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Thought for the Week: *Whatever you are, be a good one. Abraham Lincoln*



COOK AND BELLE AT RIVERSIDE PARK

Citizens Telephone Corp. will sponsor Cook and Belle on Friday, June 24th 7:00 PM-9:00 PM at Riverside Park, 126 E. First Street, Warren, IN.

Bret, Michelle and their band have performed throughout the Midwest and East Coast with a song list that includes country, 60's, 70's and originals from their CD's.

D & D Fish and Tenderloin Food Truck will be at Riverside Park and will start serving at 4:00 pm. You may also enjoy dinner at one of our local restaurants, enjoy a treat at our local bakery or shopping & ice cream at Studio 7Nineteen. Restaurants located downtown Warren are; East of Chicago, Wagon Wheel and Son-Rise Bakery. Golfo di Napoli is located north of Warren on St. Road 5. Warren has a great selection for you to enjoy dinner, dessert, shopping and a concert all located in our Historic Downtown Warren!

We look forward to seeing everyone on Friday, June 24th. Remember to bring your chairs or blankets. Riverside park is a NON-Smoking venue and please, NO PETS! Make sure you thank all the sponsors for helping to bring these events to our community. The rain venue for all concerts will be the Knight Bergman Center Gym located at 132 N Nancy Street, Warren, IN.

FESTIVAL REPORT

IT'S ALMOST TIME FOR THE SALAMONIE SUMMER FESTIVAL CELEBRATION...Are you ready? The Parade Entry deadline is June 26, 2022. You can fill out your entry form online at: www.warrenweeklyindiana.com/parade.

We have a great festival planned for everyone, pick up your schedules at any business in Warren and while you are there don't forget to purchase your festival shirts.

June 24th at 7pm on ABC-WPTA-21 news we will be featured on "In The Spotlight" and again on Saturday, June 25th between 6-8am on Channel 21. The committee did a photo shoot and interview with WPTA 21 a few weeks ago in town.

If you happen to see Mark Vickrey and Kevin DeaKyne, be sure and thank them for being the Commentators for the Parade this year and Jay Shaw for announcing the tractors. Also I'd like to thank the ladies that will be Judging our parade this year, Terra Brantley - President/General Manager of WBOI 89.1 News and Diverse Music Station and "In The Spotlight" reporter for 21 Alive, ALONG with Rachel Berry, ABC21 Anchor & Reporter, it is a privilege to have them join us!

Friday festival activities will include: Samuel Jones Breakfast, Salamonie Valley Museum, Antique Tractor & Engine show, Start of ABC's of Salamonie Summer Festival, Flea Market, Parade, Family Fun Freeway, Princess/Super Hero Party, Ron Bradford wood carving, bike helmet give away by Truitt Law and we will close

the evening with the band Heartstone Crossing.

Saturday festival activities will include: Salamonie Valley Museum, Car-Truck-Bike Show, Flea Market, Antique Tractor & Engine Show, Kids Pedal Tractor Pull, Book Sale, Family Fun Freeway, Bingo, Waterball Fights, Watermelon Slicing on Sawmill, Mark's Ark, Snack & Cake Walk, Touch A Truck

Event, Tractor Games and end with the band Attaboy.

Sunday festival activities will include: Community Worship Service w/Snyder Band, Salamonie Valley Museum, Antique Tractor & Engine Show, Kid's Fishing Derby, Antique Tractor Pull, Pickle Ball, End of ABC's of Salamonie Summer Festival, Kids fun @ Tower Park and

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ALLIS-CHALMERS FEATURED IN 2022 WARREN SHOW

The Warren Area Antique Tractor and Engine Club will be hosting the 2022 edition of the annual show on the grounds of Ag Express Electronics and The Daugherty Companies at 534 E 1st St in Warren on July 1-3, 2022.

Allis-Chalmers Tractors and implements will be featured this year for the first time since 2013. All makes and models of equipment and engines are welcome. There is no charge and registration will be on the grounds. Move in day is Thursday, June 30th with the show running Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Move out is on Monday, July 4th. Members from Allis clubs from around Indiana and Ohio are expected to attend. The Rumley Museum of LaPorte, Indiana will also be on hand for the weekend.

Members will drive their tractors in the annual Salamonie Summer Festival Parade on Friday evening followed by live entertainment on the grounds by the Cumberland Gap Band.

Events include field demonstrations daily, a sawmill, and tractor games. Saturday events include the kiddie tractor pull, face painting and kettle cooked ham and beans.

There will be food vendors on the grounds, a farmer's market and a craft tent. The show is free to the public and is handicap accessible with a golf cart shuttle available. For an "Old-Fashioned Good Time", please join us in Warren at the show.

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Treva's
Recipe Box
 by Treva Flemming

Today as I write this, I hope all the fathers are having a great fathers day. Last week I wrote about my dad and some of the antics he pulled along with the stuff we did as a father daughter team. I sure do miss him but I know he is definitely with me where I go.

