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Lena residents await their champions' return

By Chris Johnson
REPORTER

There were few teams that played high school football in the State of Illinois last season that had a better year than the Lena-Winslow Panthers did. The hometown faithful watched their Panthers march through the NUIC-Northwest unscathed and then let loose upon the 1A field in the 2018 post-season.

In the end, no one was left standing. The 14-0 mark was the best in the State and the Panthers were the best of them all. Now, this Friday night, the champion starts all over again and they will have to do it against a 2A force that has seen its program get better and much more prepared, for the talent-laden Northwest, over the past few years.

West Carroll hosts the Panthers this Friday night and looks to see how ready it is to handle the slightly, newer-looking Lena-Winslow offense. Graduation takes its toll on

many programs. Some can rebuild from the remaining talent pool and continue playing at the highest level.

Lena-Winslow is going to run the ball still. They are going to control the line of scrimmage in most matches they play this season. They will be able to score in a hurry and the air-lanes might be open a little more often, as a result. That could result in an even better offensive, nightly showing.

The Panthers defensive line will have designs on the opposition's backfield and they will get there this year. Even with personnel change, a system that works will continue to work, if properly maintained. Weight conditioning over the summer for many and miles of foot traffic under their shoes have been key in keeping the athletes in the best possible condition and ready to succeed. Maintenance has been achieved. Le-

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Changes in Pearl City give Wildcats new look

By Chris Johnson
REPORTER

When 7:30 p.m. comes this Friday night, the Pearl City-Eastland Wildcats will already be on the field and prepared for a new attack on an old game.

Even with changes in the leadership committee, with Randy Asche no longer calling the plays and that responsibility given to Jared McNutt, the mentality of expected performance on the field remains in full focus, as the team gets set for a visit from the East Dubuque Warriors. Lanark hosts game one of the 2018 regular season this Friday night.

The Wildcats were a playoff visitor in 2018. It was a location they had often appeared under the guided eye of former Head Coach Randy Asche. Only one time, in eleven years of

oversight, had he failed to pilot his program to the post-season.

The Wildcats won it all in 2014. It was a graduating class ago, but it did imprint the image of what it takes to be a champion. This year's graduating class has a tapestry to follow and a 1-0 start with a defeat of East Dubuque, almost becomes mandatory already. A lot of recent State Champions call the NUIC-Northwest home. They aren't going away anytime soon.

Since a Dakota Indians Class 1A Title victory, to close-down the 2011-2012 school year's football season, the Northwest has been the home for the eventual State Champion six times.

Lena-Winslow is the defending

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Winslow River Days

Kim Krogull preps the vintage ice cream maker to make fresh delicious ice cream which was being sold at the 32nd Annual Winslow River Days festivities.

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Class 1A State Champion. They earned the Title after they knocked off the 2016 State Champion Forreton Cardinals, in the 2017 Class 1A Semi-Final and then went on to win it all in DeKalb a week later.

Pearl City-Eastland players and fans know the schedule reflects dates with both the current and former State Champions, even before the midway point of the 2018 fall sports season is reached. To top it off, they know their student-athletes will have to play them both on the road.

There is some time to get everything in place, before the Wildcats have to concern themselves with dealing with Lena-Winslow or For-

reston. In high school football, the players know they can't worry about what's coming and still deal with what is directly ahead. It's one game at a time.

Week two is a road game as the Wildcats head south to Amboy for another potential shot at victory. The Clippers were 2-7 last season. They achieved a mark of .500 in the 2014-2015 season and have only finished above .500 for the season once, since 2012.

A 2-0 start is possible, putting the Wildcats in a strong position before they head home to face the improved co-op of Pecatonica and Durand in the week three game.

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na-Winslow will be looked at again, as "the team to beat."

In the NUIC there are many programs that are used to a lot of success. Lena-Winslow will have to deal with one of those as they head east for game two of the season and the home opener next Friday night. The Forreton Cardinals are in. But they may look a little different. Head Coach Denny Diduch no longer patrols the sidelines. Kyle Zick has taken the reigns this season in Ogle

County.

Forreton will still be a force to have to deal with next weekend though. Similarly, to Lena-Winslow, graduation took its toll on the recent two-time defending State Champion Cardinals. But the philosophy of winning hasn't shifted. The 2015 and 2017 1A Champions also have the potential to control the line of scrimmage in most matches they will play this season. They were 11-2 last season and the runner-up in the conference chase.

