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## Stockton fourth grade heads to Chi-town

The Stockton Elementary fourth graders are selling Butter Braids to raise enough money to go to the Field Museum in Chicago this school year. Please help them out and purchase a Butter Braid. \$13 each.

## Zealous Art Studio & Tattoo and Elliott Graphics bring creativity and style to Freeport

By Tony Carton  
 EDITOR

The folks at Zealous Art Studio & Tattoo and Elliott Graphics are living proof that training, education and dedication can lead to a life you are passionate about. Whether you want to draw, sculpt, tattoo or just relax while crafting art, the classes and activities at Zealous can be the key to your creative tomorrows.

### Elliott Graphics

"The name of our graphics department is Elliott Graphics," said owner/operator Josh Elliott. "We do screen printing, vinyl signs, and pretty much anything that has to do with graphic arts. We do a lot of design of logos for up and coming businesses."

The company opened in 2008 because Elliott had worked in marketing with Matthews Distributing for

a few years, and when they closed he decided to open his own business.

"We currently print a lot of shirts for the Freeport School District," Elliott said. "We are turning out between 1500 and 2000 shirts a week for schools including Boylan, Jefferson, Lena Winslow, and most of the schools in this area. We also do work for a number of area colleges including Highland here in Freeport and Carthage College in Wisconsin, so there's a lot going on here."

Elliott Graphics is able to ship globally and has a contract with the U.S. military to ship printed materials to Fort Bragg in North Carolina.

"Years ago when I was learning to tattoo and attending college I was working part-time for a T-shirt company at a sort of entry level job, but it evolved and with time I came to better understand the business, so

here I am," he said.

Elliott originally wanted to study and eventually teach art. He attributes that early ambition to long time Freeport high school art teacher Jay Castro.

"I have a lot of admiration for him, but I quickly realized that I wanted to do more in art, so I decided to pursue other avenues," he said. "I was doing screening in college and I really liked the art form, so it all just seemed to fit."

Elliott Graphics is growing in leaps and bounds.

"I see growth every single week,"

Elliott said. "We are in the process right now of pushing the boundaries of what we are able to do offering new products and more services. We don't just print on shirts. We can print on anything from koozies to mouse pads and more. Our catalog has almost ten thousand items and we print daily."

He sees quality production and customer satisfaction as his company's key to success.

"A quick turnaround is important in this business," Elliott said. "We keep making sure our customers stay happy and we work daily to

make sure that happens."

### Zealous Art Studio & Tattoo

At Zealous Art Studio & Tattoo the gallery is filled with a wide variety of custom paintings, photography, wood working, painted glass, sculpture, and much more. All work is done by local artists. Custom work is available to match the decor in your home or personal style.

"We are willing to look at everything," Elliott said. "If we think there is a market for the style, we are

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# Stockton Police Department report for Sept. 30 to Oct. 6

On 9/29 at about 3 p.m. an officer of the Stockton Police Department met with Bank Officials at Illinois Bank and Trust in reference to a deceptive practices and forgery incident. Bank Representatives stated they have a long time customer who had deposited a large check drawn on another bank. This activity happened several times over a period of several days. None of the checks could be honored due to non-sufficient funds. This bank activity is the subject of an ongoing investigation by the Stockton Police Department.

On 10/2 at about 3:30 p.m. an officer of the Stockton Police Department was dispatched to an address on N. Park in reference to a Domestic Battery which had occurred at another location, on E. Front. The female victim was on Park. Upon arrival, the Officer met with the victim/complainant. The victim stated that she had been living with her boyfriend since June at the front Street address. On at least four occasions in the recent past, the police have been called for Domestic Disturbances, in all cases, neither party was cooperative with police. In this particular incident, the couple began arguing. The victim became so upset that she began to pack her belongings to leave. At this time, the offender began throwing the victim's belongings around the room and emptied her bags on the floor. The victim then tried to walk past the offender to leave and he stuck her in the face with a couch cushion several times causing her pain and she tried to yell at him to stop. The victim tried to push offender away, but the offender continued to attack her by pushing her into a wall and hitting her with his hand across her face. When the victim stated she was calling the police, the offender took her phone away from her and smashed it against a wall so she couldn't call. The offender continued his attack, pinning the victim against a wall and squeezing her face against the wall. The victim pulled free and the offender struck her in the face with an open hand. The offender then took a metal

rod broom stick and struck victim on the inside of her left thigh and He then punched her in her right upper hip. The offender continued to attack and told the victim that he hoped that she would miscarry, referring to the victim. The victim was finally able to escape to another location where she was finally able to contact police. The victim identified the offender as Noah Streicher of Stockton. Police searched for the offender at the original address; however he was no longer present. Streicher was taken into custody later on that day and was taken to the Jo Daviess County Jail for processing on several charges relating to Domestic Violence.

On 10/2 at approximately 9 p.m., Officers from the Stockton Police Department and the Jo Daviess County Sheriff's Office were dispatched to an address on East Front Street in reference to a Domestic Disturbance. It was alleged that a male subject was outside his apartment yelling at a female subject and that he allegedly knocked her down. Then it was alleged that the male subject went next door to a bar and was trying to pick fights with the patrons inside and outside the bar. On arrival, officers found an intoxicated subject who was having a verbal argument with someone outside the bar. The disturbance was calmed after the arrival of officers. Neither the male nor the female admitted to a domestic problem. It was also determined that there had been no fight at the bar, only a verbal argument. All subjects involved were then allowed to go home without further involvement.

On 10/03 at 6:11 p.m. the Stockton Police were advised of a suspicious person circling the Stockton Park, and who was now parked at 211 W. North Avenue. A check of the subject revealed that he had reason to be in the area. No further police action was required.

On 10/03 at approximately 6:23 p.m. Stockton Police were dispatched to an address on South Simmons Street for a possible deceased male subject. On arrival at the scene police were met by a female subject later identified as a family member of the subject. The female stated that she had been attempting to get hold of the relative without success, so she then went to the relatives' residence where she found him unresponsive and not

breathing. Stockton Ambulance also responded to the scene, and it was determined that the subject was deceased. The Jo Daviess County Coroner was notified. It was noted that nothing appeared out of place and no foul play is suspected.

On 10/4 at approximately 12:56 p.m., The Stockton Police were dispatched to the Shell Gas Station on North Avenue in reference to a Theft. On arrival, the manager of the Shell stated that a person had just left the gas station without paying for the gas which was pumped into the vehicle. Police were able to track down the owner of the vehicle in question. It was determined through investigation that, the theft was actually a mistake, and that full restitution would be made to Shell by the owner.

On 10/04 at approximately 10:17 p.m. an officer of the Stockton Police Department responded to a call of a domestic disturbance at an address on North Main Street. Dispatch advised that the parties were separated, but the incident may have been physical. On arrival at the scene, Police were greeted by a male subject who stated that his wife discovered that he had been looking at things on his cell phone that she did not like. His wife then became very upset and took the male subjects' cell phone away from him. The male stated that an argument ensued between his wife and him. Neither subject involved wanted to make a complaint of a physical nature involved in this dispute. The male subject decided to leave for the night, and this was agreeable to both parties. No further police assistance was requested.

On 10/5 At approximately 5:37 a.m. The Stockton Police were advised of a suspicious person on Stockton Street, searching through the person's car which had been left unlocked. The caller stated that he observed the suspicious subject, and when he approached the subject, he ran away, southbound on Stockton Street. The Victim stated that the subject was a male, wearing a light colored grey hooded jacket or sweatshirt. The area was searched by Stockton Police and Jo Daviess County Sheriff's Deputies, with negative results.

Anyone observing an Offense of this nature is encouraged to call 911 immediately with a description of the Offender and a direction of travel of

the Offender. Also a description of a vehicle if one is involved.

On 10/5 at approximately 5:39 a.m., The Stockton Police responded to a dispatch on Pearl Street, of a person accidentally overdosed on medications. Stockton Ambulance was summoned to the scene, and the subject was transported to Freeport Hospital to address the medication issue. No further action was required.

On 10/5, the Stockton Police were notified of a possible Theft at a Business on North Avenue. On arrival, it was learned that a subject tried to pull a returned merchandise scam on the business. This scam involves a person going into the business, taking an item or items off the shelf and then trying to "return" the merchandise at the register without ever purchasing it. The scam wasn't discovered until several hours after the suspect left the store. Within a short period of time, it was learned that the same kind of scam had taken place at several businesses in the Village of Warren. A search of other businesses in Stockton revealed that the scam thefts had occurred in 3

other businesses in addition to the first one. Through skillful interviewing and cooperative Police investigations between the Stockton and Warren Police Departments, information on a possible suspect was developed. On 10/6, a suspect was tentatively identified as the offender in at least seven separate incidents of Theft or Attempted Theft. This investigation is still ongoing and an arrest is expected.