So today I'll talk a bit about my daughter's dad. From day one he has been there for us through thick and thin. Has laughed with us and cried with us and done everything a girls dad would do for his kid. Kendra is a lucky girl to have a dad like she has and I was lucky to have found him for her. Yes not always do they see eye to eye but when it really comes down to it, he will do whatever it takes to make sure she is taken care of. And don't even get me started on Kylynn and papaw cause she has him wrapped around her little finger.

So today we celebrate him and no better way to celebrate is to show our love for him and usually we do pretty good going through his stomach. So today I am fixing bbq ribs on the grill, roasted potatoes, pea and peanut salad, I have a watermelon chilled and a carmel apple streusel pie for dessert.

My plan is to rub down the ribs in a good bbq seasoning and grill and slather on the sauce. Remember a couple of articles ago about preheating on high for 5 minutes and doing an indirect heat. My roasted potatoes are red potatoes cut in chunks and I will add a little oil to my par boiled potatoes and add some seasonings, which will probably be some paprika, basil, parsley, salt and pepper, maybe rosemary, and finish cooking in the oven. The pea and peanut salad is a basic pea salad which consists of frozen peas, thawed, then add some celery, onion, real bacon bits, and dry roasted peanuts. Add a little mayo and Italian dressing, mix it up and chill. And of course the pie, lots of sliced apples with the normal flour sugar cinnamon mix, drizzle with carmel sauce and top with a streusel topping and of course it would be better with a dip of vanilla bean ice cream, but I'm out of that.

So I'm sure John will be in a food coma when we get done eating. Lol, but I'm sure he will be a happy camper. So to all you dads out there I hope you had a great Fathers day and I hope you got to set back and enjoyed your day with your kids, grandkids, family and friends. Cheers to you!!

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 Bible Study 6:00p.m.</p> <p>BOEHMER UNITED METHODIST
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 Sunday School 10:45a.m.</p> <p>CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
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 Pastor Wayne Couch
 260/515-2517</p> <p>Sunday Prayer 9:15 a.m.
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
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 Worship Service 9:00a.m.
 Sunday School 10:00a.m.</p> <p>HANFIELD UNITED METHODIST
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 Curtis Banker, Senior Pastor
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 9:15 a.m.</p> <p>THE NEW BEGINNING
 SR 218, 2 1/8 mile west of Poneto
 Steve Sutton, Pastor
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 Sunday Worship 10:30a.m.
 Thursday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>HERITAGE POINTE
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 Sunday Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT
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 Pator Rusty Strickler
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 Sunday School9:00 a.m.
 Sunday Worship10:00 a.m.
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 Wed. Midweek Service 6:30 p.m.</p> <p>SOLID ROCK UNITED METHODIST
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 Paul Burris, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:00 a.m.</p> <p>LANCASTER WESLEYAN
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 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
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 Bible Study & Prayer 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH
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 Aaron Westfall, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:15 a.m.
 Fellowship 10:00a.m.
 Worship 10:15a.m.
 Tues. Bible Study 7:00 p.m.
 Wed. Choir 6:30p.m.
 Monthly Meetings</p> <p>1st Mon Ministry Team 7:00 p.m.
 3rd Sat Mens Prayer Breakfast 8:00 am
 4th Mon ABW 1:30 pm</p> <p>LIBERTY CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Pastor Diane Samuels
 Morning Worship9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45 a.m.</p> <p>THE CHURCH AT MCNATT
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 Lois Slusher, Supt.
 Brittney Miller, Youth & Family Dir.
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 Worship 9:15 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 Bible Study - Wed. 7:00 p.m.</p> <p>MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST
 260/468-2148 Sr 9 & 124
 Rev. Michael Gallant - "Pastor Mike"
 Multi-Generational Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Fellowship 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Youth 4-6 p.m.</p> <p>Everyone is Welcome
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 Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.
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 Worship Service
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 Communion 1st Sunday of the Month</p> <p>VB CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 765/934-3321 Parsonage
 Jeff Slater, Pastor
 Jim Knight, Superintendent
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Adult Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Children's Church 10:30a.m.
 Evening Praise Hour 6:00p.m.
 Hour of Power (Wed) 7:00p.m.</p> <p>VB UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 765-934-1431
 Pastor Brad Hensley
 Worship Service 9:30 am
 Sunday School 10:30am
 Not Home Alone - Wed 3:00 pm
 Prayer-Bible Study (Thur) 7:00 pm
 UMW 2nd Wed 7:00 pm
 Little Ones Book Club 1st Tue 10:00 am
 Just Older Youth 3rd Tue 12:00 pm
 www.vanburenumc.org</p> <p>WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST
 375-3022
 Mickey Strong, Senior Minister
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 Tara Bower - Secretary
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 Fellowship9:15 a.m.
 Worship & Communion9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School11 to 11:50 a.m.
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 K-6th grade, Mon 6:15-7pm
 Jr/Sr Hi, Sunday 6-8pm</p> <p>WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH
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 Wed Bible Study 6:00 p.m.</p> <p>FARRVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH
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 765-934-3609
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 Sunday Worship 10:30 am
 Sunday School Classes9:30 am
 Sunday Adult Bible Study 6:00 pm
 Thurs. Bible Study7:00 pm</p> |
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AREA NEWS

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the band Rock of Elders will play before firework, Sunday night will end with the Fantastic Fireworks at Dusk!