Forreton is expected to be strong still and capable of putting up a lot of points this season. They will be fighting with the Lena-Winslow Panthers for best-of the Northwest designation by the time October games wind down.

There are others in the Northwest Lena-Winslow will have to deal with that know a thing or two about State Championships. The Dakota Indians have earned the designation of best in the State of Illinois, three times since the 2005-2006 season.

They last won the 1A Crown during the 2011-2012 season. That win helped open the gates for the Northwest. Over the next six years, the NUIC large-school division has seen its representative capture the crown five times. Most recently by the defending State Champion Pan-

thers in 2018. Wins didn't occur much for the 2017, newly-formed Pec-Durand Rivermen last season. They have improved, according to many reports. However, the 'Cats still seem to get the edge, with the game being played in Pearl City.. A win looks very possible, and as a result, a continued, unblemished mark.

By the time week four arrives, Pearl City-Eastland could be looking at a 3-0 record, a first-place standing and a lot of experience under their metaphorical belts. They will find themselves in a good position to be ready for Forreton. The Cardinals lost two games last season. They were both to eventual State Cham-

thers in 2018.

The changes in the Northwest also impacted a recent 2A Title-claimant. Eastland-Pearl City has a new coaching philosophy in place too. Randy Ache is no longer calling the shots for the co-op.

With the changes at the Head Coaching position for many schools in the Northwest, the Lena-Winslow Panthers chance for continued success does seem to be firmly in place as they prepare to open their pursuit of another State Title this Friday night, on the road, against West Carroll.

Lena American Legion Family opens centennial year

The Lena American Legion Family will be having a float in the Lena Fall Festival Parade kicking off the centennial year of The American Legion. We would like as many members of the American Legion Family including The Legion, Auxiliary and SONS to ride in the parade as possible. Anyone who would prefer to march is also welcome. Please call 815-369-4684 and leave a message if you are able to ride or march. We would like you to meet in front of the old Lena Elementary School on East Mason at 11:30. Please join us to celebrate the 100th year of The American Legion-the world's largest patriotic organization.

pion Lena-Winslow. Pearl City-Eastland travels to Panther's country in their week five game.

Many statistics seem to show an upset win by the Wildcats, over the Panthers in the week five game, will at least delay the eventual post-season, slot-filling position-taking for Lena-Winslow.

It will also make the NUIC-Northwest race a whole lot more interesting, before the closing stretch sees a do-or-die game waiting, for most

conference combatants nightly.

The regular season closes favorably for the Wildcats. They will play three of four games at home against teams with a combined, 2017 record of 19-20.

However, that nearly .500 mark consists of seven-win, season showings by 2A post-season participant West Carroll and Dakota. Polo is the game nine date. They failed to make the post-season, even though they closed 2017 with a 5-4 mark.

College news

Student named to Dean's List at Evangel University

Heather E. Gahm, student of Greg & Kathy Gahm of Lena, IL, has been named to the Spring 2018 Dean's List at Evangel University, Springfield, MO. During the spring semester, Gahm was a junior with a major in Psychology. Full time students who have earned a grade point average of 3.6 or higher on a 4.0 scale are eligible to be on the Dean's List.

University of Dubuque May 2018 graduates

The University of Dubuque celebrated the accomplishments of its undergraduate, graduate, and seminary students at its 166th Commencement ceremonies on May 19.

Graduates from this area include Brandi Ernst from Apple River, Bachelor of Science, Summa Cum Laude, Adam Wright of Lena, Bachelor of Arts, Cortney Haight from McConnell, Bachelor of Science in Nursing, Jenna Downs of Nora, Bachelor of Arts, Cum Laude, and Laura Melville from Pearl City, Bachelor of Science, Cum Laude.

The University Commencement Ceremony was held in Chlapaty Recreation and Wellness Center on campus. Over 400 undergraduate and graduate students were eligible to participate in the ceremony. Barbara Smeltzer (C'66), undergraduate student resources advisor and campus mom, delivered the commencement address, titled "Reflections."

The University of Dubuque Theological Seminary Commencement

Ceremony was held in Heritage Center's John and Alice Butler Hall on campus. Nineteen students received degrees and certificates. Rev. Elmer M. Colyer (M.Div.'85), PhD, professor of systematic theology, Stanley Professor of Wesley Studies, and director of the United Methodist Studies Program at UDTS, delivered the commencement address, titled "The Impossibility of Ministry."

