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NW IL Art & Jazz Fest is jazzy, juicy and just plain jaw-dropping

The 2018 NW IL Art & Jazz will be the event of the year! The annual event features two days of regional fine art, live jazz music and scrumptious local food, craft beer & wine, along with the unveiling of a fourth wall mural in downtown Stockton, IL.

Set in the semi-wooded Stockton Lion's Memorial Park, this Galena Country spectacle was named Best Festival by Illinois Country Living readers in 2017.

Along with a juried art show, music kicks off Saturday, July 21, at 11 a.m. with Highland Community Colleges Big Band followed with saxophone virtuoso Amanee Avery and Too Deep. Closing out the first day will be festival favorite The Groove Hotel, featuring several RAMI award-winning musicians.

On Sun, July 22, music begins at 11 a.m. with the music of The Black Tie Trio, from DeKalb, followed by Round Midnight Quartet of Dubuque, IA.

The art show, opens 10 a.m.- 6 p.m. Sat. and 10 a.m.- 4 p.m. Sun., showcases a wide range of talented regional artists with everything from jewelry to glass and fiber to lawn sculpture. The Galena Brewing Company, Pecatonica Beer Tap House, Massbach Ridge Winery, Fergerdaboudit Winery are offering samples, cups and bottles of locally-crafted libations. Food, samplers & meals, will be provided by regional chefs.

Not to be missed is the unveiling of the fourth wall mural on a downtown Stockton building. Muralist Chris Shannon has created visually

explosive murals during the festival for the past three years. This year, the subject matter and location is a secret until the event weekend. Visitors are invited to watch Shannon at work and encouraged to take selfies in front of each of the four gigantic murals.

After a day at the Fest, trek down the road a bit to Woodbine Bend Golf Course & Restaurant, the event's title entertainment sponsor, for a round on the immaculate links-style course and outstanding cuisine.

Stockton Lion's Memorial Park is located at 600 N. Pearl St., Stockton IL 61085, just off U.S. 20 east of Galena, Ill.

For more information, e-mail nwilartfest@yahoo.com, call Amy Laskye at 815-947-2878 or go www.nwilartfest.com.

A story of dystopian nature

By John Day
CORRESPONDENT

Most people in rural northwest Illinois have seen a large animal in the woods and wondered what the creature may have been. Many people as well have heard sounds in the night that sound like some ferocious beast. All of us have been given third and fourth-hand accounts of wolves being seen nearby. We ask ourselves if there are wolves or bears out in the woods near our homes.

In 2008 a cougar was shot and killed by the Chicago Police in that city. In 2013 a cougar was shot by Illinois Conservation Police on a farm in Morrison. In 2017 the State of Illinois revised the law regarding hunting bobcats. Just a few years ago there were daily news reports of a black bear traveling the route 20 corridor between STOCKTON and Rockford.

Doug Dufford, Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) is the Project Manager of Wildlife Disease and Invasive Wildlife Program. As part of the program Dufford has addressed several meetings in the area

to advise the public about the state of affairs regarding large mammals and their impact on this area. Dufford said, "Large animals make their way through the counties of northwest Illinois. As weather conditions have shifted these animals have begun to move through areas where they were once rarely seen. Because of habitat loss, many creatures have begun to move around in search of new territory."

"Whatever the animal might be, it is best that people do not approach it. It's best to make loud noises and create a ruckus. Throw sticks or something else at the animal as you calmly retreat without turning your back and running. If you turn and run, these animals may instinctively give chase thinking you are prey."

In the upper northwest corner of Illinois wolves, black bear and cougars are extremely rare. Nevertheless, there have been sightings of animals not often seen that can represent a danger. Coyotes, bobcats and sightings of other once rare animals are on the increase. With the proliferation of inexpensive trail cameras, the verifiable

sightings of these less rare creatures are on the rise. Although not as large as a cougar or bear a coyote, bobcat and animals such as badgers can be dangerous to people or pets and caution should be used if dealing with any one of them.

The badger is not considered endangered but is rarely seen in this area. This shy animal cannot be killed arbitrarily. If a badger becomes a nuisance on your property, contact IDNR for advice on having the animal removed. Coyotes have been known to attack small domestic animals and cause other problems. Although they are frequently heard and seen, the coyote doesn't usually remain in an area for too long.

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Lillian Sikora attended the Stockton July 4th celebrations with her friend Charmander.



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The beverage station in the chicken line is very busy when the heat index readings top 100.



Dennis "Cleaver" Yeager spent the afternoon representing the Freeport Chapter of A.B.A.T.E. of Illinois Inc.



Did you match wits with a Stockton FFA member during the July Fourth festivities?



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We would like to thank our family and friends for the beautiful flowers we received for our 55th Wedding Anniversary. We also enjoyed the lovely cards, they were very special. Each one was different. We will treasure the cards and flowers for a long time. Thank you all for everything.

Sincerely, Jon and Diane Kaufman

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Members of the Lena Lions are busy selling raffle tickets for their 2018 vehicle drawing.

College News

Iowa State University releases Spring 2018 Dean's List

Approximately 9,196 Iowa State University students have been recognized for outstanding academic achievement by being named to the spring semester 2018 Dean's List.

Students named to the Dean's List must have earned a grade point average of at least 3.50 on a 4.00 scale while carrying a minimum of 12 credit hours of graded course work.

Iowa State University Honors Students from this area include:

Kelsey Grace Finn of Elizabeth, 4, Nutritional Science (H SCI)

Tanner Lawfer, 2, Agricultural Systems Technology, and Jordon E. Oellerich, 3, Agricultural and Life Sciences Education both of Lena

Timothy Thomas Lott of Pearl City, 4, Food Science (AGLS)

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Hundreds of chickens were beautifully grilled and served as crowds braved the high temperatures to celebrate the Fourth of July in Stockton.



The Stockton Fourth of July celebrations started early with the annual 3-on-3 basketball tourney.

• Story

(Continued from front page)

Bobcats are making a comeback across Illinois. A new state law allows for the hunting and trapping of bobcats in Jo Daviess County with a permit. However, the bobcat remains protected in Stephenson County. Regardless of the County in which you live if you begin having issues on or near your property with bobcats it is best to contact IDNR and arrange for removal. There is a difference between hunting and destroying a wild animal.

If you're interested in what animals may come visiting during the dark of night a trail-cam can be purchased at any number of outlets ranging from sporting goods to hardware or department stores. Find a location a short distance from your house that is somewhat remote and hang the device on a tree or fence post. Check the camera every few days for results. If you have questions or would like to have a photo reviewed to verify what species an animal might be, you can contact the local IDNR office in Lena, Illinois at 815 369 4282.



The Pearl City Lions Bingo trailer was a welcome respite from the heat during the July Fourth festivities in Stockton.

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VIEWPOINT

Bustos Op-Ed: heartland farmers a casualty in Trump's trade war

Two years ago, Candidate Trump stood at a podium in Midwestern America and promised to "end this war on the American Farmer."

This week, President Trump broke that promise by impulsively igniting a reckless trade war. Hardworking farmers in Illinois—and across our neighboring heartland states—will be its first casualties.

Trump's tariff tweets baited China into a rapid, tit-for-tat escalation that threatens Illinois' top economic driver: our agricultural producers.

Roughly 43,000 Illinois soybean farmers produce more than 600 million bushels of soybeans. That's more than any other state.

If Illinois were a country, it would be the fourth largest exporter of soybeans in the world. Much of it goes to China.

Whether we like it or not, we are joined at the hip. Thousands of Illinois corn growers and pork producers are in the same boat.

Let me be the first to admit: We must do more to level the playing field through trade reform that creates more good-paying American manufacturing jobs. But trade is complex. It must be done thoughtfully and deliberately, not as some knee-jerk impulse that ignores basic economics.

This rapidly escalating trade war

is just the latest example of President Trump turning his back on our farmers:

He has also backtracked from expanded trade with Cuba, closing off a valuable potential agricultural market with a \$2 billion upside.