Monday festival activities will include a Volleyball Tournament at Tower Park.

The wood carving that will be created by Ron Bradford on Thursday and Friday of the festival will be raffled off at the Tower Park before fireworks. Raffle tickets can be purchased throughout the festival at the Information Booth. There will be a Baby Photo Contest near the information booth. Food Vendors will be downtown Friday and Saturday and out at the tower park on Sunday.

If you enjoy the festival, parade, activities at the festival this year, let a member of the Salamonie Summer Festival Committee know, thank you to the committee members: Cheryl Deweese, Melinda & Terry Daniels, Donna Beavans, Ron Bell, Cindy Fleeger, Bonnie Boxell, Joyce Buzzard, Jennifer McDaniels, these people work hard all year round to plan the festival. We are always looking for new members to join our festival committee. We meet the 2nd Tuesday of every month.

Hope to see you all out and about at the SALAMONIE SUMMER FESTIVAL!

BREAKFAST TICKETS FOR SALE

The 34th annual Samuel Jones Pioneer Award Breakfast will be Friday July 1st 8:00 AM at the Knight-Bergman Center, and will officially open the 55th Annual Salamonie Summer Festival. The Warren Area Chamber of Commerce invites you to participate in this historic event as these annual awards for community service are presented! You will learn a little about the History of Warren, and those who contribute to the Homemade Happiness of this fantastic family friendly community!

This year the event will be a Continental Breakfast.

Tickets are only \$5 (pre-sale), or \$6 at the door!

Pre-Sale Tickets will be available at: Bippus State Bank, East of Chicago Pizza, Town of Warren office, and Warren Pharmacy.

FESTIVAL T-SHIRTS

Multiple sizes of the 2022 Salamonie Summer Festival T-Shirts are available for only \$10 sizes S-XL; or \$12 for 2XL-3XL.

Available at: Bippus State Bank, Citizen's Telephone, DeWeese Soft Water & Appliance, East of Chicago, Wagon Wheel Cafe, Warren Pharmacy and Warren Town Hall.

HALF-PRICE SALE

The Warren Pharmacy also has some 2021 Salamonie Summer Festival T-Shirts for ONLY \$5 (Normally \$10). Small Adult sizes and Youth Large & Medium are available until sold out!

Stop by and pick one up today to support your LOCAL Community events!

USS SALAMONIE AT SSF

The men of the USS Salamonie will be in Warren beginning the afternoon of June 30 through Saturday afternoon at the Salamonie Summer Festival. They will be at the USS Salamonie Museum, located in the Knight Bergman Center during the day if anyone wants to visit the museum. Stop in and see the items representing the ship and talk to some of the men who were deployed on that ship that have come to Warren to celebrate our festival with us.

They will be available noon to 5 on Thursday, June 30, 10 to 4 on Friday, July 1 and 10 to 4 on Saturday, July 2.

This is the 19th year that they have been hosting their annual reunion in Warren.

COUNCIL MINUTES

The Town Council of the Town of Warren met Monday, June 13, 2022 in a Regular Meeting at Assembly Hall, Council Meeting Room, 131 N. Wayne St, in accordance with rules of Council and applicable law.

Those present were: Council Members, Steve Buzzard, Carrie Miller, Tavis Surfus, Michelle Schweikhardt; Clerk-Treasurer, Marilyn Morrison; Employees, Lee Poulson, Dennis Spitler; Others.

Special Order of Business: DCD gave inspection report on status of house at 313 Matilda and recommended 60 days additional added to Consideration of Demolition.

Swaikhardt moved that thirty days additional be approved and was seconded by Surfus. Motion approved.

Ben Adams, Commonwealth Engineers, updated Water Project noting that progress had been delayed even beyond amended original estimates and that cleanup of the project areas was deficient. Council Members stressed that the Tower Park area had to be useable in time of for the July 4th Festival with Adams stating contractors would be notified immediately and to

state that the Town Council would consider liquidated damages if immediate progress and cleanup was not done. Morrison informed Council that the OCRA grant had already been extended to August 1st so, in conversation with the Grant Administrator, another extension application will be made.

Adams discussed proposed Wayne Street Reconstruction Project noting that a PASER Study, street condition rating, must be conducted before application can be made for a grant. Estimated cost is \$5,000 and would rate all streets. More information will be supplied.

Sealed bid opening moved to the July 11th meeting of Council for sale of truck.

Minutes of the May 9 meeting approved as submitted.

Marshal Spitler submitted May activity report. Noting that a part time officer, Tom Emely, had retired, an application for the position was submitted. Following review and discussion, Surfus moved, seconded by Miller to hire Daniel Lowes to fill

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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 canceled, please notify WW.) Only event, place, time, and sponsor, for events in Warren, and the surrounding area will be listed.

