid on a second fire truck. Plans are to place the order soon. The Department expects to get two

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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 included.

June 21 Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m.
June 26 Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Firestation
June 30 Warren Recycle Day

June 30 - July 2 Salamonie Summer Festival

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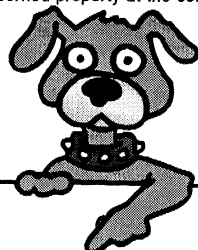
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new trucks, with the first to be delivered by September.

A citizen in attendance asked if there is an ordinance against junk mowers. It was reported that the property in question no longer has many junk mowers.

Another citizen was concerned about a noise ordinance, pertaining to loud radios. Also they were concerned about people parking on sidewalks and tearing up the walks.

Another citizen was concerned about a change to their water meter due to landscaping.

Officer Pat Collins gave his report for May. He said both police vehicles are running well and due for regular service soon.

Nine residents had been notified about ordinance violations and about junk and abandoned vehicles.

Superintendent Jim Webb said no water leaks had been reported, but there had been 14 water related calls.

Lead and copper testing had been done.

It is now required that all residents must receive a drinking water report. Van Buren passed all testing for the year 2000.

Town employees had been working on storm drains.

Power steering on the backhoe had been repaired.

New playground equipment had been installed at the Park. The pavilion was being painted and fence to be put up. Council voted to accept a bid from D&D Fence.

A number of small children had been observed playing at the park unsupervised.

Seven nuisance warnings had been issued along with animal control warnings.

Flooding problems were reported on Bartlett Street.

Council accepted a bid for repair of a sidewalk which had been damaged during work by Town employees.

Resolution 4-2000 was recently drawn up by the Van Buren Redevelopment Commission and accepted by Council.

Bond Ordinance 3-2000 concerned waterworks operations and passed on the second reading. Clerk-Treasurer Michelle Sexton and Council president Tony Manry were given authority to sign financial agreements on behalf of the Town.

The next Council meeting will be

held Wednesday evening, June 21, at 7 p.m.

SUMMER WEATHER ADVICE

The National Weather Service has announced that many areas of the United States will continue to endure a prolonged HEAT WAVE this summer. To be better prepared during the hot weather - KNOW WHAT THESE TERMS MEAN

* Heat wave: More than 48 hours of high heat (90° F or higher) and high humidity (80% relative humidity) or higher are expected.

* Heat index: A number in degrees Fahrenheit that tells how hot it really feels with the heat and humidity. Exposure to full sunshine can increase the heat index by 15° Fahrenheit.

* Heat cramps: Heat cramps are muscular pains and spasms due to heavy exertion. They usually involve the abdominal muscles or legs. It is generally thought that the loss of water and salt from heavy sweating causes the cramps.

* Heat exhaustion: Heat exhaustion is less dangerous than heat stroke. It typically occurs when people exercise heavily or work in a warm, humid place when body fluids are lost through heavy sweating, mild loss causes blood flow to decrease in the vital organs, resulting in a form of shock. With heat exhaustion, sweat does not evaporate as it should, possibly because of high humidity or too many layers of clothing. As a result the body is not cooled properly.

* Heat stroke: Heat stroke is life-threatening. The victim's temperature control system, which produces sweating to cool the body, stops working. The body temperature can rise so high that brain damage and death may result if the body is not cooled quickly.

* Sunstroke: Another term for heat stroke.

2. DURING A HEAT WAVE...

* Slow down. Avoid strenuous activity. If you must do strenuous activity, do it during the coolest part of the day, which is usually

the morning between 4 a.m. and 7 a.m.

* Stay indoors as much as possible. If air conditioning is not available, stay on the lowest floor out of the sunshine. Remember that electric fans do not cool, they just blow hot air around.

* Wear lightweight, light-colored clothing. Light colors will reflect away some of the sun's energy.

* Drink plenty of water regularly and often. Your body needs water to keep cool.

* Drink plenty of fluids even if you do not feel thirsty.

* Water is the safest liquid to drink during heat emergencies. Avoid drinks with alcohol or caffeine in them. They can make you feel good briefly, but make the heat's effects on your body worse. This is especially true about beer, which actually dehydrates the body.

* Eat small meals and eat more often. Avoid foods that are high in protein which increase metabolic heat.

* Avoid using salt tablets unless directly told to do so by a physician.

3. SIGNALS OF HEAT EMERGENCIES

* Heat exhaustion: Cool, moist, pale or flushed skin; heavy sweating; headache; nausea or vomiting; dizziness; and exhaustion. Body temperature will be near normal.