He has repeatedly threatened to cancel NAFTA with the stroke of a pen, without considering the dire consequences of immediately cutting off \$25 billion worth of annual farm trade with neighbors to the north and the south.

And he has undermined our corn growers by sowing confusion about how the Renewable Fuel Standard applies to ethanol production.

As one Illinois farmer put it this week: Our growers and producers face enough uncertainty with the weather — they don't need the government being even more unpredictable.

Adding insult to injury, Commerce Secretary Wilbur Ross claimed farmers are "screaming and yelling" too much on trade because China's tariffs are "hardly a life-threatening activity."

Well Mr. Secretary and Mr. President, you're right about one thing: We are screaming and yelling. Yes, indeed! Because when prices fall below the cost of production in the Heartland, it threatens our jobs, our

families and our way of life.

So, with all due respect, gentlemen, get out of our farmers' way. Please. Stop treating us like fly-over country. Stop tweeting away thousands of our jobs. And start keeping at least a few of those promises you made.

Congresswoman Cheri Bustos represents the 17th District of Illinois. She is the granddaughter of a hog farmer, niece of dairy farmers, cousin of Angus farmers and all of her Dad's side of her family grow corn and soybeans. She is a member of Democratic elected House Leadership and also serves on the House Agriculture Committee.

Senate passes Durbin, Roberts Farm Bill Amendment to support rural EMS Agencies

Bipartisan Amendment Will Reauthorize Funding For Rural Fire And Ambulance Crews to Fight Opioid Epidemic, Strengthen Workforce

The U.S. Senate passed the Agriculture and Nutrition Act of 2018, also known as the Farm Bill, which included an amendment by U.S. Senators Dick Durbin (D-IL) and Pat Roberts (R-KS), and cosponsored by Senators Debbie Stabenow (D-MI) and Tammy Baldwin (D-WI), to reauthorize a federal grant program that directly supports rural emergency medical services (EMS) agencies in training and recruiting staff, conducting courses to satisfy certification requirements, and purchasing equipment—for everything from naloxone and first aid kits, to power stretchers or new ambulances. Durbin and Roberts, along with Stabenow and Baldwin, originally introduced the bipartisan Supporting and Improving Rural EMS Needs (SIREN) Act in May 2018, which will provide grant funding through the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) for public,

tribal, and private non-profit agencies in rural communities nationwide. The Agriculture and Nutrition Act of 2018 will now proceed to a conference committee where the House and Senate will reconcile the differences of their respective bills.

"In many rural communities in Illinois and across the country, rural EMS agencies are on the front lines in delivering quality emergency response, service coordination, and patient care. From responding to the opioid epidemic to treating the emergency needs of an aging population, rural EMS agencies are being asked to do more but face workforce and geographic challenges in their communities," said Durbin. "Passage of this amendment will provide rural EMS agencies with the federal funding that they so desperately need to serve their communities."

"I was pleased we were able to include this legislation in the bipartisan Farm Bill. I have been glad to work with Senator Durbin to help rural EMS serve patients and overcome the unique challenges facing the

health care delivery system in rural areas," said Roberts.

A recent decline in primary care and hospital service availability, great distances between health care facilities, and low insurance reimbursement for transport and emergency treatment have all strained rural EMS agencies. At the same time, EMS agencies today are tasked

with ever-greater responsibilities—preparing for natural and manmade disasters and bioterror threats, supporting the chronic and emergency care needs of an aging population, and responding on the front lines of the opioid epidemic. These first responders are often the only health care providers in their area and face difficulty in personnel recruitment

and retention, and securing expensive equipment. In Illinois, up to 500 distinct rural EMS agencies would be eligible to apply for federal grant funding under the SIREN Act.

The SIREN Act is supported by the National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians and the International Association of Fire Chiefs.

Attorney General Madigan recovers \$20 million for Illinois pension systems

Attorney General Lisa Madigan today announced a \$20 million settlement with Royal Bank of Scotland as a result of the bank's misconduct in its marketing and sale of risky residential mortgage-backed securities (RMBS) leading up to the 2008 economic collapse.

The settlement with Royal Bank of Scotland resolves an investigation by Madigan's office over the bank's failure to disclose the true risk of RMBS investments.

"With this settlement, I have recovered over \$475 million for Illinois pension systems and residents as a result of fraudulent conduct in the mortgage-backed securities market," Madigan said. "Nearly a decade after the economic crisis, I continue to recover critical funds for the state due to Wall Street's misconduct."

Under the settlement, Royal Bank

of Scotland will pay \$20 million to the State of Illinois. The settlement proceeds will be distributed among the Teachers Retirement System of the State of Illinois, the State Universities Retirement System of Illinois, and the Illinois State Board of Investment, which oversees the State Employees' Retirement System.

The settlement is the eighth settlement addressing the sale of mortgage-backed securities during the lead up to the economic collapse. Madigan previously settled with JPMorgan Chase & Company for \$100 million to Illinois' pension systems; with Citigroup for \$44 million to the state's pension systems and an additional \$40 million in consumer relief; with Bank of America for a record \$300 million, including \$200 million to Illinois' pension systems and an additional \$100 million in consumer relief; with Morgan Stan-

ley for \$22.5 million to the state's pension systems; and with Goldman Sachs for \$25 million for the state's pension systems and \$16 million in consumer relief. Madigan also secured a \$52.5 million settlement with Standard & Poor's and a \$19.5 million settlement with Moody's to resolve allegations that the companies compromised their independence by doling out high ratings to risky mortgage-backed securities as corporate strategies to increase its revenue.

Attorney General Madigan has led the country in taking legal action against banks, lenders and other financial institutions for unlawful financial misconduct that contributed to the country's economic collapse. Madigan's enforcement actions have recovered over \$3.3 billion for consumers, communities, county recorders and pension funds.

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The clinical staff at the Health Department will follow both federal and state law privacy requirements to ensure confidentiality of your medical records and testing.

Appointments can be made by calling the Jo Daviess County Health Department at 815-777-0263.

ON THE RECORD

Obituaries

BARBARA ASKEW RUTHERFORD

Barbara Askew Rutherford, age 86, died peacefully on June 30, 2018. She was born on March 22, 1932 to Bernie Paul Askew and Bessie Belle Robinson Askew. She grew up in Youngstown, OH. She attended Miami University of Ohio for two years, then graduated from Ohio State University. After graduating, she worked as a dental hygienist. Barbara married John Morton Rutherford on Aug. 20, 1955 and they moved to Glen Ellyn, IL where they raised their four children. Barbara's interests were varied and ranged from antiques, bridge and nature to church, music and travel. She loved her family and enjoyed food and the many celebrations and family stories that revolved around meals. She was a guide at the Morton Arboretum in DuPage County for many years. After John retired, they moved to their beloved "Rock House" in Apple River, IL in 1990. Barbara became a member of Apple River United Methodist Church and also founded Natural Area Guardians, putting her passion for nature into action. This organization later evolved into Jo Daviess Conservation Foundation (JDCF). She, John and their fellow nature enthusiasts worked tirelessly to advocate for conservation. In 2017 Barbara and her husband John received the Nancy Hamill Winter Conservation Leadership Award from JDCF. Barbara leaves a legacy of kindness to all.

She is survived by her husband, her sisters Ginny Suhring of Hershey, PA and Pat Sharpe (Dave) of Bristol, VT, her children, Bryn Davis (Paul) of Midlothian, VA, Jay (Libby) of Apple River, IL, Brad (Jillian) of Hansville, WA, and Darcy Renkens (Rick) of Suamico, WI; her grandchildren John (Te), Kevin Davis, Sarah Carole (Pascal), Emily Huss (Jonathan), Kenzie, Terefa, Peter Renkens (Kristyn), Sarah Dressel (Michael), Jason Renkens (Carly), and her eight great-grandchildren, Katie, Emily, Charlie, Jack, Hannah, Connor, Colin and Demmi. Barbara was predeceased by her parents, her stepmothers Ruth Kenney Askew and Elizabeth Gunn Askew, and brother-in-law William Frederick Suhring.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday July 21, at the Apple River United Methodist Church, with a visitation from 9 until time of service. A luncheon will follow the service. Officiating will be Pastor Libby Rutherford.