The University of Dubuque is a private university affiliated with Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) offering undergraduate programs in 31 areas of study; graduate programs in communication, business administration, and physician assistant studies; and theological studies.

Upper Iowa University Honors and Awards recipients

Upper Iowa University has announced its 2018 Scholarships and Awards Recognition Banquet recipients. The honorees, selected by the UIU Honors and Awards Committee and the University academic divisions, included the following students:

Elizabeth, IL - Emily Frank, Thomas Parker Goebel and Helen Goebel Scholarship;

Pearl City, IL - Clayton Lieb, Zecha - McCauley Scholarship;

Founded in 1857, Upper Iowa University is a private, not-for-profit university providing undergraduate and graduate degree programs to about 5,800 students-nationally and internationally-at its Fayette, Iowa, Campus, 20 U.S. education centers, as well as centers in Malaysia and Hong Kong.



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FROM LENA'S KITCHEN



The not so skinny cook

School has started, and time is racing on. There will be football, volleyball, and golf, and the sounds of the pool as well as kids on bicycles will be silent. I guess I am nostalgic because I will miss summer. The fall catalogues are arriving, and I will have to go back to wearing shoes and socks! One of the things I do enjoy about fall is the good fruits and vegetables that we get to cook with. This week there is an appetizer, a great salad dressing (and salad too), two entrees, and a good dessert.

This first recipe is for a great corn dip. It is served warm, so it would be a great game day appetizer. If you don't have access to a grill, you can brown the corn in a pan with olive oil or prepare it as you would for corn on the cob. There are several additions that will give the dip some kick.

Hot Corn Dip

- 5 ears of corn
- Oil for brushing
- 1 T. unsalted butter
- 1/2 red onion, finely diced
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 red pepper, seeded and finely diced
- 1 green pepper, seeded and finely diced

1 jalapeno pepper, finely diced (membranes and seeds removed)

1 pkg. (8 oz.) cream cheese, softened

1/2 C. mayo

1/2 C. sour cream

4 C. Shredded Monterey Jack cheese

2 green onions, thinly sliced

1 can (4 oz.) diced green chilies

Chili powder

Tortilla Chips

Grill corn by brushing with oil until slightly charred. In a large skillet, melt the butter over medium heat. Add the red onion, garlic, peppers and jalapeno. Stir and cook the veggies until they are soft and golden, about 5 minutes. Set aside to cool.

Cut the corn kernels off the cobs. In a mixer, combine the cream cheese mayo, sour cream and two-thirds of the Monterey Jack. Mix on low speed until combined. Add the green onions, veggie mixture, corn and canned chilies in their liquid. Mix until just combined.

Spread the mixture in a 3 quart baking dish and sprinkle with the rest of the cheese and a dusting of chili powder. Preheat the oven to 350. Bake the dip until bubbling and golden, 20 to 22 minutes. Remove from the oven and serve warm with tortilla chips.

I guess I am sticking with the corn theme this week. This corn salad is a lot like the one my friend Sue makes. This one has cilantro and lime as the flavoring.

Grilled Corn Salad

- 6 ears of corn
- 1 1/2 C. chopped tomatoes
- 1 C diced green pepper
- 1/2 C. chopped fresh cilantro
- 1/3 C. diced red onion

1/2 C. chopped cilantro

1 T. canola oil

1/2 t. salt

1/4 t. pepper

Lime wedges

Grill corn, turning until tender and lightly charred, about 10 minutes. Set aside until cool enough to cut off corn.

Cut off kernels and transfer to a large bowl. Add tomatoes, peppers, cilantro, onion, oil, salt and pepper; toss together. Chill, covered at least 2 hours, before serving. Serve with lime wedges.

I love fruit in cabbage. My mother used to put crushed pineapple in her slaw, and it was a family favorite. I think my grandmother fixed it this way, and we all know we tend to cook like the people before us. This uses both the Napa and red cabbage. Enjoy this different take on slaw.

Strawberry Slaw

- 2/3 C. rice vinegar
- 3 T. oil
- 2 T. sugar
- 2 t. sesame oil
- 1/2 t. salt
- 1/2 t. pepper
- 3 C. fresh strawberries, halved
- 6 C. sliced Napa cabbage
- 2 C. shredded carrots
- 1 C. sliced red cabbage
- 1 C. thinly sliced snow peas
- 1/2 C. chopped green onion
- 1/2 C. thinly sliced radishes
- 1/2 C. chopped cashews

In a large bowl, whisk together vinegar, 1 T., sugar, sesame oil, salt and pepper until well combined. Stir in strawberries and all remaining ingredients until well coated. Cover and refrigerate for up to 1 hour before serving.