* Heat stroke: Hot, red skin; changes in consciousness, rapid, weak pulse, and rapid, shallow breathing. Body temperature can be very high-sometimes as high as 105° F. If the person was sweating from heavy work or exercise, their skin may be wet; otherwise, it will feel dry.

4. TREATMENT FOR HEAT EMERGENCIES...

* Heat cramps: Get the person to a cooler place and have him or her rest in a comfortable position. Lightly stretch the affected muscles and replenish fluids. Give a half glass of cool water every 15 minutes. Do not give liquids with alcohol or caffeine in them, as they can make conditions worse.

* Heat exhaustion: Get the person out of the heat and into a cooler place. Remove or loosen tight clothing and apply cool, wet cloths, such as towels or sheets. If the person is conscious, give cool water to drink. Do not let them drink too quickly. Give a half glass of cool water every 15 minutes. Do not give liquids that contain alcohol or caffeine. Let the victim rest in a comfortable position, and watch carefully for changes in his or her condition.

* Heat Stroke: Heat stroke is a life-threatening situation. Help is needed fast. Call 9-1-1 or your local emergency number. Move the person to a cooler place. Quickly cool the body. Immerse them in a cool bath, or wrap wet sheets around the body and fan it. Watch for signals or breathing problems. If the victim refuses water, is vomiting, or there are changes in the level of consciousness, do not give him or her anything to eat or drink.

For more information and tips on how to treat heat emergency, get a copy of "Are You Ready for a Heat Wave?" or you may register for a Community First Aid and Safety class from your American Red Cross Chapter.

CANNER TESTING

The garden is planted and now is the time to prepare for preserving the bounty. A pressure canner is used to preserve most fruits and vegetables. The dial gauge should be checked every two years, according to Beverly Morgan, Extension Educator in Consumer and Family Sciences. This is a free service by the Purdue Extension Service of Huntington County. The testing will be done from 9 a.m. to noon on June 27 and July 11. The Extension Office is located in Room 209 of the Courthouse. Bring the canner lid to the Extension Office the day before or early on the morning of testing.

A dial gauge or weighted gauge is essential to control the pressure. The accuracy of the weighted dial is constant, unless damaged in some way or clogged with food particles. However a weighted gauge cannot be tested.

A dial gauge needs to be tested for accuracy. If the gauge is inaccurate more than two pounds, it should be replaced. Why take chances with the safety of the foods that you preserve for your family? Make certain that your pressure canner gauge is accurate.

Now is also the time to check your canning equipment and supplies. Check the rubber gasket

and the safety plug on the canner lid. If the rubber gasket has become stretched or brittle over the years, it should be replaced. Be certain there is no dust, dirt, food particles, or oil around the safety plug or the pressure gauge.

The Huntington County Extension Office has numerous publications on canning and freezing. Be certain to use current recipes, in order to prevent food borne illness. Food preservation techniques were updated a few years ago. There are several reasons for the changes in canning procedures. One, there are newer varieties (hybrids) with lower pH levels of some foods; and two there is newer technology about food preservation safety.

DEADLINES FOR FAIR


The Huntington County Fair will be held in just a few short weeks and entry deadlines are near. The fair will be July 14-27. There are activities for all residents of Huntington County. The fair schedules are available from the Huntington County Extension Office, Courthouse Room 209, according to Beverly Morgan, Extension Educator.

Friday, July 7 is the entry deadline for the Homemaker's Fashion Show. It is open to any home sewer in Huntington County, age 18 and older. There are three age divisions and a division for professional sewers. The categories are Family Outfits, Dresses, Coats or Suits, Separates, My Choice, Sewing for Others/Children's Garments, Sewing for Others/Teen Garments, and Wedding Gowns. These categories are eligible for State Fair competition. Two categories are county categories only. They are Sewing for Others/Adult and Wearable Art. The judging will be July 18 at Huntington North High School at 4:00 p.m. The public Homemakers Fashion Show is July 22 at 7:30 p.m. at Hiers Park.

Friday, July 9 is also the entry deadline for the Open Class Adult Exhibits. There is a \$.50 entry fee for each exhibit. Any resident of Huntington County, age 18 and older may enter. The divisions include fruit pies, cakes, cookies, yeast breads and quick breads, decorated cakes, canning, sewing, needlework, pictures-needlework afghans, quilts and quilted items, home decorating, decorated sweatshirts and T-shirts, toys, country or collectibles, holiday decorations, amateur photography, flower arrangements, woodworking, basic crafts, and baskets. There are numerous

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GENEALOGY REPORT

BOYER

Francis V. Boyer, 83, Van Buren, died at 12:03 p.m. June 19, 2000 in Marion General Hospital.