The family would like to thank Sue Reynolds, Elizabeth Nursing Home and Freeport Health Network Hospice.



A memorial has been established in Barbara's name.

Condolences may be sent to the family at leamonfh.com.

JEAN OTTE

Jean Otte, 83, formerly of Pearl City, passed away July 1, 2018, at Waverly Place of Stockton. Here is her obituary, in her own words:

I was born Avis Jean Plenger (but don't ever call me Avis!) on Aug. 14, 1935 in Lena, Illinois. My parents were John Anthony and Sarah Avis (Morgan) Plenger. My dad worked for the Illinois Central Railroad, so when he was transferred to Freeport in my early teens, that meant we had to move. I did not like attending school in Freeport, and decided to quit after the first day of my junior year. When I went home and told my mother what I did, she told me I had to get a job and pay rent. It didn't take me long to land a job at the telephone office. Yes, I was one of those "Number, please" girls, who answered your call and plugged you into the switchboard to connect your call.

When I was sixteen, I met my future husband, Floyd Robert Otte. I wanted to get married shortly thereafter, but he said I was too young. We waited until I was the ripe old age of 17 and he was 26. We were married in Freeport on Oct. 3, 1952. Rumors ran wild throughout the party lines that I was pregnant and had to get married. But my first child wasn't born until 1955! Apparently, it was a very long pregnancy.

In the early years of marriage, I worked with my husband to re-establish his business, Otte Repair Service. We put our money into the business to make it the success that it was. We dug the basement for our house and lived in that until 1962 when we finished the house. After it was sided, we couldn't decide on a color to paint it. He wanted green with white trim and I wanted white with green trim. So we compromised by having it painted green and white striped. Our house was a landmark for many when driving along Route 73. All we had to do was say we lived



in the green and white striped house, and almost everybody knew exactly where we lived!

During our marriage, we had three daughters: Debra (Gary) Brubaker, DeKalb, Cindy (Ronald) Heitkam, Lena, and Sally Healy, Lena. We also had four grandchildren: Brett RN (Joe Bonnell) Heitkam, Dixon, Scott Heitkam, Lena, Michelle (Stephane) Chevallier, Rochester, MN, and Lori (Bryce RN) Williams, Columbia, SC. I was lucky to have seven great grandchildren: Peyton, Benjamin, and Natalie Heitkam, Lena, and Chloe, Emily, Asha, and Jo Williams of Columbia, SC.

I was a stay-at-home wife, helping my husband's business by going to Freeport "chasing parts" for him. I was also an assistant Girl Scout leader. When my youngest, Sally, started junior high, I decided it was time to get a job outside the home. I began working in the kitchen at the nursing home in Lena and stayed there 27 years.

During our marriage, my husband taught me many things. Shortly after marriage he taught me how to drive. And it was a STICK shift! In 1968 he assisted me in getting my GED. I couldn't have done it without him. When I was in my late thirties, he taught me how to ride a motorcycle. Eventually I took over his 750 Honda and he got himself an 1100 Yamaha. We put a lot of miles on those motorcycles. Our grandkids thought it was so cool to have motorcycle riding grandparents.

I outlived my parents, my husband, who died Dec. 9, 2006, my brothers Jim, Verne, and Dick, and my sister Frances. I wanted to live long enough to see my great grandchildren grow up, but knew it was not going to happen. But I also wanted to go be with Floyd, as I missed him so much. I have chosen not to have a funeral.

My ashes and his are going to be mixed together by my grandsons, and we will be buried together at a date chosen by the kids in our plot at the Lena cemetery.

SHIRLEY KLECKLER

Shirley Kleckler, 92, of Winslow, went to Heaven with her family by her side on Sunday, July 1, 2018 at her home. She was born on April 17, 1926 to Martin and Hazel (Reed) Kramer. She married Roland "lefty" Kleckler on Aug. 23,

1952 in Nashua, Iowa in the "Little Brown Church." Shirley worked for Burgess Battery, as a secretary for the First National Bank in Monroe, and as a tax consultant for Ruth Krebs. Shirley enjoyed canning and freezing the produce harvested from her garden. She also enjoyed crafting things; sewing, and pottery. Shirley was an avid Bible reader. She enjoyed spending time with her family, and her dogs.

Shirley is survived by her children; Patti (Kevin) Knack of Onalaska, WI and Aaron Kleckler of Winslow, IL, grandchildren; Amber Hackman and Jason Knack, two



great-grandsons Evan and Gunner.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Roland "lefty" on May 25, 2002, infant son William "Billy" on May 4, 1964, a sister Cheryl Zimmerman, and a brother Herbert Kramer.

Funeral services were on Friday, July 6, at the Cramer-Leamon Funeral Home in Orangeville.

A visitation was on Thursday, July 5, at the Cramer-Leamon Funeral Home in Orangeville.

Rev. Kevin Knack performed the services.

Burial will be at Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens in Freeport.

A memorial has been established in her memory.

The family wishes to thank Jenni, Sherri, Emily, and Jenna, and the FHN Hospice team for the care of their mother.

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White mold: Is it a cause for concern?

White mold is one of the most problematic diseases impacting soybean production in Northern Illinois due to its ability to significantly reduce seed yield and quality. White mold, caused by the fungal pathogen *Sclerotinia sclerotiorum*, has the ability to overwinter in the soil as sclerotia which germinate under dense, humid canopies during early repro-

ductive growth stages. The spores of the fungus are then released and infect floral structures. The ability of the pathogen to infect plants later in the growing season is what makes it so difficult to control.

White mold is favored under cool, wet conditions when the plant canopies are dense during the early reproductive stages. While recent tempera-

tures have been high, a wet June and a return to cooler temperatures could spell trouble for producers later this growing season. Fortunately, there are some options for producers to reduce incidence and severity of the disease. Increasing row spacing or reducing plant populations can improve air flow and reduce canopy cover, but this opens the door to increased weed

pressure. Additionally, there are some fungicides on the market which claim to offer some level of control; however, timing and need of applications vary from year to year and market conditions make it even more difficult to justify additional inputs.

Due to the importance of this disease and the need to find cost-effective management strategies, University of Illinois Extension is in the preliminary stages of planning a research project to assess cultural and chemical control methods. Dr. Nathan Kleczewski, University of Illinois Extension Plant Pathologist, is looking for producers in Northern IL who would be willing to participate in an integrated management study in the coming years.

The study would look at various factors influencing white mold prevalence including: row spacing, seed-

ing rates, planting dates, and chemical control methods. Importantly, this study hopes to establish a baseline which will guide future recommendations for producers to combat this problematic disease in a cost-effective manner. Interested parties may contact Phillip Alberti, University of Illinois Extension Crop Science Educator, at 815-235-4125 or palberti@illinois.edu to determine if they are suited for involvement in this project.

Mastering the art of making salsa

Tomatoes are one of the top planted garden vegetables, and for good reason! They're incredibly delicious with many culinary uses, as well as being relatively easy to grow for most gardeners.

Making salsa is a great way to preserve and enjoy tomatoes throughout the year. However, to safely preserve your salsa, you need to understand the science behind the process. Most salsa recipes are a mixture of both low-acid and acidic foods. Because of this, it is important to follow scientifically tested recipes to ensure the recipe contains enough acid to be processed safely in a boiling water canner.

Join University of Illinois Extension's Nutrition and Wellness Educator, Diane Reinhold, for "Yes! You CAN: Preserving Practice - Mastering the Art of Making Salsa". This hands-on workshop will begin

in the classroom and then head to the kitchen where participants can make their own jar of salsa. During the first half of the class we will review the very basics of water bath canning, explain the various varieties of tomatoes ideal for canning, and why tomato products need to be acidified. The second half will be spent in the kitchen, making salsa. Participants will not only learn about tomatoes and canning, they will also learn a fun new skill, and get to take a jar of salsa home.

