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Stockton art festival to feature area children's author

By Tony Carton
EDITOR

When the annual Art and Jazz festival opens this weekend in Stockton, Sharon Meyerhoff Pezan will be one of the more than forty artisans showing their works. Pezan has recently become a published author and will be promoting her children's book: "How Cash was Laundered at the White House and Helped Bring about World Peace."

"I have one daughter who is happily married, living in Boston and expecting our first grandchild," said Pezan. "My book is coincidentally set for release at the same time."

She said she has been waiting and rewriting and reorganizing for nearly four years, but now the book has gone to print and the first copies are on the shelves at Barnes and Noble and available on Amazon.

"I've worked extensively in ani-

mal issues and animal rescue my whole life," Pezan said. "And, I've worked with children as long as I can remember, so the book is a natural progression for me."

Her book is a story about a pit bull puppy that is brave and courageous. He escapes his captors and ends up at a state dinner at the White House, where he makes a huge difference in an otherwise quiet setting. Through his humorous antics he becomes the common link that enables the heads of nations to start a heartfelt dialog that would bring about world peace.

"I thought of the story and wrote it and of course it took a while to get it published, but there are life lessons in the book for children and adults," said Pezan. "It takes place in a not so good neighborhood in Washington D.C. and actually I think I had the

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Come Celebrate the Arts! With the NW IL Art & Jazz Fest

Be sure to attend the annual Northwest IL Art and Jazz Festival! Come Celebrate the Arts at this free fine arts event held at the Stockton Memorial Park on Saturday, July 16 from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Sunday, July 17 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Located on Highway 20, only 30 miles east of Galena, enjoy the heart of beautiful Jo Daviess County. The 2016 event features over 40 artists from the tri-state region and will fill the Stockton Memorial Park with art of all kind including ceramics, clay/porcelain, jewelry, photography, drawings, glass, metal, acrylic/oil paintings, wood-working, print-making, fiber/textiles/leather, mixed media, lawn art, paper and graphics.

A highlight for the 2016 event will be the live mural painting of a downtown Stockton building by Clinton, IA artist, Chris Shannon. He will begin on Saturday morning and finish by the end of event on Sunday. Festival attendees can participate in interactive art at three studio tents with artists Jan Ketz, Diane Maus and Kim Bauer where you become the artist.

While pursuing the art, enjoy the sounds of jazz from the Highland Big Band, Migration, Chicago native Mary J Harris and Groove Hotel at the inaugural jazz festival on Saturday, July 16 from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Then share your art of music at the open mic in the park on Sunday, July 17 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Enjoy tastings from local craft breweries, wineries and distilleries featuring Massbach Ridge Winery, Squeeze Beverage, Pecatonica Brewing and the Galena Brewing Company. And your taste buds can judge the savory art from local food vendors Stella's Café & Catering, Woodbine Bend, and Café 217.

For more information on the NW IL Art & Jazz Fest, visit nwilartfest.com or www.facebook.com/NWILArtFest and www.facebook.com/NWILJazzFest Additional information on luxurious accommodations, packages, attractions and dining at galena.org or by calling the Galena/Jo Daviess County Convention & Visitors Bureau toll-free at (877) 464-2536.



TONY CARTON PHOTO *The Scoop Today*

Sharon Meyerhoff Pezan has four years of writing and rewriting her children's book behind her and now that the book is published, she will be participating in the Stockton Arts festival this weekend to promote that project.

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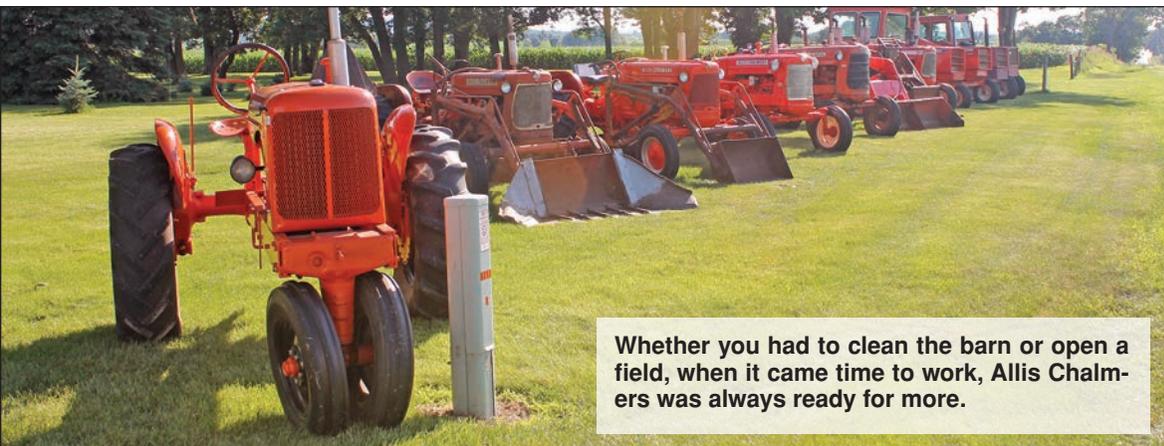
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From graders to harvesting machinery if it was an Allis Chalmers it was on display on Hwy 20 outside Stockton over the Fourth of July weekend.



Whether you had to clean the barn or open a field, when it came time to work, Allis Chalmers was always ready for more.

(Left) Whether your interests lay with wide-front or narrow tractors, if Allis-Chalmers was your goal the lineup on Hwy 20 just East of Stockton was the place to be.

A bit of Allis history

Compiled by Tony Carton
EDITOR

Allis-Chalmers was a U.S. manufacturer of machinery for various industries. Its business lines included agricultural equipment, construction equipment, power generation and power transmission equipment, and machinery for use in industrial settings such as factories, flour mills, sawmills, textile mills, steel mills, refineries, mines, and ore mills. The first Allis-Chalmers Company was formed in 1901 as an amalgamation of the Edward P. Allis Company (steam engines and mill equipment), Fraser & Chalmers (mining and ore milling equipment), the Gates

Iron Works (rock and cement milling equipment), and the industrial business line of the Dickson Manufacturing Company (engines and compressors). It was reorganized in 1912 as the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company. During the next 70 years its industrial machinery filled countless mills, mines, and factories around the world, and its brand gained fame among consumers mostly from its farm equipment business's orange tractors and silver combine harvesters. In the 1980s and 1990s a series of divestitures transformed the firm and eventually dissolved it. Its successors today are Allis-Chalmers Energy and AGCO.



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Building for the future

More than 60 young ladies attended the annual Stockton Girls Basketball Camp staged for girls grade three through twelve the week of June 20.

FSA County Committee nomination period began June 15

Jo Daviess County USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) Executive Director CED Cory C. Cassens announced that the nomination period for local FSA county committees began on Wednesday, June 15, 2016.

“County Committees are unique to FSA and allow producers to have a voice on federal farm program implementation at the local level,” said CED Cassens.

To be eligible to serve on a FSA county committee, a person must participate or cooperate in an FSA administered program, be eligible to vote in a county committee election and reside in the local administrative area (LAA) where they are nominated.

This year, nominations and elections will be held in LAA 2, which includes Apple River, Warren, Thompson, Rush, Nora, Stockton and Wards Grove townships.

John Curtiss of Stockton has served on the County Committee for 2 terms of 3 years per term and is eligible for consideration as a County Committee nominee and member based on the 3 term 9 year limitation.

Farmers and livestock producers may nominate themselves or others. Organizations representing minorities and women also may nominate candidates. To become a candidate, an eligible individual must sign an FSA-669A nomination form. The form and other information about FSA county committee elections are available at www.fsa.usda.gov/elections. 2016 nomination forms must be postmarked or received in the Jo Daviess County FSA Office by close of business on Aug. 1, 2016.

Elected county committee members serve a three-year term and are responsible for making decisions on FSA disaster, conservation, commodity and price support programs, as well as other important federal farm program issues. County committees consist of three to 11 members

“It is important that county committees are comprised of members who fairly represent the diverse de-

mographics of production agriculture for their community,” said CED Cassens. “All producers, including women, minority and beginning farmers and ranchers are encouraged to participate in the nomination and election process.”

FSA will mail election ballots to eligible voters beginning Nov. 7. Ballots must be returned to the Jo Daviess county FSA office via mail or in person by Dec. 5. Newly-elected committee members and alternates will take office on Jan. 1, 2017.

For more information about county committees, please contact the Jo Daviess County FSA office at (815) 858-3418 Extension 102 or

visit www.fsa.usda.gov/elections.

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A little levity to lighten your day

Police are called to an apartment and find a woman holding a bloody golf club standing over a lifeless man. The detective asks, “Ma’am, is that your husband?” “Yes,” says the woman. “Did you hit him with that five iron?” “Yes, yes, I did.” The woman begins to sob, drops the club, and puts her hands on her face. “How many times did you hit him?” “I don’t know, five, six, maybe seven times ... just put me down for five.”

• Author (Continued from front page)

title before I even started writing the book.”

Her plan was to start with a catchy title that would drive readers to pick up the book and share the story with their family.

“I wanted folks to wonder what in the world that book could be about and of course you don’t find out until you start reading, but the underlying animal issue message is solid and it’s a fun read.”

The story deals with the issues surrounding pit bull fighting, but is presented in a way that children can grasp without developing an unrealistic fear of the breed.

“Children tend to lead us to change,” Pezan said. “This story is fun and entertaining while delivering a message of care and compassion by way of its hero, a puppy named Cash.”

She said anybody can be a hero and help change the world regardless of their background.

The book is illustrated by Milwaukee artist Amber Sherburne.

“This is actually the first book I’ve illustrated,” said Sherburne. “I’m a caricature artist and work in fine art as well as freelance artwork, so I occasionally have an opportunity to show my work. Sharon is friends

with my grandmother and saw some of my work and she asked me to illustrate her book, so I did.”

Sherburne said there were a few challenges to getting the artwork the way they both wanted, but in the end it’s all turned out very well.

“It was challenging to figure out how to best show each page,” she said. “There is a lot happening in the story and expressing the words contained on each page was difficult, but Sharon and I worked with her publisher and it all came together.”

There was considerable research behind her creating an accurate depiction of the rooms in the White House and the places and faces at the state dinner.

“I’ve always been a dog lover and if a pit is trained properly they can be the sweetest friend imaginable,” said Sherburne. “It was fun making the puppy into a hero and figuring out how to make the story come to life on the pages of a book.”

She said illustrating children’s books is something she would like to do more of in the future.

“Sharon is already talking about doing a sequel and doing a book about a horse, so I’m hoping to be involved with those projects too,” Sherburne said.

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Senate Week in Reivew

July 4-8

Illinois schools are receiving a major boost in funding thanks to the bipartisan education budget passed at the end of June, according to data recently released by the Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE).

Also during the week, we continued our push to make sure the recent budget actions are just the first step toward a full-year, balanced and responsible budget, along with structural reforms that help grow jobs and improve the state's economy.

In other action, nominations are being sought for those who have made great strides toward helping veterans; and the Governor has recently taken action on a backlog of petitions for clemency.

Funding info for schools

The ISBE has recently revised its school funding forecast with data from the recent education budget passed by the General Assembly, showing school districts receiving a boost for the upcoming school year.

The budget itself represents an historic level of cash for K-12 schools as well as pre-K programs, including ending proration of school funding for the first time in seven years. All schools will receive at least their 2015-2016 school year

funding level plus a share of a state-wide \$250 million equity grant. If the existing formula would have given them more money than that for 2016-2017 school year, then the district will receive that higher level. According to State Superintendent Tony Smith, every school district in Illinois will receive more money than it did during the previous year.

Continue push for full balanced budget

Gov. Bruce Rauner has been touring the state to let residents know how the recent stopgap and school budgets will help keep the state operating through the rest of the year. But it is important to note that the recent action is just one step toward truly undoing the damage done by years of out-of-balance budgets and mounting debt.

The Governor notes that negotiations held by rank-and-file legislators are close to reaching bipartisan agreements on a number of major issues, including property tax relief for homeowners, workers' compensation reform, achieving major savings for the nation's most underfunded pension system, and improving the school funding system to help all schools throughout the

state.

The Governor has warned though that he doesn't think majority party lawmakers will be willing to take action on major issues until after the November election.

Nominations for Veteran and Business of the Year

The Illinois Department of Veterans Affairs is seeking help from the public to honor the outstanding work of military veterans and businesses who have made significant contributions to veterans' causes.

The Department is asking for nominations for the Illinois Veter-

ans Patriotic Volunteer and Appreciation Award, which honors the work of an Illinois veteran for the veteran community and local communities, as well as nominations for the Illinois Veterans' Business Appreciation Award, which highlights and honors the work of any business, organization, or non-profit that has significantly helped veterans.