Our Editor, Tony Carton, is a re-

ally good cook, and he sometimes shares recipes with me. (A side note: he also has a zucchini problem. He has to keep his car locked because he keeps inheriting them—not the little ones, but the club sized zucchini.) He has made several dishes with zucchini,

and he shared this zucchini grilled cheese recipe. One of his hints is to be sure the zucchini has been drained of as much water as possible. One of my friends squeezes her zucchini

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NEW LISTINGS



LENA - VERY NICE 4 BEDROOM, 3 BATH HOME features split floor plan, large living room with stone gas log fireplace. Dining area has a built-in china cabinet. Main floor laundry. Carpet and tile flooring. Large master bedroom with full master bath featuring double sink, whirlpool tub and shower, spacious walk-in closet. Deck is 17'3" x 33'5". Lower level features 2 egress windows. Three stall attached garage with side walk-in door, concrete driveway and sidewalks. Located in one of Lena's newer subdivisions. Priced at \$215,950



WARREN - CUTE 4 BEDROOM, 1 1/2 BATH located in Warren sitting on close to 1 acre. This property will fulfill all your outdoor needs. The yard is also equipped with storage sheds. There are 2 bedrooms on the main level and 2 upstairs. There is currently main floor laundry with the option to move it to the basement. Air conditioner is negotiable. Priced at \$72,500

OTHER PROPERTIES



LENA - REDUCED \$5,100 - VERY AFFORDABLE LIVING with this 2 bedroom/1 bath home with main floor laundry and a single stall garage. This home is on the coveted parade route in Lena, and features newer flooring, new paint. The bathroom was remodeled in 2012. Central air and all windows were also new in 2012. Come see this move in ready home. Priced at \$59,900



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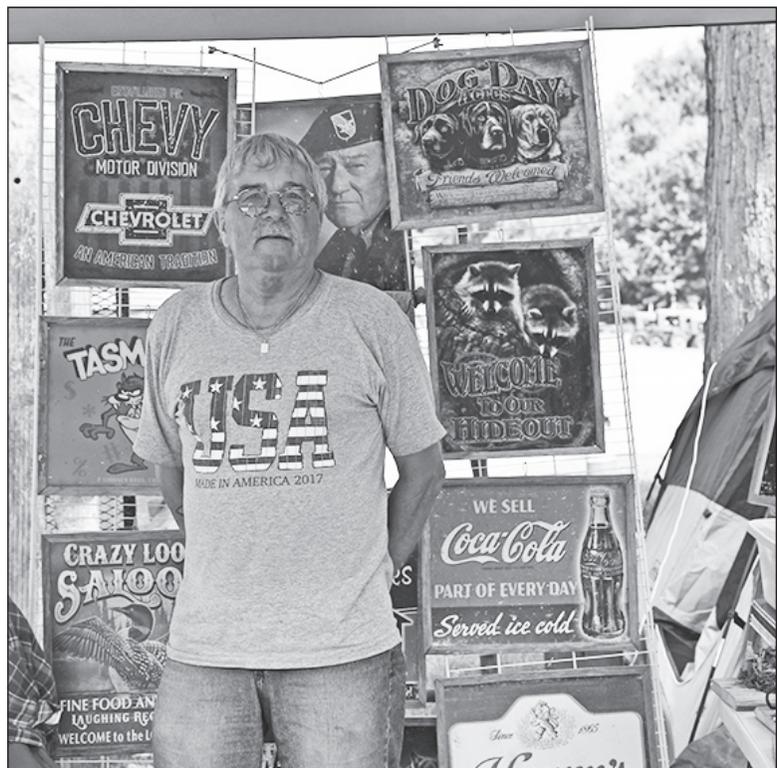
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Winslow River Days



Kyle Montgomery calls "ALL ABOARD" before taking the kiddos for a tractor ride around town during the Winslow River Days celebration.

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Woodworker Jack Lawyer is one of the many vendors displaying crafts at the annual Winslow River Days festival.



Vendors Lisa Tonyan, Judy White and Jason Opanilnski take a minute out from their craft show duties to sit in the shade and relax at Winslow River Days.