"Yes! You CAN: Preserving Practice - Mastering the Art of Making Salsa" will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 7, from 5 to 9:30 p.m. at Pretzel City Kitchens, 1 East Spring Street, Freeport. To register call University of Illinois Extension at (815) 235-4125 or visit us online at <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/jsw>. Workshop size is limited. Reg-

istration deadline is Friday, August 3, and the registration fee is \$25.

University of Illinois Extension provides equal opportunities in programs and employment. If you need reasonable accommodation to participate in this program, please call 815-858-2273.

Water bath and pressure canning workshop offered

Are you are thinking of giving canning a try this summer? Canning is a great way to preserve the foods you have grown in your garden, or have purchased from your local farmer's market. Moreover, canning allows you to enjoy the wonderful tastes of summer all year long. Whether just starting out or updating your food preservation knowledge, join University of Illinois Extension's Nutrition and

Wellness Educator, Diane Reinhold, for a seasonal program titled: Yes! You Can: Preserve It Safely-Water-bath and Pressuring Canning Basics. Besides receiving the latest, most up-to-date food preservation information, you will also be able get your dial gauge pressure canner tested for accuracy.

Yes! You Can: Preserve It Safely-Water-bath and Pressuring Canning Basics will be held on Thursday,

August 2, from 5:30 to 9 p.m. Class will be held at the University of Illinois Extension Office located at 204 Vine St, Elizabeth, IL 61028. Pre-registration is required by Monday, July 30 to attend. To register, call the University of Illinois Extension at 815-858-2273 or visit us online at <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/jsw/>. Registration is \$5, which will cover the educational session and pressure canner gauge testing.

Millie's Quote of the Week

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Around the Northern Hills with Jo Daviess County Farm Bureau Manager Annette Eggers

We had a great day for our Farm Fun Day at Shenandoah Riding Center this past weekend. We had the perfect weather and a great turnout for families to come out and milk a cow, see the animals in the Young leaders' petting zoo bus, make ice cream and butter and so much more. Thanks to all of the volunteers that helped make this event happen.

It's that time of year to get your orders in for peaches. Orders are due by Friday, July 27th with payment and order form. Checks should be made payable to the Jo Daviess County Farm Bureau. Price is \$30/box for members and \$35/box for non-farm bureau members. Pick-up will be in the farm bureau basement with an anticipated date of August 8, depending on weather. Peaches MUST be picked up the day of delivery to ensure freshness.

Make sure to come out to the Elizabeth Community Fair the weekend of July 20-22. The Young Leaders will be at the Fair on Saturday with holding the Kiddie Tractor



Annette Eggers

Pull @ 1 p.m. and having the petting zoo bus there all afternoon.

Jo Daviess Farm Bureau members now can access additional member benefits and discounts when they're on the go with the new membership benefit web platform and iPhone App.

"We're extremely pleased to offer this new platform for our members, giving them added discounts on hotels, theme parks, restaurants, movies and everything in between," said Illinois Farm Bureau Marketing Di-

rector, Melissa Rhode. "Best of all, the app shows both local and national discounts and can even notify members when they're near a business that offers discounts."

To access the new web platform at <https://ilfb.abenity.com>, members must create an account and provide their Illinois Farm Bureau membership ID number. Members can also go to the iPhone App Store, search IL Farm Bureau Membership Benefits and download the app on their iPhone or iPad. Once downloaded,

members may customize the app to include frequently used offers; search offers by business name, location and category; and provide instant in-store discounts at nearby restaurants and retailers.

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Members who have questions

about the app or additional Illinois Farm Bureau member benefits may contact our office or the Illinois Farm Bureau Membership call center at 309-557-2689.

Personally, I have downloaded the app on my phone and it alerts me when there are discounts in the area that I'm in. It's super easy.

Ag Fun Fact: July is National Ice Cream Month. Americans are the number one consumers of ice cream, eating 48 pints of ice cream every year.

Northwest Illinois Aerial Combat Memorial

Purchase a brick and help support the Northwest Illinois Aerial Combat Memorial.

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See examples.

Forestry Farm Tour slated near Woodbine

A farm tour south of Woodbine, where Kevin Ward recently planted over 22,000 trees, is open to the public on Saturday, July 14, at 1 p.m. The tour is sponsored by the Northwest Illinois Forestry Association (NIFA); all are welcome.

Some large clearing equipment will be demonstrated including an excavator, a wheel loader, and a grapple all used for removing trees to burn piles as well as a modified 4-wd caged utility tractor for mowing brush and trees up to 10-inches in diameter. Also, consulting forester Kevin Oetken will discuss the issues and operation of the tree planting.

From Woodbine turn south on South Brown Road. Drive 1 3/4 miles and turn left on East Bough Road. Travel 1/2 mile and look for the forestry sign; park along the road near the farm entrance.

NIFA is an educational non-profit concentrating on sustainable forest management.

Schubert Gathering scheduled

The Schubert Gathering will be held July 15, at Stockton Park House at 12:30 p.m. Bring updates, dish to pass/your own table service/drink. See you there.



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Warren Public Library

The Warren Public Library is one of only three libraries in Illinois to host a program known as Native Peoples Concepts of Health and Illness. The sessions are scheduled for July 21 through August 18 with two special sessions slated for Tuesday, July 24, at 6 p.m., Kim McIver will be presenting and on Saturday, July 28 at 1 p.m., Robert Braun will be speaking.

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Reunion

Vanderheyden-Carpenter Reunion scheduled

The annual gathering of the Vanderheyden-Carpenter Reunion will be at the Park House at Stockton Lion's Memorial Park on Sunday, Aug. 12. Folks will gather at noon with a potluck to follow.

This is the 100th Year of the Vanderheyden Reunion. The Carpenter Family joined in the gathering years ago. Some of the family names who are a part of the Vanderheyden fami-

ly are Parker, Pierce, Simmons, Broshous, Finn, Wixon, Althoff ; family names attached to the Carpenter Family are Vanderheyden, Gothard, Raab, Coppennoll, Rowe, Broshous, Blair, Townsend and many more for both families. This is a reunion where two families are part of not a family tree, but of a family wreath!

We would like to see many Vanderheyden and Carpenter Family members join us. Let your family members know, and please join us at the Park on Aug. 12.

Stockton Chamber of Commerce stages member appreciation event

Where: 103 W North Ave, Stockton

When: Friday, July 13

The Stockton Chamber of Commerce will have a support the SNOW program and its members on Friday, July 13. Come out to Sullivans in Stockton, IL to donate a food item/canned good for the SNOW program! Stockton Chamber members who donate an item to help fill the van will receive a FREE lunch provided by the Sullivan's brat stand and served by the Stockton Servant Leadership Org. Proceeds will go to the SNOW fund. Member meals covered by your Stockton Chamber.

Traffic crash with injuries

On 7-5-2018 at approximately 3:05 p.m. Jo Daviess County Sheriff's Deputies were dispatched to East Greenvale Road approximately 1/2 mile east of North Canyon Park Road for a single vehicle rollover accident with injuries. Upon arrival it was discovered that Joshua R. Detwiler was driving east on East Greenvale Road. Detwiler slid on loose gravel attempting to negotiate a curve and lost control of the vehicle. Detwiler went off the roadway on the left side and struck the ditch then overturned coming to a rest on the vehicle's wheels. Detwiler was transported to Freeport Memorial Hospital where he was treated for his injuries and released. The crash remains under investigation. Stockton Police, Stockton EMS, and Stockton Fire Department assisted.

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Church News

Kent/Willow United Methodist Churches
 Kent/Willow UMC will worship together Sunday, July 15, at Kent UMC at 9 a.m. Pastor Chuck Wolbers will bring the message "All based on the Holy Bible". He is so knowledgeable on the Bible, he is amazing. All are invited and welcome to hear him and then 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 this time too.
 Kent UMC is located right in the town of Kent, IL and for more information, please call the Pastor at 262-308-2379.