For more information on the awards and a nomination form, visit <http://go.usa.gov/chEmV>.

Governor acts on clemency requests

Gov. Rauner has recently taken

action on petitions for clemency, granting six and denying 150. According to the Governor's office, approximately 500 clemency petitions remain from previous administrations.

The Governor has taken action on 10 sets of clemency petitions since taking office. Each person granted clemency has recently undergone a criminal background check through the Illinois State Police's Law Enforcement Agencies Data System. If a petitioner is granted clemency for a pardon, they are allowed to seek expungement of their conviction through the court system.

From the desk of State Representative Brian W. Stewart

It is with heavy heart that I write this column today. In Dallas on Thursday, there was another senseless tragedy. For me, and other law enforcement officers (both active and retired), this one struck close to home. Divisiveness and anti-police propaganda has finally run its natural course. Putting on the police uniform every day has never been an easy job, but now – with so many united against them – our nation's public servants are in more danger than ever. I humbly urge all of us to calm the rhetoric, disassociate ourselves from those whose only intention is to divide us, and to work together for the common good of our country.

The State of Illinois, and its fiscal woes, is put into perspective by these events. But nevertheless, I am reminded that this column is intended to give you insight into what's going on in Springfield. Illinois finally has a partial budget. The Governor and the Leaders'



By **BRIAN W. STEWART**
Columnist

stopgap spending plan will serve as a bridge to a comprehensive budget until Jan. 1, 2017. Albeit a temporary budget, it still is a budget that will keep the lights on at our vital state services while we continue to negotiate a permanent solution.

Some Human Services in the State of Illinois have not been paid since July 1, 2015. Several health-care companies were on the brink of closing their doors. Some were forced to lay off workers and reduce services. This budget will provide \$701 million to Human Services. That amount of funding, coupled with the spending authority from court orders will pay these agencies over 90% of their costs that they incur from July 1, 2015 to December 31, 2016.

Our state highway projects affect the livelihoods of 25,000 construction workers. Without a stopgap budget, the state stood to lose significant federal funding and the remobilization of the construction crews would have cost the state tens of millions of dollars per day. This budget will appropriate necessary road funds so our construction crews can continue their capital projects, which will keep food on the table for 25,000 families in Illinois.

This stopgap budget provides a full year of funding for elementary education and secondary education. For the past year, Governor Rauner and the Republicans have fought for more funding for K-12 education. As one of the Governor's priorities, this appropriation is a record high level of funding for K-12 schools and provides a \$75 million increase in Early Childhood Education. If a budget had not been reached

the prisons would have stopped receiving food, utilities would have been shut off, mental health facilities and veterans' homes would have closed their doors. Instead, this stopgap budget will allocate a combination of "Rainy Day Funds" and leftover General Revenue Funds to cover critical state services and K-12 education without raising taxes on the citizens of Illinois.

I have said it time and time again, we need structural reforms in this state. Although this stopgap budget does not include structural reforms, it demonstrates a willingness to work in a bipartisan manner. For too long, our state government had been a standstill. On the last day of June, we witnessed the most significant indication that the General Assembly is ready to work in unison to solve our state's issues. Going forward, I have renewed optimism that both sides will work together to make our state a better place for families and businesses.

It is imperative that both parties build on this bipartisan effort and continue to hash out a permanent plan to correct the systemic issues that face Illinois. This plan is only a temporary fix for our state's predicament. The stopgap budget only postpones doomsday unless we stay at the table and create a long term solution. Looking ahead, I hope that we continue this trend of working together in good faith and have a dialogue that encourages innovative bipartisan approaches to the problems facing the State of Illinois.

The core of compromise is to be unified by one goal, whether it is the goal of living in a safe community or the goal of passing a budget that is best for the state of Illinois. Pope John Paul II said it best when he said "What unites us is much greater than what divides us."

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University of Illinois Extension offers grilling and summer food safety

Summer is officially here! And if you haven't already gotten your grill out, you should consider doing so.

Grilling is a great way to keep the kitchen cool and enjoy the many wonderful foods summer has to offer. Whether you are grilling meat, poultry, seafood or vegetables it is important to keep food safety in the forefront. To help you and your loved ones stay safe during the summer grilling season, remember to follow these basic food safety guidelines.

Thaw Safely

Keep meat, poultry, and seafood cold until you are ready to use it. At room temperature, harmful bacteria responsible for food borne related illnesses can grow amazingly quick. Thus, leaving these items out in sinks or on countertops provides the perfect opportunity for bacteria to quickly multiple reaching dangerous levels.

When the weather is warm it is even more important to keep these

items cool. If the temperature is 90°F or higher, the amount of time needed for harmful bacteria to reach unsafe levels can be as little as one hour.

Planning ahead is essential when it comes to thawing meat, poultry, or seafood. Thaw items in the refrigerator. Generally speaking items should thaw within 12-24 hrs. This of course depends upon the type and size of the items being thawed.

When thawing, place meat, poultry, or seafood onto a plate or shallow tray and place on the lowest shelf in the refrigerator. This will help prevent contamination of other foods, by catching any juices that may leak, or drip onto other items in the refrigerator.

If thawing these items in the mi-

crowave, it is important to cook immediately after thawing. Microwaves heat unevenly. Thus some areas of the food may actually begin to cook during the thawing process, while other areas are simply warmed. With the uneven heating, a portion of the food may reach optimal temperatures in which bacteria can grow and multiply quickly. If these foods are not cooked promptly, then bacteria can reach high enough levels making food unsafe to eat.

Marinating

A marinade is a savory, usually acidic sauce in which meat, poultry, seafood, or vegetables are soaked to enrich its flavor or to tenderize it. When marinating always keep foods refrigerated during the marinating process, to prevent the risk of food

borne related illness.

How long can you marinate?

For beef, pork, lamb and veal; chops, roasts, and steaks can be marinated for up to five days.

For poultry or cubed meats; items can be marinated for up to two days.

Warning: Do not reuse marinade sauces on cooked foods once they have been in contact with raw meat or poultry. Instead, set a portion of the marinade aside to be used later once the food has been cooked. If however you wish to reuse marinade sauces that have been in contact with raw meat or poultry, you must first bring it to a full boil to destroy any harmful bacteria before it can be re-used.

Cooking

Believe it or not, color is NOT an indicator of doneness when it comes to meat and poultry. This is because meat may turn brown before it reaches a high enough temperature to destroy the harmful bacterial responsible for food borne related illnesses. In order to ensure these foods are cooked to a high enough temperature, use a food thermometer to check for doneness.

A minimum internal temperature of 145 °F must be reached for all

chops, roasts and steaks (beef, pork, lamb and veal).

Ground beef, lamb, pork and veal should be cooked to an internal temperature of 155 °F.

All types of poultry should be cooked to a minimum internal temperature of 165 °F.

Once minimum internal temperatures have been reached, they must be held for at least 15 seconds to ensure proper doneness.

Warning: Never partially grill meat or poultry with the plan to finish cooking later. This creates an ideal environment for the growth of harmful bacteria.

Summer is a great time to be outdoors. And grilling is a quick and easy way to cook your favorite summertime foods, without heating up the kitchen. Following these simple food safety guidelines can help keep you and your loved ones safe throughout the summer grilling season.

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American Red Cross schedules Elizabeth blood drive

The American Red Cross will hold a blood drive in Elizabeth on Tuesday, July 26, between the hours of 12:30 and 5:30 p.m.

The drive will take place at the Elizabeth Community Building, located on US 20 at the west end of town.

What with families engaged in vacations and other summer activities,

there is a pressing need for blood donations now. And that need for blood takes no vacation.

Please plan to help with your donation. If you have never donated previously, have no fear. The full staff of nurses will help you step-by-step. Please donate. Now is far better than later. Your gift of blood is the gift of life.

Births

GUINEVERE ENDRESS

Josh and Tiffany Endress of Pearl City, Ill are the parents of a daughter Guinevere Orlena Endress born Sunday July 3, 2016 at FHN Memorial Hospital, Freeport, Ill. Grandparents are Bob and Cheryl Cole of Mt. Carroll, Ill. and Jim and Deb Endress of Shannon, Ill. Great grandparents are Bob and Gladys Kampen of Kansas City, KS and Dennis and Carol Endress of Pearl City.

PEYTON GARCEA

Joey and Tiffany Garcea of Elizabeth, Ill. are the parents of a son Peyton James Brian Garcea born Friday July 8, 2016 at FHN Memorial Hospital, Freeport, Ill. Peyton has three brothers Aidan, 5, Brayden, 3 1/2 and Owen, 22 months. Grandparents are Joe and Cindy Garcea of Rockford, Ill. and Michael and Sheri Bear of Lebanon, PA. Great grandparents Mae Maxwell and Betty Bear Lebanon.

BRYCEN GRUHN

Kyle and Stacie Gruhn of Winnebago, Ill. are the parents of a son Brycen James Gruhn born Friday July 1, 2016 at FHN Memorial Hospital, Freeport, Ill. Brycen joins a brother Bradley, 2. Grandparents are Kirt and Kathy Gruhn of Lanark, Ill. and Albert and Ann Mokros of Lena, Ill. Great grandparents are Janet Gruhn of Lanark, John and Donne Heckman of Grantsville, Utah and Maryann Merrill of Monroe, Wis. Great great grandmother is Charlotte Flickinger of Lanark, Ill.

HUDSON SHEFFEY

Luke and Megan Sheffey of Pearl City, Ill. are the parents of a son Hudson Luke Sheffey born Monday July 4, 2016 at FHN Memorial Hospital, Freeport, Ill. Hudson has a sister Elliotte, 1 1/2. Grandparents are Steve and Janis Sheffey of Pearl City and Terry and Bonnie Marsh of Freeport. Great grandparents are JR. and Judy Hunziker of Ridott, Ill., Reita Sheffey of Pearl City and Earl Marsh of Freeport.

Obituary

DOROTHY JONES

Dorothy Jones, age 99 of Stockton died Tuesday, July 5, 2016 at Waverly Place in Stockton. She was born Nov. 4, 1916 in Stockton; the daughter of the late Ira and Mabel (Gishwiller) Peck. She married John Townsend on September 3, 1937 in Stockton; he passed on May 4, 1978. She later married Lester Jones who also has passed.

Dorothy is survived by three sons, Jack (Elaine) Townsend of Stockton, Jerry (Kay) Townsend of Urbana, IL, and Tom (Janet) Townsend of Stockton; 13 grandchildren; 30 great grandchildren; and six great great grandchildren. Dorothy is preceded

in death by her parents; daughter, Mary Jane Hebig; and sister, Irma Peck.

In addition to her family responsibilities at home, Dorothy worked on the administrative staff at Kraft Foods and as a secretary at the Stockton Elementary School. She had a lifelong love of flower gardening, was an exceptional cook, enjoyed traveling, was a member of several local organizations and was active in the Stockton Universalist Church.

The funeral service and visitation were held July 9 at the Hermann Funeral Home, 249 N Park Street, Stockton, IL. Interment will take place at Ladies Union Cemetery in Stockton. Memorials may be made to the Stockton Universalist Church, 219 N Pearl Street, Stockton, IL 61085. Condolences can be offered online at www.hermannfuneral-home.com.



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Grilling is a great way to keep the kitchen cool and enjoy the many wonderful foods summer has to offer, but be smart, grill safely.

Invitation to Bid 2nd Request

Stockton Community Unit School District is seeking bids to patch, seal, and line the High School and Middle School south parking lot. Specifications include the following:

- Patch, seal, and line approximately 7,651 square yards of the High School main parking lot east of the High School
- Patch, seal, and line the south Middle School Parking Lot
- Inspection of proposed work areas is required with the District Maintenance Director, Deanna Smith, prior to submitting a bid. Deanna can be reached at 815-541-5498.
- Deadline for submission of bids is Monday, July 18, 2016, at 2 pm. Submit or drop off bids to Stockton CUSD #206, 540 N. Rush Street, Stockton, Illinois 61085, attn: Deanna Smith. Please submit sealed bids marked "parking lot maintenance." Bids will be opened at the board of education meeting Monday, July 18, 2016, at 7 pm.
- Bids must include cost for all three (3) elements of the project – patching, sealing and lining.
- The school district reserves the right to reject any and all bids
- Appropriate insurance must be included with bid.

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College News

Area students named to Augustana College spring term Dean's List

Augustana College announced 913 students were named to the Dean's List for the 2016 spring term. Students who have earned this academic honor have maintained a grade-point average of 3.5 or higher on a four-point scale for courses taken during the term.