Mr. Boyer was born December 25, 1916 in Adams County, IN and was raised in Tipton County, IN. He was a resident of Grant Co. for the last 49 years, the last three years in Van Buren. In 1940 he married Alice Lawson, June 4, 2000 they celebrated 60 years of marriage. Mr. Boyer retired in 1980 from Anaconda Wire and Cable Co., Marion after 25 years of service. He was also a retired farmer and Master Gardner. He attended the Pioneer Faith Evangelical Church, Marion. For 25 years he was an adult leader for the Hoosiers K's 4-H Club.

Surviving in addition to his wife and two sons, Michael (Nancy) and Kevin (Lori) of Van Buren; a daughter, Carol (Dudley) McIntosh of Anderson; a brother, Richard (Evelyn) Boyer of Cicero; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Calling hours are 2 to 4 and 6 to 8 Wednesday, July 21, 2000 at Ferguson Funeral Home, Van Buren. Services will be held at the funeral home on Thursday, June 22, 2000 at 10:30 a.m. with Rev. Howard Clayton officiating.

Burial will be in Gardens of Memory Inc. cemetery, Marion (Huntington Co.).

LANGEL

Mona Ilene Langel, 75, who resided at 3273W St. Rd. 124, Liberty Center, died at 4:15 a.m. June 14, 2000 at Wells Community Hospital.

She was a homemaker and was retired from Kitco Inc. in Bluffton.

Mrs. Langel was born in Nottingham Township Nov. 5, 1924 to Lindal and Ethel Koon Yarger. Her marriage at Ossian on Jan. 7, 1950 was to John T. Langel, who survives.

Surviving also are two sons, John "Jay" R. Langel and Lindal J. Langel, both of Bluffton; a sister, Helen Elliott of Bryant; and four grandchildren.

There were no services or view-

ing. Burial will be at a later date in Horeb Cemetery.

Goodwin Memorial Chapel in Bluffton was in charge of arrangements.

Memorials to Wells County EMS.

SMITH

Marshall Smith, 86, 30th Street, Orlando, FL, died Saturday, April 22, 2000.

Mr. Smith was an insurance salesman. Born in Grand Rapids, MI, he was a 1931 graduate of Warren High School. In 1955 he moved to central Florida. He was a member of the Holden Heights United Methodist Church.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Marsha and Robert Kelley of Orlando, step-daughter, Sonia Baker of Springfield, OH; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Arrangements were handled by Osceola Memory Gardens Cemetery and Funeral Home, Kissimmee.

NEW ADDITIONS

Shane and Tina (Weaver) Bennett, Bluffton, are the parents of a daughter Kirsten Nicole, born at 9:53 a.m. on June 12, 2000 at Caylor-Nickel Medical Center. The infant weighed 7 pounds 15 ounces and measured 19 3/4 pounds. She joins a sister Alyssa Bennett, age 6.

Grandparents are Ron and Sue Weaver of Bluffton, Sherry Bennett of Warren and Michael Bennett of Sacramento, CA. Great-grandparents are Mary E Martin of Vera Cruz, Harriett Bennett of Florida and Helen Barnes of Bluffton.

Jessica Lyn Bishop of Warren is the mother of a daughter, Haley Renae Bishop, born at 5:53 p.m., June 16, 2000 at Caylor-Nickel Medical Center. The baby weighed 8 pounds and measured 21 inches.

Grandparents are Nancy Bishop and James Bishop of Warren. Great-grandparents are Van and Margaret Mayo of Louisiana and Darrell and Sue Bishop of Warren.

CLEVENGER - CHANEY

Kimberly Kay Clevenger and Roy Dwayne Chaney, both of 515 S Broadway, Huntington are engaged to be married July 1 at the home of the bride's parents at 6940S Warren Rd.

The bride-elect graduated from Huntington North High School in 1995. She is employed as a nutri-

tional services aide at the United Methodist Memorial Home in Warren. Her parents are LaVon and Gerrie Clevenger.

Her fiancé graduated from Huntington North High school in 1997. He is the assistant manager at Monro Muffler, Brake and Soervice, Huntington. His parents are Darlene Myers, 3144W 543S, Huntington, and Roy Chaney, 4 Nicole Lane, Huntington.



CELEBRATE 50TH

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Shideler, 801 Huntington Avenue, Warren, IN celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary with a surprise reception on Saturday, June 3 in the Fults Recreation Room at the United Methodist Memorial Home.

Robert J. Shideler and Berneice A. Crispen were married on Saturday, June 3 1950 at the Jefferson Center Methodist Church, Huntington County with Rev. Keith Hanley officiating.

