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Thought for the Week: I will never be an old man. To me, old age is always 15 years older than I am. Bernard M. Baruch



Broyles is **2014** Pioneer

This year's Samuel Jones Pioneer Award winner was honored at the annual breakfast on Friday morning, July 4 at the Knight Bergman

The winner of the Samuel Jones Pioneer Award embodies the meaning of service, compassion, and love for others around them. When I think of who would be most deserving of this award. I think of my dear friend who has served as one of the biggest influences in my life. As a teen in high school, she welcomes me to the Bread of Life Food Pantry and to Love In The Name of Christ (Love, Inc.) to help out. I was instantly struck at how giving and devoted she was to all of those in need around the town of Warren, and not once in the hundreds of hours I have served since then have I seen her without a smile on her face, happy and willing to serve others.

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SIGMA PHI HONORED

Sigma Phi Gamma was honored at the annual breakfast as this years Community Service award.

The first meeting of Alpha Chapter was held on August 29, 1920, in Hartford City, Indiana, with 18 women present. The purpose of the

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HISTORIC FILMS

Chaplain Gerald Moreland will be showing two half hour 16 mm films that were made at Heritage Pointe back in 1959 and 1966 when TV Co-Anchor Chet Huntley of the Huntley-Brinkley Report came to Warren, IN to do a Documentary Film and Report on the care of the aged. You will see him interview Dr. D.C. Souder and his son Phillip Souder as they tell the story of the United Methodist Memorial Homes exciting ministry to the aged. If you were around when that happened or are new to the history of this wonderful place of residence, YOU WILL WANT TO COME TO THE APPLEGATE CHAPEL Wednesday, July 9th for the 7:00 p.m. showing. We'll have the 16 mm Projector ready to show you some historic footage of days gone by. The home is in the process of having these films put on DVDs for purchase real soon. We hope to see some of you there.

CARNIVAL SATURDAY

Don't forget the Warren Baseball and Softball 2014 Carnival will be held on Saturday, July 12th at Tower Park from 1 - 5 p.m. All proceeds from the carnival go directly back to the kids.

There will be softball game on both diamonds this year with the games costing \$1.00 per game. Coaches are asked to wear their shirts that day and everyone is invited to join in the games whether you are a coach or not ... however, there will be no "teams" accepted.

Kids Carnival type game will be from 1:00 - 3:00 with all new games and prizes this year.

Portraits by Mechelle will also be there doing "vintage baseball"

photos for a donation to the league, which can be e-mailed or put on a disc for you.

The raffle will also be a part of The carnival again this year: Tickets are \$1.00 each or 12 for \$10.00. Top prize: Lifetime free entry to the league (1), 1 year free entry prizes (2), and Consolation prizes (4).

Winners will be drawn at the end of the carnival and you need not be present to win! Lisa Williams will be selling the tickets up until 5:00 day of carnival.

Come on up and enjoy the fun while supporting the WBSL kids baseball and softball programs!!

VBS IN JULY

The Warren Community Vacation Bible School will be hosted by Warren First Baptist Church July 14-17th, 2014.

VBS will be each night from 6 -8p.m. for Grades K-5 (grade entering in the Fall).

This year's theme is Kingdom Rock - Where Kids Stand Strong for God. An Epic Adventure Awaits! New friends, amazing experiments, wild games, lipsmacking snacks, surprising adventures and incredible music.

For more information call 260.375.3353.

FESTIVAL REPORT

The Warren Sportsman's Club would like to thank everyone who supported us this year during the SSF. We would like to announce the winners of our raffles and giveaways.

The Fishing Derby was held on Saturday, July 5th from 11:00-1:00. We would like to thank Langston Estates for letting us use their lake again this year. We had more kids participate than ever before. We had three age

categories for this years Derby. Age Group # 1 was children up to the age of 8. Largest Bass was caught by Aiden Justice. Largest Bluegill was caught by Jalee Bowers. 2nd age group was children 9-11. No one caught a Bass so we gave away 1st and 2nd place for bluegills. Largest Bluegill was Darren Jackson. 2nd largest bluegill was Schuyler Cassidy. 3rd age group was children 12-15. Largest Bass was caught by Alysha McPhearson. Largest Bluegill was caught by Jack Kaisen. All kids and adults had a great time.

Our Raffle winners were: Parker Enforcer Cross Bow won by Pam Steffens. Longaberger cake basket was won by Summer Jackson.

During our Open House we had Free Fishing Games for kids 12 and under. We gave away a fishing pole to a girl and a fishing pole to a boy. The winner of the girl's pole was Jalee Bowers and the winner of the boy's pole was Camdon Conners.

During our Open House we had Cross Bow Safety Training at the back of our building. This was a very busy place from 5:00-9:15. During this time an exciting thing happened. Makayla Harrold from Montpelier Robin Hooded and arrow. This means that she shot one arrow and then her second arrow hit the exact same spot and split her 1st arrow down the middle. Both arrows were lodged together. She was given her arrows as a souvenier of the event. This is even more amazing since she had never shot a bow before. What a great time we had this weekend. A very successful SSF.

Thanks again for supporting the Warren Sportsman's Club.



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Kudos, Kicks & Karats

FESTIVAL KUDOS

Thanks to all of you who might have helped with the 2014 Salamonie Summer Festival. If you have questions about what did or did not happen during the Festival, come to our meetings and give us your new ideas and offer your help to put those new ideas to work.

We on the committee have been doing this for many years. We need your help with the work, big time. Thanks and come make the 2015 Festival a success. The weekend was safe and perfect weather. Salamonie Summer Festival Committee

THE UPTOWN GARDENER

by Ruth Herring

What great weather we had for the festival this year. Hope all of you enjoyed your time with the long weekend . Thank you to all the people who had part in planning this years event. It is a big chore and we need to realize how much

time and effort is given to those who had part in planning the event. For many of the early years from the first festival forward I was a part of the festival in one place or another in planning. You give many hours of your time that is often unseen. So a big THANK YOU to all who served this year.