The following students from The Scoop Today/Shopper's Guide area were named to the Dean's List:

Amie Badgett of Orangeville majoring in Business Administration (Management) and Accounting

Robert Blassingham of Pecatonica majoring in Accounting and Business Administration

Jonah Puls of East Dubuque majoring in Business Administration

Founded in 1860, Augustana College is a selective four-year residential college of the liberal arts and sciences.

Lena student conducts summer research at Carthage College

Lena student Elisabeth Rutter is performing a Summer Undergraduate Research Experience (SURE) at Carthage College.

Their project is titled "Designing and Synthesizing Surfactants for Molecule-Catalyzed Reactions."

SURE has been a hallmark of the Carthage experience since the mid-1990s. SURE started in the natural sciences, and has now grown to include all academic divisions at Car-

thage. Each summer between 25 and 50 students are chosen to participate.

HCC announces dean's list for spring 2016 semester

Highland Community College proudly announces the dean's list for the spring 2016 semester. Students who have completed 12 credit hours or more during the semester and have a minimum of a 3.25 grade point average (GPA), based on a 4.0 scale, are included on the dean's list. Highest Honors are awarded to students with a 3.50 GPA, and Honors students earn a GPA between 3.25 and 3.49.

Highest Honors

Apple River: Linda L. Toay
Elizabeth: Felicia Yacovacci

Lena: Alexa G. Buss, Rachel L. Edler, Kayla L. Heun, Kenzie L. Kaiser, Heather A. Schiess, Elizabeth M. Walker, Abigail A. Walters

Orangeville: Melissa S. Owen
Pearl City: Anna M. Folgate, Staci E. Hammer, Samuel J. Kempel, John M. Werkheiser

Savanna: Michael J. Miller
Stockton: Hannah T. Caswell, Josiah D. Caswell

Warren: Kristen K. Rogers, Gunner R. Wenger

High Honors

Apple River: Hiede M. Graves
Hanover: Abigail K. Green, Jennifer L. Holcomb

Lena: James D. Burnidge, Alex J. Doolan, Angela M. Edler, Kaitlyn J. Litow, Peyton M. Magee, Dyllan H. Oberle, Lindsey A. Parkinson, Benjamin J. Schubert, Claire N. Tootelian

Orangeville: Hannah L. Badgett, Bethany A. Shuman
Pearl City: Michelle I. Bronkema, Gertrude R. Heimerdinger, Timothy T. Lott, Allison M. Palmer, Elizabeth J. Reeser
Savanna: Nathan R. Brehm
Stockton: Hillary L. Broshous, Frederick J. Taylor, Samuel R. VenHuizen
Warren: Christopher J. Arnold
Winslow: Erin S. Rudisill

Honors

River: Brandi L. Ernst, Tamra L. Kurth

Elizabeth: Sara A. Sleeman
Lena: Kori F. Kalkbrenner, Brooke N. Olberding, Donna M. Strohecker, Cassidy N. Wybourn

McConnell: Kalie A. Becker, Jackie A. Dammen, Amanda K. Mulhall

Orangeville: Kasey V. Gutzmer, Courtney L. Thilmany
Pearl City: Christopher R. Aspinwall, Justin O. Lott
Stockton: Shawn D. Haas, Kiley J. Schulz, Tyler E. Tucker, Shayna R. Vanderheyden
Warren: Kyler D. Calow, Susanna E. Thompson
Winslow: Jordan M. Hale

Brittany Larson named to spring 2016 University of Iowa Dean's List

Brittany Larson, a native of Stockton, IL has been named to the University of Iowa's Dean's List for the 2016 spring semester.

Undergraduate students in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, the College of Engineering, and the Tippie College of Business who achieve a grade point average of 3.50 or higher on 12 semester hours or more of UI graded course work during a given semester or summer session and who have no semester hours of I (incomplete) or O (no grade reported) during the same semester are recognized by inclusion on the Dean's List for that semester.

College of Nursing students participating in clinical courses must have a total of 12 semester hours of earned credit, with eight semester hours of graded credit with a grade point average of 3.50 or higher.

River Ridge Community Unit School District #210 Board of Education minutes

Monday, June 20, 2016, President G. Allen Crist called the Budget Amendment Hearing of the River Ridge Community Unit School District #210 Board of Education to order at 6:45 p.m. Members G. Allen Crist, Raymie Diestelmeier, Merri Sevey and Matt Wild were present. President Crist announced a quorum was established. Member Don McLane entered the hearing at 7:47 p.m. Members Barb Schaible and David Howard were absent. Also present: Superintendent Brad Albrecht and Principal Beau Buchs.

Discussion on transferring \$296,567.85 to the 60 Fund (Capital Projects Fund) from Fund 20 0 & M Capital Outlay.

No action was taken during this hearing.

President Crist adjourned the hearing at 6:49 p.m.

Monday, June 20, 2016, President G. Allen Crist called the regular meeting of the River Ridge Community Unit School District #210 Board of Education to order at 7:00 p.m. Board Members G. Allen Crist, Raymie Diestelmeier, Don McLane, Merri Sevey and Matt Wild answered Roll Call. Members Barb Schaible and David Howard were absent. President Crist announced a quorum was established. Also present: Superintendent Brad Albrecht, Principal Beau Buchs and two representatives for the RREA.

Approved the June agenda as pre-

sented. There were no presentations from the audience.

Approved the regular and executive session board meeting minutes of May 16, 2016 and destruction of audio executive session minutes from October 19, 2015.

Reviewed the Treasurer's Report, Investment Report and Activity Reports. Approved bills and payroll as amended in the amount of \$673,793.88.

Supt. Albrecht reported on the CTE (Jo Daviess Carroll Technical Education Academy) minutes from June 14, 2016.

There were no other reports from President, Board Members or Teacher/Education group.

Approved the 2015-2016 budget amendment to transfer \$296,567.85 to the 60 Fund (Capital Projects Fund) from Fund 20 0 & M Capital Outlay.

Adopted the Prevailing Wage Resolution.

Adopted the Resolution to Establish Fund Balance Policy GASB 54 #R2011-01 and Resolution for Commitment of Funds Policy GASB 54 #R2011-02.

Approved the 2016-2017 Student Handbook as presented.

Superintendent's insurance was extended through July 31.

Discussed 2017 Budget expenditures. Building/grounds needs addressed - repair seams in building, telephone system, parking lot, entrance overhang paint and paint fuel

tanks.

Appointed District Superintendent to review, accept and sign-off on the financial statements of the District which include the audit report, the annual financial report to the state and the Data Collection Form (for single audits only) on behalf of the River Ridge School District #210 for the fiscal year and to sign the transmittal letter for River Ridge auditors, Benning Group.

Administrative Reports:

-Elementary Track & Field Day was successful thanks to Mr. Knauer, staff and parents.

-A new Elementary School outdoor sign will be installed this summer.

-Thirty six students have signed up for summer school August 1-12.

-Registration for the 2016-2017 school year is August 2 and 3; 11-7 p.m.

-Elementary "Back to School" Night will be August 15 from 6-7:30 p.m.

After executive session the board approved the following:

Approved employment of Donald Lisk as custodian.

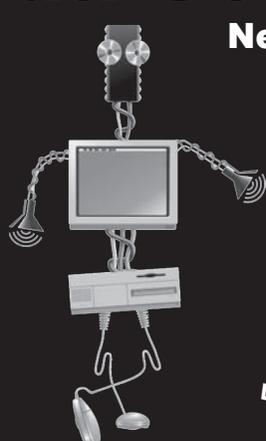
Approved the extra duty assignments as presented for the 2016-2017 school year with new assignments: Josh Ries as assistant high school football coach; Susan Miles as high school drama coach; and Lisa Haas as assistant MS drama coach.

Subject for approval at next regular board meeting, July 18, at 6:30 p.m.

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Chronic low back pain starts as acute, what will you do?

Low back pain (LBP) is the number one disability condition in the western world, with an enormous socioeconomic impact. It has been shown that 60-80% of the population will experience LBP in their lifetime [1]. Problematically, the number one risk factor for developing chronic LBP is an initial episode of acute low back pain. Contrary to popular opinions, the prognosis of chronic LBP is rather bleak; it does not simply go away on its own. Investigations have identified that up to 75% of patients with acute uncomplicated LBP will continue to have problems. [2-4]] At 3 and 12 months follow up, only (21%) / (25%), respectively, of LBP patients will be recovered. [2] In a 5 year follow up of 254 people with non-

specific low back and neck pain, Enthoven et al,[3] reported that 52% of the sample reported neck and low back pain and disability.

In one of the longest follow up surveys to date, Kaaria et al[4] reported on the initial, 5, 10, and 28 year low back pain prevalence and incidence in a population of Finnish metal workers. Initially, 54% of the cohort reported low back pain (LBP) and 25% reported radiation into the lower extremity (LEP). In the group with LBP, 75%, 73%, and 88% reported pain at 5, 10, and 28 year follow-up respectively. In the group with LEP, 66%, 65%, and 69% reported pain at 5, 10, and 28 year follow-up respectively. Thus, LBP and LEP are not self-limiting conditions that remit on their own

over time; the prognosis (outcomes of treatment) for chronic LBP is less than favorable.

Recently, a breakthrough non-randomized trial looking at a new treatment for chronic low back pain sufferers was performed and published by researchers from Chiropractic BioPhysics Technique or CBP Non-profit. [1]

The study was performed on subjects with chronic low back pain and abnormal lateral trunk shift posture. Treatment methods including Chiropractic BioPhysics® or CBP® Technique Mirror Image® posture exercises, posture adjustments, and posture traction. In the treated group, the mirror image interventions (exercise, adjustments, traction) were applied 3x per week for

12 weeks and resulted in a 73% improvement in chronic low back pain intensity and 50% improvement in the abnormal trunk translation posture and frontal view x-ray lumbar spine displacements. [1]

The treatment group was compared to a control group who were told to 'self-manage' their chronic LBP as they had prior to the start of the study. The outcomes of the control group were strongly in contrast to the treatment group where: 1) control subjects chronic back pain remained unchanged over the course of the study, 2) the control subjects trunk translation posture was found to statistically worsen over the course of the study. [1]

Thus, mirror image® methods (lateral translation exercise and trac-

tion) were found to produce statistically significant and clinically significant reductions in pain and trunk translation posture, a finding not observed in the control group. In fact, the control group's lateral thoracic translations were slightly worse at follow-up, possibly indicating progression of the disorder. [1]

How Can You Get Help for Chronic Low Back Pain?

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Reference Links

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Fifth annual hospice Sunset Luau fundraiser planned

Have you ever wanted to attend a Luau but didn't quite have the means or the time for a trip to Hawaii? Well, here is your perfect opportunity to enjoy a tropical evening with a Luau menu without the expense of a trip!! Volunteer Hospice of Northwest Illinois, Inc. is planning their annual Hospice Sunset Luau Fundraiser to be held on Tuesday, July 19 in Stockton Illinois!! With the generous help of Chef Andy McGovern who has planned the menu and opened his restaurant, Stella's Café and Catering, for this special evening, you won't want to miss what is in store. Please join us and bring your friends. Stella's Café, 100 North Main Street in Stockton will be transformed into a tropical paradise for all of the diners who attend the fundraiser. A tropical menu to please all tastes will be served and the proceeds for the evening will benefit Volunteer Hospice. The three serving times are at 4:30 pm, 6:00 pm and 7:30 pm. You must call Leslie in Stockton at (715) 412-1315 for your reservations. Volunteers from the organization will be on hand to take orders and serve food and answer any questions that diners may

have about our Volunteer Hospice and the services that we provide. Local businesses have generously donated many items that will be raffled off at each of the three seatings. You won't want to miss this fun evening. If you cannot attend the event, carry outs will be available. Remember to call our hostess Leslie to make your reservation. To see the menu that will

be offered, please check out the Volunteer Hospice of Northwest Illinois Facebook page.

Volunteer Hospice of Northwest Illinois, Inc. is a volunteer community based agency providing compassionate care, support and education to families dealing with life limiting illness and loss. For more information on this event and others

sponsored by Volunteer Hospice of Northwest Illinois, Inc. please visit them on Facebook, email them at volhospice@mediacommb.net, call them at (815) 947-3260 or visit them at their office at 105 S Main Street, Stockton, Illinois.

"At the end of the day there is always a beautiful sunset and hospice creates that sunset."

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DURA EMPLOYEES IN STOCKTON CELEBRATE SERVICE ANNIVERSARIES

Each of the employees captioned below celebrated a milestone service anniversary with the company during the 1st & 2nd Quarters of 2016. The Dura Management Team would like to congratulate the award recipients and thank them for their many years of dedicated service.