Mr. Shideler retired from the United Methodist Memorial Home in Warren where he had been employed for several years. He had earlier been employed at Franklin Electric in Bluffton and in the fertilizer business.

Mrs. Shideler retired from National City Bank Exchange Banking Center of Warren after many years of employment.

The special occasion was hosted by the families of their daughters, Marcia and Denny Stroud, Kimberlee, Kevin, and Kyle of Warren and Jane and Ronald Rosiek, Gillian and Ben Gilmer and Roger and Renae Rosiek of Port Huron, Michigan.

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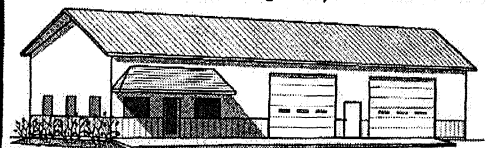
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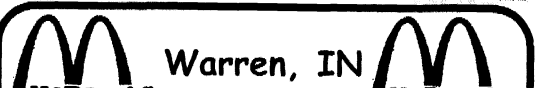
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classes under these divisions. Exhibits will be entered in the Family Living Building at Hiers Park on Thursday, July 20 from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m. and Friday, July 21 from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.

Ladies Day at the Fair will be Monday, July 24 beginning at noon. These programs will be under a canopy west of the Family Living Building. The programs are: 12:00 p.m. - Fancy Napkin Folding, 1:00 p.m. - The Weather, 2:00 p.m. - What's Up With Mexican Food, 3:00 p.m. - Everything You Wanted to Know about Hummingbirds and More, 4:00 p.m. - Raising and Decorating with Herbs, and 5:00 p.m. - What? Dirty Hands! Door prizes will be given at each session.

These three activities are sponsored by the Huntington County Extension Homemakers.

Membership in a club is not required in order to participate. Participation from the general public is important to make the Huntington County Fair a success. Applications for the Homemaker's Fashion Show and Open Class Exhibits are available from the Huntington County Extension Office, Courthouse Room 209. For further information, contact the Extension Office at 358-4826.

MANURE MANAGEMENT PLANS

Time is running out for Grant County farmers that need to file manure management plans by July 1, 2000. Confined feeding operations with over 300 cattle, 600 swine or sheep, or 30,000 head of poultry in one location must have a confined feeding permit and a manure management plan. Farmers should contact the Grant County Extension Office at 765/668-8871 ext. 413 for forms or help with the applications.

PURDUE FORAGE DAY

Purdue Forage Day will be held on Thursday, June 22, 2000 at the Purdue Animal Sciences Research and Education Center. This research facility is west of West Lafayette near Montmorenci, IN. This will be an excellent opportunity to learn more about forage production, forage harvesting, and forage marketing. There is more information available in the Extension Office.

CPR COURSES OFFERED

Would you know what to do in an emergency? Most people are uncertain, unless they have received proper training. Caylor-Nickel Medical Center is offering CPR classes for anyone who wants that training. All will be in the fourth floor conference rooms in the main Bluffton facility.

The public is welcome to attend any of the three types of CPR classes that are available in the next few months:

HeartSaver Plus - \$20 - covers one-man CPR, foreign body airway obstruction and use of a mask, all on an adult. It will be Wednesday, July 26 from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Healthcare Provider - \$30 - for those who have never taken this level of CPR or whose card has expired. Covers adult, infant and child CPR, foreign body airway obstruction and much more. It will be on Thursdays, August 10 and 17 from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m.

Healthcare Provider Renewal - \$20 - a refresher course for those whose current Healthcare Provider CPR card is about to expire. The current CPR card needs to be brought to registration. One class will be held on Thursday, June 22 from 8:00 to 11:30 a.m. Please note that there will not be another Renewal class held until September 11, 2000. Please plan to attend the June session if your card expires before September.

Pediatric Basic Life Support Plus - \$25 - for parents, expectant parents and child care providers who want to learn basic CPR for infants and children, foreign body airway obstruction and other first aid. One session will be held on Monday, October 16 from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m.

A providership card will be granted on successful completion of each CPR course, per American Heart Association standards. Those standards require that each person pass a written test and demonstrate skills. Student manuals are available upon registration.

Enrollment in each class is limited. For information or to register for CPR classes, please call Tonya Penrod at Caylor-Nickel: (800) 756-2663, (219) 824-3500 or (219) 824-2001, Ext. 2120.