Jun 24	7:00p	Cooke & Belle Concert @ Riverside Park Warren
Jul 1 - 4		W - Salamonie Summer Festival
Jul 4		INDEPENDENCE DAY
Jul 6	Noon	W - Chamber of Commerce Luncheon @ KBC
Jul 6	7:00p	V - Town Council Meeting @ Townhall
Jul 11	6:00p	W - Town Council Meeting @ Assembly Hall
Jul 12	6:30p	W - SSF Meeting @ KBC
Jul 18	6:30p	W - KBC Board Meeting @ KBC
Jul 20	7:00p	V - Town Council Meeting @ Townhall

Bread of Life Food Pantry - Wed 2 - 4:00pm at KBC;
Bargain Basement - Friday & Saturday 9 - 4 at KBC
These Events Can Also Be Found at www.warrenweeklyindiana.com

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the position. Motion approved unanimously.

Spitler requested permission to bid out a police vehicle for purchase in 2023 due to the expected delay in delivery. Approved by consensus.

Spitler requested permission to serve as counselor at Camp Hero. Approved by consensus.

Poulson, Fire Chief, reported that Marty Sieburns had been added to the Department Roster. Approved by consensus.

Becky Souder of Historic Warren Main Street submitted a monthly report noting that the application to the National Register of Historic Places had been approved placing the Town of Warren on the Register. Official recognition will be made later in the year. Souder also reported that a grant in the amount of \$5000 had been received from the Indiana Destination Development Corporation for the proposed mural.

Souder reported that Historic Warren Main Street had been nominated to participate in Project Spotlight through Beacon Credit Union. Voting will be done in the month of July with a cash donation to winners. More information can be found on Historic Warren Facebook page.

Pay Orders #6,7,10 for the Water project approved by consensus.

Final Action on the Town Comprehensive Plan is scheduled on July 13 as the Warren Plan Commission has approved the document.

Morrison submitted documentation related to the update of the Town's Financial Comprehensive Plan for the next ten years noting that it should be ready to submit to the Financial Consultant by next month for compilation.

Festival Street Closings were approved by consensus as follows: Second Street from Matilda to Nancy, Nancy Street from First to Second Street except for residents, Main Street from alley to alley between First and Third Street. Streets will close Friday, July 1 and will remain closed until cleared of Festival gear.

Morrison reviewed preliminary 2023 Municipal Budget Planning and requested Council approval of a budget schedule along with additional pre-budget must be submitted to the State by the end of June.

To comply with action of the State Legislature, Ordinances 2022-1, Water Utility, and 2022-2, Electric Utility were introduced. The Legislature removed the collection of Utility Receipts Tax paid by Indiana Utilities, Water and Electric for Warren. The

average residential utility customer will see a combined reduction of approximately .43 to 1.00 per month based on calculations provided by the Financial Consultant.

Accounts Payable Register was approved by consensus in the amount of \$528,506.06.

Due to State required Internal Control procedures, Morrison reviewed an update to the monthly submitted financial reports which will now require Council approval and signature. The May report was approved by consensus.

Invoice Cloud – Training sessions continue with representatives from the online payment company. System work necessary has been completed by Keystone Software and the Town's IT Consultant. The next training will be a two hour session to review the system and is scheduled for Friday, June 17th.

Phone system – A replacement phone system has been installed in Town Hall. As the change has been successful, the phones in the Utility Garages and the Police Station will be installed as soon as phones arrive.

Poulson, as Utility Manager submitted the following: Quotes being requested for sidewalk replacement projects. Only one quote received for fence

construction at Tower Park. Second quote coming. All sludge has been cleared from the drying beds. Eleventh Street Storm Drain has been installed. Eleventh Street water tower to be operational by June 20th pending positive test results. Sewer Vacuum Truck still being repaired due to delay in parts. Heritage Pointe Storm Drain projects to be prepared. Request for paving bids have been mailed.

Morrison reviewed the Heat Advisory/Index policy approved by Town Council noting that the utility hours for Tuesday will be 7 am to 3:30 pm with restrictions on outside activity with the same procedure possible for Wednesday due to forecast.

The State Permit for construction of a pavilion in Tower Park is on hold pending information from the contractor which is necessary for approval.

The next Regular Meeting of Town Council will be July 11th.

General discussion was held on a listing of properties submitted by a citizen which should possibly be considered to be cited for cleanup. Marshal Spitler reported citation or notice had been given.

There being no further business to come before Council, the meeting was adjourned.

BE AWARE OF POISON HEMLOCK

Poison hemlock is an invasive plant that is often seen along roadsides, ditch banks, fence rows, field edges and ponds. Identifying poison hemlock is important for the health and safety of individuals participating in outdoor activities like fishing and hiking. It has been showing up in the city of Huntington along with other small towns and rural areas.

The biggest risk with poison hemlock is ingestion. Lethal doses are fairly small, so it is important for livestock owners to remove it from pastures if possible. Toxins from this plant can also be absorbed through the skin and lungs, so be sure to wear gloves and a mask when handling these plants.