In my backyard 2 tomato plants and 6 bean bushes they are coming along great I have picked enough beans for me a meal and how great they tasted. There is plenty more coming on so look forward to that. Soon will have 1 ripe tomato. Also I have enjoyed fresh lettuce and peanut butter sandwiches for lunch. That is one of my favorite summer time treats.

This summer with the much rain the rose bushes are suffering black spot which I have been trying to clean up. It is caused from to much rain and humidity. one of the best cures I have found is to bathe the bushes in a solution on 1 ounce of milk mixed into 1 cup water and apply it early morning or late evening, when it has time to dry on the plant. Trim out all the infected areas as much as possible and discard what you trim away. It may take several times to apply but eventually it will help and when watering, water at the base of the plant and try keeping as much as possible away from the foliage of the plant. It is good to also feed it a couple times during this blooming season. I save left over coffee and grounds and pour it over the base of the bushes it provides some acid to soil. I also do this in the winter, so when you see me out in the cold and snow with my coffee pot I am just helping Mother Nature along and thinking spring.

Treva has informed me that the next 2 issues she is going to write about an experience that happened in our family life that was rather frightening at the time. Some of you may recall it being in many newspapers at the time it happened. This will give me a nice break for a while. So happy summer, gardening, vacationing or what ever you might be planning.

Here is a summer kind of salad I like that has not really a recipe to. Dice fresh tomatoes, summer squash, red and green peppers, green onions and fresh chopped basil, make an oil dressing of 1/3 cup sugar, 1 teaspoon garlic powder or fresh garlic rubbed generously around the inside of the bowl, 1/2 teaspoon celery seed, few flakes of red

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8294S 900W 35

Brad Kelly, Pastor

Wed. Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

BYG Youth Svc. (2&4Sun.) 6:00 p.m.

BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Barry Humble, Pastor

Denise Heininger, S.S. Supt.

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Youth Leaders - Kelly Jones

Adult Bible Study Sun 6:30p.m.

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8888S 1100W-90, Warren 375-2779

Matt Kennedy, Pastor

HANFIELD UNITED METHODIST

101 N 400 E - Marion 765/664-8726

Timothy Helm, Senior Pastor

1st Worship......8:30 a.m.

HERITAGE POINTE

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

NEW HOPE MINISTRIES

9019 S 300 W - Warren Indiana

Jim Graham, Pastor

260/375-4224

1st Worship Service

.....9:30 a.m

. 9:30 a.m.

10:30 a.m.

6:00 p.m.

.. 9:30a.m.

. 10:45a.m.

..Sun 6:00p.m.

. 9:15 a.m.

.9:30 a.m.

...... 10:30 a.m.

... 9:30a.m.

. 11:00 a.m.

..... 10:30a.m.

260/489-1456

.. 7:00 p.m.

9:30am

10:30am

10:30a.m.

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

Sunday School ...

Sunday School

Thurs. Kings Kids ...

CWF Ladies (3 Tue) .

Sunday Worship

Sunday School...

Worship..

Youth Group ..

Sunday Prayer...

unday School

Worship Service

Sunday School

2nd Worship Service ..

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Sunday Morning Worship ...

2nd Worship...

Chapel Services ..

Sunday Worship..

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Sunday School

Morning Worship

ThursdayPrayer Meeting



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375-3873

Sunday School Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

468-2411

Wednesday: CYC/Teen/Adult Meetings 7:00 p.m.

Aaron Westfall, Pastor

9:55a.m. 10:15a.m. . 7:00 p.m.

LIBERTY CENTER

Morning Worship

Lois Slusher, Supt. Coffee Fellowship..... Worship ... Sunday School 10:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. Bible Study - Wed. ...

Trad. Worship 9:00 a.m. Mdrn Worship 10:30 a.m Sunday Youth...

MOUNT ETNA WESLEYAN

www.mountetnachurch.com Sunday School ... Worship .. Bible Study (Wed)..... Children's Ministry (Wed) 6:30 p.m. Youth (Wed).

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Worship...

HILLCREST

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Kathy Newton, Pastor 9:00 a m

LANCASTER WESLEYAN

Doug Sharrard, Pastor David Thrift, S.S. Supt. Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship . 10:30 a.m.

LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH 694-6622

Sunday School Fellowship Worship .. Wed. Bible Study ...

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor Chad YOder ...9:30 a.m.

MCNATTUNITED METHODIST 375-4359 Bill VanHaften, Pastor

8:30 a m ...9:15a.m.

MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST 260/468-2148 Sr 9 & 124

Rev. Sam Padgett - Pastor ... 6-7:30 p.m.

Pastor Brian Holland

..9:30a.m. ..10:30 a.m. 6:30 p.m. .. 6:30 p.m. **PLUMTREE**

Jill Miller, Pastor

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

SALAMONIE **CHURCH OF BRETHREN** Mel Zumbrun, Pastor

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

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. Junior Church 10:00 a.m. Sunday School ... Youth Meetings-Wed6:30 p.m.

Communion 1st Sunday of the Month VB CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

765/934-3321 Parsonage Jeff Wass, Pastor

Adult Worship 10:30 a.m. Children's Church 10:30a.m. Evening Praise Hour......6:00p.m. Hour of Power (Wed)

VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

765-934-1431

Pastor Leon Pomeroy Worship Service 9:30 am The Highway (2nd Service)...... 11:00 am Sunday School Not Home Alone - Wed Prayer-Bible Study (Thur)..... 7:00 pm . 7:00 pm UMW 2nd Wed Little Ones Book Club 1st Tue 10:00 am Just Older Youth 3rd Tue 12:00 pm The Loft (Youth 7th-12th) Sun 5:00pm

www.vanburenumc.or WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST 375-3022

Ethan T Stivers, Minister Ben Renkenberger, Youth Minister Tara Bower and Melinda Haynes -Secretaries

www.warrenchurchofchrist.org Fellowship9:15 a.m. Worship & Communion9:30 a.m. Youth: (Start back up in the fall) K-5th grade, Mon..... 6-7pm Jr/Sr Hi, Sunday 6-7:30pm WARREN1ST BAPTIST CHURCH

Senior Pastor Rev. Bill Fisher Asst Pastor for Youth Greg Casserino ...9:00 a.m. Sunday School Sunday Worshin .10:00 a.m. WARREN WESI EYAN CHURCH

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375-2330 6th & Nancy Sts. Warren Rev. Allen Laws, Pastor Wesley Welch, Supt.