4-H FAIR PARADE

Entry forms are now available for the Wells County 4-H Fair Parade scheduled for Saturday morning, July 15th. This year's fair schedule includes a weekend and begins with the 4-H Fair Parade Saturday, July 15th and concludes with the 4-H Livestock Auction on Thursday, June 20th.

Participants will begin to line up at 9 AM at the National City Bank parking lot.

The parade will leave the downtown area at 10 AM and arrive at approximately 10:30 AM at the 4-H Park. The parade will travel down Main Street to the 4-H Park. Entry forms are due Wednesday, July 5th at the Wells County Extension office. Compete parade details will be printed in the Thursday, July 13th News Banner.

Participation in the parade is free and may include 4-H Club floats or attendance entries, marching bands, baton groups, emergency and fire units, industrial units, antique and new cars, trucks, and tractors, community or political groups. Participants in the parade may hand out items but are asked not to throw any items which could encourage youth to get in the path of parade vehicles.

Parade spectators are encouraged to line the Main Street route from the Courthouse to the 4-H Park. DJ's Rick & Rob from the radio station Y100 will serve as Master of Ceremonies as they announce the various units as they pass before the Grandstand audience. Theme for the 4-H Clubs will be "4-H, Learn Today, Lead Tomorrow".

Entry forms for the parade are available at the Wells County Extension Service, 1240 S. 4-H Rd., Bluffton, IN 46714, 814-6412.

4-H TALENT SHOW

Entry forms are available for the annual 4-H Talent Show which will be held Sunday, July 16th at 5 PM at the annual Wells County 4-H Fair in Bluffton.

The contestants will be divided into three categories: Grades 1 and 2; Grades 3 through 5; and Grades 6 and above. Grade in school is based on January 1, year of the Fair. All contestants must be present 4-H members.

Awards will be presented to winners in each category and the Mack Shultz Award will be presented to the top talent winner.

The award is presented in memory of Mack Shultz who was a 10 year 4-H member, who loved music. His Air Force jet disappeared off the coast of Florida in the Bermuda Triangle.

Applications are available from 4-H leaders or the Wells County Office of the Purdue Cooperative Extension Service, 1240 S. 4-H Rd., Bluffton, IN 46714, 824-6142. Forms are due July 7th.

THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES

The employees of the Wells Community Hospital will be celebrating Wells Community Hospital with a "Thanks for the Memories" week, June 26-29, 2000. During this time frame, prior to the proposed sale of Wells Community Hospital to Quorum Health Group, Inc., many activities are planned that celebrate the Hospital's contributions to the community for over 80 years.

Contests for the week include a Wells Community Hospital Song Parody, a WCH Treasure Hunt, and a WCH Trivia Quiz. A "Memory Book" will be placed in the Hospital Lobby for Employees, Visitors, Former and Current patients and others who would like to share their memories of the hospital. The book will then be presented to the Wells County Historical Society. All through the week, employees, where appropriate, will be wearing Wells Community Hospital T-shirts, past and present, to celebrate their dedication to all Wells Community has contributed to their lives and the community.

Thursday, June 29, 2000 has been designated as "Fare Thee Wells" Day. Memory Sharing sessions for friends of the Hospital will be held at 7:15 am and 3:45 pm in the Dining Room and at 2 pm in the Hospital Courtyard. The featured speaker will be former Administrator Paul Bender.

Former employees, Board Members, Medical Staff members and patients are encouraged to attend and share their memories of Wells Community Hospital. Following the 2 pm session, a Balloon Launch will be held in the Courtyard, followed by an Ice Cream Social in the Dining Room.

According to Hospital CEO Tom Clark, "Although the immediate future, following the sale of Wells Community Hospital, the hospital name will remain the same, the employees want to celebrate the years of caring and the people who have contributed to all that the hospital is today. It is this rich legacy that has made and will continue to make health care in Wells County an example of quality for anyone in the country. It is important to take this legacy with us into the future of health care in Wells County."

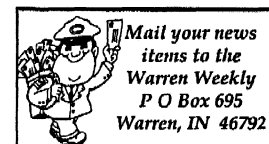
DOYLE STUDYING IN ISRAEL

Hanover College student Ryan Doyle is spending this school term studying in Israel.

He is studying a course titled Odyssey to the Holy Land, and courses in the geography and history of the holy lands, with particular attention given to areas within Israel and other Mediterranean countries associated with major biblical figures and events.

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Doyle, a business administration major, is the son of Mr and Mrs Richard Doyle of Van Buren.



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NEW AT WPL

New books received recently at the Warren Public Library include:

Adult Fiction – The Run by Woods, The Empty Chair by Deaver, Jewels of the Sun by Roberts, A Parting Gift by Erickson, Places in the Dark by Cook, Heirs and Parents by McInerney, Cradle & All by Patterson, Name Dropping by Heller, A Conventional Corpse by Hess and Like Gold Refined by Oke.