Stockton Calvary Church to host ice cream social

Calvary Church in Stockton is hosting a fundraiser Ice Cream Social on Sunday, July 15, from 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.
 The menu will be deli sandwiches, salads, ice cream and pies. The charge will be a donation to help fund Angela Wernick who is going on a mission trip to Chile in December. Angela is the daughter of John and Kathleen Cychosz, members of Calvary.

Summer time treats at Sullivan's

Tasty brats and hot dogs and all the trimmings will be right outside Stockton's Sullivan's Grocery Store Saturday, July 14, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Enjoy your choice. Take some home to your family. Take some to the park for a picnic. Stockton Unitarian Universalist Church members will serve you, and take your money with a smile. They know it will help to keep their church spreading its message: "Love is the spirit of this church and service is its mission." They want you to know that all are welcome to their Sunday services. They will resume on Sunday, Aug. 1, at 10:30 a.m. at 219 N. Pearl Street in Stockton. They also say a big thank-you to Sullivan's for making this Brat Sale possible. "Shop local."

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Calvary UMC Ice Cream Social Fundraiser

Sunday, July 15th
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Apple Canyon Lake to host its Third Annual Trail Trekker 5K Color Run/Walk

By Tony Carton
EDITOR

The Color Run concept was founded to promote healthiness, happiness and community togetherness, and in that spirit, Apple Canyon Lake is hosting its Third Annual Trail Trekker 5K Color Run/Walk Saturday, July 28. The event is a fun run, not timed, and participants can register on the day of the trekker from 7:30 to 8:20 a.m. The starter's horn blasts at 8:30 a.m. and with nearly 250 registered trekkers in 2017, you will want to join in the fun.

"We are inviting the public to Apple Canyon Lake which is a private lake community, so typically you would have to have an amenity tag to enter these areas, but we want to share access to some of our finest amenities and one of those gems is our 14-mile trail system," said Apple Canyon Lake Communications and Recreation Director Cindy Donth-Carton. "The trekker will be staged across one of our most scenic areas. It winds along the Marina Bay to the Harold Batham Nature Trail and runs along the Hells Branch Creek, which is a very scenic segment of the Batham Trail, before returning along the same path."

The participants will be running or walking on sealcoat surfaces, gravel, dirt, grassy areas and even a wooden walking bridge.

"This is not your average color run," said Donth-Carton. "These are nature trails with hills and dales, pastures and prairies, hiking paths and roadways, some uneven surfaces that will offer a mild challenge to



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even our most experienced contestants."

The track is a loop with a total distance of 3.1 miles or 5 kilometers and there will be trail volunteers in ATVs or golf carts along the route, so if a participant feels they cannot continue there will be accommodations to take them to the finish line.

The Marina Trail provides an unusually panoramic view of Apple Canyon Lake with views of Marina Bay, Nixon Beach, and The Cove Restaurant, which features the only

public lakeside dining area in Jo Daviess County, and the trekker is designed to bring the Hells Branch Watershed to the forefront.

She said the Trail Trekker is a fun family activity with something for everyone.

"Some of our property owners are grandparents and they have weekend get-togethers that are clearly family reunion gatherings," said Donth-Carton. "The color run will allow grandma and grandpa to traverse the course with their kids and

grandkids and their visiting friends. It is all inclusive."

As younger families buy into Apple Canyon Lake, the community is trying to reach that wider demographic and provide entertaining activities for the newcomers as well as for its current membership.

"There will be four color stations along the 5K loop," she said. "There will be volunteers with applicators containing colorized cornstarch and as the participants move through those stations they will be colorized."

Folks not wanting color can either signal the volunteers or navigate around the color stations.

The pre-registration fees are \$20 for ages 13 and over, and \$10 for ages 12 and under, if registered by July 15; late registration, July 16 through day-of, add \$5 per person. Each participant will receive a 2018 Color Run T-shirt, TT5K swag bag with coupons from the event's sponsors, ACL logo sunglasses, and color pack. In addition, 2018 registrants and volunteers can wear their event shirts for \$1 off the TT5K Pancake Breakfast of Champions from 8 until 11 a.m., and to the Sizzling Summer Concert featuring Ten Gallon Hat from 7-10 p.m. Each registrant will be entered in prize drawings. Registration is open that morning from 7:30 until 8:20 a.m.

Event sponsor list is growing. Anyone interested in sponsorship should contact cindy.carton@apple-canyonlake.org or at 815-492-2769

There will be opportunities at the start and finish lines with extra color packs available for spectators wishing to leave their mark on a favorite trekker. There will also be commemorative T's on sale the day of the

trek.

There will be a tasting of Pecatonica Beers with local cheeses and other beverages available as well, from noon until 3 p.m.

Donth-Carton said volunteers are the lifeblood of any big community project and the Apple Canyon Lake Trail Trekker Color Run/Walk is no exception.

"We could not do this without our volunteers," said Carton. "Our volunteers range in age from 12 to 75 for this event and while most of them are property owners, we do have some visitors and some folks from the area coming out to help as well. This is a fun, family event and our volunteers will be working to make it even more so."

After the Trail Trekker, Apple Canyon Lake will host their Sizzling Summer Concert featuring Ten Gallon Hat at the old firehouse on Canyon Club Drive from 7 to 10 p.m. Tickets are just \$5 and the concert is also open to the public. The Cove/Benchwarmers food truck will be on-site offering sandwiches, cheese curds, beer, wine and water.

"We do want to show that Apple Canyon Lake is a wonderful family community to consider if you live locally or even if you are within a few hours. We have the lake, a marina, the beach, a beautiful swimming pool, a golf course, great fishing, a restaurant, walking and ATV/UTV trails, tennis courts and one of the most beautiful waterfalls in Illinois. If you're looking for a leisurely lake lifestyle, Apple Canyon Lake is a good place to consider."

Get more information or download registration form at <http://applecanyonlake.org/tt5k/> or call 815-492-2769 with questions.

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The University of Illinois Extension will offer the Illinois Certified Food Protection Manager Course, formally known as the Food Service Sanitation Manager Course (FSSMC). This two-part course will meet the eight-hour coursework and examination required by the State of Illinois for both the initial CFPM, and the recertification.

Effective Jan. 1, 2018, the Illinois Food Service Sanitation Manager Certification (FSSMC) was eliminated. However, the Illinois Department of Public Health's Food Service Sanitation Code still requires food establishments to be under the operational supervision of a certified food service sanitation manager during hours of operation.

Area local foods co-op opens

A new local co-op, Jo Daviess Local Foods (JDLF), encourages residents in and around Jo Daviess County to order food and other items from local producers. Found online at <https://jd.luluslocalfood.com>, the website allows customers to order anytime from Thursday noon to Monday noon. They can then pick up their orders on Tuesday in their town of choice: Galena, Elizabeth, Hamov, Apple River, Warren, Stockton, or Mt. Carroll. Exact locations and times of deliveries are listed on the website. More locations may be added in the future.

JDLF currently has local producers offering beef, pork, chicken, lamb, eggs, honey, wine, fresh vegetables and fruits, herbal products, natural skincare products, non-toxic cleaning sprays, native plants and flowers. They hope to soon offer baked goods, locally-grown nuts, grains, and more. Products are labeled on the website as pesticide-free, non-GMO, organic, naturally grown, etc. Produce is picked shortly before delivery so it is fresh, delicious, and high in nutrients.

This effort is part of a national movement to promote locally-produced, healthy foods raised with sustainable and environmentally-safe practices. JDLF intends to aid rural economic development through small scale agriculture and improve the quality of life for people who might otherwise need to travel long distances to obtain healthy food. This co-op allows customers to know their farmers, support the local economy, and do their shopping in an easy and convenient way.

Small membership fees will help defray costs of the website and delivery. Customers can try their first week free by using the membership code "One week free". After that, customers can choose which membership level works best for them: weekly, monthly, seasonally, semi-annually, or annually.