On 10/6 at approximately 4:47 p.m., an officer of the Stockton Police Department, while on routine patrol, observed a person who is the subject of a Stalking, No Contact order from the Court in Jo Daviess County. This subject was observed to be in violation of the order as he was within a restricted distance of the person obtaining the order. This subject was placed under arrest, and was taken to the Jo Daviess County Jail for processing.

As always, the public is reminded that persons charged with Offenses under the Illinois Compiled Statutes or Local Ordinance, are presumed innocent until proven guilty in a court of Law

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more than happy to give it a shot."

He said they work with a diverse group of artists and subsequently, a diverse clientele.

"We are looking for things that suit every age group," he explained. "Art is very open and we are not focusing on any one area or style. We truly believe that anything can be art."

Elliott said when he first opened he was working freelance in area galleries and parlors, but realized he wanted his own shop.

"Some of the plan to tie the tattoo shop with an art gallery had to do with my wife Jamie," he said. "She was a teacher for quite a few years and we decided we wanted to create a vehicle that would offer children's art classes."

The couple has four children and art classes seemed a natural progression.

"I did pottery when I was in college and we had wheels and kilns, so it just seemed a good fit to create a gallery if for no other reason than to offer something that the schools could no longer do," said Elliott.

"Budgeting issues and other problems grew and we decided it would be a good idea to offer some of those programs the schools had to drop."

The art lessons and gallery aspect are growing in tandem with the family's graphics company.

"We are getting ready to start a new set of classes and add some new areas," he said. "We will be doing classes for parents and for preschoolers just to give more people the opportunity to explore new things like painting or pot throwing or other projects that they tell us are interesting to them. We want them to experience art and have a good time."

Learn more about the services offered by Elliott Graphics and Zealous Art Studio and Tattoo by visiting them on Facebook at Zealous Art Studio & Tattoo. Their web site is currently under construction, but will be up and running soon with a complete schedule of coming classes and events. Or, visit the gallery at 653 West Stephenson in Freeport or call (815) 616-5230 for hours of operation and more.

*In Memory of  
Louis Mullin  
who passed away  
October 8, 2015*

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To everyone who came  
to be with me right  
away when Ken passed  
away. All your hugs and  
words to try and comfort  
me were very much  
appreciated. The help my  
family, neighbors, friends  
and their sons have given  
me was a big help too.  
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**Proof of Residency required. Please contact Village Hall at 947-2515 if you have questions.**

# Area golfers ready for crack at State Championship

By Chris Johnson  
SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

The Class 1A Boys' State Golf Championships have begun and a few lucky teams who began their journey at Lake Carroll Golf Course in Lanark ended up in Elgin. Led by a team total of 349, the Winnebago Indians representing the Big Northern Conference finished first. Stockton shot a 364 and claimed silver medal honors. River Ridge and Freeport Aquin's totals of 368 led to the invocation of standing rules. The Wildcats got the nod as the fifth best score on the team of 104 was two strokes better than Aquin's fifth-best player and his 106. Three players played off for the final two spots. The NUIC is sending two team representatives to the Westminster Christian Sectional.

Stockton was the best NUIC team. Peyton Keeffer was the second best Blackhawks' shooter. His 86 was twelve strokes heavier than the Regional's second-best overall finisher. Teammate Alex Staver nailed a 74 and took those honors. Third Place honors went to Winnebago's Marcus Smith. He shot a 79 in the team championship category. West Carroll athlete Anthony Mendoza shot a 73.

Both Stockton and River Ridge finished in the top five in the recent NUIC shootout. The success carried into the opening round of the State Tournament. The top three finish in the Class 1A Regional didn't surprise everyone. The fact that the NUIC Tournament Champion Galena finished in seventh place surprised many. Kane Hyde shot an 81 in the Lanark Tournament and advanced as the sole Pirates representative.

Stockton's team consists of Staver and Keeffer as well as Caeden

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Stockton Education Foundation thanks all the people who donated to support our students and teachers by pledging at the 2016 Radio-a-thon. Through your generosity, the Foundation raised over \$23,000. Money raised will support more technology hardware and software for students and teachers, as well as other classroom needs.

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Upmann and Bryce Platt. They finished two strokes apart from each other. Brodi Eden finished the Regional round with a 115 and Shawn Powers advanced with his Blackhawks' teammates with a 125.

River Ridge was led by senior Carter Wild. He shot an 89. Andrew Brown and Bennett Reese finished the day with 92's. James Sullivan had a 95 and Connor Brown tallied 104. Nick Parr submitted his card with a 111.

On the individual level West Carroll's Anthony Mendoza moved on after scoring a 73. Pecatonica's Erik Durand shot an 84. Freeport Aquin Bulldog Javier Jazo shot an 86. Eastland's Curt Strauss shot 88 and moved on to the Elgin Sectional.

With an 89, Aquin's Korey Korosec led the final five individual qualifiers. Polo's Christopher Rademacher shot a 90 as did Dakota's Kyle Kleckner. Aquin's final contribution was Brock Theisen. He and Mack Llanas of Polo totaled 92's.

The Class 1A Boy's Golf Sectional began on Monday, Oct. 12, hosted by Elgin-Westminster Christian. Matches will be featured at Randall Oaks Golf Club in West Dundee.



TONY CARTON PHOTO THE SCOOP TODAY  
It wasn't a fluke that the Stockton did very well this year. Hard work and dedication have led the Cross Country Blackhawks to make noticeable improvements over the last few years.

## Stockton Cross Country Team races to successful season

The Stockton Cross Country first meet was in Monroe Wisconsin 3.1 miles Aug. 29. Austin Vincent placed 7th with a time of 17:53 and received a medal. Connor Hayes ran 22:27, Keegan Phillips 25:36, Haley Brudi 26:40, Brynn Schubert 30:12 and Kendall Schultz 31:20. Darlington, WI, Sept. 3, 3.1 miles. Austin received a ribbon for fourteenth place with a time of 18:06, Connor Hayes 22:56, Keegan Phillips 23:47, Haley Brudi 24:54, Brynn Schubert 26:27 and Kendall Schultz 27:22. Winnebago Season opener

was Sept. 6, 2.05 miles. Haley Brudi 15:45, Brynn Schubert 17:29, Kendall Schultz 17:52, Austin 11:14, Connor 13:23 and Keegan Phillips 15:24, the opener does not hand out awards, but all the runners did great! Peoria Sept. 10, three miles Girls 1A had 409 runners. Haley Brudi ran 23:48 165th, Brynn Schubert 26:42 303rd. Boys 1A race had 516 runners. Austin Vincent received a medal for 37th place 17:26, Connor Hayes 20:38 262nd place, Keegan Phillips 22:29 392nd Place.

## Battle for the Upstate takes place this Friday in Stockton

By Chris Johnson  
SPORTS CORRESPONDENT

Stockton and Aquin have to deal with each other this weekend and it's a game which a lot of people are excited about seeing. On Friday night, Oct. 7, the Blackhawks knocked back the Milledgeville Missiles 44-0. No statement was stronger in the NUIC this past weekend, then the realization slap issued to Milledgeville. The Missiles are teetering on missing the post-season as they hover with a 4-3 mark. If they split their final two games between 4-3 Dakota and one-win Warren, they will get in. A 5-4 mark will do it. When they get in, with the statement made in the shut-out win, Stockton will be polishing up its gloves for the knock-out round.

There are two weeks left in the season and there are few Upstate fans who will find themselves glued to their seats this Friday. Aquin and Stockton are 7-0. Standing is good for the circulation. Cheering is good for the playoffs. It's only week eight, but the winner should take all.

With a schedule that features only one game left on the regular season schedule, plans are already in place. The ticker-tape has been ordered and the ribbons and signs are prepared to adorn the streets.

Aquin has been performing at a level which surprises some. In 2015 the Bulldogs' 5-4 mark wasn't good enough to get to the playoffs. They

clinched their seat in the 1A Tournament two weeks ago. They were 6-0 and got that out of the way. The Bulldogs are averaging just over 35 points a game, offensively. The defense is giving up around 14 points a night. They have been working with a smaller roster than many of the other teams in the NUIC, but they have been getting the most

from their athletes. They are strong up front. They are fast. They can score in a hurry. The winner is probably going to be a Class 1A number one seed. The victor is going to be the Upstate Champion. The win by Aquin over Polo 34-20 dropped the Marcos to 4-3 on the season.