..9:30 a.m. Sunday School Worship.. 10:15 a.m. Wed Rible Study . 6:00 p.m

FARRVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH Pastor Richard Ladouceur

11044 E 200 N, Marion, IN 765-934-3609 Sunday Worship...... 10:30 am Sunday School Classes ..9:30 am Youth Group. ...6:00 pm Sunday Adult Bible Study...... 6:00 pm

Thurs. Bible Study

Please Attend the (hurch of Your (hoice

4-H PARADE

The Huntington County 4-H Fair is almost upon us! The fair kicks off this week with our 4-H Parade. The parade will start on Etna Ave at the intersection of Etna and Henry Street. Henry Street is behind the old Marsh building and is where the parade entries line up this year. The parade route runs from Etna Avenue south down Jefferson Street to Briant Street. There it will turn left and travel on Briant to Hier's Park. The parade will be ending at the fairgrounds this vear. NOT the high school. This year there will also be a panel of judges to select the best float. The winning float will have their picture and name on a plaque during the week of the fair displayed in Heritage Hall.

Joining the 4-H Clubs this year are antique tractors from the antique tractors club! They will be pulling floats for various 4-H Clubs in Huntington County.

The 2013 4-H Royalty Winners and 2014 4-H Royalty Contestants will also be a part of the 4-H Parade. The 2014 Royalty Contest will continue with the evening program at Huntington North High School at 8:00 p.m., after the 4-H Parade. The public is welcome to attend.

The 84th Annual Huntington County 4-H Fair will be held July 11-25, with the livestock entry and shows at Hier's Park from July 18-23.

CANOE RACE WINNERS

There were forty one entries in the 2014 SSF canoe races on Friday, July 4 in Warren.

There were four divisions, five races and 22 teams for the annual Salamonie River event.

The winners for the Men's Division were: First place-Larry Wolf & DeWayne Wolf; Second place-Adam Schweikhardt & Tony Benefiel; Third place- Travis Bolinger & Tommy Bolinger.

The winners for the Women's Division were: First place-Kayona Benefiel; Second place-Laura Shideler & Tara McDaniel.

The winners for the Mixed Division were: First place- Trov Surfus & Mary Jane Surfus (race 1); First place- Adam Schweikhardt & Tara McDaniel (race 2); Second place- Brady Johns & Levi Johns (race 1); Second place- Jared Jacobs & Kourtney Smith (race 2); Third place- Grace Asher & Jim Asher (race 1); Third place- Josh Wenning & Grace Hermse (race

The winners for the Kayak Division were: First place- Connor Miller; Second place- Logan Surfus; Third place- David Miller. Awards were presented for the top three places in each division. The event was sponsored by Citizens Telephone Corp.

COLOR ME GREEN

Wells County 4-H will be hosting a Color Me Green Fun Run/Walk on Saturday, July 12, 11:30 AM at the 4-H Park in Bluffton. Meet at the community parking lot. Plans are to do two laps around the 4-H fairgrounds which is approximately one mile.

Color Me Green is a Purdue Extension/Indiana 4-H Youth Development sponsored color run being held across Indiana between March-July. As in other color runs that have become popular across the country, runners will be showered with colored powder at various stations along the run. Color Me Green will be using specifically green dyes for the event. The race is untimed and has no winners or prizes-it's all done in the spirit of

The run is open to the public and the first 50 registrants will receive a free t-shirt and sunglasses.

Runners are encouraged to

bring a towel or blanket to sit upon in their vehicle for their ride home.

AREA

NEWS

Participants should complete a registration form available at the Purdue Extension Office located at the 4-H Park or go to: wells4h.com or

www.extension.purdue.edu/ wells. Forms should be returned to the Extension Office.

The event is free and participants are invited to bring a can of soup, fruit or vegetables for our local backpack program.

Runners/walkers of all ages are encouraged to participate. Volunteers are also needed to help throw the powdered dye.

For more information about the Color Me Green Run/Walk. contact the Purdue Extension Office, 824-6412.

ENTRIES DUE

Wells County 4-H will host their annual talent contest, Tuesday, July 22 7:30 PM at the 4-H Park in Bluffton.

4-H members with a specific talent are invited and encouraged to participate. There will be three age classes that include: A. Grades 1 and 2; B. Grades 3-6 and C. Grades 7-12. (Grades as of Jan. 1, 2014)

Acts should be no longer than three minutes in length. Acts may be vocal, instrumental, dance, tumbling, or novelty. Age classification will be determined by the oldest person in the act.

An individual cannot be in more than two acts unless he/she is an accompanist.

The Mack Shultz Memorial Award will be presented to a participant of the event. Mack was

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THE PIRATES ARE COMING!

Pirates of Penzance Opens July 18

ing a message at 260-375-7017.

Lock your doors! Save your daughters! Hide! The swashbuckling Pirates of Penzance are storming into town on July 18!

The Pulse Opera House will be the scene of high seas hijinks set to the soaring music by Gilbert and Sullivan. The music is soaring and joyful. The characters are larger than life. The show is simply fun.

The Pirates of Penzance was first produced at the Pulse Opera House in 1996. Several of the original cast members are in the cast, but what is even more fun is there are several offspring in the cast. Darren and Julie Turney were just dating in 1996, but their children Noelle and Hixon are joining them in the cast this time. Noelle is playing the role her mother played eighteen years ago. Lina Willard wasn't born yet when her dad was in the show. Today, she is playing Mabel. Her brother Stephen is playing the role their dad played in 1996. Cast members from the original production include Darren Turney, Cheryl DeWeese, Janna Fisher and Julie Turney. The Pirates of Penzance is truly a Pulse family show.