Inquiries from customers or producers may be directed to Erin Keyser, JDLF Administrator, at jdlocalfoods@gmail.com or 815-990-5374.

Now food establishments must have an American National Standards Institute (ANSI) accredited Certified Food Protection Manager (CFPM) certification. This requirement helps to ensure the safety of consumers when eating away from

home. Those receiving this certification have specialized training, by an ANSI approved instructor, regarding the safe handling, preparation and storage of food to help prevent foodborne related illnesses. The certificate is valid for five years from

Ingrams' new bald eagle book available

Terrence Ingrams' latest beautiful photographic book, *The Plight of the Bald Eagle* is now available for purchase. Its 60 pages contain over 80 photos of bald eagles that tell the story of the bald eagle; its identification, life habits and needs; ENF's efforts to preserve the bald eagle, and efforts to develop an awareness of the bald eagle; and the facts that ENF has accumulated which document that the bald eagle population is rapidly declining.

The book has been designed to be a quick read for everyone, especially students. It is a book that every American should read. The bald eagle is our National Symbol, and every American has a stake in its future. Something must be done soon, if we are to keep our bald eagle flying free.

We need many, many people looking at bald eagle nests across the nation to determine how many young are actually being fledged each year. If there truly is a problem with their raising young, we must determine what that problem is and correct it before it is too late, and the bald eagle becomes another "passenger pigeon."

The book may be purchased for \$10 per copy at ENF's office, or in the lobby of the Apple River State Bank in Apple River. To order by mail, include \$4 for postage and handling. Please send your orders to: Eagle Nature Foundation, 300 East Hickory Street, Apple River, IL 61001.

Get your copy and read it today, to learn why we should all be concerned about the bald eagle's future.

Illinois State Police urge motorists to 'Look before You Lock'

Illinois State Police (ISP) District 16 Interim Commander, Lieutenant Carl Heintz, is reminding the public to take heat warnings seriously and to always double check their vehicles before locking them and walking away.

As temperatures remain high, the number of heat-related vehicle deaths is likely to increase, usually peaking in July, with an average of nearly nine deaths during the month, based on 1998-2017 data. Nationally, there have been at least 18 heat-related vehicle deaths in 2018.

"Fortunately, Illinois has seen zero heat-related vehicle deaths in 2018 as of late June," said Lt. Heintz. "With

toddlers and infants being the most frequent victims of heat-related vehicle deaths, we need to do whatever we can to keep that number at zero."

Vehicles trap the sun's solar radiation, raising the temperature inside a vehicle to triple digits in an otherwise regular 80-degree outside environment in less than 30 minutes. The effects of trapped heat can be devastating to vehicle occupants, including animals. Children and pets should not be left in vehicles for any reason or length of time in this heat. "The simple act of looking before you lock could save a loved one's life," stated Lt. Heintz. "Your pets and especially children deserve it."

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the exam date and then is repeated once a certificate expires. One of the positive aspects of this change comes in the form of students no longer having to apply for the additional Illinois FSSMC certificate, which will save them money.

During the two-day Certified Food Protection Manager Course, participants will gain knowledge about food safety and contamination, employee health and hygiene, safe food handling practices, cleaning and sanitizing, and HACCP.

The Certified Food Protection Manager Course will take place on Aug. 14, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. and Aug. 17, 9 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., at the Stephenson County Farm Bureau, 210 W Spring Street, Freeport. Participants should bring a valid photo ID

and arrive 15 minutes early to register, as class will begin promptly at 9:00 am. Participants must attend the full training to be eligible to take the exam.

There is a \$100 fee for the Certified Food Protection Manager Course. This fee is for the purchase of the book, educational materials, examination, and lunch. Space is limited and pre-registration is required. To register, please contact the University of Illinois Extension at 815-235-4125 or visit us online at <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/jsw>.

If you need a reasonable accommodation to participate in this program, please contact the University of Illinois Extension at 815-235-4125.

Jo Daviess County 4-H Fair is family fun

The 2018 Jo Daviess County 4-H Fair is just around the corner. Local 4-Hers have submitted their entries and the judges have been secured. The Jo Daviess County 4-H Fair will be held on July 16-19, at the Elizabeth Community Fairgrounds. This year's fair promises to deliver a number of projects in a variety of areas.

The 4-H Fair will officially start on Monday, July 16, at 9 a.m. with the 4-H Horse Show. Monday will conclude with the Clothing and Textiles Judging, the Fashion Revue, the Cat Show, and the Dog Show.

Tuesday, July 17, will begin our General Projects Judging. Judging will begin at 8:30 a.m. followed by Visual Arts, Food Decorating, and Photography Judging beginning at 11:30 a.m. We will end the day with the Poultry Show at 3:00 p.m. and the Rabbit Show at 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 18, will begin with the Swine Show. The show will begin at 7 a.m. The Beef Show will begin at 9:30 a.m. Food and Nutrition Judging will start at 10:30 a.m. Afternoon judging continues with the Sheep Show beginning at noon followed by the Goat Show. Cloverbud Show is always a favorite at the 4-H Fair. This will begin at 1 pm.

The 4-H Federation will once again host their annual Pork Chop Barbecue on Wednesday, July 18. Meals will be served from 4:30-7:30 p.m. Tickets for the barbecue may be purchased in advance. You may contact any Jo Daviess County 4-H Member or the Extension Office which is located at 204 Vine Street, Elizabeth, IL for tickets. A limited number of tickets will be available to purchase at the door but usually sell out quickly. Wednesday evening culminates with the annual 4-H Livestock Auction beginning at 7 p.m.

Thursday, July 19, wraps up the Jo Daviess County 4-H Fair with the Dairy Show beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Most projects will be on display in the Community Building and on the fairgrounds through early Thursday morning. The 4-H Federation and local 4-H Clubs will also operate a Food Stand throughout the Fair, so please plan to spend your week with us and enjoy the excitement. We look forward to seeing you there!

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Should we worry about ticks this summer?

Editor's note: The number of tick-borne illnesses diagnosed in the United States doubled between 2004 and 2016, according to a recent report from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Summer is prime tick season, and people spending time outdoors should be vigilant, says University of Illinois entomology professor Brian F. Allan. An expert in the spread of insect- and tick-borne diseases, Allan discussed ticks in Illinois and how to prevent bites.

The recent CDC report showed the incidence of tick-borne illnesses is rising. Are tick populations increasing? If so, why?

Yes. The increase in tick populations and tick bites likely is driven by several factors, including changes in climate and land use that have facilitated the spread of ticks and associated diseases. More people are living in close proximity to natural areas. Increased residential development in previously undeveloped areas puts people in close contact with ticks and

creates additional opportunities for exposure to tick-borne diseases.

What kinds of ticks do we have in Illinois, and what kinds of diseases can they carry?

While there are dozens of tick species in Illinois, the three encountered most commonly are the black-legged tick (also known as the deer tick), the American dog tick and the lone star tick. There are important diseases associated with each, and most begin with a rash or flu-like symptoms. The black-legged tick is best known

as the vector of Lyme disease, but also can transmit anaplasmosis and babesiosis. The American dog tick primarily is responsible for the transmission of Rocky Mountain spotted fever. The lone star tick carries a number of emerging diseases, such as ehrlichiosis, as well as the Heartland and Bourbon viruses.

Where would someone be likely to pick up a tick? If I'm not in a wooded area, am I safe?

Depending on the tick species, people and their pets tend to pick up ticks in grassy areas like fields or meadows as well as in wooded areas. Some people even may encounter ticks in their yards, especially if they live close to natural areas.

What are some ways to prevent tick bites?

I recommend three strategies for tick bite prevention if going into areas where tick encounters are likely. First, use clothing to make a continuous barrier – tuck your pants into your socks and your shirt into your pants. Try to limit the number of openings in your clothing that a tick could crawl through. Second, use repellents, especially those containing permethrin. You can buy clothing already treated with permethrin, and recent research has shown this is highly effective in deterring ticks.