Stockton's offense has been the image of efficiency. They are aver-

aging over 51 points a game. The defense has been legendary. The Blackhawks have given up 18 points this year.

Week nine features a showdown with Ashton-Franklin Center. The Raiders had the playoff rug pulled from underneath them in their week seven match as they fell to River Ridge.

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# VIEWPOINT

## From the desk of Illinois State Representative Brian W. Stewart

Several weeks ago, I wrote about the dangers of voter fraud and how many instances go unreported or underreported. And with a porous amount of checks and balances in place, many people are led to believe that fraud is virtually nonexistent. In fact, I remember seeing at least one column pooh-poohing the notion that it even existed. Well, there's an interesting story that I feel compelled to share with all of you.

The Chicago Sun Times headline reads "Vote Fraud, Intimidation Allegations Hurlled About In Kankakee Co." To summarize the article, the Kankakee County State's Attorney said that "Individuals from Chicago"

offered gifts in exchange for votes. Who exactly was involved is unclear at this point, but we are led to believe that this is an example of machine politics at its finest. The Madigan-led Illinois Democratic Party fired back saying that it was in fact the Kankakee County State's Attorney who was in the wrong because the county had asked to see some form of identification from those who were voting early. With the accusations now flying in all directions, someone needed to head to Kankakee County to get to the bottom of all of this. Who was that person you ask? Illinois Attorney General Lisa Madigan.

Friends, we live in interesting

times. By the way, if you're hoping to receive a gift in exchange for your vote, I'm sorry to inform you that I will not be offering such a service. While I can't offer you any gifts, I can offer you some words as to why your vote is important.

I read an opinion piece in the Freeport paper about the lack of political signs – and perhaps overall enthusiasm – this election cycle. That may very well be true. A Public Policy Polling (PPP) poll taken over the summer found that a full 13% of the American people prefer a giant meteor hitting the earth over the prospect of Mrs. Clinton or Mr. Trump taking the Oval Office. It should come as no

surprise that several other polls have shown that the two candidates vying for the Presidency this year have some of the lowest approval ratings of non-incumbents in history.

My fear is that this lack of enthusiasm for the top of the ballot will have a deleterious effect on the bottom of the ballot. What I mean to say is: because of how negative the race for President has become, many people will not vote for their local races. That would be nothing short of a shame. In the same breath, I also fear that those who are extremely motivated by the top of the ticket will not vote for the entirety of their ballot. Local races need to be seen for exactly what they are – extremely important!

My plea to you is simple: please vote! Just because you're unhappy with your choices for President doesn't mean that you should throw away your chance to vote for all the other important races. In fact, did you know that the Illinois U.S. Senate race could determine which party controls the senate? Your vote absolutely matters in that race, in the Illinois Comptroller's race, and in your local races. It doesn't take a mathematician to tell you that the further down the ballot you go, the more your vote matters. Because there are fewer people voting in your County Board district or in your State Representative district, your vote naturally carries more weight.

The importance of voting has always been something I've stressed as being of the utmost importance. As citizens within a democracy, it is the single most impactful mark we can make. For 730 days over the course of two years, policy makers choose how they will impact us. But for one day out of those 730, we have a chance to impact them. So why wouldn't we?

So now I have a request for each and every one of you. Before you vote, do your research. Most county clerks have a form sample ballot on their website. You can see which candidates are running for each office. You can also find out how to vote early and where your polling place is. Lastly, if you plan to vote on Election Day you should plan how to get to your polling place. Maybe you know a friend or neighbor who may need a ride, or maybe you need a ride yourself. Plan ahead, and plan accordingly!

I am not going to tell you how to vote. And if I did try to tell you how to vote, I would hope that it wouldn't influence you. However, I do hope I can help convince you to vote. I trust that you will make the best choice for you and your family, but please at least make a choice!

If you can take the time to talk about politics on Facebook, then surely you can take the time to pull a ballot this November. In fact, you can do one better – you can vote early and vote often. Ok, the voting often part was just a bit of humor, but

you should definitely consider early voting.

I never thought I would quote Louis L'Amour in my column, but this week I find myself ending with this, "To make democracy work, we cannot be only observers. He who does not vote has no right to complain."

As always, you can reach me or Sally at (815) 232-0774 or e-mail us at [repstewart@gmail.com](mailto:repstewart@gmail.com). You can also visit my website at [www.repbrianstewart.com](http://www.repbrianstewart.com) or on Facebook.

## Hey Stockton

By Lemon  
AMERICORPS VOLUNTEER

Lemon speaking (and yes, that is what I prefer to be called), here with an AmeriCorps Volunteer update! My first month in Stockton was a busy one. As I was settling in, I was also setting about getting to know people around the community. Since arriving in Stockton I've had the opportunity to interact with the Chamber of Commerce, the Park Board, the Museum, and the wonderful Stockton Strong to get a better sense of Stockton's past achievements and future goals.

The Stockton Village has agreed to update their website, and have agreed to hire BelStar Media to design the new-and-improved page. We're hoping to add a photo gallery to the new site, so if you have any photos of Stockton you think the world needs to see, send them to [jm-lemon@wiu.edu](mailto:jm-lemon@wiu.edu).

Volunteer Day! The Stockton High School has graciously offered to work with Stockton Strong in order to implement what we hope will become an annual Volunteer Day, where young Stocktonites will go out into the community and complete a variety of projects. These projects include things like helping out at the museum, clearing trails, beautifying the downtown, and more. We're even looking to find the names of seniors who might need a little help in the yards or houses, so we can add them to projects list list. If you know of anyone who could use a hand, or have an idea for a community project, please send them to [jm-lemon@wiu.edu](mailto:jm-lemon@wiu.edu).

I've also been working with the Museum to create a presentation on Stockton's lovely architecture. In fact, I'll be leading a discussion about that architecture on November 15th at the Museum, so make sure you're there!

Additionally, I've been making some calls and looking into whether or not Stockton would be able to support a senior assisted living facility. I haven't gotten very far yet, but I'm working on it.

Finally, I would like to thank the Stockton community for being so welcoming. I'm here to act as an agent of change, as a Robin Sharma said, "Change is hard at the beginning, messy in the middle, and gorgeous at the end."

Until next time!

## Senate Week in Review

### Sept. 26-30

During the week, residents paused to recognize the inaugural Gold Star Family Day in Illinois; the Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) encouraged schools to support "Walk to School Day;" a new program was announced that asks Illinois residents to serve those who served in the military; and the newest member of the Illinois Senate was sworn into office.

### Gold Star Family Day recognized

On Sept. 26, Illinois honored those families who have lost a loved one while serving in the United States Armed Forces. Gold Star Family Day, which will now be celebrated the last Monday of each September, was signed into law by Gov. Bruce Rauner in July. This new day of recognition comes the day after Gold Star Mother's Day, which is currently observed the last Sunday of every September.

Gold Star Family Day is a time for those surviving relatives of deceased

military personnel to be recognized for their sacrifice and loss. This day of recognition also provides Illinois residents with an opportunity to pause and reflect on the freedom and safety they enjoy, while at the same time honoring the sacrifice those men and women made to ensure America's safety endures.

### International Walk to School Day on Oct. 5

IDOT is encouraging schools throughout the state to participate in the 20th Annual International Walk to School Day on Oct. 5. Launched in 2000, International Walk to School Day is an opportunity for schools to promote walking to and from school, while also encouraging children to improve their own health in ways that benefit the environment.

Last year, 129 schools in Illinois hosted events. Schools planning to participate in the event are urged to spend time instructing students on pedestrian safety.

Throughout the year, IDOT pro-

motes walking and biking to school through the Safe Routes to School program. The department supports the program through initiatives such as new sidewalk construction, speed monitoring systems, public education and outreach programs. Serving those who served

### Serving Those Who Served Program

A new statewide program, called Serving Those Who Served, asks Illinoisans to participate in volunteer service projects focused on benefiting Illinois veterans. This is the first year for this program, which will run through the month of November, and is planned to become an annual event.

"The Serving Those Who Served program is a call to action," said Gov. Rauner. "We're asking for residents from across the state to come together and volunteer their time and energy on service projects to thank veterans and their families for their willingness to defend us."