It is a biennial plant that appears as a low growing herb in its first growing season. In the second year, it matures into a tall flowering stalk, up to eight feet.

Poison hemlock is often confused with Queen Anne's Lace or Wild Parsnip because all three plants produce clusters of small, white flowers. Note that poison hemlock stems are light green and hairless with purple spots, which distinguishes it from the other two similar looking plants.

Poison hemlock spreads via seed, so effective management must prevent new seed production. The seed often is inadvertently spread by mowing, road maintenance or agricultural equipment. Farmers and property owners should be aware that some herbicides can damage legumes or other desired vegetation, so they need to double-check labels before applying them.

If attempting to remove small areas of the plant manually, be sure to wear proper Personal Protection Equipment (PPE) including gloves, long sleeve shirts, long pants, closed toe shoes, and protective eyewear.

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GENEALOGY REPORT

PECK

 John Francis Peck, 89, passed away at home on June 11, 2022 after a long illness.

John was born at home in rural Blackford County, IN on May 28, 1933. He was the son of the late Garland and Doris (Monroe) Peck.

John graduated from Montpelier High School in 1951. He held the school record for shotput until his younger brother, Richard, broke it.

After graduation, he worked at Anaconda in Marion before getting drafted into the U.S. Army in 1953. He completed basic training in Ft. Knox, Kentucky and was then transferred to an AEC base in New Mexico. After his discharge in 1955, he returned to Marion to work at Anaconda.

On July 28, 1956, he married the love of his life Judith Scheppele. They would have celebrated their 66th anniversary this July.

In August 1956, he started his apprenticeship in the sheet metal trade. He worked for several shops, but spent most of his career with Linigers in Marion.

In 1980, Judy opened an antique shop in Van Buren. Together, they spent the next 20 years doing shows around Indiana. John enjoyed refinishing the furniture, and that remained a life-long hobby. He repaired and restored many beautiful pieces to be enjoyed by generations for customers and family alike. Also, in his younger years, he enjoyed hunting and fishing.

After 39 years in the sheet metal trade, he retired in July 1995. He was a member of Sheet Metal Workers Local 20 in Ft. Wayne for nearly 65 years.

John was a hard worker and a great provider for his family. He could do and fix just about anything. He enjoyed being outside, and took pride in keeping his property and vehicles immaculate.

He was a loving husband, dad, and grandpa. He loved

his family more than anything. His five grandchildren were his pride and joy. He enjoyed going to their activities when he could. He was so proud of each and every one of them. John and his oldest grandson, Travis, did many projects together over the years. He believed Travis could handle any project, and Travis loved working with his grandpa and learned a lot from him.

John is survived by his wife Judy, children Debra Peck, Gas City, Cheryl (Scott) Rogers, Fairmount, and John (Aleasha) Peck, Jr., Canton, MI. Five grandchildren, Megan Rogers, Fairmount, Travis (Madison) Rogers, Vincennes, IN, Adam Peck, Sean Peck, and Leyla Peck, Canton, MI. Brother Richard (Regina) Peck, Fishers, IN, and several nieces, nephews, and great nieces and nephews.

Other loving survivors are sister and brother in laws, Jane and Steve Jones, Roanoke, IN, John and Carolyn Scheppele, Fort Wayne, IN, and David and Joni Scheppele, Ft. Wayne, IN.

He was also survived by his grandfur babies, Daisy, Abe, June, and Stella.

He was preceded in death by sisters Ruth (Sam) Cole, Jr., Vivian (Joe) Ruble, Martha Coleman Ellison, and one brother William "Dubb" (Mary) Peck.

John's family would like to thank Heartland Hospice, especially Lisa and Karen Sue, and caregiver Paul for the compassionate care they provided John.

Arrangements for John have been entrusted to the Jones-Smith Chapel of Armes-Hunt Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 259 North Main Street, Upland, IN 46989. A visitation for the public will be held on Saturday, June 18, 2022 from 11:00 to 1:00p.m. with a memorial service starting at 1:00p.m. A burial will follow the service at Jefferson Cemetery in Upland, Indiana.

Memorial contributions may be made to the

Alzheimer's Association in care of the funeral home.

PIERCE

Steven Pierce, 61, of Marion, Indiana, died at 10:33 AM, on Monday, June 13, 2022, at Ascension St. Vincent Hospital in Indianapolis, Indiana.

He entered this world on August 27, 1960, in Marion, born to Verlin and Catherine (Carl) Pierce. Steve married Candy Hix on May 11, 2018.

He graduated from Madison-Grant High School in 1978. Steve was a quiet, sweet, and genuine, teddy bear of a guy who loved everyone, was a mama's boy with a heart of gold. Steve was a workhorse who never met a stranger and was always prepared with a list of dad jokes. He enjoyed riding his motorcycle, doing car repairs and sitting on his porch swing enjoying nature.