Mike Grenoble (40 yrs), Barbara Kaufman (40 yrs), Vicki Lutz (15 yrs), Kathryn Broshous (45 yrs), Kristi Boyer (40 yrs), Robert Smith (40 yrs)



Allen Scheele (40 yrs), Kevin VanBrocklin (35 yrs)

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Around the Northern Hills

Farm bureau sponsors pop tab recycling program for Ronald McDonald House. As more and more people are becoming greener, the Jo Daviess County Farm Bureau is asking families, school groups, churches, and other organizations to collect pop tabs for the Ronald McDonald House of Iowa City.

In turn, the farm bureau will deliver the collected tabs to the Iowa City facility for its fundraising campaign. The Ronald McDonald House Charities provide a



Annette McLane

home-away-from-home for families whose children are hospitalized and seriously ill. Please drop off collected tabs in any kind of container to the Jo Daviess County Farm Bureau office Monday - Friday, 8 - 4:30. This recycling program is beneficial for everyone involved. It does not interfere with other can recycling programs and recycles a resource that might otherwise go to waste. More importantly, children and their families are being helped during their time of need.

ROPS rebates are still available! If you have a tractor that needs a rollover protective structure installed remember to take advan-

tage of our incentive for members through September 30. Six members who purchase and install ROPS on a tractor will receive a \$250 reimbursement towards the cost. To receive the \$250, members would need to bring in their paid invoice to the Farm Bureau office in Elizabeth. Customers would be responsible for the cost, freight, and installation which are available through the dealer.

For more information about this program, or to become a member of our organization, contact the Jo Daviess County Farm Bureau office at (815) 858-2235 or email jdcfbmgr@blkhawk.net.

Next week is the annual Jo Daviess County 4-H Fair. Come out and check out all of the hard work that the 4-H'ers have done this past year. The general projects will be on display in the Elizabeth Commu-

nity Building from July 18 through the morning of July 21. The livestock will start coming in on Tuesday night, but the best time to see all of the projects is on Wednesday, July 18 at the Pork Chop BBQ followed by the livestock auction.

It's time to place your order for those fabulous Cresthaven free-stone peaches that have become so popular here. The peaches are delivered fresh from Rendleman Or-

chards in Alto Pass, Illinois. Order can be placed through Friday, August 12 with an anticipated delivery of August 23. The cost per 25# box is \$27 for farm bureau members and \$32 for non-members. You can find an order form on our website at www.jodavinesscfb.com and click on the order form on the homepage.

Farm Fun Fact: July is National Ice Cream Month.

Ice Cream Social and Civil War Band Concert to benefit Octagon House Museum

The historic Octagon House Museum in Watertown, Wisconsin will be the setting of the Watertown Historical Society's annual ice cream and homemade cake social on Sunday, Aug. 7, from 1:30-4 p.m. Civil War era music will be performed by the renowned First Brigade Band. The band "makes history live" by presenting period brass band music played on antique instruments. Dressed in period uniforms and gowns, the band's musicians, color guard, and costumed ladies evoke the atmosphere of the turbulent 1860's through their unique form of showmanship blending the sights and sounds of the period with historical anecdotes.

Attendees are invited to tour the five-story, 8,000 square-foot Octagon House, completed in 1854. Designed and constructed by the pioneer Watertown settler, John Richards, the house is one of the largest pre-Civil War family residences built in Wisconsin. Its unique features include central heating, running water and ventilating systems. The house also features a central spiral staircase which rises from the first floor to the tower room.

Occupied only by Richards' family members, the house was given to the Watertown Historical Society in 1938 and has been open as a public museum since 1939. The museum grounds are also home to the First Kindergarten in America, a restored pioneer-era barn, a 1936 model of the Octagon House and a tour center with gift shop. The Octagon House is located at 919 Charles St. and is open daily from

10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tours of the house and First Kindergarten in America are conducted hourly. Tours will be held throughout the day of the social and band concert. Benches for the comfort of guests will be provided by the Watertown Park, Recreation and Forestry Department and community residents are encouraged to bring lawn chairs. Band members will have CD's of both Confederate and Union music on sale.

The event is open to the public. For more information please call (920) 261-2796 or go the Octagon House facebook page.

Illinois State Troopers announce DUI arrests in June

The Illinois State Police, in its effort to strongly discourage unsafe driving and ultimately reduce traffic fatalities, is releasing a list of motorists charged with Driving Under the Influence (DUI) in District 16 during the month of June, 2016. "Traffic crashes involving impaired drivers continue to cost Americans precious lives; stated Lt. Carl Heintz, District 16 Operations. If you're fortunate enough to survive that crash, you may have to cope with debilitating injuries and pain for the rest of your life. We encourage everyone to drive responsibly. If you drink, have a sober driver or call a cab. Don't get behind that wheel."

Charged with DUI in June, 2016, were:

- Juan A. Mora, 46, Rockford
- Brandon R. Dye, 27, Rockford
- Kiely Diana Somerset, 28, Rockford
- Adam M. Kreiner, 22, Aurora
- Jaime J. Salgado, 34, Rockford
- Charles A. Finkenhofner, 29, Rockford
- Andrew F. Ziarnick, 29, Lake Mills, WI
- Erin L. Graw, 33, Chicago
- Gernetha E. Bell, 40, Beloit, WI
- Paul J. Saporiti, 50, Rockford

All criminal defendants are presumed innocent until the government is able to prove its charges in court beyond a reasonable doubt.

Jo Daviess County Sheriff's Office investigates motorcycle crash

On July 6 at approximately 12:25 p.m., the Jo Daviess County Sheriff's Office received a 911 call reporting a one vehicle motorcycle crash at the intersection of North Blackjack Road and North Pilot Knob Road. The motorcycle was driven by Michael L. Willis. The passenger on the motorcycle was Sherry L. Willis.

As Michael Willis was driving southbound on North Blackjack Road, he lost control of the motor-

cycle. The motorcycle then veered off North Blackjack Road to the right and entered into the Southeast grass ditch of North Pilot Knob Road. Once off the roadway, the motorcycle then overturned.

The Galena Ambulance Service transported both Michael and Sherry Willis to Midwest Medical Center.

This crash remains under investigation.

Northwest Illinois Forestry Association to host tour of US FDA Forest Products Lab

A free tour of the U.S. FDA Forest Products Laboratory (FPL) in Madison, Wisconsin, will be held on Friday, July 15, 1 until 3 p.m. Sponsored by the Northwest Illinois Forestry Association (NIFA). Established in 1910 by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Forest Service, the FPL was chartered to serve as a wood research laboratory.

The tour will include a brief orientation session and a walk through the Laboratory to view research projects being conducted in-house. Also on site, a two story, 2,200 sq. ft. house designed to show proper installation of energy conservation features such as a tankless hot water heater and

energy efficient appliances, moisture control techniques such as drainage and vapor barriers, and new wood products and applications such as a wood foundation and recycled wood/waste composite roofing.

To get there, approach Madison from the southwest on Rtes. 18/151. Where Rte. 18 merges with Rte. 14, go straight ahead and under the Rte. 14 overpass. Drive on Midvale Avenue approximately two miles to University Avenue. Turn right onto University Avenue and drive until you reach Campus Drive (a little less than one mile). Stay in the right hand lane for Old University Avenue. Go to the second stoplight on

Old University Avenue and turn left onto Walnut Street (a gas station is at this corner). Go under the bridge and take the second turn to the left at the sign for Forest Products Laboratory. This is Gifford Pinchot Drive. FPL is straight ahead. Go to the end of the drive and around the circle to the front of the building where there is visitor parking.

Their address is One Gifford Pinchot Drive, Madison, WI 53726. Gather in the main lobby which is just inside the main entrance for the building. We will have a short film that explains the workings of the Lab, then a tour of the facilities.

This tour is open to the public and there is no charge to attend. NIFA is a non-profit woodland owner organization seeking to educate its members and the public about the environmental and economic benefits of sustainable forest management.



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'A Funny Thing ...' happens at Timber Lake Playhouse

One of the greatest musical comedies ever written takes the stage at Timber Lake Playhouse July 14-23. A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum, with music and lyrics by Stephen Sondheim and a book by Burt Shevelove and Larry Gelbart (the award winning writer of "Tootsie" and TV's "M*A*S*H") brings farce to new heights.

Set on a typical street in Ancient Rome, the show follows Pseudolus, a crafty slave, as he struggles to win the hand of a beautiful, but slow-witted, courtesan named Philia for his young master, Hero, in exchange for freedom. The plot twists and turns with cases of mistaken identity, slamming doors and hilarious musical numbers. This unforgettable musical brings a terrific ensemble of comedic actors together on the TLP stage - "something for everyone, a comedy tonight!"

The New York Times wrote of the show: "Here's a glorious, old-fashioned farce

... The kind of organized chaos that leads to sheer, extremely contagious high spirits."

Chicago actor Tommy Bullington plays the lead role of Pseudolus. The Jeff Award winning performer previously starred at TLP as Edna in Hairspray. TLP favorite Cody Jolly plays the role of befuddled next door neighbor, Erronius. Chandler Smith, seen as Lonny in Rock

of Ages, plays Hero, and Elya Botiger plays the courtesan Philia. The resident company at TLP rounds out the cast.

Zachary L. Gray returns to TLP to direct and choreograph the mayhem. His past hits at TLP include the choreography for Gypsy and Hairspray, and the direction and choreography of Peter Pan. Cindy Blanc serves as

Music Director

Tickets are \$17-\$25 dollars and may be purchased at www.timberlakeplayhouse.org or by calling 815-244-2035. A cash bar is open prior to and during the show. TLP is located at 8215 Black Oak Road in Mount Carroll.

The summer season at Timber Lake continues with Tony Award

winning Best Musical Titanic opening July 28 and the classic psychological thriller Gaslight in August. The Magic Owl Children's Theatre at TLP will present a rock and roll musical version of The Three Little

Pigs August 2, 4, 5 and 6 at 2:00 p.m. for kids of all ages. Tickets are only \$8.00 for the Magic Owl performances. TLP's new Jukebox Series continues September 9 - 11 and 16 - 18 with Always...Patsy Cline.



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A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum, with music and lyrics by Stephen Sondheim takes the stage at Timber Lake Playhouse July 14-23.

Calling all Schubert descendants

The 2016 Schubert Reunion is Sun. July 17 at 12:30 p.m. at the Stockton Park House; for all descendants of Frederick/Caroline Schubert. Come, enjoy "good food", family fellowship, history, updates. Bring a dish to pass, drink of your choice, own table service. If you have any updates to your family, births, deaths, marriages, divorces, any exciting events in your family to share. Hope to see you there.

• Back Pain

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Hack's

"Margery Frey Estate 3-Day Antique Auction"

DAY 1! SATURDAY, JULY 16 • 10:00 A.M.

Hack's Auction Antique Center - 400 W. Third St., Pecatonica, IL

Outstanding Antiques & Americana Auction! Featuring Early Freeport Memorabilia-Books-Literature-Adv.; Woodmanse Salesman/Display Windmills; C.I. Door Stop Collection; Old Banks; Candy Containers & Smalls; Stoneware & Spongware Collection; Primitives; Brass & Copper; Old Toys; Unique Figures & Whimsy; Artwork & Vict. Lithos; Currier & Ives; Lighting; Fine China & Glassware; Furniture; Textiles; Pocket Knife Collection; Much More! Many Rare & Hard-to-Find Antiques! Margery will be remembered in Freeport as a well-known collector of fine and unusual pieces! Many Freeport Collectibles!

DAY 2! SUNDAY, JULY 17 • 10:00 A.M.

Great Auction of Antiques-Collectibles-Toys-Primitives-Americana! Rare Heintz Silver 'Witch's Hat' Lamp; Large Collection of Vintage Toys-Structo-Arcade-Fredig-Pressed Steel-Tin Litho, Great Collection of Old Halloween-Paper Mache-Cutouts, Dolls-Furniture-Children Antiques, Coaster Wagons & Early Hobby Horse; Galena Pottery; Stoneware-Crocks-Spongware; Loads of Primitives; Artwork & Vict. Lithos; Textiles & Old Clothing; Tin-Cast-Iron-Brass-Copper; Cupboards & Benches; Lighting; Woodware; Extensive Jewelry Collection-Gold-Silver; Unique Smalls; Glass Marbles Collection; Adv.; Much More! The Third & Final Day for the auctions of the Margery Frey Estate is Sat., July 30 1645 S. Walnut St., Freeport, IL at 10 A.M.

THURSDAY, JULY 21 • 10:30 A.M.