This is an opportunity to not only honor these men and women, but also give back to those who have given so much. Veteran organizations can register a project for volunteers to assist with throughout November. Illinoisans can look for a project in their area and sign up to volunteer for that project. To register a project or to volunteer for a veteran project, go to <http://www.illinois.gov/veterans> and click on "Serving Those Who Served." Follow the prompts on the page and you will be registered either with a project for your veterans' organization, or to volunteer and help with that project.

### Rooney takes oath of office.

Tom Rooney of Rolling Meadows was officially sworn in as the new State Senator for the 27th District on Sept. 29.

Senator Rooney was joined by more than 100 friends, family and new colleagues in taking the oath of office. Rooney will serve out the remainder of the term of the district, which is up for reelection in November 2018.

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# ON THE RECORD

## Obituaries

### CLIFFORD "JUNIOR" RABE JR

Clifford "Junior" Rabe Jr., 73, of Orangeville, IL passed away on Monday, Oct. 3, 2016 at Manor Court in Freeport, IL. He was born on April 13, 1943 in Freeport, IL to Clifford Sr. and Alice (Jensen) Rabe. Junior married Betty Barr on Nov. 29, 1963 at the Evangelical United Brethren Church in Orangeville, IL. He enjoyed working for the Stephenson County Highway Department and retired after 40 years. He was an avid Chicago sports fan and collector of toy tractors. Junior was a little league and a slow pitch coach in the Orangeville and Monroe areas. He enjoyed spending time with his family and he adored his grandchildren.

Junior is survived by his wife Betty of Orangeville; son Daniel (Stacey) Rabe of Winslow, IL; daughter Darci (Tim) Elgin of Orangeville; son-in-law Todd Metz of Orangeville; grandchildren Amanda (Dan) Showers, Gary Metz, Kyle Metz, Jennifer (Rob) Ernst, Tyler Campbell, Sammantha Buss, Addy Elgin and Luke Elgin; and eight great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, sister Kathy Rabe, daughter Terri Metz, and loving pet Andy.

Funeral services were Oct. 7, at the Orangeville United Methodist Church in Orangeville.

Visitation was Oct. 6, at the Orangeville United Methodist Church in Orangeville.

Pastor Judy Sherk and Rev. Bill Bloomberg performed the services.

Interment will be at Sunset Acres in Orangeville.

A memorial has been established in his name.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.leanonfh.com](http://www.leanonfh.com)

### BETTY LOU (SCHAMBERGER ZELTNER) DAVIS

Betty Lou (Schamberger Zeltner) Davis, age 80 of Chetek, after a brief battle with cancer, passed away peacefully Monday, Oct. 3, 2016 with her family by her side. She was born Nov. 12, 1935, in Stockton, Il-

linois. She was the daughter of Esther (Lola Studebaker) and Harold L. Schamberger.

After a fond and active childhood in Stockton, Betty proudly moved to Denver, CO to attend college. While there, she met and later married Ted Zeltner, originally of Minneapolis. Shortly after their first child was born, they moved to Seattle where they had three more children over the next 6 years. The family spent many happy summers on the lake in Chetek, where Betty helped her parents run the Morning Sun Resort on Lake Pokegama. Betty returned to the Stockton area in 1963 and raised her four children while managing the Mr. Chipper Drive Inn in Mount Carroll, IL for several years. There, she met Bruno Davis (Davidaitis). They married and later moved the family to Aledo, IL, and then finally settled in Chetek in 1969. After purchasing North-Land Dairy, the entire family participated in its operation with Betty running early morning routes along with billing and office management. She also worked several years for Dr. Dale Jacobson. In 1980, Betty began a 23-year career in the insurance office at Barron Memorial Medical Center. Once the children were out of the house, Betty and Bruno spent a great deal of time together taking short trips around the US with their camper, enjoying the scenery and experiencing this great country she loved so much. Betty was proud of her participation with the United Methodist Church in Chetek, including time spent as Church Secretary. She was "old school" (some say stubborn), but at the same time always offered encouragement and advice to those she saw struggling. She was defiantly proud of her family and close friends, and selflessly devoted much of her life caring for her family, exemplified by providing 20 years of continuous in-home care in recent years for her mother Esther until her passing in 2012. Betty was a great cook. Along with many other items, she made some of the best homemade chicken soup, beef and noodles, barbecue ribs and potato salad found on this earth. She enjoyed her many wonderful flower and vegetable gardens along with the beautiful view of Lake Chetek from her home. Deer every night, an occasional bear and many smaller animals made sitting in her yard a true pleasure.

Nothing gave her more pride and enjoyment than watching her beautiful grand and great-grand children as they grew. No matter where they were, she always seemed to know what they were up to.

Betty is survived by her children; Kent (Jihan) Zeltner of Vail, Colorado, Steve (Connie) Zeltner of Winchester, Virginia, Deanna Humphrey of Chetek and Alan (Joan) Zeltner of Chetek, grandchildren; Stephenie (Jason), Zachary, Teresa, Nicole, Ashley, Tashauna, Matthew, Jennifer great grandchildren; Parker, Caitlyn, Mia, Tate, Mikayla. Betty is also survived by one brother Eugene (Helen) Schamberger of Stockton, Illinois. She is preceded in death by her parents, Harold and Esther, angel infant brother Bobby and angel infant great-grandson Colin. Betty and Bruno were among the small group of parents who helped form and manage the original Hydroflites Ski Club in the mid-1970's. Betty loved watching her children and so many others water ski with the Chetek Hydroflites and often helped fund memberships for kids in need of such help, happy to give them the extra opportunity to grow and develop in a healthy, challenging, and positive environment as they improved their life skills. She often tracked their later successes as they moved on in their lives. To remember or honor her, memorials may be sent to the Hydroflites Site Renovation Fund PO Box 68, Chetek. Betty and her family encourage everyone to be screened on a regular basis for colon cancer, which is a treatable condition with early detection.

Family and Friends Graveside Services were held at Lake View Cemetery Oct. 5, with Pastor Kim officiating. Friends are encouraged to attend the service. Please view and sign the online guestbook at [www.burnhamours.com](http://www.burnhamours.com).

### FLORENCE L. HECK

Florence L. Heck, 101, passed away Wednesday Oct. 5, 2016 at the Stephenson Nursing Center. Florence was born on Aug. 17, 1915 in rural Cedarville,

IL. She is the daughter of George and Beada (Lied) Korth. She married Lyle Heck in Maquoketa, IA on June 10, 1936 and he preceded her in death on June 26, 1951.

Florence attended Cedarville Grade School and graduated from Freeport High School in 1933. She was employed at Newell CO. in Freeport for over 20 years, retiring in 1981. She was a longtime member of the Cedarville Emmanuel Congregation Church.

Florence is survived by her children- Wilbur "Ted" (Sue) Heck of Winsor, WI; Marion (Allen Dennis) Wubbena of Forreton, IL, and Darrel (Maribeth) Heck of Red Oak, IL; 8 grandchildren- Phil (Lori) Heck, Nancy (Tom) Jones, Lori (Jack) Hammer, Brian (Tammie Keeffer) Heck, Shauna (Shawn Homer) Heck, Denise (Jon) Bachman, Jeffrey (Carol) Wubbena, and Debra (Troy) Lovell; 15 great-grandchildren and 1 great great-granddaughter; a brother Russell Korth of Cedarville and a sister Ethel Wichman of Orangeville and many nieces and nephews.

Florence was preceded in death by her parents and husband.

A visitation and service to celebrate Florence's life was held Oct. 10, at Park Hills Evangelical Free Church in Freeport, IL.

Officiating was Rev. Rich Graham.

Interment took place at Cedarville Cemetery.

A memorial has been established for the Rock River Bible Camp and Cedarville Fire.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.leanonfh.com](http://www.leanonfh.com).

### FRANKLIN N. TIPTON

Franklin N. Tipton age of 91, of Savanna, Illinois passed away peacefully on Wednesday, Oct. 5, 2016 at home. A funeral service was held Oct. 10, at the Church of God in Mt. Carroll, Illinois. Burial will take place in Oak Hill Cemetery in Mt. Carroll. Visitation was Oct. 9, at the Church of God. A memorial fund has been established in Frank's memory. Friends and family are invited to share in Frank's life at [www.lawjonesfuneralhome.com](http://www.lawjonesfuneralhome.com).

Frank was born March 8, 1925 in Mt. Carroll, the son of Russell W. and Esther (Davis) Tipton. He attended Meyers Country School which was located on the Jo Daviess/Carroll County line. Following school, Frank was drafted into the United States Army and honorably served his country during WWII as a Combat Medic. While he was enlisted, Frank earned many citations and decorations including the Purple Heart medal with 1st and 2nd Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters and the Bronze Star medal. Frank married the love of his life, Mavis Haas on April 19, 1947 at the Pleasant Valley Church of God.