Steve is survived by his wife, Candy; mother, Catherine; seven children, Brady Pierce, of Pensacola, Florida, Steve Hedrick, of Fairmount, Kortney (Jonathan) Gladd, of Bloomington, Illinois, Bryana (Luke) Turner, and Jenni (Matt) Brown, both of Van Buren, Indiana, Tabitha (Nate) DeLong, of Marion; 15 grandchildren; two siblings, Darren (Lori) Pierce and Patricia (Randy) Tomlin, both of Fairmount. He was preceded in death by father; and son, Trent Pierce.

Arrangements are entrusted to the Fairmount Chapel of Armes-Hunt Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 415 South Main Street, Fairmount, IN, where a private memorial service will be held.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Vincent House, 2031 Dugan Dr, Indianapolis, IN 46260.

BRANKLE

Bernadine "Bobbie" Brankle, 91, died Wednesday afternoon, June 15, 2022, at Heritage Pointe, in Warren.

She was born on September 4, 1930, the daughter of the late Ralph and Wilma Phillabaum.

Bobbie graduated from Marion High School in 1948. She married the love of her life, Donald "Bud" Brankle, on November 4, 1951. He preceded her in death on December 23, 2020.

Bobbie worked as the bookkeeper for her husband's construction company, Bud Brankle Construction, for many years.

Bobbie is survived by her daughters, Andra (Gary) McIntyre, Fort Wayne, and Kyle (Jeff) Gall, Upland; grandsons, Brent Gall, Van Buren, and Brandon Gall, Upland; and sisters, Bernita Pearson, Marion, and Ermajean Shaw, Fort Myers, Florida.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Ralph and Wilma; husband, Bud; and brothers-in-law, Jim Pearson and Jim Shaw.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the Jones-Smith Chapel of Armes-Hunt Funeral Home and Cremation Services, 259 North Main Street, Upland, Indiana, where a visitation will be held from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., on Tuesday, June 21. A funeral service will follow with Pastor Dale Schuiteman officiating. Burial will take place at Jefferson Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the activities department at Heritage Pointe, or to the Upland Lions Club.

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From May through August, the plant is in its flowering stage. The University of Minnesota Extension (<https://extension.umn.edu/identify-invasive-species/poison-hemlock>): recommends the following during the flowering period, "Spray green plants with herbicide or dig the whole plant out, ensuring the flower and/or seed heads are not left on the plant or the ground. With gloves on, cut the flower or seed heads off and place in a plastic bag. Do not mow unless flower and seed heads have been removed."

If you have questions, contact Ed Farris, Agriculture and Natural Resource Educator, Purdue Extension – Huntington County Office, 1340 S. Jefferson, Huntington by calling 260-358-4826 or emfarris@purdue.edu.

SENIOR GOLF

Thursday Senior Scramble League at Dogwood Glen:

1st Place: John Vickery, Jim Denman, Don Bauer, John Jones

2nd Place: Arlene Pitts, Stan Reed, Rich Borrer, Dean Lemler

Closest to PIN: #3: Dean Lemler, #6: Jim Denman, #7: Dave Stamper, Longest Putt #8: John Jones

COPPER HARBOR TRIP DAY # 2, PART 3

by Larry Ryan
Just west of L'Anse, MI and adjacent to L'Anse Bay the bus stopped to view the 60' shrine/statue of the "Snowshoe Bishop," Frederic Baraga (1797-1868). He appears to be suspended atop a cloud. Baraga was an 1831 pioneer to this area from Slovenia. He traveled on snowshoes frequently in the winter to various missions. Bishop Baraga quickly learned and wrote the native languages of the Ottawa and Chippewa tribes.

While continuing to travel north on US 41, we passed through the town of Baraga

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where in 1978, the first native gaming complex was established. This area plus the adjacent village of Assinins, MI were tribal lands. We observed that L'Anse Bay funneled into Keweenaw Bay which accessed into our first sighting of Lake Superior. The newly-arrived UP guide informed us that this Great Lake was 365 miles long, 165 miles wide, and 1,400 feet deep. The average water temperature is 40 degrees, but the surface temperature in summer can reach 65 degrees. It rarely freezes. This body of water ranks first in the world in geographic size but is second in volume to a lake in Russia.

After crossing the Sturgeon River, navigating the town of Chassell, MI, and passing Portage Lake Golf Course, the bus entered the metropolis of Houghton, MI at 5:25 pm. The city was named after Douglass Houghton, a physician, geologist, and former mayor of Detroit who explored this UP region in 1831, 1832 & 1839. It is home to Michigan Tech University which is primarily an Engineering and Forestry institution that was established in 1889. Its annual student population is 7,000 and is well known for hockey and designing the U-2 and other jet airplanes.

Most of the early buildings on campus were constructed with local sandstone. However, the interest in this building material was lost when Indiana's, Bedford Limestone was introduced at the 1896 World's Fair. Across the Portage Channel to the north was the sister community of Hancock, MI. This waterway completely separated the two sections of the Keweenaw Peninsula.

At 5:40 the bus arrived at the Country Inn & Suites. A buffet dinner at the Bonfire Restaurant in downtown Houghton was enjoyed by all the guests. Slept well!