Adult Nonfiction – For the People, A Boy's Summer by Spence, Web Rules by Murphy, Duty by Greene, Just Curious, Jeeves by Mingo, The World's Best Thin Books by Bodart.

Childrens – Emily's First 100 Days of School by Wells, Arthur and the Perfect Brother by Brown, Open Wide: Tooth School Inside by Keller, Froggy Goes to Bed by London, Junie B. Jones Has a Peep in Her Pocket by Park and Angel of Hope by McDaniel.

More Adult Fiction – The Search by Johansen, The Second Silence by Goudge, The Vineyard by Delinsky, On Secret Service by Jakes, Cricle of Three by Gaffney, Eclipse Bay by Krentz, While I Was Gone by Miller, Not Without You by Taylor, Irish Hearts by Roberts and A Slender Thread by Peterson.

RAIDER OF THE DAY

The following were Southern Wells Elementary Raider of the Day winners for April and May: Kaitlyn Dunnuck K, Megan Hook 2, Jordan Montgomery 6, Chris Love 1, Amanda Jones 1, Erin Hamilton 5, Erika Pinkerton K, Stella Grim 3, Autumn Winters 6, Kelby Morris 1, Josh Ostrander K, Brady Irwin 6, Michael McNicholas 2, Leia Zoll 2, Michael Cook 5, Nicole Newman 3, Travis Osborn 5, Elizabeth Davis 1, Brandon Ostrander K, Tyson Zook 5, Billy McNicholas K, Luke Roush 1, Ricky Velasquez 1, Kraig Butche K, Charlene Sager 5, Quaid Zoda K, Jordan Alstoft K, Cathy Boxell 3, Mary McClure 2, Tanner Prible 1, Kelsey Samsel 1, Clayton Sessions 3, Adam Sils 1, Sean Winterrowd 3, Steven Perry K, Tori Vanover K, Josh Davis 3, Brandon Ostrander K, Kim Reimer K, Andrea Huffman 3, Matthew Dublin 5, Lucas Miller K, Dillon Zent K, Koltan Oswalt K, Travis Kipp 2, Joshua Bower 3, Leandra Myers 5, Joey Lichtsinn 3, Shawn Crowder 4, Stacy Piquene 5, Houston Elliott 3, Spencer Massey 3, and Brandon Haffner 1.

READING AT THE LIBRARY

The second Summer Reading Program was held at the Van Buren Public Library centered on the theme: Read With Franklin. Twenty two children attended the fun hour program.

Guest readers for the younger children was Lucinda Beall. She read two Franklin books by Paulette Bourgeois entitled: "Frankie and the Thunderstorm" and "Hurry Up, Franklin". Guest reader for the older child was Marilyn Lavanchy. She read the

books:

"All About Turtles" by Jim Arnosky and "Finder's Keepers for Franklin" by Paulette Bourgeois.

Sue Hodge brought in her own personal turtles from her farm. SIX TURTLES!! She told the group about them and their habits. Then we lined them up for a RACE!! Boy did they run! The children thought they were pretty neat!

After the exciting race, Mrs. Tate brought in her snapping turtle to show the group. They thought that was cool, too.

After all the excitement, Mark Hummel and Jim Boucher served up some Turtle Sundaes for us.

The children attending were Joseph Wood, Kayla Purvis, Kevin Dudley, Brooke Hummel, Cody Gabbard, Branson Cooper, Carly Cooper, Karie Lavanchy, Garrett Lamkin, Maryrose Bums, Noah Slusser, Peter Bryant, Olivia Bryant, Emily Bryant, Bobby Tate, David Irwin, Cady Swagger, Hanna Boucher, Kelsey Gabbard, Ryan Purvis, Allison Purvis, Seth Gressley.

The next Summer Reading Program will be next Wednesday, June 21st at 10:30 a.m. Hope you can come to your library.

PIANO RECITAL

A piano recital was held June 11, Sunday afternoon at 4:00 PM at the Warren United Church of Christ, students of Eileen and Charly Dye. There were 31 students that participated. Those from the area that were involved were Alicia & Ryan Aldridge, Leah Bookout, Joshua David, Wendy Jester, Austin and Corey Jones, Ashley Landrum, Ashlee Murrill, Whitney Neuenschwander, Alyssa Osborne, Morgan Perry, Cady Swagger, Jessica Turner, Peter VanHyfte, Kayla Villanueva, Meagan and Solomon Wehr, and Paige Widener.