This high spirited show is very family-friendly and highly recommended for children of all ages and adults who are children at heart. Performances are scheduled for July 18, 19, 24, 25, 26, 31 and August 1, 2, 7, 8, 9. Tickets are \$14 for general admission and \$5 for children 12 and under. The lobby opens at 7:00 pm. Theatre doors open at 8:00 pm and the show starts at 8:00 pm. Reservations may be made online at www.pulseoperahouse.org or by leav-

Pictured above L-R Travis Fisher as the Pirate King and Parker Ellenburg.

E-mail your news items to the Warren Weekly at wwkly@citznet.com

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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 onetime \$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.

Jul 14 5:30pm Warren Town Council 7:00pm Van Buren Town Council Jul 16 Jul 21 6:30pm KBC Board Meeting at KBC

Aug 6 Noon Warren Chamber of Commerce Luncheon

Aug 6 7:00pm Van Buren Town Council

Aug 11 5:30pm WarrenTown Council, Assembly Hall

Aug 18 6:30pm KBC Board Meeting, KBC

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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a 10-year 4-H member from Jackson Township who attended Purdue and was in the Glee Club. His Air Force jet disappeared in the late 1960's in the Bermuda Triangle.

Applicants are available at the Purdue Extension Office or at www.extension.purdue.edu/wells

Entry forms are due Monday, July 14.

For more information, call 824-6412.

ON YOUR WAY UP

The Youth Services Bureau of Huntington County is seeking donations for its On Your Way Up program.

The On Your Way Up, a program of the Youth Services Bureau of Huntington County continues to meet the needs of families in Huntington County, said YSB Executive Director Jan Williams. The program began in 1997 at the request of young parents who needed assistance in obtaining items for their children.

The program has three primary components. The On Your Way Up store is the typically entry point into the program. Parents can earn "voucher" dollars by participating in healthy activities for themselves and/or their children. There are 18 community partners who present the vouchers to their clients. Community partners include but not limited

to: WIC, Parkview Huntington, Huntington Health Department, Healthy Families, Early Head Start, local physicians and Bowen Center. Activities include; obtaining pre-natal care, well baby check-ups, remaining in school, and participating in community resources.

Items that are available in the store include; gently used clothing newborn to size 5, diapers. toys, educational books and puzzles, safety items such as gates, locks, etc. and various other items most often needed by families with small children. The program depends heavily on community donations for the majority of items offered in the store. Due to federal guidelines car seats, high chairs, cribs and strollers cannot be "used" if provided by the YSB. Donations of gently used clothing, toys, books, monetary donations are always needed. Gifts are tax deductible.

The store is located within the Youth Services Bureau's office located at 1344 Maple Drive. The hours are every Wednesdays 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. Families unable to visit during open hours may call the office at 260-356-9681 to schedule an appointment. Educational and informational materials are available at the store. Information includes immunization timelines, lead poisoning, safe sleep, Parkview Live and much more.

The second component of the program is the one-on-one, on-

going support. "There are times when a parent just needs someone to walk them through a rough time," stated Ira Bencun, program coordinator. Additional referrals to other community resources can also be made to help provide the supports the family may need.

The final component is the child safety seat, "Fitting Station". This provides parents with information on the appropriate type of car restraint their child needs, proper instillation and possibly the availability of an age appropriate child restraint.

To learn more about the On Your Way Up program or to donate to the program contact the office at 260-356-9681 or visit the store at 1344 Maple Drive, Huntington, In 46750.

BLOOD DRIVE

The American Red Cross urges eligible blood donors to roll up a sleeve and give to help prevent a summer blood shortage. Blood donors with types O negative, B negative and A negative are especially needed.

The Red Cross is seeing fewer appointments at its blood donation centers and blood drives this summer than what is needed to ensure blood and platelets continue to be available for patients. During the summer months of June, July and August, on average, about two fewer donors make an appointment to give blood at each Red Cross blood drive than what patients need. This can add up to more than 100,000 fewer donations during the summer.

Blood and platelet donations are needed every day for patients with many serious medi-

cal conditions. Accident and burn victims, heart surgery patients, organ transplant patients, and those receiving treatment for leukemia, cancer or sickle cell disease may all need blood.

To learn more and make an appointment to donate blood, visit redcrossblood.org or call 1-800-RED CROSS.

Upcoming blood donation opportunities:

Thursday, July 31 from 2:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. at Knight-Bergman Center, 132 S. Nancy Street in Warren.

CANNER TESTING

Pressure Canner Testing Scheduled

The Purdue Cooperative Extension Service of Wells County will offer dial gauge pressure canner testing July 7-11. Dial gauge canners should be checked annually for accuracy. Weighted gauge canners do not need to be tested.

Two different inspections are available:

- · Gauge/Lid Inspection only for \$3. The dial gauge will be tested for accuracy and the petcock and gasket will be checked for cracks and condition.
- · Full canner inspection for \$5. Includes the dial gauge, the safety plug, petcock and gasket and the overall condition of the canner.

You may bring your lid or entire canner during the week of July 7-11 to be tested. Plan to bring it in and leave it for testing and make arrangements to pick it up later in the week. If this week doesn't work for you, please bring your canner in to the Extension Office between 8-4:30 M-F another day of your choice. Please leave for testing and make arrangements to pick up later in the week. If you have questions about this service, please contact the Wells County Extension Office at 824-6412.

WEIRD ANIMALS

Dillman Church Invites Children to Weird Animals: Where Jesus' Love Is One-of-a-Kind

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Weird Animals VBS is for kids from 3 years old to 5th graders and will run from 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. each day.

For more information, call 260-375-2779 or visit our website at www.dillmanchurch.org.