Third, perform a thorough tick check when you get home and remove immediately any ticks that may have attached themselves to you. This combination of strategies is very effective for preventing tick-

borne disease in humans. And for pets, use tick prevention treatment prescribed by a veterinarian.

What should someone do if they find a tick on themselves, a family member or a pet?

The good news is that it can take hours for a tick to attach and start feeding, so often there is time to remove the tick before it can transmit a disease. The best method for tick removal is to grasp the tick with tweezers close to your skin and apply slow, steady pressure until it detaches. I've heard a lot of other methods described for tick removal, but this is the safest and preferred option. Don't burn the tick or try another method that gets the tick to release on its own, as it can increase the probability of disease transmission.

If someone has been bitten by a tick or has symptoms of a tick-borne illness, when should they seek medical attention?

Not all ticks are carrying a pathogen, so being bitten by a tick is not necessarily a cause for alarm. But if a person is bitten, they should monitor their health closely for several weeks afterward. If a rash or flu-like symptoms develop, the person should seek medical attention as soon as possible, since some tick-borne illnesses can progress rapidly.

LEGALS

NOTICE

An ordinance of the Township of Pleasant Valley, County of Jo Daviess, Illinois has been passed this 28th day of June, 2018, 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. (Published in The Scoop Today July 11, 2018)

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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.-
BENJAMIN J. SCHOENFELD, ET AL DEFENDANT

2017 CH 43

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College News

Spring 2018 University of Dubuque Dean's List

The University of Dubuque congratulates the following students on being appointed to the Spring Semester 2018 Academic Dean's List.

To be named to the dean's list, a student must earn a grade point average (GPA) of 3.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale for that semester.

Students named to the list from this area include:

Apple River, IL, Brandi Ernst
Elizabeth, IL, Micaela Landwer
Lena, IL, Quincy Kalkbrenner and Adam Wright
McConnell, IL, Hope Enck and Courtney Haight
Stockton, IL, Peyton Keeffer, Kara Wright

UW-Stevens Point undergraduate honored for scholastic achievement

The University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point honored more than 2,260 undergraduate students for attaining high grade point averages during the spring semester of the 2017-2018 academic year. Among those recognized is Daniel Bellich of Hanover. Personalized certificates of scholastic achievement are sent to those who earned highest honors distinction.

FHN events calendar

Wednesday, July 11

9 a.m. – noon Diabetes Education Class, Part 1
10:30 – 11:30 a.m. Blood Pressure Screening - Freeport
12:30 – 1:30 p.m. Blood Pressure Screening - Lena
3 – 7 p.m. FHN Sports Physical Clinic - Stockton
5:30 – 6:30 p.m. FHN Speaker Series: Wow, Some of the Germs Out There Are Getting Stubborn!
6:30 – 7:30 p.m. Sibling Class

Thursday, July 12

8 a.m. – noon Blood Pressure and Glucose Screening - Freeport
9 a.m. – noon Diabetes Education Class, Part 2

11 a.m. Don Morse Charitable Foundation Golf Outing
5:30 – 7:30 p.m. Stop the Bleed

Saturday, July 14

9 – 11 a.m. Blood Pressure Screening - Pearl City
10 a.m. FHN's Summer Movie Series - Ant-Man and the Wasp (PG)

Tuesday, July 17

10 – 11:30 a.m. The First Steps Grief Support Group
2 – 5 p.m. FHN Sports Physical Clinic - Orangeville
4 – 6 p.m. Blood Pressure Screening - Freeport

Wednesday, July 18

10 a.m. – noon Wellness Wednesday Blood Pressure Screening
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All interested candidates are asked to send an application and resume with references, cover letter, and salary requirements to the Stephenson County Soil and Water Conservation District office located at 1620 South Galena Avenue, Freeport, IL 61032 by COB Monday, August 6, 2018. Applications are available at the Stephenson County Soil and Water Conservation District office; on the District website: www.stephensonwcd.org or call 815-235-2141 extension 3.

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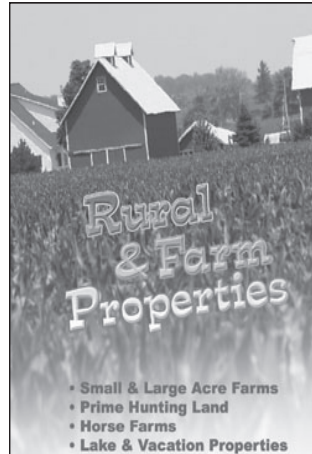
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Highland announces dean's list for Spring 2018 Semester

Highland Community College proudly announces the dean's list for the Spring 2018 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 perfect 4.0 GPA. High Honors distinction is given to students with a 3.50 to 3.99 GPA, and Honors students have earned a GPA between 3.25 and 3.49.

Area students achieving honors recognition include:

Highest Honors

Apple River: Juliana R. Campbell

FHN Healthy Heart Hustle 5K is July 21

Run for your health – and help raise funds for FHN's Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation Department – with FHN's Healthy Heart Hustle 5k Run.

The event will include both a timed race and a Victory Lap for kids and families, both starting and ending at the FHN Family Healthcare Center – Burchard Hills, 1010 W. Fairway Drive in Freeport. The race begins at 8 a.m. Saturday, July 21.

Advance online registration is \$25 for adults and \$10 for ages 17 and under, and includes a t-shirt in your size, bib, and timing chip.

Race-day registration is \$35 for adults and \$12 for ages 17 and under, and includes a t-shirt in sizes available on-site, bib, and timing chip. Day-of-race registration will be from 6:45 – 7:30 a.m.

For details or to sign up, visit runsignup.com/Race/IL/Freeport/FHN-HealthyHeartHustle

Jo Daviess County emergency cooling stations

Due to the forecast of extreme heat and high humidity, the divisions of the Jo Daviess County emergency services have made arrangements for temporary cooling stations for emergency circumstances. The locations of these cooling stations are: East Dubuque Library, Elizabeth Library, Galena Library, Hanover Library, Stockton Library, and Warren Library during their regular business hours. Fresh water will also be available at these locations (please bring your own potable water container).

If you are in need of temporary relief, please contact your local police department or emergency services for further instruction.

Additionally, if you are aware of any individuals with special needs, such as the elderly, please check on those individuals for their well being. If you are unable to check those individuals, call your local police agency for assistance.

Elizabeth: Megan R. Ludwig
Lena: Lana M. Parkinson, Marissa M. Runkle
Orangeville: Makenzie L. Robieson, Jamie M. Watson
Pearl City: Dillon L. Baldauf, Abigayle J. Endress, Nathan E. Lott
Stockton: Hannah E. Brudi
Warren: Kyle J. Wolff

High Honors

Elizabeth: Lucas W. Albrecht, Brandon R. Brown
Hanover: Aaron M. Holcomb
Lena: Ryan C. Brumfield, Hewitt A. Dameier, Laurel A. Flynn, Kayleigh R. Gerber, Kara M. Kalkbrenner, Olivia C. Kepner, Jordan M. Lee, Cole P. Oberle, Aspen J. Sandy,

Meghan R. Scace, Allison P. Weegens, Rachael M. Wybourn
McConnell: Madelyne B. Arand
Orangeville: Kelsey L. Bollon, Hannah C. Janssen
Pearl City: Taylor R. Brudi, Tori J. Clark, Kendra L. Melville, Brittney L. Peterson, Baylee M. Wolf
Stockton: Mikayla H. Baysing-

er, Aaron J. Dvorak, Courtney E. Haas, Michelle L. Johnson, Molly N. Neebel, Kaitlyn D. Reusch
Warren: Cassandra A. Blair, Kimberley A. Broshous, Benjamin D. Hicks, Lydia Smith, Austin M. Williams

Honors

Elizabeth: Lisa A. Kinder
Hanover: Bradley J. Bell, Abigail K. Green
Lena: Jacob A. Fox, Brock W. Fransen, Douglas W. Janicke
Orangeville: Ethan G. Bilgri
Stockton: Rachael M. Cook, Kati E. Eden, Natasha L. Rowe
Warren: Kirsten D. Kopp

Highland's 'Prairie Wind' is now available

The 2018 issue of the "The Prairie Wind" art and literary magazine is now available at the following locations on the Highland Community College campus:

*The Clarence Mitchell Library, Marvin-Burt Liberal Arts Center, second floor

*J. Rosemary Shockey Bookstore, Student/Conference Center, first floor

*The Fine Arts Office, Ferguson Fine Arts Center

"The Prairie Wind" is a diverse col-

lection of poetry, artwork, photography, and music from the many members of the Highland community. It is produced annually by students and staff in the Humanities and Fine Arts departments at Highland Community College. Published since 1992, each issue is created by an editorial staff composed of students and volunteer community members who are guided by a team of faculty advisors. There is no cost for the magazine.