Certificates were given to all who maintained their memorized pieces all year and/or participated in a recital during the year. Certificates, report cards and pins were awarded to 7 students who participated in the National Guild Auditions in Wabash at the Honeywell House June 6. Those students passed and now belong to the National Guild of Student Musicians (of which there are over 120,000 pupils coast to coast). They are as follows:

Alicia & Ryan Aldridge, Charis Daniels, Joshua David, Abbey & Jessica Finch, and Ashlee Murrill. Ashlee Murrill is a 1st year winner. Joshua David is a 2nd year winner. Alicia and Ryan Aldridge, Abbey Finch, and Charis Daniels are 3rd year winners. Jessica Finch is a 5th year winner.

Composer statuettes were awarded to those with the most memorized pieces maintained for the year. They were: Alicia & Ryan Aldridge, Joshua David, and Meagan Wehr.

Those with the most total points for the year were: Ryan Aldridge, Joshua David, Abbey Finch, Austin Jones, Ashley Landrum, Ashlee Murrill, Whitney Neuenschwander, and Morgan Perry.

The most consistent practice awards went to: Ashley Kriegbaum and Paige Widener.

The most improved awards went to: Landon & Tyler Karst, Jessica Finch, and Charis Daniels.

COLE EARNS CERTIFICATION

A graduate of Southern Wells High School, Dr. Chris Cole became a National Board Certified Anesthesiologist in April at Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Dr. Cole received his bachelor's degree at Indiana University in Bloomington and his medical degree from IUPUI at Indianapolis.

A son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter (Melba) Cole of Liberty Center, he resides in New Palestine.

RECEIVED DEGREE

Brea Morrison, Huntington, received a bachelor of arts degree in Spanish during the 142nd commencement exercises on May 6 at Evansville University. She is a 1997 graduate of Huntington North High School.

She is the daughter of Lewis and Kristin Morrison, Huntington and Loon Lake.

She is the granddaughter of Carol Buzzard and Dick Buzzard, both of Huntington, and Lloyd Morrison of Warren.

Brea has also been named to the Dean's List for outstanding achievement during the spring semester at Evansville University. To be named to the list, a student must earn at least a 3.5 gpa on a 4.0 scale.

DEAN'S LIST

Michelle Walter and Emily Dye, both of Warren, have been named to the National Dean's List, for the spring semester at Indiana Wesleyan University, Marion. To be named to the list, a student must earn at least a 3.5 grade-point average on a 4.0 scale.

Walter is the daughter of Gary L. and Rosalie Walter, Warren.

Dye is the daughter of Charles and Eileen Dye, Warren.

RECEIVES SCHOLARSHIP

The Laura Blackburn Memorial Scholarship, a \$1,000 award, went to Travis Bolinger. This scholarship is given in memory of Laura Blackburn, who was a Huntington County elementary teacher and active member of Tri Kappa in Huntington.

Candidates for this scholarship must be planning to major in education. Bolinger plans to attend Taylor university and pursue a career as a middle school science teacher. He is the son of Marie DeWeese and the late Mark Bolinger.

CAMPBELL AWARDED

The Bruce Bruemleve Scholarship Committee has awarded \$500 scholarships to three Huntington North High School graduates. Recipients are Sabra Campbell of Warren, Karl Warner of Huntington and Ryna Hanson of Huntington.

Campbell, the daughter of Lynn and Penny Campbell of Warren, plans to major in accounting at the University of Indianapolis.

She is currently employed by First Federal Savings Bank and has been a member of 4-H, DECA, and National Honor Society.

The scholarships are given in memory of the late Bruce Bruemleve, a 1981 graduate of Huntington North High School. He received an associate degree from International Business College and a bachelor's degree from Indiana Wesleyan University.

Friends of Bruemleve have organized a golf tournament to help raise funds for this scholarship. This summer's tournament is Saturday, July 29, at Norwood Golf Course. Would-be participants should call Jim Drabenstot 672-3150 or 672-2977; Bill McVoy, 356-7284, or Steve Forth, 786-3911.

TRAVELED TO VA

Your pharmacist, Terry Daniels and his family, spent last week in Manassas, Virginia visiting his sister's family for a high school graduation event. They also visited a couple of museums in Washington, DC, the Antietam Battleground including Burnside bridge and the Manassas museum.

Thanks to all the pharmacists and pharmacy technicians who filled in while we were away.