The Galena Territory - 16 Ravine Dr., Galena, IL

Great Selection of Americana & Antiques! Oil Paintings & Artwork; Antique Oriental Rugs Featuring a 22'x11.6' Room Size; Baldwin Baby Grand Piano; Clocks; Lighting; Historical 1856 Galena & Books; Flow Blue Collection; Fine Glassware; Stoneware; Primitives; Pine Cupboards; Copper-Brass-Cast Iron; Adv. & Country Store; Old Seed Chests; Textiles & Quilts; Coin-Op Dispensers; Vict. Furniture; Silver; Architectural & Lawn/Garden; Toys; 1920's Atwater Kent Bread Board Radio & Martian Crystal Receiver; Collectibles; Household Furnishings; Fishing Gear; Tools & Shop Equip.; Mercedes-Benz Automobiles- 1983 Mercedes-Benz 380 SL Convertible Roadster-2004 Mercedes-Benz E-320 Wagon; Many More Fine Antiques.

REAL ESTATE AUCTION

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27 • 5 P.M.

221 W. Main St., Elizabeth, IL

1-1/2-Story Home w/Attached Garage. 1-BR. 1-Bath. 50 ft. x 250 ft. Lot w/Additional Smaller Parcels.

Please Call Or Log-On for Details or a Private Showing.

HACK'S HAS FARMS FOR SALE!

Hack's Auction & Realty Service, Inc.

Greg & Swan Hachmeister, Auctioneers www.hacksauction.com
Pecatonica, IL 815-239-1436 I.A.F.L. #444.000128



EZSELLUSA Estate Tag Sale
We Sell for you! THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY
Estate Garage Tag Sale July 14, 15 & 16 8:00am to 5:00pm.
This is our first sale in the Heart of the Galena Territory a long time resident is moving to Florida to be with family. Large sale with so very much to sell. Search ezsellusa on Dubuque Craigslist for details and items we are selling. Sale opens 8:00 am each day.
We Moved! Consignment Resale Center 201 N. Commerce Street Galena, IL 61036 Questions call Paul a 563-543-5201 Find us on Facebook
#2 Northview Lane, Galena, IL 61036

20th Annual Apple River Fire District CONSIGNMENT AUCTION
SUNDAY, JULY 17, 2016 • 10:00 A.M.
LOCATION: Apple River Fire Station on Stagecoach Trail 446 E. Hickory St., Apple River, Ill. 61001
LUNCH: Apple River Fire Department
NOTE: Sale items may be brought to A.R. Fire Station July 15th and 16th-Early ad listing, items welcome up to July 16th!
Offering several donated items from area business's and individuals! Lawn Mower & 50/50 Drawing to be held after AUCTION! (Need not be present to win)
TICKETS FOR 22HP. SIMPLICITY LAWN MOWER/38" MOWER DECK OR \$1500.00 CASH
\$5.00 EACH OR 7 FOR \$20.00 TICKETS SOLD AT AUCTION OR FROM ANY FIREMAN! BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!!!!
ANNUAL A.R. FIREMEN'S HOME-MADE DESSERT SPECIALTIES SELLING AT AUCTION!!!!

Accepting consignment items Friday until 6 p.m. or Saturday until 5 p.m.
CONSIGNMENT TERMS: Seller has legal right to sell items. Inform A.R. Firemen if there's a lien against property. Sale items are Seller's responsibility if left overnight. Seller will be charged commission on sold items-10% on vehicles, farm machinery, Lg. Eq. with a \$300.00 max. commission & 20% on household, furniture, antiques, misc., sm. tools. Consigner check resulting in an amount less than \$25 will be kept and considered a donation. Unsold merchandise must be picked up by 5 p.m. sale day or arrangements made with A.R. Firemen or \$10 will be deducted from your consignment check.

GUNS: (Federal Firearms law applies)Wolf Magnum 50 Cal. Black powder stainless barrel w/scope; Savage Model 22/250 Bolt action w/scope; Winchester 22 cal. long Rifle, 18 shot, Model 190, Automatic BOW & ARROW: Golden Eagle Bow, 50 to 70 lbs., draw length 30-31

BOAT: "Bass Tracker" alum. 14' boat, carpeted decks & floors, 25 hp. Johnson outbd. motor, 2 fishing chairs + trolling motor

TRAILER/GENERATOR: Winpower 3 pt. Driven Alternator, Model #20/12PT35, mounted on trailer, 2008 Haulmark 20' Landscaper Enclosed Bed, 7000# cap.

ANTIQUES/COLLECTIBLES: Heavy oak 5-drawer chest w/"hat box" on top; Hand-made (Arkansas) Cedar Chest; Albums of Baseball/Football Cards; Boxes of Baseball/Football Cards; JC Penney Display Case; Records; VCR Tapes; New Heart Shaped Basket; Budweiser Bucket

HOUSEHOLD/FURNITURE: Office Chair; Checked Love Seat; 3-Drawer Chest; Pictures; Nice Oak TV Hutch; New Sm. Mantle Clock; Rugs; Tupperware; Knick Knacks; Misc. Items

MISCELLANEOUS: Third seat from 1990 Chev. Suburban; New Tackle Box; Golf Clubs; PLUS MANY MORE ITEMS TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION!

TERMS: Cash, Check or Credit Card w/3% Credit Card Convenience fee. Positive I.D. required. All items must be settled for and removed day of sale. Not responsible for accidents or items after sold. Any announcements sale day take precedence over all printed material

REGISTERED WISCONSIN & ILLINOIS AUCTIONEERS:

Larry L. Teasdale, Shullsburg, Wi. 608-965-3558 Ill. #441.000224 WI. #172

Randal J. Gill, Shullsburg, WI. 608-965-3632, Ill. #441.000226 WI. #17

CLERK: Jeff Russell, Shullsburg, Wis. 53586

Also go to: www.teasdalerealty.com

CHURCH NEWS



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McConnell United Methodist Church announces the arrival of Pastor Matthew J. Smith, wife Lisa and their daughter Lily.

McConnell United Methodist Church celebrates arrival of new pastor

McConnell United Methodist Church is pleased to announce the arrival of our new pastor, Matthew J. Smith, to our church! Pastor Matt and his wife Lisa and daughter Lily previously served the churches in Winnebago and German Valley. Matt grew up in Warren, and worked in the Freeport area in various places for several years. In 2012 he began his seminary education at University of Dubuque Theological Seminary and completes his coursework for his Masters in Divinity this August.

We invite you to come worship with us every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. On Sunday, July 17 a potluck to welcome Pastor Matt will be held immediately after the service in Fellowship Hall. We ask everyone to bring a dish to pass and a smile. Come out and see what we are doing in ministry, mission and fellowship at McConnell UMC! Visitors and

members alike are welcome! We welcome you with open hearts, open minds and open doors.

We are located two blocks north of Main St. in the heart of McConnell at 211 N. Hulbert Rd.

Elizabeth churches to host community Vacation Bible School

Register today for an unforgettable adventure in Elizabeth! "Cave Quest – Following Jesus, The Light of the World" is this year's theme for the Elizabeth Community Vacation Bible School. It will be held from July 25 through July 29 from 5:30 – 8 p.m. at St. Mary Catholic Church, located at 112 E. Washington St. in Elizabeth.

Come along with us as we learn about our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ through small groups, songs, crafts, and games! Vacation Bible School is open to all children that are preschool age through the fifth grade. Cost will be \$25 per family and includes a dinner each evening to be served at 5:30. There will also be a special closing program on Friday evening at 7:30 p.m.

The Elizabeth Community Vacation Bible School is co-sponsored

by St. Mary Catholic Church, St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church and First United Methodist Church of Elizabeth. For more information and to register your child(ren),

please contact Norma Schwirtz at (815) 238-2317 or register online at <https://www.groupvbspro.com/vbs/ez/cavequestcommunity/gpgs/home.aspx>

Food Pantry Sunday and meeting at Saint Paul's in Kent

On Sunday, July 19, St. Paul's Lutheran Church on Sunnyside Road in Kent will celebrate the Ninth Sunday after Pentecost at the 10 a.m. family worship. After reading scriptures from Genesis and Colossians, Bonnie Hill will lead the congregation as we read responsively Psalm 15. Deb Winning will lead us musically as we sing the oldies. Pastor Andres' sermon will focus on the Mary and Martha story found in the gospel of Luke.

Immediately after our worship, President Ron Brown will preside at our quarterly congregational meeting.

This is also Food Pantry Sunday, and we encourage all to bring a food item for the Pearl City Area Food Pantry.

All are welcome at the Little Church with the Big Heart, which is located in the suburbs of Kent. For more information, call Pastor Andres at 232-4010.

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church will gather for worship on July 17, at 118 E. Mason St. Lena, IL, at 9:30 a.m. All are invited to worship on this Ninth Sunday after Pentecost with Holy Communion. Colton Brinker will give a presentation on "Fruit for the Spirit Community Garden" from his Mission Trip to Pine Ridge Indian Reservation in South Dakota. Following worship, there will be a time of fellowship.

On Wednesday July 20 8 a.m. the Piece Corps Quilters will work together to craft quilts for Lutheran World Relief. They are always looking for more people to help tie quilts and sew. No previous quilting experience is necessary. Come join the fun and make a difference in the world!

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and the Beloved Church will join with Lena United Methodist Church who will be hosting a Hero Quest Vacation Bible School Monday July 18 through Thursday, July 21 from 5:30 to 8 p.m. at Lena United Methodist Church, 118 W. Mason St., Lena. Hero Quest will be featuring Bible stories that show heroism in action by using the strength of faith, generosity, courage to do the right thing, and service with love and humility. Each night, they will be serving a meal from 5:30 for all kids and helpers. VBS activities and games will commence from 6 to 8 p.m. On Thursday night, parents are invited to attend a fun worship service at Lena UMC, before heading to Splash Land, for family fun and swimming from 8 – 9 p.m. All are welcome. Registrations are available at Good Shepherd, please call (815) 369-5552 if you would like a registration sent to you.

Kent/Willow United Methodist Churches

Kent/Willow UMC will worship together Sunday, July 17, at Kent UMC at 9 a.m. Pastor Brenda Morris will be bringing the message and all are invited and welcome. Also to stay for the fellowship following Sunday School is at 10:30 a.m. studying from the Holy Bible, all are invited and welcome to share in this study too. Kent UMC is located right in the town of Kent, IL. For More information, please call (815) 601-6742.

St. John's Lutheran Church

Join us at St. John's at 9 a.m. on July 17 for worship led by members of the congregation. Following worship the Memorial and Finance committee is scheduled to meet at 10:15 a.m. St. John's will host the July Community Grace Meal at Noon on July 19. Come and enjoy a meal with fellowship. The Splat members will meet at 11 a.m. to deliver meals.

The Fifth Quarter youth group (seventh and eighth grades) will meet at 6 p.m. on Sunday, July 17 followed by the Genesis (high school) youth group at 7:30 p.m.

The Pearl City Brat and Hot Dog stand will be open on July 16 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. A brat or hot dog meal with chips and drink will be \$4.50. Brat sandwich only will be \$3 and a hot dog only will be \$2.50. The Pearl City Brat and Hot Dog stand is held adjacent to the Pearl City Post Office. See you there!

PUBLIC NOTICE Notice of Letting

The Jo Daviess County Highway Department will be accepting bids for bridge repair consisting of: concrete encasement of existing HP piles, cleaning and painting of existing steel beams, repair of existing beams, replacement of the concrete deck, and placement of riprap and granular backfill for a structure on Fiedler Road over Wolf Creek. The bridge is located a ½ mile south of Warren, IL. Bids will be accepted at the County Highway office in Hanover, IL until 9:00 a.m. on July 21, 2016 and publicly opened and read at that time. Plans and specifications are available at the office of the Jo Daviess County Engineer, 1 Commercial Drive, Suite 3, Hanover, IL 61041. This bid requires that the successful contractor comply with all statutes, both Federal and State, governing the payment of wages to employees. The Jo Daviess County Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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Homecoming Worship & Music Festival



Sun., July 17th
10 a.m.

Please join us for a time of worship, fellowship and music.

*Good Worship
Good Music
Good Food
Good Friends*

RSVP to Pastor Dottie at 815-845-2272

Schapville Zion Presbyterian Church
635 E. Schapville Road
Elizabeth, IL 61028 • www.schapvillezion.org

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ST. PAUL EV. LUTHERAN CHURCH-LCMS

411 West Catlin Street,
Elizabeth, IL 61028
815-858-3334

Pastor Mike Nesbit
www.stpaulizabeth.org

Memorial Day to Labor Day

Sunday Worship at 9 a.m.

Summer Bible Study at
10:15 a.m.

Wednesday Evening

Worship at 7 p.m. 245245

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH OF LENA

720 N. Freedom Street
Lena, IL
815-369-5591

Dr. Jim Erb, Senior Pastor
Rev. Scott Wilson
Assoc. Pastor of Youth

Sunday Worship
10:00 a.m.