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GENEALOGY REPORT

Brown

Martin W Brown, born July 3, 1937 to Winnie and WWI Vet Gordon (Jack) Brown in Miami County. Parents were residents of Heritage Pointe until Winnie was 99 and Gordon 101.

Survivors are brother Howard retired Air Force, Jack and Joseph - Marine Corps, Homer and Martin - Army, Three sisters and one baby brother, Jimmy preceded in his passing.

Martin married Kathern Brown July 3, 1960. Surviving are daughter, Sylvia Chamberlin Brown and son M. Erick Brown in Wells County, one grandson and two great great grandchildren in Iowa, and two step-daughters.

Her married Betty McFarren from Hartford City on August 19, 1979. She preceded him in death in 2013.

McKINZIE

Betty J. McKinzie, 76, of Huntington, IN, died Thursday, July 3, 2014, at 12:45 a.m. at Miller's Merry Manor, in Huntington.

Mrs. McKinzie worked in the cafeteria for the Huntington County Community School Corporation for 18 years and had also worked as a dispatcher at United REMC. She graduated from Huntington Township High School in 1955.

She was born Nov. 1, 1937, in Mt. Etna to William M. and Goldie E. Parrett Ferguson. She married Eldon R. McKinzie on June 30, 1959, at the Markle Church of Christ. He preceded her in death on April 19, 1988.

Survivors include two sons. William D. (Julie) McKinzie and Richard W. McKinzie, both of Huntington; a stepson, Terry L. McKinzie; two granddaughters, Tara L. McDaniel and Bridget McKinzie: a stepgrandson, Ray Johnson; and four great-grandchildren.

Calling is Sunday, July 6, 2014, from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 W. Park Drive, Huntington, A service will be held at the mortuary on Monday, July 7, 2014, at 10 a.m., with calling

one hour prior to the service. Rev. Raymond Scribner will officiate. Burial will be at Mt. Etna Cemetery, Huntington County.

PEARSON

Donald R. "Don" Pearson, 82, of Warren, IN, died Saturday, July 5, 2014, at 2:24 p.m. at Lutheran



Hospital, Fort Wayne.

Mr. Pearson graduated from Chester Center High School, in Wells County, in 1951. He had been employed by the United Methodist Memorial Home (now Heritage Pointe), in Warren, for 23 years, retiring in 1996. He attended Solid Rock United Methodist Church, in Warren.

He was born May 16, 1932, in Wells County to John Rolland and Sarah Ann Dorah Pearson. He married Marjorie Ford on Oct. 28, 1951, in Keystone, and she survives.

Additional survivors include four daughters, Janie (Steve) Pratt, of Weddington, NC; Jennie (Dennis) Kelly, of Monroe, NC; Jill (Alan) Winterrowd, of Bluffton; and Janice (Steve) Smyth, of St. Louis, MO; a son, Johnny R. (Mona) Pearson. Bloomington: two brothers. William Pearson, of Marion, and Alfred Pearson, of Bluffton; a sister, Carolyn (Vincent) Morris, of Texas; seven grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Calling is Tuesday, July 8, 2014, from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Glancy-H. Brown & Son Funeral Home, 203 N. Matilda St., Warren. A service will be held on Wednesday, July 9, 2014, at 10 am., with calling one hour prior to the service, at Solid Rock United Methodist Church, 485 Bennett Drive, Warren. Rev. Kathy Newton will officiate. Burial will be at Gardens of Memory Cemetery, Huntington County.

Memorial gifts may be made to Solid Rock United Methodist Church.

BLACKBURN

Jaxon Blackburn, 25 days, of Columbia City, and having family members in Warren, died Sunday, July 6, 2014, at 9:21 a.m.

He was born June 11, 2014, in Columbia City to Damon Blackburn and Gabrielle Branning. His parents survive.

Additional survivors include his paternal grandparents, Andrew Blackburn, of Wabash, and Patty and Brad Dunnuck, of Columbia City; maternal grandparents, Jennifer and Tim Branning and Jamie Branning, all of Columbia City; paternal great-grandparents, Mark and Becky Campbell, of Warren; and maternal greatgrandparents, Judy and John Garwood, of South Whitley, and Cindy and Chad McClure, of Columbia City.

Calling is Thursday, July 10, 2014, from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., with a service following, at DeMoney-Grimes Funeral Home, 600 Countryside Drive, Columbia City. Burial will be at Eberhard Cemetery.

Memorial gifts may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

STANTON

Paul V. Stanton, 79, of Bluffton, passed away Saturday, July 5, 2014, at River Terrace Estates in Bluffton.

Paul was born Dec. 3, 1934, in Dunkirk to Cedric and Viola Wright Stanton.

He married Sharon C. Bosworth Dec. 27, 1953, in Bluff Point; she preceded him in death March 3, 2014.

Paul is a 1953 graduate of Jefferson High School in Deerfield.

Paul worked at Anchor Hocking in Winchester for 15 years. Norris Feed Mill in Poneto and The Andersons for 27 years, and was a truck driver at Same Day in Bluffton for five years.

He attended the First Church of the Nazarene in Bluffton, where he was a board member, and was a member of the Poneto Lions Club.

Paul was a Sunday school teacher for years. He loved cutting wood, playing ping pong and playing his harmonica. He was an Indiana University basketball fan and loved his God, wife and family.

Survivors include two sons, Ed (Linda) Stanton of Liberty Center and David (Sheila) Stanton of Geneva; five daughters, Debbie Gregg of Geneva, Carol Stanton of Bluffton, Paula (Fred) Hunnicutt of Bluffton, Susan (Jim) Lloyd of Fort Wayne, and Karen (Robert) Kelly of Bluffton; 16 grandchildren; 17 greatgrandchildren; and seven greatgreat-grandchildren.

The last of his family, he was preceded in death by three brothers, Edwin, Dana and Richard Stanton; and two sisters, Betty Mesorano and Claribel Elzey. He was also preceded in death by one grandchild.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, July 11, at the First Church of the Nazarene with Rev. Tim Miller officiating. Calling hours are from 2 to 8 p.m. Thursday, July 10, and preceding the service at 9 a.m., both at the church. Burial will be at Elm Grove Cemetery.