USE CAUTION THIS

SUMMER

Attorney General Todd Rokita encourages Hoosiers to avoid scams by being mindful as they prepare for out-of-town summer vacations. To ensure your time away is as safe as possible, use caution to avoid crafty scammers.

"When planning your vacation this summer, remember anyone can be the target of a scam," Attorney General Rokita said. "Often, when a deal seems too good to be true, it is. Be on the lookout for heavily discounted amusement park tickets, condos, and hotel rentals."

Attorney General Rokita shared the following list of tips to avoid common vacation scams:

- * Avoid high-pressure sales pitches before you book a trip.

- * Be extra cautious when booking through an unfamiliar company. Check the Better Business Bureau ratings and research the name online to see if there are any allegations of scams.

- * Read the fine print in the contract before you sign it. It will tell you about the conditions under which the operator can change or cancel the trip and the rules and penalties for cancellation.

- * Pay by credit card. It gives you more protection than cash or checks.

- * Use good judgment when sharing about your trip on social media. Consider changing your online privacy settings while on your trip.

- * Lock your valuables, including personal information, in your trunk or hotel safe.

If you believe you have been the victim of a vacation scam, file a complaint at www.indianaconsumer.com with Attorney General Rokita's office.

FSSA REQUESTS SURVEY

PARTICIPATION

The Indiana Family and Social Services Administration's Division of Mental Health and Addiction today announced the launch of the Recovery Capital Index, designed to measure the sum of resources necessary for an individual to initiate and sustain recovery from addiction and to help track the overall recovery capital of the state and communities.

"People in recovery have been telling us for decades that there is more to recovery than just maintaining sobriety," said Jay Chaudhary, DMHA director. "A well-rounded, fulfilling life is the key to a thriving recovery. The Recovery Capital Index will help the state measure the quality of life for Hoosiers in recovery and ensure that Indiana remains a great place to recover."

Recovery capital is the overall measure of internal and external resources available to an individual with a substance use disorder to ensure their continual success in recovery. The RCI provides a comprehensive picture of a person's whole well-being using an online, automated 68-question survey. Generally, the higher the level of recovery capital, the better the chances of someone maintaining success in recovery.

The state of Indiana has invested more than \$45 million of federal State Opioid Response grant funding over the past four years to combat the drug epidemic and improve mental health. DMHA plans to use aggregate and geographically analyzed results from the Recovery Capital Index to drive future decisions about funding and resource allocation. Chaudhary said mapping and measuring recovery capital will also allow DMHA to see the effect of its investment and track it over time.

To complete the Recovery Capital Index survey, text "RECOVERY" to 833-638-3784. All Hoosiers are encouraged to complete the survey, not just those directly affected by addiction.

To help drive participation, Overdose Lifeline, Inc., an Indiana nonprofit dedicated to helping those affected by substance use disorder, will place stickers on over 200 NaloxBox units and 19 naloxone vending machines across the state. The stickers will prompt users to scan the QR code or text "RECOVERY" to 833-638-3784 to access the survey and additional information about naloxone, including training videos.

To find a naloxone distribution site near you, visit www.overdoselifeline.org.

DMHA has contracted with Commonly Well to administer the survey statewide. Commonly Well is a public benefit company that uses technology and data to help communities and organizations employ well-being initiatives.

TIPS TO SLEEP TRAIN YOUR CHILD

(StatePoint) As many parents know, getting a little one to sleep through the night can be challenging and frustrating. The good news is there are steps you can take to help your child -- and the rest of the family for that matter -- get much needed sleep. Here's what to know:

- * When to start: There is no one-size-fits-all approach to sleep training and no wrong time to start. However, it's

easier to break habits that haven't become ingrained, so starting around the 5-month mark is a good idea. By this age, you've likely identified your child's patterns. This knowledge can help you create a routine that works.

- * Sleep environment: Just like how most adults sleep best in a dark, quiet and cool room, so do babies and toddlers. Whether it's nap time or nighttime, foster better shuteye by setting up the right sleep environment. Use blinds or curtains to keep out sunlight and avoid making excessive noise. For example, right after putting your child down may not be the best time to vacuum the entire house. Instead, use this time to complete paperwork, practice self-care and do other quiet activities that won't disrupt your child's sleep.

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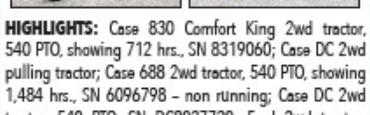


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* Consistency: Consistency is key. Set nap times and bedtimes that work for your family and then honor that schedule.

* Turning to tech: If you're struggling to sleep train your toddler, new technology is here to help. The new VTech Sleep Training Soother is inspired by WeeSleep experts and combines light, sounds and tips to encourage healthy sleep habits. You can craft the ideal sleep environment using its colorful nightlight, glow-on-the-ceiling projector, temperature gauge and powerful Bluetooth Speaker, from which you can play over 200 pre-programmed stories, classical music, lullabies and natural sounds, or stream your favorite smartphone music service. You can also record and upload your own voice, songs, or stories using the subscription-free app. And because it has a rechargeable battery, you can even use the device when power isn't available.