Sunday School/ABF 8:45 a.m.

AWANA-Wednesdays 5:30 p.m.

Junior and Senior High

Youth Wednesdays 7:00 p.m. 220097

LEGALS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 15TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT JO DAVIESS COUNTY - GALENA, ILLINOIS
FIRST COMMUNITY BANK OF GALENA, A BRANCH OF APPLE RIVER STATE BANK
 Plaintiff,
 -v.-
JESSICA MEINER, et al
 Defendant

16 CH 00006
 NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on May 12, 2016, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 1:30 PM on August 10, 2016, at the office of Vincent Roth Toepfer & Leinen PC, 122 1/2 N Main St, Galena, IL 61036, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

LOT 29 IN STEPHEN JEFFERSON'S ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE OF HANOVER, AND FRONTING ON JEFFERSON STREET IN SAID VILLAGE. SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF JO DAVIESS IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

Commonly known as 408 JEFFERSON STREET, HANOVER, IL 61041 Property Index No. 09-001-085-00. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds/or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS

IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. You will need a photo identification issued by a government agency (driver's license, passport, etc.) in order to gain entry into our building and the foreclosure sale room in Cook County and the same identification for sales held at other county venues where The Judicial Sales Corporation conducts foreclosure sales. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876 Please refer to file number 14-15-19675. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 E-Mail: pleadings@il.cslegal.com Attorney File No. 14-15-19675 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Case Number: 16 CH 00006 TJSC#: 36-6713 NOTE: Pur-

suant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.
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15-032854 F2
 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 15TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COUNTY OF JO DAVIESS - GALENA, ILLINOIS
US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION ND;
 Plaintiff,

vs.
BRUCE J. HINTZ, AKA BRUCE HINTZ; KARIN FRANZ, AKA KARIN I. FRANZ; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS; U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION ND
 Defendants,

14 CH 25
 NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, August 3, 2016, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. in the office of James J. Nack, 106 North Main Street, Galena, Illinois 61036, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described mortgaged real estate:

A part of the Northwest quarter of Section 23, Township 27 North, Range 1 East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, Jo Daviess County, Illinois, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the Southeast corner of the Northwest quarter of said Section 23; thence North 01°47'19" West along the East line of said Northwest quarter, 23.16 feet to the point of beginning in the centerline of Blackjack Road; thence North 85°49'17" West, along said centerline, 580.31 feet; thence North 00°37'44" West, 774.29 feet; thence South 86°47'19" East, 563.64 feet to said East line of the Northwest quarter; thence South 01°47'19" East, along said East line of the Northwest quarter, 785.34 feet to the point of beginning.

Commonly known as 7354 Blackjack Road, Hanover, IL

61041.
 P.I.N. 43-14-000-164-06.

The improvement on the property consists of a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act.

Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds.

The property will NOT be open for inspection.

For information call Sales Department at Plaintiff's Attorney, Manley Deas Kochalski, LLC, One East Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60601. (614) 220-5611.

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NOTICE

An ordinance of the Township of Pleasant Valley, County of Jo Daviess, Illinois has been passed this 30th day of June, 2016, ascertaining the prevailing rate of wages for laborers, workmen and mechanics employed on public works of said township. Anyone wishing to inspect the Ordinance may do so by appointment with the Township Clerk, Rena Eden.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 15TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT JO DAVIESS COUNTY - GALENA, ILLINOIS
RIDGESTONE BANK
 Plaintiff,

-v.-
BLUE TREE INVESTMENTS LLC, BP EVERGREEN LLC, NAFEES USMANI, F & B MANAGEMENT, INC. A/K/A F & B MANAGEMENT, INC., KENNETH GOMES, UNKNOWN OWNERS, AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
 Defendant

16 CH 2
 NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on June 23, 2016, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 1:30 PM on August 10, 2016, at the office of Vincent Roth Toepfer & Leinen PC, 122 1/2 N Main St, Galena, IL 61036, sell at public auction to

the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

Parcel 1: Lot 1 in Henry Wand Subdivision, located in a part of the Northwest Quarter of Section 22, Township 27 North, Range 2, East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, Jo Daviess County, Illinois, according to the plat thereof recorded December 5, 1972 as Document No. 127710 in Plat Book 3, Pages 100 and 101, and now located in Plan Hold 5 of Plats Nos. 83 and 84 in the Recorder's Office of said Jo Daviess County, Illinois. Also part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 15 and a part of the Northwest Quarter of Section 22, all in Township 27 North, Range 2, East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the Northeast corner of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 22; thence West on the North line of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 22, a distance of 184.95 feet to a point in the centerline of a public highway designated SBI Route 5 (marked U.S. Route 20 and Illinois Route 84), said point being the point of beginning of the hereinafter described tract of land; thence Southeasterly on the centerline of said SBI Route 5, at an angle of 79 degrees 26 minutes 08 seconds as measured clockwise from the last described course a distance of 396.97 feet; thence Southwesterly on the Northerly line of Lot 1 in Henry Wand's Subdivision, at an angle of 89 degrees 18 minutes 25 seconds as measured counter-clockwise from the last described course, a distance of 220.00 feet; thence Northwesterly, at an angle of 90 degrees 41 minutes 35 seconds as measured counterclockwise from the last described course, a distance of 200.00 feet; thence Northeasterly, at an angle of 89 degrees 18 minutes 25 seconds as measured counter-clockwise from the last described course, a distance of 20.00 feet; thence Northwesterly, at an angle of 270 degrees 41 minutes 35 seconds as measured counterclockwise from the last described course, a distance of 20.00 feet; thence Northeasterly, at an angle of 134 degrees 39 minutes 12.5 seconds as measured counter-clockwise from the also described course, a distance of 281.13 feet to the centerline of said SBI Route 5; thence Southeasterly on said centerline at an angle of 45 degrees 20 minutes 47.5 seconds as measured

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Continued from previous page counter-clockwise from the last described course, a distance of 23.03 feet to the point of beginning. Parcel 2: A part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 15, Township 27 North, Range 2, East of the Fourth Principal Meridian and a part of the Northwest Quarter of Section 22, Township 27 North, Range 2, East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, Jo Daviess County, Illinois, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing at the Northeast corner of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 22; thence West on the North line of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 22, a distance of 184.95 feet to the centerline of U.S. Route 20 and Illinois Route 84; thence North 10 degrees 33 minutes 52 seconds West on said centerline of U.S. Route 20 and Illinois Route 84, a distance of 23.03 feet to the point of beginning of the hereinafter described tract of land; thence South 34 degrees 46 minutes 56 seconds West, a distance of 281.13 feet; thence South 10 degrees 33 minutes 51 seconds East, a distance of 20.00 feet; thence South 80 degrees 07 minutes 44 seconds West, a distance of 20.00 feet; thence South 10 degrees 33 minutes 51 seconds East, a distance of 200.00 feet; thence South 80 degrees 07 minutes 44 seconds West, a distance of 187.49 feet; thence North 01 degrees 18 minutes 1 second East, a distance of 428.09 feet; thence North 80 degrees 07 minutes 44 seconds East, a distance of 219.45 feet to the point of beginning according to the survey recorded July 14, 1976 as document no. 138730, and located in Plan Hold 2 of Plats No. 21-B. Parcel 1 and Parcel 2 now more particularly described as follows: A tract of land located in part of the Southwest Quarter of Section 15 and also located in a part of the Northwest Quarter of Section 21, all in Township 27 North, Range 2, East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, Elizabeth Township, Jo Daviess County, Illinois, the boundary of said tract being more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the North Quarter corner of Section 22, Township 27 North, Range 2, East of the Fourth Principal Meridian; thence South 89 degrees 39 minutes 06 seconds West, along the North line of the Northwest Quarter of said Section 22, a distance of 193.49 feet to a point on the Westerly right-of-way line of U.S. Route

No. 20, said point also being the point of beginning; thence South 08 degrees 42 minutes 00 seconds East, along said Westerly right-of-way line, a distance of 174.47 feet; thence South 39 degrees 10 minutes 15 seconds East, along said Westerly right-of-way line, a distance of 109.53 feet; thence South 10 degrees 49 minutes 34 seconds East along said Westerly right-of-way line, a distance of 100.00 feet; thence South 06 degrees 59 minutes 06 seconds East, along said Westerly right-of-way line, a distance of 105.33 feet; thence South 15 degrees 35 minutes 35 seconds East along said Westerly right-of-way line, a distance of 209.01 feet; thence continuing Southwesterly along said Westerly right-of-way line along a circular curve concave to the West, an arc distance of 334.85 feet; said curve having a radius of 895.44 feet, a central angle of 21 degrees 25 minutes 33 seconds, and whose long chord bears South 08 degrees 14 minutes 18 seconds West, 332.90 feet from the last described course; thence South 21 degrees 55 minutes 16 seconds West, along said Westerly right-of-way line, a distance of 22.42 feet to a point on the South line of Lot 1 of Henry Wand Subdivision, as recorded as Document No. 127710, in Plan Hold 5, Pages 83 and 84, in the office of the Jo Daviess County Recorder; thence North 75 degrees 03 minutes 58 seconds West, along said South line, a distance of 84.32 feet to a found iron rod; thence North 16 degrees 56 minutes 03 seconds West, along the Westerly line of said lot a distance of 572.72 feet to the found iron rod at the Southwest corner of Penoyer's Addition to Elizabeth Township, as shown on the plat recorded in Plan Hold No. 2, Page 21-B in the office of the Jo Daviess County Recorder; thence North 01 degrees 04 minutes 54 seconds East, along the West line of said Penoyer's Addition, a distance of 427.93 feet to the Northwest corner of said Penoyer's Addition; thence North 79 degrees 52 minutes 26 seconds East, along the North line of said Penoyer's Addition, a distance of 113.83 feet to a found iron on the Westerly right-of-way line a distance of 5.82 feet to the point of beginning, all being situated in Elizabeth Township, Jo Daviess County, Illinois. Note: For the purposes of this survey, the North line of the Northwest Quarter of Section 22, is assumed to bear South 89 degrees

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IDOT to begin resurfacing Canyon Road

The Illinois Department of Transportation announces today that weather permitting; construction work on Canyon Road north of Stockton began on Tuesday, July 5. Dunn Company will be the contractor for the \$476,412 project to make improvements to Canyon Road from IL 78 to Fielder Road.

The 2.0 mile section of roadway will be improved by recycling the existing asphalt. The top four inches of the existing pavement will be milled off, mixed with new asphalt and the re-compacted. The surface will then be re-sealed.

The project is scheduled to be completed by the end of July. Drivers should be alert for flaggers who will be directing traffic past the work operations.

Please slow down and use extreme caution while driving through all work zones.

For IDOT District 2 updates on Twitter, follow us at <http://twitter.com/IDOTDistrict2>.

St. John's to host VBS

Barnyard Roundup...Jesus Gathers Us Together! This is the 2016 Vacation Bible School theme at St. John's Lutheran Church, 625 Country Lane Drive in Lena. Please join us on Monday, August 1 through Friday, August 5 from 2:30 to 5 p.m.

You will make new friends, do barn-related crafts and yippety-skip-pety games. You will have barnyard related snacks and enjoy a-moo-zing skits and videos! You can register now. Bring a friend along with your or grab your neighbor. Bus service is available in Lena.

You may register by call (815) 369-4035 or online at www.stjohnslena.org.

Cedarville Baptist Church presents VBS 'Cow-a-bunga, Growing with our Faithful Father'

Join the action at Cedarville Baptist Church, Cedarville, IL for exciting Bible stories, crafts, games, skits, snacks, and prizes. Bring your friends ages four to sixth grade and join us each day July 18-22, from 9 a.m.-noon. All family members are invited to our closing program and family fun carnival at the church from 5:30-9 p.m. For further information, please call Benjamin Randecker at (815) 238-5397.

Ebenezer-Salem UCC churches to celebrate 150th anniversary

The Ebenezer-Salem UCC churches of Pearl City will be celebrating their 150th anniversary on July 17 at 5421 Stone Church Rd. south of Pearl City. We are planning our annual Ice Cream Social from 12-3.

We will be having free pony rides, games, cemetery walk, and release of balloons. Please join us for the church service at 10 a.m.