Memorials may be made to the First Church of the Nazarene in Bluffton.

McMILLAN

Janice Ethelyn McMillan 81, Marion, IN passed away Wednesday July 2, 2014 at 10:02 PM at her residence in Marion

Janice was born on Monday October 3, 1932, in Wells County. She was the daughter of the late Earl Roscoe and Marie Nettie (Welch) Barker.

Janice was a former resident of Jackson Township, Wells County. She was a 1950 graduate of Jackson Center High School in Wells County, IN. Janice was a retiree of the GM's Body by Fisher (CPC) plant in Marion, IN. She was a member of the Van Buren Eastern Star, the Jackson Twp. Homemakers Club, the UAW Fisher Body Sympathy Club, and a member at Asbury Chapel Church.

Janice was the mother to the 7 "JR McMillan's" which includes 4 sons. The late James Roscoe (Jim) McMillan of Liberty Center. IN; John Robert (Bob) McMillan of Marion, IN; Joseph Ray (Joe) McMillan of Upland, IN; Jeremy Ryan McMillan of Brownsburg, IN; and 3 daughters; Jennifer Rose Hirschy of Plymouth, IN; Jane Rene Stout of Bloomington, IN; Julie Ruth Webb of Huntsville, AI.

She is survived by 18 grandchildren and 25 great grandchildren and a sister Roseland Cain Hartford City, IN and a brother Frank Barker Monticello, IN and a late sister Eloise Swagger Van Buren, IN, several nieces/nephews and grandnieces/nephews. Janice loved spending time with her family and friends. She enjoyed watching her grandchildren/ great grandchildren play sports. Janice was a mother/grandmother to all of her children's/ grandchildren's families and friends

Memorial Services will be held at the Asbury Chapel, Wells County on Saturday July 12, 2014 at 2:00 PM. Interment will follow in the Asbury Cemetery. There will be no visitation. In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to the funeral home to assist the family with funeral ser-

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SENIOR SCRAMBLE

Results from Thursday, July 3rd at Dogwood Glen. First Place(31): Lynn Bonewitz, Dick Hinton, Pat Shuttleworth, Jerry Williams. Second Place(32): Charles Harris, Phil Kaylor, Gary Sutton, Don Zent. Closest to the Pin #3 Jim Hunnicutt, #6 Gary Sutton, Long Drive #8 Joe Nash & John Jones. Thank you to Huggy Bear Ice Cream Stop for sponsoring this week's golf balls.

HP Pool

There were 15 residents in the July 4th pool tournament at Heritage Pointe. The winners were Bud Lee and Dick Hinton, with second place to Mel Dooley and Ralph Taylor. The in-house play is held every Friday at 1:30 in the Fults recreation room.

BINGO WINNERS

The 2014 Basket/Bag winners during the Salamonie Summer Festival were: Stacia Grover, Sharon Roush, Brooke Berry, Kay Hatton, Todd Berry, Brenda Conner, Ida Berry, Heather Dunno, Mendy Parks, Linda Hull, Roxie Zuercher, Mary Ann Bright, Cindy Boxell, Teresa Kriegbaum, Joyce Buck, Gail Robinson, Lesa Salomon, Deb Howell, Beth Thompson, Allie Hubert, Rachel Decker, and Claudine Slusher.

Thanks to all who came to play. We hope to see you again next year.

JR OLYMPIC REGIONAL

Huntington University athletic director Lori Culler has announced that HU is partnering with USA Track & Field to host the 2014 USATF Junior Olympic Regional Meet slated for July 10-13 at King Track & Field Stadium.

"We are very excited to host the USA Track and Field Junior Olympic Regional Meet," said Culler. "It will bring hundreds of junior high and high school track athletes and their families to our campus and give us an opportunity to treat them to some HU hospitality as well as showcase our new track and field facility.

"We're looking forward to the event and hope to develop a long-term relationship with the USA Track and Field Association."

This regional competition will feature over 800 athletes from all over Indiana and Illinois. In order to qualify for Regionals, athletes must be a USATF member and place in the top eight of their respective event at the Junior Olympic Indiana Association Championships held earlier in the summer.

According to Latashia Key, USATF Indiana President, the USATF Indiana Youth Committee and USATF Indiana Board of Directors will work closely with HU Track & Field Head Coach Tom King and his staff to coordinate the four-day event.

"USATF Indiana is very excited to be partnering with Huntington University and this is a wonderful opportunity for them to showcase their facility," said Key. "One of our goals as an association is to expose new and returning athletes, their families and friends to USA track and field events throughout the entire state of Indiana."

The Huntington University Foresters compete in 16 intercollegiate sports for men and women. In the past decade, Huntington has produced 39 NAIA All-America honors and 213 All-America Scholar Athlete honors. Huntington University is a comprehensive Christian college of the liberal arts offering graduate and undergraduate programs in more than 70 academic concentrations. U.S. News & World Report ranks Huntington among the best colleges in the Midwest.

GRIEF SEMINAR

Erin's House for Grieving Children has long been an expert in providing peer support for grieving children, teens and their families in northeast Indiana. In order to create an aware and educated community to surround grieving children we are hosting

Andy McNiel, CEO, National Alliance for Grieving Children for two educational seminars in our area on July 17, 2014.

Through McNiel's presentation, Journeys through Grief: Bringing Awareness to the Issues Impacting Bereaved Youth, we hope to further our mission so that our community knows about the resources available to them through Erin's House.

There will be two opportunities to take advantage of this community educational seminar:

- \cdot Erin's House for Grieving Children from 11:30 a.m. 1 p.m.
- \$15 Includes Seminar, Participation Certificate and Boxed Lunch
- \$30 Includes Seminar, CEU Certificate made possible by Mental Health America in Allen County and Boxed Lunch
- · Dekalb Health in Auburn, IN from 4 p.m. 5:30 p.m.
- No cost for Seminar and Participation Certificate
- \$20 Includes Seminar, CEU Certificate made possible by Mental Health America in Allen County

Through collaboration with Mental Health America in Allen County, we are pleased to offer continuing education units for licensed professionals for both of these sessions at an additional cost.