Frank hauled canned milk for Handel Brothers and later started F. N. Tipton and Sons and hauled for himself for 21 years. He farmed all of his life but in his later years, Frank enjoyed watching Freddie pick corn. He worked for the Carroll County Highway Department from 1986 until 2004. Frank was a member of the Savanna VFW Post #2223, McDonalds Coffee Clutch and the Farm Bureau. Frank was also a member of the Church of God, where he served as past Deacon. He also served on the church building committee and drove bus for Sunday School. He enjoyed mowing grass, playing cards. Frank was able to travel on the Honor Flight to Washington DC in 2010. Frank never met a stranger and was proud of his family. To Frank, family meant the world!

Frank will be dearly missed by his wife of 69 years, Mavis; seven children, Myra (Larry) Pearce of Stockton, Illinois, Esther Smith of Erie, Illinois, Mabel (Mike) Stiles of Fulton, Illinois, Frank Tipton of Thomson, Illinois, Christie (Ray) Grim of Albany, Illinois, Fred (Rhonda) Tipton of Savanna, Jeannie (Virgil) Brinkmeier of Freeport, Illinois; 17 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandsons. Frank was preceded in death by a sister, Ethel Rosenboome and two brothers, Johnny and Sherman.



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**GLENN THOMAS OEFELEIN**

Glenn Thomas Oefelein, 80, of Lena, IL, died Saturday, Oct. 1, 2016 at Lena Living Center. He was born on July 22, 1936 in Freeport. He was the son of Kenneth and Dorothy (Bardell) Oefelein. He worked for the Stephenson County Sheriff's Department from 1957-1986. Glenn was a deputy sheriff, and served as the Stephenson County Sheriff from 1982-1986. He retired from the Illinois Department of Securities after four and a half years. Glenn enjoyed golfing, collecting antiques, NASCAR, and college basketball. He was a member of First Lutheran Church. He married Karen S. Witte on February 10, 1957 in Statesboro, GA. She preceded him in death on April 11, 1996. He married Jeanne Schoonhoven on May 19, 2000 in Lena, IL.



clude his wife, two daughters; Lori (John) Brobst, Deb (Dennis) Tillis, both of Freeport, IL; one son Jeffrey Oefelein of Jacksonville, FL; sister Cheryl (Bill) Dunn of Bonita Springs, FL; Step-daughter Meredith (Hussain) Schoonhoven; Step-son Michael (Tammy) Schoonhoven; nieces Kelly (Mark) Jacobs, Tracy Dunn; grandchildren; Matthew (Kelly) Jacobs, Nathan (Jennifer) Jacobs, Trevor Brobst, Tiffany (Cody) Calam, Amber and Kenny Oefelein; step grandchildren Aurora (Tyler) Bollon; Mikhail, Zaydan, and Brishti Schoonhoven, Austin Bowser, and Trevor Griffin; Great-grandsons Little "O" Owen Calam, Zander Jacobs, Lucian and Drake Silfee, Gabriel Rodriguez; great-grand daughter Sophia Jacobs; step-great grandson Kellan Bollon.

He was preceded in death by his first wife and his parents.

Visitation and funeral services were held Oct. 5, at the Leamon Funeral Home in Lena, IL.

Pastor Arthur Stees performed the services.

Interment will be at Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens in Freeport, IL.

A memorial has been established in his name.

Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.leamonfh.com](http://www.leamonfh.com).

**MARK A. DYSON**

Mark A. Dyson, age 56 of Stockton, passed away at home on Monday, Oct. 3, 2016. He was born April 5, 1960 in Freeport, IL to Bernard Jr. and Charlotte (Olthoff) Dyson.



Mark was a welder at Dura for over 20 years. He enjoyed hunting,

fishing, and his friendship with his nieces, nephews and great nieces and nephews.

He is survived by his mother, Charlotte (Don) Polifka of Two Rivers, WI; brother, John (Wanda) Dyson of Tuscaloosa, AL; sister, Kristine (Walter) Cook of Stockton; and many nieces and nephews. Mark is preceded in death by his father, Bernard Dyson Jr.; good friends, Earl Dotzel and Benjamin Beyers; sister, Vickie Dyson; and brother Mike Dyson.

A funeral service was held Oct. 7 at the Hermann Funeral Home in Stockton. There was a visitation Oct. 6, also at the funeral home. Interment took place at Oakland Cemetery in Freeport, IL. A memorial fund has been established.

Condolences can be shared at

[www.hermannfuneralhome.com](http://www.hermannfuneralhome.com)

**PETER W. SEIBERT**

Peter W. Seibert, age 74, of Elizabeth, Illinois, formerly of Chicago, Illinois, died Oct. 7, 2016, at home surrounded by his family. A Funeral Mass will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 12, at Church of St. Mary's Catholic, Elizabeth. Burial will take place in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, Elizabeth. In lieu of flowers a memorial fund has been established in Peter's memory. Family and friends are invited to share in Peter's life at [www.lawjonesfuneralhome.com](http://www.lawjonesfuneralhome.com).

Peter was born on April 29, 1942, in Chicago, the son of Peter and Barbara (Brun) Seibert. He attended Lane Tech High School and graduated with the Class of 1960. On December 1, 1973, Peter married Maria Berger in Chicago. They celebrated 42 years of marriage.

Peter worked for Illinois Bell, Ameritech and AT&T in Chicago as a telephone technician and retired in 1995.

Peter enjoyed fishing and being outdoors working on his land. He was an excellent handyman who could fix anything. Peter's biggest joy in life was being called "Opa" to his grandkids, Katie, Nick and Samuel.

Peter will be dearly missed by his wife, Maria; his children, Jennifer (Fiancé Ryan Laufter) Seibert of Chicago, and Laura (Robert) Cobine of Elizabeth; three grandchildren; and a brother, Kenneth (Lona) Seibert of Sandwich, Illinois. He was preceded in death by both parents.

**Luke Paulsen turns one!**

Luke Paulsen son of Derek and Erin Paulsen of Lena, Ill. turned one year old on Monday October 10, 2016. Luke has a big brother Brock, 4. Grandparents are John and Terri Cox of Lena and Paul and Marsha Paulsen of Zion, Ill. Great grandmother is Anna Paulsen of Zion.



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**Engagement**

Lori A. Lisk and Michael L. Meador of rural Mount Carroll are delighted to announce their engagement and upcoming union in marriage. We will be joined as one on November 1st, 2016 at the Carroll County Courthouse. Wish us well as we enter a lifetime together.



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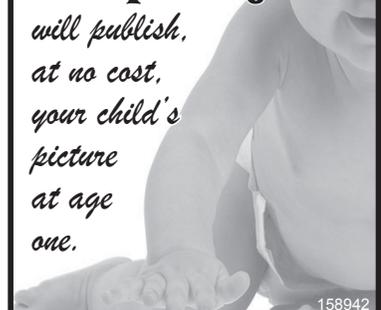
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# Scales Mound Junior High students code Sandwich Making Robots

Have you ever heard of a sandwich-making robot? Junior high students at Scales Mound School were very excited to hear about Mrs. Davis' sandwich making robot. And after having participated in last year's Hour of Code, they felt prepared to write code and program the robot to make them a sandwich.

Writing this special "code" helped students to understand that computer code is essentially just a set of very detailed, step-by-step instructions on how to accomplish a task. So students wrote a code that would allow a robot, which could make no assumptions and only do exactly as it was instructed, to make them a sandwich. When they were done writing the code, they were even more excited to assume the role of the robot, and see how well their code ran.

Standing in front of their peers, Mrs. Davis read the first instruction, "Take two pieces of bread out of the bag." Students jumped into action when their teacher quickly challenged them. "What are you doing? I didn't tell you to open the bag! The instructions were to take two pieces of bread out of the bag." Suddenly, realization struck the faces of the sixth graders as they began to calculate just how many steps they may have forgotten.

After a quick revision to the code, which allowed them to actually open the bag, they took their slices of bread out. Unfortunately, not one student had thought to instruct the robot to set the bread down on the plate.

And so the sandwich making progressed, and with playful groans and laughter, students balanced utensils that they never in-



structed themselves to set down along with their sandwiches on their hands, while struggling to add lunchmeat from unopened packages, slices of cheese still in their plastic wrappers, and mayo from jars where lids had not been removed. But with perseverance, and much revision to their codes, everyone eventually enjoyed their custom made sandwich.