REUNION HELD

WHS Class of 31 held it's annual reunion June 11, 2000 at the United Methodist Memorial Home in Warren. Mary Emma Holmes was hostess to the group. Her parents were both members of the 31 graduating class. The tables were decorated in Blue and white. Pictures of the original group and one of the living classmates, along with a bouquet of class flowers served as centerpieces. During her lifetime Bernice (Eikenberry) Kimmel always brought a centerpiece of flowers for the table. Other pictures were also displayed.

After Mrs. Holmes offered grace, a delicious meal was served by the facilities dietary department. Five of the eleven classmates and two guests enjoyed the luncheon. John Thompson, Leslie Laymon, Hildred (Shipley) Bruce, Mary Jane (McFarren) Adsit and Janice (Lee) Penrod with her husband Forrest, a guest and Mary Emma (Adsit) Holmes, hostess.

Correspondences were received from Herschel Ruble, who has lived in Clearwater, FL for 47 years. From Arizona, Alice Metz, wife of Harry Metz – Harry has had a stroke this year and is slowly recovering. Leola Eikenberry Smith from Plum Tree, sent her best to the class. Hildred gave an account of her twin sister, Mildred from Ohio. That left only two members we did not hear from, Marshall Smith of Florida and Mary Naomi Smith Wait, which we do not know her whereabouts.

Mary Emma had grade pictures of the class asking for help identifying the students. These pictures will be property of the Salamonie Valley Museum. Get out your old school pictures. See how many you can name. They left no one unnamed. Fun talking

about the good times back in the 20s and 30s.

Good Lord willing, we will meet same time and place on the second Sunday in June 2001 for the 70th annual reunion.

We received word on Monday after the reunion that Marshall Smith died April 22, 2000. See Genealogy Report on page 5.

HONOR ROLL

The following students achieved Honor Roll for the fourth grading period at Southern Wells Elementary:

Sixth Grade High Honor: Joyce Flanagan, Lia Gentis, and Heather Roush. Honor Roll: Ashley Addington, Adam Boxell, Craig Carroll, Ada Collins, Rena Cook, Derek Daugherty, Suzanne Drayer, Sam Garrett, Tiffany Gentis, Sam Hecht, David Hicks, Cherish Jenkins, Elizabeth Lewellen, Samantha Lichtsinn, Jordan Montgomery, Leslie Moser, Steven Paison, Kyle Penrod, Cierra Sessions, Matt Slents, Brandon Smith and Nick Thomas.

Fifth Grade High Honor: Emily Fiock, Sara Habegger, Ashley Herman, Eva Miller, Chad Ramseyer, Brandon Reaser and Jennifer Robbins. Honor Roll: Michael Bennett, Jamie Bryant, Cassie Cox, Amy Davis, Kristy Davis, Sierra Dollar, Aaron Dublin, Matthew Dublin, Stewart Dreis, Adam Endsley, Ashley Fear, Erin Hamilton, Amber Henderson, Brett Huffman, Eric Johnson, Brandon Killingbeck, Alan McClure, Terrence Merchant, Tom Mossburg, Leandra Myers, Shaya Newman, Travis Osborn, Curt Pierson, Stacy Piquene, Nicholas Reusser, Nick Russell, Jarred Sisler, Steven Smith, Tony Smith, Vanessa Smith, Robert Thompson, Elizabeth Towne and Tyson Zook.

Fourth Grade High Honor: Alex Kellam, Tiffany Reusser and Chris Siebold. Honor Roll: Cahli Mien, Kelsie Anderson, Liza Arnold, Casey Carroll, Mychal Chandler, Jason Christinan, Julia Duncan, Shane Estes, Alicia Flanagan, Thad Harte, Brittany Herring, Kaitlyn Huffman, Jared Jacobs, Ryan Kellam, Natalie Lewellen, Chelsie McCorkle, Laura Paxson, Cody Runkle, Nat Smith and Anna Teague.

Third Grade High Honor: Sara Alford, Kelsey Bonewit, Skye Bower, Troy Fiechter, Stella Grimm, Devin Leas, Kristy Penrod, Kaitlyn Prible, Meghan Prible, Derek Price, Clayton Sessions, Tayler Story and Sean Winterrowd. Honor Roll: Zack Barr, Cameron Carter, Tracy Estes, Alex Fiock, Andrew Habegger, Austin Haney, Jake Harriett, Katie Hecht, Tia Henderson, Cindy Jackson, Natalie Knowles, Audra Lane, Jocy Lichtsinn, Ashlie Lindsey, Spencer Massey, Cody Miller, Josh Morris, Austin Myers, Deidre Poling, Emily Pursfull, Amos Robles, Sarah Spaulding, Sarah Stultz, Beth Thompson, Kyle Thompson and Dani Warfield.