"It is paramount that we work to educate our regional community about the issues impacting grieving children." States Debbie Meyer, Executive Director of Erin's House for Grieving Children and Secretary and Board of Director member for the National Alliance for Grieving Children. "Erin's House continues to grow not only because the need continues to grow but because the communities we support know that no child should grieve

We would like to extend a special thank you to our partners that helped make this educational opportunity available to our community, the National Alliance for Grieving Children, DeKalb Health and Mental Health America in Allen County. Anyone interested in attending this seminar can contact Erin's House for Grieving Children at 260.423.2466 to register or visit the website at: www.erinshouse.org.

About Erin's House for Grieving Children

Erin's House was founded in 1993 in honor of all grieving chil-

dren and their families. The idea for Erin's House was created when a 5-year old Fort Wayne girl named Erin Farragh died unexpectedly in 1989; the subsequent grief her surviving brother and sister experienced inspired the adults in their lives to take this idea and grow it into what it is today. To date, the organization has served more than 15,000 individuals throughout northeast Indiana, and it continues to provide support services for children, teens and their families who have suffered the death of a loved one. As an industry center for excellence, Erin's House is continually reviewing its programs and services to ensure they are effective for children, teens and their families. All Erin's House programs and services are provided at no cost.

SEEKING CANDIDATES

The Department of Natural Resources is seeking qualified applicants to become Indiana Conservation Officers.

Indiana Conservation Officers work in the DNR's Law Enforcement division. Founded in 1911, it is Indiana's oldest state law enforcement agency. Conservation Officers enforce all state laws but concentrate their efforts on laws affecting natural resources, state properties, and recreational activities such as boating, snowmobiles, and all-terrain vehicles.

The recruiting phase ends Nov. 30, and only those registered by that date will be considered for the recruit school that begins June 2015. To be considered, applicants must successfully complete an on-line prerequisite test at dnrlaw.IN.gov/2760.htm.

Indiana Conservation Officers are conducting recruiting events in various locations to explain the steps of the hiring process and how to prepare to be a successful candidate. Anyone interested in attending must register through the "Stay in Touch" form at the website listed.

Previously, applicants have been required to have an associate's degree or 60 credit hours toward a bachelor's degree. The application process is now open to individuals who do not meet the college requirement but have four years of continuous military service and have earned an honorable discharge.

BLACKFORD FAIR

The Blackford County 4-H Fair will be held July 11 - 19 in Hartford City at the fairgrounds.

Some of the events planned are: Friday, July 11 7 p.m. Talent Contest & Show

Saturday, July 12 7 p.m. Truck Pull

Sunday, July 13 5:30 - 7 pm Vespers & Concert by Men of Mercy, 7:30 Queen Contest

Monday, July 14 6pm Parade; Free Petting Zoo; Rockwall; 8 p.m. Clover Mud Crawl

Tuesday, July 15 6:30 pm Kidde Pedal Tractor Pull; 8 pm ABSO Ball State University Improv Comedy Troupe.

Wednesday, July 16 7:30pm Mix Factory Concert; 8:30 pm Pie Eating Contest

Thursday, July 17 7pm Hog Wrestling

Friday, July 18 7pm My Brother's Keeper in concert; Dusk-Family Movie Night

Saturday, July 19 9am 5K Run/ Walk; 1 & 3 pm Mario Manzini Magic Show; 5pm Mini Horse Pull; 7pm Draft Horse Pull.

New Hires

iAB Financial Bank is pleased to announce the hiring of James Rankin IV as Director of Information Technology and Jenna Russell as a new Mortgage Originator.

James A. Rankin IV has been hired as the Director of Information Technology of iAB Financial Bank. He comes to iAB with over 20 years experience in management and IT. Rankin was most recently employed as Director of IT at Credit Adjustments, Inc., based in Defiance, Ohio. He has also owned and operated an IT and security consulting business for 10 years. Besides serving in the United States Navy, he has received numerous technology certifications, and continues to pursue this knowledge as the industry evolves. Along with his work in IT, he has been active in his community by working with Lutheran Social Services Food Pantry, Habitat for Humanity and his church. Additionally, Rankin enjoys spending time outdoors with his family and is a proud military father.

Jenna Russell has been hired as a new Mortgage Originator in iAB's Warren office. She has over 10 years of experience in mortgage origination. When not assisting iAB customers with their

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mortgage needs, Jenna enjoys spending time with her family, biking and camping.

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ART SHOW & SALE

Visit Ouabache State Park to enjoy nature-themed art from local artists at the inaugural art show and sale, July 19 and 20.

The event is a fundraiser hosted by the Friends of Ouabache State Park group. It runs from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, July 19, and noon to 4 p. m., Sunday, July

park by Bluffton artist Don Skinner. He also will have several paintings of Ouabache State Park. All paintings will be for sale.

Members of the Creative Arts

Council's Artists in Action painting club from Bluffton also will display and sell paintings.

Proceeds will go to the Friends group to help support park projects.

The event is free. Standard park admission fees of \$5 per in-state vehicle and \$7 per out-of-state vehicle apply

Ouabache State Park (stateparks.IN.gov/2975.htm) is at 4930 E. St. Rd. 201, Bluffton, 46714.



4-H ARCHERY CLUB

The Wells County 4-H Archery Club recently completed their program and presented awards at a family carry-in supper.

The main goals of the program are to learn safety skills, understand archery fundamentals, develop good sportsmanship and courtesy, and continue to build concentration, decision making and goal setting skills.

Club leaders for Archery include: Cassy and Matt Fox.

The public is invited to view a club display at the 4-H Fair, July 19-24.

Volunteers interested in helping with the club in 2015 may attend a state training scheduled for September 5-7, 2014. Contact the Purdue Extension Office, 824-6412 if you would like to help.