Students reflected on how hard it was to include every step and every detail. They also observed that, as in real coding, simple sandwiches were much easier to code than more elaborate ones. As one student commented, "I had no idea that just adding a little mayo to my sandwich was going to make everything so complicated."

When one student commented on how real programmers would never write a code to make a sandwich, another student disagreed. "Who knows", she speculated, "maybe the sandwich artists we have today will someday be replaced with sandwich robots, and we will be the ones that code them." Well, you just never know, do you?

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Scales Mound Junior High students Mitchell Travis, Ella Distler, and Garrett Pickel perform as sandwich making robots in Mrs. Davis' Math and Science class.

## Eagle Nature Foundation plant auction announced

The Eagle Nature Foundation (ENF) will be conducting a plant auction at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 22 to move any of the plants which they have remaining after the half price plant period is over. Anyone interested in getting any of the remaining plants should plan to attend this auction. The purpose of the auction is to reduce the number of plants that ENF will have to carry over the winter. It will be an excellent opportunity to get some unique varieties of plants at a very low cost.

At the present time there are over 120 varieties of plants which, until the auction, are all listed at half price. They are on a first come first served basis as there will be no new plants added to these this fall.

This auction will be an excellent opportunity for a green house or nursery to get some excellent varieties that would cost a lot more, even if they could find them. Landscaping companies should also consider attending this auction where they could get some excellent plants for any landscaping project they are working on. For

more information on what plants are available, or may be available, please call (815) 594-2306, or write to ENF, 300 East Hickory Street, Apple River, IL 61001.

## Stockton teacher receives Excellence in Education Grant

Katie Libberton of Stockton Elementary School received a grant from the Illinois Retired Teachers Association Foundation on Oct. 5.

Libberton said her project is to provide her students with hands-on experiences in problem solving and teamwork through the use of STEM kits.

"My kindergarteners are naturally curious and inquisitive and I strive to provide them with experiences that will nurture their sense of wonder," said Libberton. "STEM kits will allow my students to be active, engaged, and take initiative in their own learning."

The IRTA Foundation designed this program based on the idea that educators often do not have addi-

tional revenue sources available for unique student projects or classroom materials. This program allotted a total of \$15,000 to Illinois public school educators for these purposes.

Applicants were required to meet the proper criteria and to submit their proposals by early September. The IRTAF Ad Hoc Committee met in September to select the grant recipients and awards are being presented now. The Illinois Principals Association played a vital role in assisting IRTAF with the promotion of this program.

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# Chiropractic care in pregnancy

Chiropractic care is essential for the pregnant mother. The mother's spine and pelvis undergo many changes as the baby grows and develops. There is also an increased risk of interference to her nervous system. Specific chiropractic care throughout pregnancy works with enhancing nervous system function, thereby providing greater health potential for both mom and the baby.

Another important reason for care throughout pregnancy is to help establish a normal balance in the mother's pelvis. A lifetime of stress and trauma to the mother's spine and pelvis may cause her pelvic opening to be comprised, resulting in a longer, more difficult labor. The diameter of the woman's pelvis is decreased when the sacrum of the pelvis is displaced or subluxated (out of

alignment)

Furthermore, a subluxated spine and pelvis are likely to cause an imbalance to the mother's pelvic muscles and ligaments. The woman's pelvis supports her growing uterus with ligaments. When the pelvic bones are unbalanced, the unequal support of the ligaments will torque the uterus, decreasing the room available for the growing baby, causing intrauterine constraint.

This constraint to the baby limits the baby's position during pregnancy and may prevent him/her from getting into the best possible position for birth. Such abnormal constrained positions also lead to a longer more painful labor with increased medical interventions in birth. Often c-sections that could have been prevented are resorted to and both the mother and baby miss the many benefits of a natural vaginal birth.

The Webster Technique is a spe-



cific chiropractic adjustment for pregnant mothers. Working to correct sacral subluxations, this technique works to balance the pelvic muscles and ligaments as well. This technique works to remove constraint and allows the baby into the best possible position for birth. Doctors of Chiropractic utilizing this technique show a high success rate in allowing babies in the breech position to go into the normal head down position.

What's the proof?

A Swedish study published in Chiropractic & Manual Therapies in 2014 recruited 115 pregnant patients

with low back pain who were undergoing chiropractic treatment. 52% of the patients reported improvement at one week. The number rose to 70% at one month. 85% at three months, 90% at six months, and 88% at one year.

That is not the only benefit of chiropractic care. A study conducted by Irwin Henderson MD, a trustee of the American Medical Association concluded that pregnant women who received chiropractic care during their third trimester were able to carry and deliver with more comfort than mothers who took other comfort measures.

Chiropractic researcher Dr. Joan Fallon conducted studies that showed a 24% reduction in average labor time for first-time mothers who received chiropractic care plus a 39% reduction for women on their second or third delivery. Her findings were published in the JMPT UB 1991.

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## September Blackhawks of the month

This year the Stockton School District will recognize its middle school students each month that are going above and beyond to display our Blackhawk Way expectations. They have been nominated for special acts of being Respectful, Responsible, and Safe.

**September Blackhawks of the Month: Fifth Bennett Graves, Sixth Maddie Harbach, Seventh Maria Bender, Eighth Madee Ertmer.**



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## Busy parents, easy meals and more!

Having a busy life, although fulfilling, sometimes makes eating and staying healthy a challenge. Whether you are juggling the schedules of busy kids, a demanding career or caring for aging parents while trying to do it all, staying healthy is a goal that needs to be a priority in all of our lives. With a little planning, a lot of love and a desire to be the best you possible, you can make it happen!

University of Illinois Extension Nutrition and Wellness Educator, Diane Reinhold will be offering a two-part workshop offering ideas on how to provide healthy meals for busy lives.

The class called, "Five Ingredient

Fix and More" will be held Tuesday, Nov. 1, from 6-7:30 p.m. at the Jo Daviess County Extension Office in Elizabeth, IL.

During this workshop we will cover the benefits of healthy eating in a fast paced world, ideas and strategies for home-cooked meals, time saving tips in the kitchen, methods to reduce excess fat and sodium in

your favorite meals. We will also be sampling recipes and sending you home with great recipes.

Preregistration is required due to limited space. You can contact our office by calling (815) 858-2273 or visit us online at <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/jsw>. There is a \$10 fee for each class to cover the educational session.

## Chelsea Busy Bees 4-H club hold annual election

The Chelsea Busy Bees 4-H club held their elections of officers during the Sept. 2016 meeting.

Officers include President-Alex Haas, Vice-President-Ellie Eden, Secretary-Haley Brudi, Treasurer-

Joseph Brudi Reporter/Historian-Jamie Eden and Co-Recreation-Karl Hubb and Leah Warner. The Chelsea Busy Bees meet every third Tuesday at Christ Lutheran Church in Stockton, Illinois.

# FROM LENA'S KITCHEN



The not so skinny cook

We finally have some crisp fall weather. The trees are beginning to turn that beautiful orange and yellow color. It is the sweatshirt weather I have been asking for. (However, nobody told the bees it was time to go in!) This week's recipes have some fall flavor to them. There is an appetizer, salad, a main dish, and some great apple recipes again.

This first appetizer is for a tasty hot pimiento cheese dip. I really like cold pimiento dips, so when I came across this one, it was time to try a different take on pimiento dips. This appetizer has a great flavor. You can substitute the green pepper for red pepper, or if you are into heat, you can use jalapeno peppers. You can also bake this dish in the oven and then put into a small crock pot to keep it warm to serve.

## Baked Pimiento Cheese Dip

- 6 oz. cream cheese, softened
- 1/2 C. mayonnaise
- 2 C. shredded sharp Cheddar Cheese
- 1 jar (4 oz.) diced pimientos, drained
- 1/2 C. sliced green onion
- 1/4 C. diced green pepper
- 2 T. capers, drained
- 1 T. Dijon mustard
- 1 T. fresh lemon juice
- 1/2 t. hot sauce
- 1/2 t. Worcestershire sauce
- 1/8 t. salt
- 1/8 t. pepper
- Sliced green onions and pimientos for garnish

Preheat the oven to 400. In a medium bowl, stir together the cream cheese and mayo until smooth; stir in cheddar, pimientos, green onion, peppers, capers, mustard, lemon juice, hot sauce, Worcestershire, salt and pepper. Spoon into a 1-quart baking dish.

Bake until hot and bubbly, about 20 minutes. Serve with baguette slices or rye rounds. Garnish with green onions and pimientos if desired.