"People of all ages thrive when they have a consistent routine and healthy restful sleep," says Janey Reilly, CEO and founder of WeeSleep, a global sleep consultant service. "We are providing tools within the soother app to help parents create a sound sleep environment and to manage proper sleep schedules and habits."

The sleep trainer also includes a free 15-minute phone consultation with a WeeSleep coach, which you can use to gain insights and tips for tackling the unique challenges you're facing.

* Expectations: Having realistic expectations about sleep training can help you avoid letting the process itself create additional fatigue or stress. If sleep time isn't a breeze like you hoped, be compassionate with yourself and remind yourself that when it comes to dealing with sleep issues, you are not alone.

Sufficient sleep can help families stay happy and healthy. Using new tech, along with tried-and-true

methods and strategies that work for children, you can sleep train your child effectively and positively so that everyone in your household gets the rest they deserve.

EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT FUNDING COLLEGE WITH STUDENT LOANS

(StatePoint) While the majority of parents today strongly value higher education, that doesn't always alleviate their sticker shock when it comes to college-related costs.

A new College Ave survey finds that 91% of parents believe a college degree is important for their child's future. At the same time, 74% of parents found the cost of college surprisingly high. From having their children kick in -- 46% of parents strongly believe their children should financially contribute to their education -- to borrowing -- 16% currently or plan to take out private student loans -- many families explore a range of avenues for funding college.

"If you'll be using private student loans to fund college, it's important to create a budget and do your research," says Angela Colatriano, chief marketing officer at College Ave Student Loans. "Having a plan can help you avoid surprises down the line and reduce the overall cost of your loan."

Here's what to know:
First Things First

Before even considering private student loans, Colatriano notes that it's essential to apply for scholarships and to fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid at FAFSA.gov to determine your child's eligibility for certain scholarships, grants, work-study, and federal student loans. You should also explore cost-saving housing options and ways to spend less on school supplies, such as buying used textbooks.

Shopping Around

If federal student loans don't cover your remaining costs, shop around to find the right private student loan, advises Colatriano. Here are four factors to consider when comparing loan options:

1. Competitive rates: Securing a lower interest rate can help you land lower monthly payments and pay less interest over the life of your loan. To get a sense of the overall cost of the loan and your monthly loan payments, use the student loan calculator at CollegeAve.com.

2. Flexible loan terms: Find a student loan with a variety of repayment options. Some lenders, like College Ave, let you choose how long you want to repay your loan, and whether to start making payments right away or defer until after graduation. The important thing is to select a loan with terms that fit your budget.

3. Fees: Private student loans don't typically have origination fees, but you should still take time to check. You should also make sure your loans don't have any prepayment penalties.

4. Positive company reviews: Only work with a reputable, honest company. Check the Better Business Bureau for accreditation and read reviews to learn about customer experiences and see each company's customer ratings.

Taking out a Loan

Wondering how much to borrow? "A good rule of thumb is to figure out what your student's expected annual salary after graduation will be and then try to keep your total borrowing below that amount," says Colatriano. "For parents with strong credit who want to take on the debt alone, parent loans can be a good choice."

For competitive rates, flexible loan terms and great customer service, check out specialists in the industry with College Ave Student Loans. The lender offers private student loans and

parent loans, and its simple 3-minute application can quickly determine your eligibility, helping your family breathe easy from day one of the process.

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Bottom line? Being a strategic borrower and finding a simple loan experience can help your family get on with what matters most: preparing for a bright future.

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SSF WORSHIP SERVICE

The public is invited to attend the Warren Salomonie Summer Festival Worship Service to take place Sunday, July 3 at the Warren Riverside Park Pavilion beginning at 10:45 a.m. with The Snyder Band followed by a wonderful Community Worship time at 11:00 a.m.

The sponsor for this event is the Warren Area Ministerial Association (WAMA) with the theme of "Unity of Community" featuring a celebration of the way the Lord is working in the community and area of Warren, IN. There will be reporting by WAMA of their Community Benevolence & Combined Church Activities; Warren Bread of Life Food Pantry; Warren Historic Committee on their Park Project and town upgrades; Community VBS (July 11-14); Heritage Pointe Cemetery Revitalization Project and other information.

WAMA will have an updated Brochure of information about the 10 area churches that co-operate and participate in reaching out to this community and area for Christ.

There will also be a Combined Community Communion Service. All these churches are dismissing their regular services that morning so they can participate in this "Unity for Community" Worship Service.

Gerald Moreland, one of the 3 Chaplains at Heritage Pointe, will bring the morning message and is excited about the (hopefully) large gathering anticipated for this Community & Area event at the SSF (July 1-3) weekend.

The SNYDER Band will conclude the service with a concert of praise and music.

There are some benches at the Park, but everyone is encouraged to bring your favorite lawn chair or a blanket if you prefer! The Park has plenty of space for a great crowd.

Don't miss this Special Event!

Note: In case of rain this event will move to Hillcrest Church of the Nazarene just down the street at 402 East 1st St, Warren.