4-H Archery participants pictured left to right: (top) Front Row: Katie Shepherd, Annalise Shepherd, Jaylynn Wells, Hailey Ramsey, Makayla Wells, Serenity Southard, and Nicole Hiday; Second Row: Austin Rogers, Hunter Ginger, Trent Binegar, Austin Gentis, Cameron Bertsch, Drew Frauhiger, and Brody Bolyn.

Back Row: Olivia Lockwood, Beatrice Higginbottom, Sam Higginbottom, Terry Lockwood, Tobias Higginbottom, and Melody Fox.

4-H Archery participants pictured left to right: (bottom) Front Row: Janae Schwartz, Josie Pfister, Makenna Ebright, Kataya Ebright, Lindsey Todd, Kayla Caston, and RieAnn Krinn; Second Row: Corrie Glisson, Lucas Faller, Andrew Faller, Jeremy Faller, Emma Grace Mounsey, Catherine Crawfis, and Bryce Bowman; Back Row: Andrew Glisson, Maeghon Faller, Aubre Trollinger, Cole Sheets, Clay Pfister, Jase Warner, Landen Warner, and James Mounsey.





WALK FOR A CURE

Take us one step closer to finding a cure for breast cancer. Join the American Cancer Society's Making Strides Against Breast Cancer community walk on Saturday, October 11, at Parkview Field, 1301 Ewing St, Fort Wayne. Registration begins at 7:30 a.m.; the 5K walk starts at 9 a.m. Proceeds from the non-competitive, family-friendly event benefit breast cancer research and local breast cancer education and free patient/caregivers support programs. Call 1-800-227-2345 or www.makingstrideswalk.org/ fortwaynein to learn how you can help finish the fight.

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pepper, mix in 1/3 cup white vinegar put in blender, blending for about 1 minute then slowly add 1 cup oil while blending, pour over the veggie mix I have also added 1 ear of corn cut off cob either that has been processed in hot water or add it raw.

More Pg 1 Pioneer

Rose Broyles.

Overall, Rose has served, at Love, Inc. for the past eight years, and for the past five years, has served as the director and coordinator of the Bread of Life Food Pantry here in Warren. She is still involved in both organizations where she now averages over twenty-five hours of service weekly. At the Food Pantry, Rose takes on multiple responsibilities which include paperwork for the government and families, purchasing needed items, stocking shelves, organizing, preparing different food bags, and

delegating work to other regular workers. Additionally, Rose helps needy families access other important resources, which includes financial, educational, and health related areas and organizations.

Rose works closely with area churches, and other individuals for donations and support of the pantry. Additionally, Rose seeks support from government commodities that flow through the Community Harvest Food Bank of Northeast Indiana, Inc. Bread of Life Food Pantry also sponsors the Warren Community Garden, where she also takes a hand in leading. She helped bring the vision of the Community Garden to life, now serving as an educational garden for children and adults in the community. Here people have the opportunity to learn how to plant, grow, harvest, and to take pride in the food they eat.

On top of all of this, Rose is heavily involved at the Solid Rock United Methodist Church, where she serves as a Fruitful Congregations member and the leader of the Risk-Taking Missions small group. She constantly provides people with chances to get involved and help others, and serves as a great example of how God calls us to serve others. She knows the true meaning of service as a great example of how God calls us to serve others. She knows the true meaning of service and has been a true role model; exemplify ways in which we might impact those around us in the town of Warren.

I feel that she so often sacrifices hours upon hours of her time, and her devotion and compassion go unnoticed to the public eye. In all her humility, she does not bring attention to herself – her motives are more pure. I am not sure she realizes just what a tremendous impact she has had on others, and I am not sure the community does either. I think this award would be a perfect opportunity to help her see what a blessing she has been in the lives of so many, that she really is a small-town hero, and that she is indeed appreciated by the Warren area.

More Pg 1 Comm Service

meeting was to organize a nonacademic sorority which would bring to its members the advantages of friendship and mutual accomplishments offered by a college sorority, with the further benefit of unlimited, active participation.

It is to our Five Life Founders

that we owe our gratitude for the founding of Sigma Phi Gamma. Because of their devotion and loyalty throughout the formative period of Sigma Phi Gamma and their continued interest, Sigma Phi Gamma bestowed upon the five Founders the highest honor of the sorority, that of Honorary Life Membership. The Five Founders are: Edith Bocock, Phyllis Langstaf Royce, Ferne Palmer Shick, Violet Pettit Tindall, and Irene Waters Worley.

Beta Delta Chapter of Sigma Phi Gamma International Sorority, Inc. exists by virtue of a Charter granted on January 5, 1946. The Charter Members of Beta Delta Chapter are as follows: Garnet Brauchla, Mary Jane Adsit, Ellen Briggs, Jane Clouse, Velma Fryback, Mary Helen Huffman, Minnie Moore, Darlene Ryan, Doris Schemerhorn and Bertha Stanton, Beta Delta Chapter currently has 17 active members, 3 of those members being 50 year members and 10 being 25 year members. Our service activities throughout the year include Sunday Luncheons & Bingo during the Salamonie Summer Festival. We offer a scholarship to local deserving high school seniors to help pursue their college education as well as sponsor the local Cub Scout & Boy Scout Pack in Warren. We also support various other worthy causes within the Warren Community.

The high standards set forth by our Founders have insured the growth of Sigma Phi Gamma through the years. Love and Friendship and our service work that is performed at Chapter. Province and International levels have inspired an enthusiastic expansion program which has added new chapters each year. We are now recognized as one of the strongest non-academic, international sororities in existence. and International Conventions are attended annually by as many as 500 members.

We now have more than 3,577 active members in 131 chapters the United States and Canada. Seven elected International Officers supervise and coordinate the work of the entire organization for the best interests of its members.-

We are Sigma Phi Gamma International Sorority, founded in love and friendship, dedicated to serving our communities. We are today...are you part of our tomorrow?