This next salad has a different seasoning on it. The recipe for the Greek seasoning is below. You can buy Greek seasoning, but it is pricey. Make your own with spices you probably have in your cupboard. If you want a little kick, use Feta cheese instead of the mozzarella.

## Garden Cucumber Salad

- 7 C. cucumbers, (4 medium, cut into 1/2-inch pieces)
- 2 medium red peppers, chopped

- 1 C. cherry or grape tomatoes, halved
- 1 C. (4 oz.) mozzarella cheese
- 1/2 C. finely chopped red onion
- 1/2 C. olive oil
- 1/4 C. fresh lemon juice
- 1 T. Greek seasoning (see recipe below)

Place all ingredients in a large bowl; toss gently to combine. Refrigerate, covered, at least 30 minutes before serving.

## Greek Seasoning

- 2 t. salt
- 2 t. garlic powder
- 2 t. dried basil
- 2 t. dried oregano
- 1 t. cinnamon
- 1 t. black pepper
- 1 t. dried parsley
- 1 t. dried rosemary, minced
- 1 t. dried dill weed
- 1 t. dried marjoram
- 1 t. cornstarch
- 1/2 t. ground thyme
- 1/2 t. ground nutmeg

Mix ingredients together in a bowl and transfer to an air tight container. Store in the refrigerator for up to a year.

This main entry is a good one for a quick dinner. You could also use it for a tailgate party or a football

party. (It would be great if we could party with the Cubs—they just need to keep on winning!)

## Sloppy Joe Biscuit Cups

- 1 lb. ground beef
- 1/4 C. finely chopped celery
- 1/4 C. finely chopped onion
- 1/4 C. finely chopped green pepper
- 1/2 C. barbecue sauce
- 1 tube (12 oz.) medium refrigerated flaky biscuits (10 count)
- 1/2 C. shredded cheddar cheese

Preheat the oven to 400. In a skillet, sauté the beef and the vegetables over medium heat for 5-7 minutes or until beef is crumbly and no longer pink; drain. Stir in the barbecue sauce; bring to a boil. Reduce the heat; simmer, uncovered, for 2 minutes, stirring occasionally.

Separate the dough and flatten the biscuits into 5 -inch circles. Press into greased muffin cups. Fill with beef mixture. Bake 9-11 minutes or until the biscuits are golden. Sprinkle with cheese; bake 1-2 minutes or until cheese is melted.

This is the time for great apple cider. It is in grocery stores, apple orchards, and Farmer's Markets. This recipe uses the vegetables of the season and the cider to make a

great side. Serve it with a pork dish, and it will be great.

## Cider-glazed Roasted Vegetables

- 1 acorn squash
- 1 red onion cut into 8 wedges
- 4 medium carrots
- 1/4 C. hard cider
- 2 T. packed brown sugar
- 2 T. olive oil
- 2 t. chopped fresh sage
- 1 t. salt
- 1/4 t. black pepper

Preheat the oven to 425. Place slits in squash and place in microwave for 5 minutes. Remove and when cool enough to handle, slice squash in half. Remove the seeds and slice into wedges. Peel the skin from the wedges. (Squash does not have to be totally cooked). Halve the carrots and cut lengthwise, and then cut into 2-inch pieces.

In a large bowl, combine the cider, brown sugar, olive oil, sage, salt and pepper. Miss well and then add the squash, onions, and carrots; toss to coat. Spread out on a large sheet pan that has been sprayed with cooking spray. Roast for 20-25 min-

utes or until vegetables are tender. Stir once halfway through the cooking time. Serve this as a great side to any meal.

In keeping with the season, the next recipes are all apple related. In one of the earlier columns, Connie Loberg had sent a crock pot applesauce recipe. It was great. A friend sent me these apple recipes. The first applesauce recipe is one that is made in the crock pot also. The cinnamon and pumpkin pie spice make for great flavors. Yes, there really is a tablespoon of vanilla in this recipe. You use the applesauce in the muffin recipe that follows. The last apple recipe is for a simple apple crisp. It is an easy dessert to end a dinner or just a weeknight supper.

## Heavenly Applesauce

- 5 lbs. apples, peeled and sliced (about 13 cups)
- 1/4 C. packed light brown sugar
- 2/3 C. unsweetened apple juice
- 2 t. cinnamon
- 1 t. pumpkin pie spice
- 1 T. vanilla

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## U of I Extension schedules Five Ingredient Fix session

"Five Ingredient Fix and More" will be held Tuesday, Nov. 1, from 6-7:30 p.m. at the Jo Daviess County Extension Office in Elizabeth, IL.

During this workshop we will cover the benefits of healthy eating in a fast paced world, ideas and strategies for home-cooked meals, time saving tips in the kitchen, methods to reduce excess fat and

sodium in your favorite meals. We will also be sampling recipes and sending you home with great recipes.

Preregistration is required due to limited space. You can contact our office by calling (815) 858-2273 or visit us online at <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/jsw>. There is a \$10 fee to cover the educational session.

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# CHURCH NEWS

## Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church will gather for worship on Oct. 16, at 118 E. Mason St. Lena, IL, at 9:30 a.m. All are invited to worship on this Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost with Holy Communion as Pastor Miho leads us in worship and the children's sermon. Following worship, there will be a time of fellowship. All Sunday School children will gather for Sunday School Opening at 10:45 a.m. followed by learning, Bible study, prayer, and fellowship.

On Wednesday Oct. 19, at 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!

The After School Program for fourth through eighth graders will meet at the Hangout downtown on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. Each day there is worship with music and a Christian message; pizza; homework help; and lots of time for all sorts of games, challenges and play.

Saturday Oct. 29, the Men's Group will host a Steak Fry: starting at 4:30 p.m. Men of all ages are invited to attend. Please call the church at (815) 369-5552 or sign up at the church by Sunday Oct. 16, if you would like to attend.

## Kent/Willow United Methodist Churches

Kent/Willow UMC will worship together Sunday Oct. 16, at 9 a.m. at Kent UMC; Brenda Morris will be giving the message and all are welcome and invited. Also to stay for the fellowship following.

Sunday School is at 10:30 a.m. and all are invited and welcome to join us as we study from the Holy Bible.

Kent UMC is located right in the town of Kent, IL; for more information, please call (815) 601-6742



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## Davis Rockets say thank you!

Recently members of the Davis Rockets 4-H Club, shown here, collected non-perishable food items as a Community Service project, prior to their 4-H club meeting on Oct. 3.

In all, approximately 275 various items of canned and dry goods, were collected and donated to the FACC (Freeport Area Church Cooperative) and Davis Faith Community Church Food Pantry, for use in stocking their pantry shelves.

The club members would all like to say "THANK YOU" to the residents of Rock City and Davis, for their generous support in this endeavor to help those less fortunate in our area and for all their support to the 4-H program too! With their help, the lives of many local families have been touched.

## Shepherd of the Hills announces Trick or Treat for Mop Shop

During the month of October, Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church will again be sponsoring a collection of items and monetary gifts for the Mop Shop. The Mop Shop is located in the Elizabeth Municipal Building in Elizabeth, and serves families in Jo Daviess County by providing cleaning products to low income and needy individuals. Presently, they have 400 clients registered who may select four items per month.

There will be five collection sta-

tions where you can deposit your cleaning items. Businesses participating in the collection are Pat's Pantry in Scales Mound, Apple River Banks in Warren and Elizabeth, The Galena Gazette in Galena and Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church in Schapville. So while you are out doing your own shopping, help out the Mop Shop by picking up an extra

cleaning item and depositing it in one of the "Trick or Treat" trash can stations listed above.

Especially needed items are: liquid dish soap, laundry soap, paper towels, disinfecting wipes, dusting sprays, toilet bowl cleaner & brushes, buckets and softener dryer sheets, but all cleaning supplies are welcome. Thank you!

## Family worship, food pantry, quarterly meeting

On Sunday, Oct. 16, family worship will begin at 10 a.m. Organist Deb Winning playing an appropriate meditation. The sermon title will be "Are You a Squeaky Wheel?" based on Luke 18. Reader will be Sherri Brown. Holy Communion will be offered.

Immediately following our worship, the Quarterly Congregational Meeting will take place. President Ron Brown will preside.

This is also Food Pantry Sunday, and we encourage all to bring at least one food item for the Pearl City Area Food Pantry. Sherri Brown is our representative.

Everyone is welcome at the Little Church with the Big Heart, which is located in the suburbs of Kent on Sunnyside Road. For more information, call Pastor Andres at St Paul Church in Kent, 232-4010.