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Friday July 22th

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- Noon – Bingo
- Noon-10 p.m. – Carnival Open
- 1 p.m. – Kiddie Tractor Pull (Sponsored by the Jo Daviess County Young Leaders, sign up 12:30 p.m.)
- 1 p.m. – Steer Show
- 3 p.m. – Truck Show and Shine (Registration 12:30 p.m. For info contact Kurt Krohmer 815-858-5333)
- 7 p.m. – Fantasy Truck Pullers feat. Heartland Tractor Pullers (Weigh in 5 p.m.)
- 7 p.m. – Elizabeth Fair Queen, Jr. Miss, and Little Miss Pageant

Sun. July 24th - Ag Day

- 10 a.m.-2 p.m. – Farmers Market
- 11 a.m. – 6th Annual "Carp Allen" Memorial Horseshoe Tournament
- Noon – Bingo
- Noon – Dairy Land Pullers & "Boots" Koester Memorial Jackpot Pull (Weigh in 11 a.m.)
- Noon – Basketball Skill Drills
- Noon-4 p.m. – Petting Zoo (By Jo Daviess County Young Leaders)
- Noon-5 p.m. – Carnival Open
- 2 p.m. – Ag Olympics (by the River Ridge FFA)
- 3:30 p.m. – Euchre Tournament
- 5 p.m. – Pre Show Activities and Pie & Cake Auction
- 6:30 p.m. – YouTube Sensations: The Peterson Farm Brothers

The Elizabeth Community Fair





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Shows are Aug. 2, 4, 5 and 6 at 2 p.m.

Tickets are \$6. Reservations may be made through the box office by calling (815) 244-2035. The pre-season Magic Owl shows have introduced three generations of young people to live theatre. Call for more information.

Summer Passes remain the same for this year at the Stockton pool

- Single (over 60 y/o): \$50
 - Single: \$75
 - Couple (over 60 y/o): \$75
 - Couple: \$100
 - Family of 3: \$125
 - Family of 4: \$150
 - Family of 5: \$175
 - Family of 6: \$200
- (Children who are 3 y/o and younger are FREE.) Stop by any time the pool is open to purchase your season pass.



Characters from The Magic Owl children's theatre production gather outside the theatre to greet the children and their parents after the show.



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The Magic Owl Children's Theatre presents two shows for children and families each year performed by the Timber Lake Playhouse professional resident company.



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The mullet may be gone, but "mullet era" rock lives on when Joel French joins his band, Hitman, on stage.

Le-Win alum returns with 'mullet era' rock band to celebrate with classmates and friends

In 1996, the drum-banging, mullet-sporting Joel French and his classmates bid farewell to the hallowed halls of Lena-Winslow High School as the graduates moved on to the next chapter of their lives.

Twenty years have since passed and while Joel's mullet is long gone the spirit of the mullet lives on. In fact, beating the drums remains one of Joel's favorite pastimes. And with over two decades of drumming experience, Joel can often be found celebrating the rock of his youth and beyond with his Sycamore-based band, Hitman.

"We play 'party rock to get the party started.' We cover hits from the 50s to the present and specialize in 'mullet era' rock," said Joel.

On Sat., July 23, Hitman will

come to the area to do what they do best: crank out the hits, from Elvis to Guns n' Roses. Their performance begins at 9 p.m. at Route 20 Bar & Grill. While the event is part of a lineup of festivities for the Lena-Winslow Class of '96 reunion, it is

open to the public with a \$5 cover fee.

"I'm looking forward to connecting with old friends and making some new friends. After all, we could all use more cowbell in our lives!" said Joel.

If you go...

WHAT: Le-Win Class of '96 Reunion

WHEN: Sat. July 23

6:30 p.m.: Sample tasty brews at Lena Brewing Company, 9416 W. Wagner Rd., Lena, IL. Soda also available.

7:30 p.m.: Visit Lena's 101 Billiards at 101 Elm St. to check out Class of '96 Alumnus Matt Klein's renovation of the former fire-house into a billiards hall.

9 p.m.: Hitman rock band at Route 20 Bar & Grill, 2051 N AYP Rd, Freeport, IL. \$5 cover. Open to public. Friends of class of '96 encouraged to join the fun.

Food Preservation Workshop to be held in Freeport

Summer is here and the growing season is well under-way. Excited to get out and into your garden? Remembering all the wonderful produce you had last year? Wondering how you can savor the fun summer flavors all year round? Have you considered canning?

"Home food preservation has become intensely popular, once again. Years ago, people preserved their own food out of necessity. Now however, people are preserving their food for more altruistic reasons. Canning provides a sense of healthfulness, independence, and canning benefits the environment, by reducing your carbon footprint" states University of Illinois Extension Nutrition and Wellness Educator, Diane Reinhold.

If you are interested in learning what it takes to preserve food safely or perhaps you simply need a quick refresher then this class is for you. Yes! You Can: Preserve It Safely - Water Bath and Pressure Canning Basics, will be held on Tuesday, July 26 from 6 - 8:30 p.m. at the University of Illinois Extension office, 2998 W. Pearl City Rd, Freeport, IL.

During this timely seasonal program, participants will learn about the basics of food preservation, home food safety guidelines, and the most recent methods used to preserve food safely. Also participants can have the dial-gauge on their pressure canners tested, just

bring your lid. To register, call the Extension office at (815) 235-4125 or visit us online at <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/jsw/>. There is a \$5 fee which will cover the educational session and pressure canner gauge testing. Space is limited, so enroll now.

If you need a reasonable accommodation to participate in this pro-

gram, please contact the Stephenson County Extension office at (815) 235-4125.

Diane Reinhold is a University of Illinois Extension, Nutrition and Wellness Educator and registered dietitian. For more about upcoming programming on nutrition and wellness, visit <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/jsw> or call (815) 235-4125.

PUBLIC NOTICE Notice of Letting

The Jo Daviess County Highway Department will accept bids for furnishing timber bridge deck and timber bridge railing materials, to be delivered to a structure on Council Hill Road, to be installed by others. Bids will be accepted until 10:00 A.M. on July 21, 2016, and opened at that time, at the office of the Jo Daviess County Engineer, 1 Commercial Drive, Suite 3, Hanover, IL 61041. Bid specifications can be obtained from the county engineer at the highway department or by calling the office. This bid requires that the successful vendor complies with all statutes, both Federal and State, governing payment of wages to employees. The Jo Daviess County Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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SOS+ to host Big Brothers/Big Sisters annual picnic at the Cabin

It's "Cabin Fever" time and our eleventh annual Pot Luck Picnic at the "Cabin", that is, the Mysliwiec's country cabin retreat.

The SOS+ group extends a warm invite to the Big Brothers/Big Sisters and their little ones as their special guests for the day. All seniors of Stockton and surrounding areas (SOS+) are invited to the July 14 meeting of SOS+ Cabin Fever Outing.

The log cabin, built by the Mysliwiec family, resembles that of days gone by; no running water and no electricity. To Al and Carolyn, it's the simple life; a porch full of good folks, a guitar to string, a banquet of homemade goodies prepared by our seniors, and a pasture filled with Mysliwiec's beautiful grazing horses. The country surroundings are gorgeous, the hospitality is enchanting. It's a day of delightful fellowship filled with reminiscing and campfire style singing, cowboy lasso tossing, gunny sack racing and games for both the kids and young at heart...it is SOS+ eleventh annual "Cabin Fever" at the Mysli-

wiec's; an afternoon of relaxation that you truly won't want to miss! Join us at noon at the Stockton Calvary United Methodist Church for a caravan to the Mysliwiec's cabin. The group will be returning between 4-4:30 p.m.

On August , SOS+ will return to its regular meeting place of Calvary UM Fellowship Hall where Caroline Singleton, a pastor's wife, mother of 3 adult daughters, grandmother of three and adoptive mother of two young children. Caroline will share her faith that led her and Jonathan Singleton to share their lives and make America the home of Chayah and Sara Singleton. A special treat will be when the two adoptive daughters entice the group with their charm and musical talents.

SOS+ meets on the second Thursday of each month at the Stockton Calvary UM Fellowship Hall. It is open to all seniors of Stockton and surrounding area. For more information on SOS+ or if you need a ride to the meetings, please call Mary Feltmeyer (815) 297-5425 or Shirley Toepfer (815) 947-3639.



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FROM LENA'S KITCHEN



The not so skinny cook

What a wonderful Saturday—it was a perfect summer day. The temperature was great, the sun was bright, and the sky was the most perfect blue. As the poet Robert Browning wrote, “God’s in his heaven—All’s right with the world.” It is the perfect description of a perfect day. This week’s recipes reflect the wonderful fruits and vegetables of summer.

The first recipe is an easy way to use up that extra zucchini that has started to come in. The combination

of the roasted red peppers, onion, and zucchini to make a tasty dip is a way to get kids to eat vegetables. Everything tastes better with cream cheese!

Roasted Vegetable Dip

- 2 large red peppers
- 1 large zucchini (about 4 cups)
- 1 medium onion
- 1 T. olive oil
- ½ t. salt
- ¼ t. pepper
- 1 pkg. (8 oz) cream cheese, softened

Crackers and/or vegetables
Preheat the oven to 425. Cut the vegetables into 1-inch pieces. Place in a 15 x 10 x 1 inch baking pan coated with cooking spray; toss with oil, salt and pepper. Roast 25-30 minutes or until tender, stirring occasionally. Cool.

Place cool vegetables and cream cheese in a food processor and process until well blended. Refrigerate in a covered bowl for at least 2 hours. Serve with vegetables such as carrots, celery, cucumbers, or red and

green peppers or crackers.

Barb Wire has beautiful cabbage at the Farmer’s Market. This tasty slaw has the addition of the tart Granny Smith apple. My mother used to add apples to slaw when she took it to a potluck; it was always a big hit. You will like this creamy slaw with just a little bite of Dijon in the dressing.

Creamy Apple Slaw Dressing:

- 1/3 C. whipping cream
- ¼ C. cider vinegar
- 2 T. extra-virgin olive oil
- 2 T. sugar
- 2 t. Dijon mustard
- ½ t. kosher salt

Slaw

- 4 C. shredded cabbage
- 2 Granny Smith apples, shredded
- ¼ C. chopped fresh parsley

Whisk together the cream, vinegar, oil, sugar, Dijon, and salt for the dressing. Toss slaw, apple, and parsley with dressing to coat.

Green beans are ready for picking. This next recipe is one that I found in a magazine that makes plain green beans into a special vegetable side. The avocado is blended in the sauce, so it just gives a hint of taste to the green beans. It is better to use the fresh herbs in this recipe. Enjoy this unique side with the lemon chicken recipe that follows.

Green Beans with Creamy Herb Sauce

- ½ ripe avocado, peeled and pitted
- ½ C. buttermilk
- ¼ C. sour cream
- 1 lemon, zested and juiced
- 1 T. chopped fresh tarragon
- 1 T. chopped fresh parsley
- 1 T. chopped fresh basil
- 1 T. chopped fresh dill
- 1 T. chopped fresh chives
- 1 T. plus 1 t. salt, divided
- ½ t. black pepper
- 2 lb. green beans, trimmed
- Fresh dill for garnish

In a blender, process together the avocado, buttermilk, sour cream, lemon zest and juice, tarragon, parsley, basil, dill, chives, 1 teaspoon salt and pepper until smooth. Cover and refrigerate for at least on hour (you

can refrigerate this mixture up to 2 days.)

Bring a large pot of water and remaining tablespoon of salt to a boil over medium-high heat; add the green beans. When the water returns to a boil, immediately drain beans and transfer to an ice water bath to stop the cooking process; drain well. Serve green beans immediately with herb sauce. Garnish with dill.

Need a hot weather main entrée? This next recipe uses chicken breasts with a great garlic sauce. If you don’t want as much garlic, cut down on the amount of garlic you put in the sauce. The angel hair pasta cooks very quickly because it is light. This meal is made on the stovetop, so it is great for hot weather.

Lemon Chicken Pasta

- 4 boneless skinless chicken breast halves
- 1 t. salt, divided
- ¼ t. pepper and extra pepper to taste
- ½ C. flour
- 8 oz. uncooked angel hair pasta
- 3 T. olive oil, divided
- ¼ C. peeled and thinly sliced garlic cloves
- 1 C. chicken broth
- 2 T. lemon juice
- ½ C. grated Parmesan cheese
- 1/3 C. plus 3 T. minced fresh parsley, divided

Pound the chicken breasts with a meat mallet to ¼ inch thickness. Sprinkle with ½ teaspoon salt and ¼ teaspoon pepper. Place the flour in a shallow bowl. Dip the chicken in flour to coat both sides; shake off the excess.

Cook pasta according to package directions for al dente. Meanwhile in a large skillet, heat 2 tablespoon olive oil over medium heat. Add chicken; cook 2-3 minutes on each side or until no longer pink. Remove and keep warm.

In the same pan, heat remaining oil over medium heat; add the garlic. Cook and stir 30-50 seconds or until garlic is lightly browned. Add the chicken broth to the pan; increase the heat to medium-high. Cook, stirring

to loosen browned bits from the pan, until liquid is reduced by half. Stir in the lemon juice.