Contributors published in this year's issue are: Leone Castell An-

derson, Jade Bentz, Rick A. Brant, Russell Broshous, Nichole Buss, Hannah T. Caswell, Barbara Fogel, Roger Goodspeed, Charles, Graves, Ann Haag, Cain Hill, Pat Hippchen, Heather Houzenga, Faye Sanders Hughes, Mary Anne Janssen, Jan Kitazaki, John Y. Kitazaki, Randall Manus, Anita Meyers, Barbara Nowak, Madison Pitts, Andrea Reyes, Sydney Rogers, Nina Stachewicz, Daniel Tajlili, Barry Treu, Kristopher Vesely, Linda Vietmeyer, Brad Walker, Kathleen Manning Weber, and Patty Weik.

Highland student-athletes receive Academic All-Conference recognition

Thirty-three Highland Cougar student-athletes received Academic All-Conference Honors with all eight teams being represented for their academic accomplishments during the 2017-18 school year.

Student-athletes must have earned at least a 3.0-grade point average and passed a minimum of 12 credit hours in each semester to be recognized as Academic All-Conference recipients.

The following area 2017-18 Highland Cougar student-athletes were named to Academic All-Arrowhead

Conference:

Makenzie Robieson - Softball/Volleyball, Orangeville

Allison Weegens - Volleyball, Lena

Kelsey Bollon - Softball, Orangeville

Rachael Wybourn - Softball, Lena
Emilyendifferfer - Volleyball, Orangeville

Courtney Haas - Volleyball, Stockton

Brandon Brown - Baseball, Elizabeth

Estate Sale July 12-14

626 Park View St. Pecatonica

Having lived in my home for almost 80 years, I have moved into an assisted living and have loads of collectibles, antiques and junkie.

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AUCTION

SATURDAY, JULY 14

10:00 AM (STARTING W/CAR)

MR. & MRS. DON KRUG

419 N. SIMMONS, STOCKTON, IL

CAR SELLING AT 10:00: 07 Buick Lucerne CXL, loaded, heated leather seats, 79,963 mi.; **HOUSEHOLD:** refrig.; reclining sofa; dining table/6 chairs; hutch; curio cabinet; 4pc. dbl. bedroom set; **RIDING MOWER & GARAGE ITEMS:** JD 160 38in. mower; Toro S-200 snowblower; Skil 10in. table saw; Troy-Bilt Jr. tiller; Tool Shop 5sp. drillpress; Stihl 011 chainsaw; **ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES:** cedar chest; oak highboy; 3pc. Art Deco bedroom set; Thomas Locker books & print; 1913 JoDaviess Co. book; costume jewelry; 2 gal. Redwing; Galena crock jug; 3 gal. Blue Ribbon; Massbach Dodgers uniform; arrowheads; **MANY MORE ITEMS**

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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.-

BENJAMIN J. SCHOENFELD, et al
Defendant

2017 CH 43

NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on March 8, 2018, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 1:30 PM on August 9, 2018, 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 913 FULTON ST., GALENA, IL 61036

Property Index No. 22-101-146-10.

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 in certified funds/ or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. 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 14-17-15998.

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.

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Attorney ARDC No. 00468002

Case Number: 2017 CH 43

TJSC#: 38-2458

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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Picnic at the Cabin

Caroline and Al Mysliwiec extend a warm welcome to all seniors of Stockton and surrounding areas (SOS+) for a day of good food, pleasant surroundings and fine entertainment. Meet July 12 at 12 p.m. at Stockton's Calvary United Methodist Church for a caravan to the Mysliwiec's cabin.



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Stephco Fair

Stockton FFA members Haley Brudi and Stanlee Rillie competed in the Section 1 FFA Ag Ed Fair at the Stephenson County Fairgrounds.






JOIN US FOR THE Elizabeth Fair PARADE!

SAT, JULY 21, 2018 Line up: 10 am // Parade: 11 am

Parade Categories	PRIZES AWARDED		
	1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
ALUMNI FLOATS // GENERAL FLOATS // CHILDREN <i>Line up: Poplar Drive (both sides)</i>			
150th Anniversary Theme Float	\$75	\$50	\$25
Class Reunion Floats	\$75	\$50	\$25
Children	\$15	\$10	\$5
ANTIQUE TRACTORS <i>Line up: Sycamore Street (East side)</i>			
Antique Tractors	\$25	\$10	\$5
ANTIQUE CARS (original & restored) <i>Line up: Sycamore Street (West side)</i>			
Antique Cars	\$25	\$10	\$5
BAND // GRAND MARSHAL <i>Line up: Orange Street</i>			
HORSES <i>Line up: Myrtle Street (East side)</i>			
FIRE TRUCKS // COMPANY TRUCKS <i>Line up: Myrtle Street (West)</i>			

To register a float or for more info: Tammy Trebian 563-343-4697 // Merri Sevey 815-291-7092



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- Elizabeth Historical Society
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- The Galena Gazette
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THE 98TH ELIZABETH COMMUNITY FAIR

Friday July 20th

7:00am Steer Weigh-in
9:00am Dairy and Sheep Show
10:00am Crafts and Gardening Judging
1:00pm Dairy Goat Show
5:00pm- 10:00pm Carnival Opens- Inflatable Rides
7:00pm Fantasy Truck Pullers (with weigh-in beginning at 5:00pm)

Sunday July 22nd

11:00am 10th Annual "Carp Allen" Memorial Horseshoe Tournament
Noon- Bingo
1:00- Fantasy Truck Pullers (with weigh-in beginning at 11:00am)
Noon-7:00pm Inflatables Open
3:00pm Elizabeth's Best BBQ Competition Public Tasting
6:30 Mentalist and Hypnotist Brian Imbus
After the show, stick around for the Pie and Cake Auction

 Find us on Facebook
"The Elizabeth Community Fair"

Saturday July 21st

8:00am Beef Heifer Show with Steer show to follow
11:00am Parade "Elizabeth-150 Years-Celebrating Family, Friends and Traditions"
Sponsored by the Elizabeth Chamber of Commerce
Noon- Free Lunch for first 500 people
Lunch by The Jo Davies County Beef Association and Illinois Bank and Trust
Noon- 10PM Inflatables Open
12:30 pm- Bingo
1:00 pm Kiddie Tractor Pull
By the Jo Daviess County Young Leaders sign up at 12:30
2:00 Ice cream Eating Contest sponsored by Three Sisters Sweet Shoppe
2:30 Ag Olympics by River Ridge FFA
3:00 pm Terrapin Alumni Reunion-Old School Gym
4:00pm-6:00pm Band "Good Stuff"
Music Sponsored by Robert DittmarCountry Financial
5:30 PM Dairy Land Antique Tractor Pull (with weigh-in beginning at 4:00pm)
6:30 pm-8:30pm Local Musician Sam Wooden
7:30pm Elizabeth Fair Queen, Junior Miss & Little Miss Pageant
9:00-Midnight The "SUNSHINE" Band
Fireworks at 9:30



Throughout the weekend Great Food, Vendors, Antique Tractor and Farm Demonstrations, Music, Beer Tent and More!

Admission
Adult Season Pass \$12
Child Season Pass \$6
Daily Adult \$6
Daily Child \$3
5 & Under Free