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# St. John's Lutheran Church presents Restored and The Church Sisters in concert

St. John's Lutheran Church will hold their Sunday morning service on Oct. 16. The service will begin at 9 a.m. and will include the Joy Choir. The Whirl Sunday School will meet at 10:15 a.m. feature the lesson, "The Widow and the Judge." Confirmation class for seventh and eighth grade youth will also meet at 10:15 a.m. SPLAT youth will meet at 11 a.m. to deliver Grace Meals. The October Grace Meal will be held at Noon and the menu will be ham balls, baked potato, applesauce, dessert and beverages.

St. John's Lutheran Church, Pearl, City, now has a Saturday Evening Worship at 5:30 p.m. in our Nave/Sanctuary. The service will be led by Pastor Ekstrand and will be about 30-35 minutes in length and will include communion and a sermon. Members and non-members alike are welcome to participate in the Saturday evening service.

The Fifth Quarter Youth (seventh and eighth grades) group will meet at 6 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 16, in the Youth and Family Center. The Genesis Youth (High School) group will meet at 7:30 p.m.

The Women's Gathering will meet at St. John's at 9:45 a.m. on Oct. 18. The morning will begin with fellowship, followed by a bible study and meeting. Please bring a sack lunch and stay for the Sit & Sew. You are welcome to bring any project you are working on or projects will be available.

The Women's Gathering invites all area women to a Fall Gathering and Dessert on Oct. 26, at 1 p.m. at St. John's. The program will be History of the St. John's 125th Anniversary Quilt with hymns, special music and bible readings. Contact St. John's (815-443-2215) if you would like to attend by Oct.

16. Save the date: Restored and The Church Sisters in concert at St. John's on Saturday, Oct. 29. Restored will perform at 6 pm and The Church Sisters at 8 p.m. No ticket sales. Doors will open at 5 pm with First come, first seated. A food stand will be available between shows. A free will offering will be collected.

Information about the groups: Restored is a group of Christians who believe it's time to get off the fence and use the gifts they've been given to help others do the same. Their sound is unique, fresh, and tells a story about being a Christian in today's world. The Lord has blessed them, and they are excited to share hope in Him.

The Church Sisters: Savannah and Sarah Church is a twin sister powerhouse duo from Galax, Va. The musical heritage of the region they have grown up in rings clearly through their soulful yet dynamic combination of lead and harmony vocals that are unmatched in purity. The eclectic feel of the Church Sisters sound encompasses a wide array of musical genres: Country, Americana, Bluegrass, Roots, and Folk. This six piece band of versatile musicians collectively provides an experience that leaves fans astounded night after night in raw, organic, natural talent. The blood harmony of these two sisters backed by their talented musicians brings life to musical audiences around the world.

Vendor Fair: St. John's will host a Vendor Fair on Nov. 6, from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Interested in having a booth? Contact the church office at (815) 443-2215 or email at prsh-admin@gmail.com. The Spaghetti Luncheon will also be on November 6th along with an FHN Community Flu Shot Clinic.

## Public Notice Rush Township

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Candidates may obtain petition papers from the Town Clerk Ted Davenport at 9051 E. Rush Town Rd., Stockton, IL. Call 815-238-8781

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THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON F/K/A THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE (CWALT 2005-07CB)

Plaintiff,

-v.-

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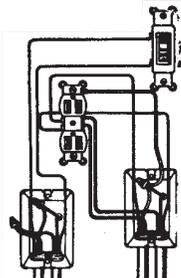
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**•Kitchen** (Continued from page 9)

In a large slow cooker, combine the apples, brown sugar, apple juice, cinnamon, and pumpkin pie spice. Cook, covered, on low for 6-8 hours or until the apples are soft.

Add the vanilla and stir to break up the apples. Reserve 3/4 Cup of the applesauce for the next recipe. Serve remaining applesauce warm or refrigerate and serve cold. You may freeze this applesauce in smaller freezer containers. Thaw over night in the refrigerator before using.

**Applesauce Mini Muffins**

- 1/2 C. unsalted butter, softened
- 1/2 C. sugar
- 2 large eggs
- 3/4 C. reserved applesauce
- 1 t. vanilla extract
- 1 2/3 C. flour
- 1 t. baking powder
- 1/2 t. salt
- 1/4 t. ground nutmeg
- Topping:
- 1/3 C. sugar
- 1/2 t. cinnamon
- 3 T. butter, melted

Preheat the oven to 400. In a large bowl, cream the butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Add the eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Gradually beat in the applesauce and vanilla. In another bowl, whisk the flour, baking powder, salt and nutmeg. Add to the creamed mixture and stir just until moistened.

Fill paper lined mini muffin cups three-fourths full. Bake for 10-12 minutes or until a toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean. Cool 5 minutes before removing from pans to a wire rack.

Topping: in a small bowl, mix the sugar and cinnamon. Dip tops of warm muffins in melted butter and then in cinnamon sugar. Serve warm.

**Weeknight Apple Crisp**

- 1/2 C. sugar
- 1 1/2 t. cinnamon
- 5 large apples, peeled and sliced
- 3/4 C. old-fashioned oats
- 3/4 C. packed brown sugar
- 1/2 C. flour
- 6 T. cold butter, cubed

Preheat the oven to 350. In a large bowl, stir together sugar, 1/2 teaspoon of cinnamon and toss with the apples. In a greased microwave-safe 11 x 7 baking dish, microwave the apples until slightly softened, about 4 minutes. In a large bowl, using a fork, combine the oats, brown sugar, flour and remaining cinnamon. Cut in the butter until crumbly; sprinkle

**Chelsea Busy Bees 4-H club hold annual election**

The Chelsea Busy Bees 4-H club held their elections of officers during the Sept. 2016 meeting. Officers include President-Alex Haas, Vice-President-Ellie Eden, Secretary-Haley Brudi, Treasurer-Joseph Brudi Reporter/Historian-Jamie Eden and Co-Recreation-Karl Hubb and Leah Warner. The Chelsea Busy Bees meet every third Tuesday at Christ Lutheran Church in Stockton, Illinois.

over the apples. Bake until apples are soft and the topping is a golden brown. Serve with ice cream or whipped cream.

This week is Homecoming week at Le-Win. I think there will be a parade and lots of excitement. It shows the weather as being cooperative. Of course, things can change in a week's time. Barb told me that they will be there again next week at the Farmer's Market and maybe the next week too. This week I got some great cabbage and a jar of jelly to keep in the cupboard for a treat this winter. Elizabeth has some beautifully canned pickles, apple pie filling, and salsa that you will love to have this winter.

If you have some pumpkin, squash, or apple recipes that are old standbys or new one, you can contact us in person, by mail, or email us at From Lena's Kitchens, Shopper's Guide at 213 S. Center St. or email scoopshopper@rvpublishing.com.



**Carol Brown of Warren, shown here with Lena Lion Richard Holmes was the winner for the 2016 Ford Fusion in the annual Lena Lions raffle held at the annual Lena Fall Festival.**

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TRUSTEE (CWALT 2005-07CB)  
Plaintiff,

-v.-  
DEBRA K. NOLL, et al  
Defendant

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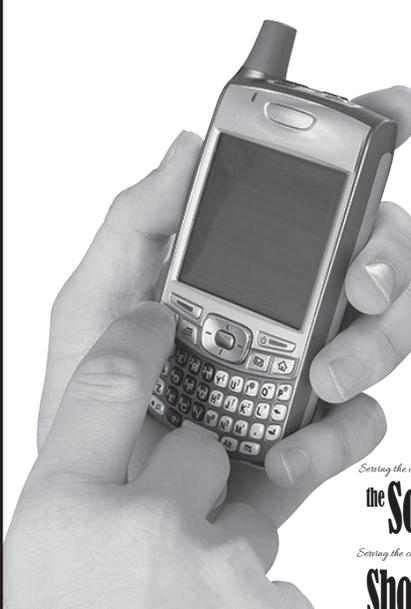
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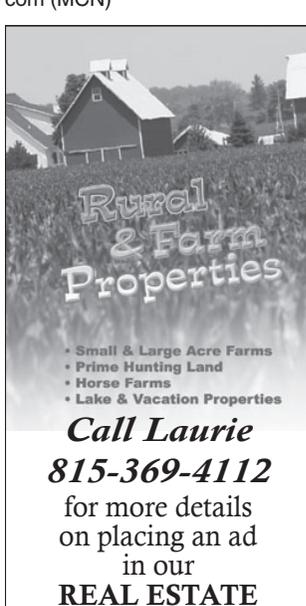
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