Drain the pasta, reserving ½ cup pasta water; place pasta in a large bowl. Add cheese, 1/3 cup parsley, half of the garlic mixture, and remaining salt and pepper to taste; toss to combine, adding the reserved pasta water to moisten the pasta. Serve with chicken. Drizzle with remaining garlic mixture and sprinkle with remaining parsley. Serve with lemon wedges as garnish.

This week at the Farmer’s Market Barb Wire and her cousin had a load of wonderful vegetables. I got my first taste of green beans and some peas to shell. I love new peas in a cream sauce; it is one of those rituals of summer. She had squash, lettuce, cabbage, kohlrabi, rhubarb, radishes, red and black berries to name just a few. Barb told me an early customer was there for rhubarb because she was going to make the rhubarb pie in last week’s column. If you haven’t been up in the parking lot at Lena on Saturday morning, you are missing out on some really great produce. Nothing tastes better than fresh!

By the time you get this paper, I will have spent some time at my friends’ lake house in Wisconsin. I am looking forward to riding in the boat and just breathing in the good air. I will watch the others catch some fish—I just want to watch the things on the lake and see some beautiful eagles fly high in the sky. (Forgive my bad poetry.) I also ordered my peaches from the Farm Bureau and look forward to eating them next month. Have a great week, and remember that we continue to look for some strawberry, cherry, or raspberry recipes, so let us know how you are fixing them. We are also looking for some garden vegetable recipes. As I said earlier in the column, zucchini are everywhere once they start coming in!

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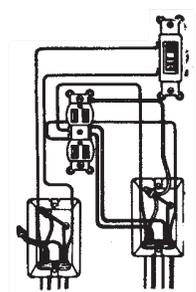
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Handle With Care crisis intervention offers tips for keeping calm in the midst of crisis

In this time of great change and uncertainty, crisis situations seem to be growing at a rapid speed. The emotional turmoil and negative behavior that is on the rise, spanning from verbal abuse to physical assault, is requiring schools and agencies to intervene more often for the safety and protection of the students, staff and clients. Schools and agencies have a responsibility to train their staff to safely and effectively deal with reasonably foreseeable situations.

We at Handle With Care would like to offer some tips when responding to someone who is becoming out of control. There is a natural, but incorrect, tendency to respond to the person in conflict the same way as they are behaving. Many times we feel overwhelmed by the situation and experience emotions like anger and fear. When we exhibit these emotions, it increases rather than decreases the conflict and crisis around us. When dealing with an agitated person, child or student, we must control not only our verbal but non-verbal communication as well.

First, staff needs to be attuned to the signals of potential crisis behavior. Typically there is a change of behavior before physical aggression occurs, which includes:

- Verbal clues: what is being said (e.g. insults or threats)
- Non-verbal clues: how something is being said (e.g. voice, volume, rate of speech and tone)
- Body language: (e.g. body tenseness, leaning forward, pacing, finger pointing or hand clenching)

Second, staff that are working with emotionally disturbed, aggressive or violent behavior need to be aware of and in control of their emotions and behaviors. It is their actions and words that can either reduce the potential for conflict or escalate it. Here are some key points to keep in mind when faced with an uncertain situation:

Discovery Center to host Pizza Padooza

Pizza puzzles and crazy crafts revolve around our favorite food on Friday, July 15 for the event "Pizza Padooza" from 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Discovery Center Museum.

Knead the dough and time yourself during the pizza delivery challenge. Paint with veggies, monkey with pizza math, and vote for your favorite topping during this delicious day of fun!

All activities are included with Discovery Center admission.

Pizza Padooza is part of Discovery Center's summer Family Friday series. Family Fridays focus on a specific subject matter and then explore that subject through various means, including activities, demonstrations, make-and-take projects, performances and the like.

All activities are included with general admission to Discovery Center. General admission: \$8 adults; \$8 children ages 2-17; free to Discovery Center Members and children age 1 and younger. Family Fridays are made possible by presenting sponsor Meijer.

- Remain calm and in control.
- Only one person should speak at a time.
- Respect personal space.
- Be aware not only of what you say, but how you say it.
- Maintain natural eye contact and establish a direct line of communication.

- In instances of team intervention, one person, the person with the best relationship, should be designated as the "talker."
- Set limits; the limits should be clear, consistent and enforceable.
- Of course, immediate action needs

to be taken in dangerous and/or life threatening situations.

Handle With Care (HWC) is a state of the art crisis intervention training program designed for agencies, schools, hospitals, organizations and parents who care for children and people who have the potential of be-

ing aggressive, violent or out of control towards themselves and others. Please visit our web site, www.handlewithcare.com, or email joy@handlewithcare.com for additional information on managing high stress situations and to register for the upcoming training in your area.

• REAL ESTATE •

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
15TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
JO DAVIESS COUNTY -
GALENA, ILLINOIS
FIRST COMMUNITY BANK OF GALENA,
A BRANCH OF APPLE RIVER STATE BANK
Plaintiff,
-v.-
JESSICA MEINER, et al
Defendant

16 CH 00006

NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on May 12, 2016, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 1:30 PM on August 10, 2016, at the office of Vincent Roth Toepfer & Leinen PC, 122 1/2 N Main St, Galena, IL 61036, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

Commonly known as 408 JEFFERSON STREET, HANOVER, IL 61041 Property Index No. 09-001-085-00. The real estate is improved with a single family residence. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds/wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. You will need a photo identification issued by a government agency (driver's license, passport, etc.) in order to gain entry into our building and the foreclosure sale room in Cook County and the same identification for sales held at other county venues where The Judicial Sales Corporation conducts foreclosure sales. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876 Please refer to file number 14-15-19675. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 E-Mail: pleadings@il.cslegal.com Attorney File No. 14-15-19675 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Case Number: 16 CH 00006 TJSC#: 36-6713 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
15TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COUNTY OF JO DAVIESS -
GALENA, ILLINOIS

US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION
SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO US
BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION ND;
Plaintiff,

vs.
BRUCE J. HINTZ, AKA BRUCE HINTZ;
KARIN FRANZ, AKA KARIN I. FRANZ;
UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS; U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION ND
Defendants,

14 CH 25

NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on Wednesday, August 3, 2016, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. in the office of James J. Nack, 106 North Main Street, Galena, Illinois 61036, sell to the highest bidder for

cash, the following described mortgaged real estate:

Commonly known as 7354 Blackjack Road, Hanover, IL 61041.

P.I.N. 43-14-000-164-06.

The improvement on the property consists of a single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act.

Sale terms: 10% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds.

The property will NOT be open for inspection.

For information call Sales Department at Plaintiff's Attorney, Manley Deas Kuchalski, LLC, One East Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60601. (614) 220-5611. 1697049

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE
15TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
JO DAVIESS COUNTY -
GALENA, ILLINOIS
RIDGESTONE BANK
Plaintiff,

-v.-
BLUE TREE INVESTMENTS LLC, BP EVERGREEN LLC, NAFEEES USMAN, F & B, MANAGEMENT, INC. A/K/A F & B MANAGEMENT, INC., KENNETH GOMES, UNKNOWN OWNERS, AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendant

16 CH 2

NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on June 23, 2016, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 1:30 PM on August 10, 2016, at the office of Vincent Roth Toepfer & Leinen PC, 122 1/2 N Main St, Galena, IL 61036, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

Commonly known as 2501 US HWY 20 WEST, Elizabeth, IL 61028

Property Index No. 07-000-236-12. The real estate is improved with a commercial property. The judgment amount was \$782,949.21. Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. The balance, including the Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds/wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment cred-

itor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court. Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of Sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. You will need a photo identification issued by a government agency (driver's license, passport, etc.) in order to gain entry into our building and the foreclosure sale room in Cook County and the same identification for sales held at other county venues where The Judicial Sales Corporation conducts foreclosure sales. For information, contact Plaintiff's attorney: CHUHAK & TECSON, P.C., 30 S. WACKER DRIVE, STE. 2600, CHICAGO, IL 60606, (312) 444-9300 Please refer to file number 19918.59021. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CHUHAK & TECSON, P.C. 30 S. WACKER DRIVE, STE. 2600 CHICAGO, IL 60606 (312) 444-9300 Attorney File No. 19918.59021 Case Number: 16 CH 2 TJSC#: 36-8299 NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

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Beware: it is poison parsnip season and contact can be serious

By Tony Carton
EDITOR

This plant is pretty, but it can ruin your summer

When you venture outside this summer, be on the lookout for Wild Parsnip, the poisonous weed which grows predominately in Illinois and Iowa and causes burning and itching sensations. Parsnip looks like a dill plant or Queen Anne's lace. It is yellow and it flowers between May and July and can grow from six inches to six feet tall. It is found predominantly in Illinois and Iowa.

Large patches of wild parsnip, also called poison parsnip, can be found in road ditches, fields, along bike trails and in prairie areas. In a short amount of time, it can take over an



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Poison Parsnip looks like a dill plant or Queen Anne's lace. It is yellow and it flowers between May and July and can grow from six inches to six feet tall.

area and crowd out the native plants.

At first you may look at it and think it looks very pretty. But, when your skin touches it, it will cause painful blisters and a rash similar

to severe burns. The plant's oily sap can cause a severe reaction when it touches skin and then is exposed to sunlight.

If you happen to find this plant on your property, make sure to remove it with gloves.

Yeah, nothing about that sounds pleasant!

If you are exposed to a poisonous plant, the Centers for Disease Control recommends: Immediately rinse skin with rubbing alcohol, poison plant wash, or degreasing soap (such as dishwashing soap) or detergent, and lots of water. Rinse frequently so that wash solutions do not dry on the skin and further spread the urushiol. Scrub under nails with a brush.

Apply wet compresses, calamine lotion, or hydrocortisone cream to the skin to reduce itching and blistering. Oatmeal baths may relieve itching.

An antihistamine may help relieve itching. (NOTE: Drowsiness may occur.)

In severe cases or if the rash is on the face or genitals, seek professional medical attention. Call 911 or go to a hospital emergency room if you have a severe allergic reaction, such as swelling or difficulty breathing, or have had a severe reaction in the past.

Hello Galena! Featured artists for July: P.J. HarteNaus and Regina Riley

Hello Galena!, a local artist co-op, is featuring the works of author P.J. HarteNaus and artist Regina Riley during the month of July. HarteNaus, who taught fifth grade in Glen Ellyn, writes historical fiction that addresses bullying. She has a home in the Galena Territory. Riley, a basket maker, resides in Durango, Ia.

Everyone is invited to the Hello Galena! Shop at 121 N. Commerce St. to talk with the artists. On July 23 from 1-4 p.m., Riley will hold her Meet and Greet event. HarteNaus will hold a Book Signing at the shop on a date to be announced.

Both HarteNaus and Riley reach into the past for their art form inspirations. The "Belden Boy" series of children's books by HarteNaus is based on oral history and journal entries of former Belden School students. The 19th Century one-room school is located in the Galena Territory. Baskets by Riley evolve from the oldest form of basket making when rope was coiled around on top

of each layer and stitched.

While working on her graduate degree, HarteNaus discovered an old schoolhouse and some of the people who once studied there. The old school journals she read and the stories she heard during visits with the former students combined with her experiences in the contemporary classroom led her to write the stories of young Peter McDugal.

"Some things never change. There were bullies at the Belden School, and there are bullies in schools today," HarteNaus acknowledges. The struggles her fictional Peter has with bullies led the teacher-author to write a second book called "My Sometimes Pal," a more in-depth treatment of the issue of bullying. A third book, "Backwoods Bully," written from the perspective of the bully, is the newest release.

Riley learned to create with her hands early in her life. Raised by her father, who allowed no television in the house, she used a gift of knitting needles and yarn to keep herself busy. "When I ran out of books to read, I learned needlework. Now, I am a self-taught tatter, quilter, and basket maker," Riley states, "and I still love to knit socks."

Coiled baskets are not just rope. Riley uses paper cord stitched with floss, coated wire and nylon thread, and the most challenging—pine needles or grass. The pine needles and grasses must be kept in a bundle during the coiling process, and as the bundle shrinks, more of the natural materials must be added. Riley explains, "The key is to keep the same thickness all the way around the basket."

Riley's father continued to influence her art form as her basket making evolved. She still uses wooden bases he sliced from walnut and butternut logs. "Anything that can have holes drilled through it can be used as a base," instructs Riley, "even agates."

Attending basket conventions and networking with other basket makers is how Riley shares techniques and stays excited about her art. She is selected for regional juried art festivals and will exhibit at the NW IL Art Fest in Stockton, Ill. on July 16-17.

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