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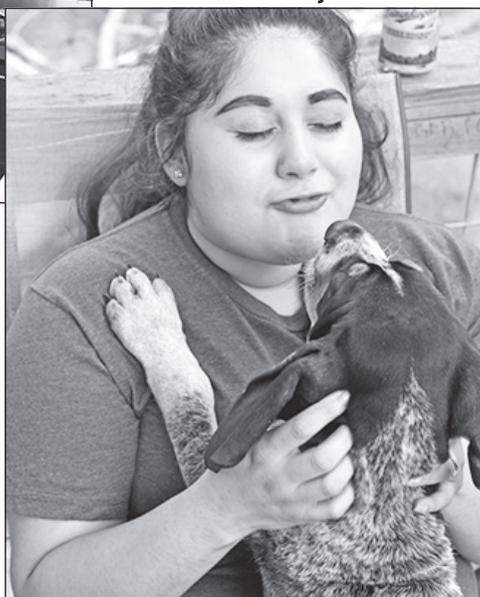
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(Right) Wendy Cantu loves on a puppy. Pets were enjoying the Winslow River Days festivities along with their masters.



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For more information, call 815-492-2769 or download a crafter's registration form at <http://applecanyonlake.org/programs/events/ics/>.

Obituaries

CONNIE L. STAMM

Connie L. Stamm, age 63 of Lena, IL, passed away unexpectedly, on Wednesday, Aug. 15, 2018 at her home.



She was born on Nov. 14, 1954 to Merle and Lois (Wernicke) Shultz. She married Jeff Stamm on June 1, 1974 at the Lena United Methodist Church. Connie, along with her husband Jeff, owned and operated Stamm Farm Systems Incorporated, which they purchased from Ray Stamm on Jan. 1, 1988. She also worked for Yellow Creek Quilts Designs in Pearl City, IL. She was a member of the Lena United Methodist Church. She was the treasurer of the Lena Community Center, and also a quilter with the ladies of Stagecoach Quilters. Jeff and Connie were members of the 12 High Card club. Connie was known for her amazing cooking, beautiful flower gardens, and uniquely designed quilts. One of Connie's greatest joys was spending time with her family especially her beloved granddaughters.

She is survived by her husband Jeff of Lena, children; Carrie (Dr. Dan) Jones of Platteville, WI and Blaine (Annie) Stamm of Lena. Grandchildren; Adilynn Jones and Madasyn Stamm. Brother; Bob (Sandy) Shultz and sister-in-law; Cali (Larry) Lelle. Nieces and Nephews; Christy (Mike) Larson, Tony Shultz, Jamie (Josh) Hagenow and Valerie Lelle, and many special friends including her cherished quilting sisters.

She was preceded in death by her parents and her father and mother-in-law Ray and Betty Stamm.

Funeral services were Monday, Aug. 20, at the Lena United Methodist Church in Lena.

Visitation was held on Sunday, Aug. 19, at the Leamon Funeral Home in Lena.

Pastor Keri Rainsberger officiated. Interment will be at Lena Burial Park.

A memorial has been established in her name.

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

ROGER ALFRED RAMPENTHAL

Roger Alfred Rampenthal, age 78, died after a lengthy illness on Aug. 13, 2018.

Roger was born July 10, 1940 in Freeport, IL. He married Sharon (McCoy) Rampenthal on July 28, 1961 at Seward, IL. They made their home in

Lena, IL, for over 53 years.

He worked for over 45 years as a Sausage Maker overseeing the smoke-house and curing department at Lena Maid Meats, Lena, IL. He retired in 2014.

Roger was a great family man and a loving father who enjoyed fishing, model trains, playing with his grandchildren, telling stories and spending time with family and friends. He was active in his faith and participated in a volunteer ministry as one of Jehovah's Witnesses.

Roger is survived by: three children, Jeff (Debra) Rampenthal, Angela (John) Alita and Curtis Rampenthal, all of Freeport, IL; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by: Parents, Alfred and Marie Rampenthal, Lena, IL; Wife, Sharon (McCoy) Rampenthal, Lena, IL; and two siblings, David Rampenthal, McConnell, IL and Marge Walters, Lena, IL.

Funeral is scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 8, at the Freeport Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses, 1000 Longhorn Ct., Freeport, IL 61032. John Alita, Elder, will officiate. Visitation will be held from 1-3 p.m. with Memorial Service starting at 3 p.m. Online condolences may be shared at www.schwarzfh.com

MICHAEL L. JACQUETTE

Michael L. Jacquette, age 47 of Stockton, IL, passed away at St. Anthony Hospital on Monday, Aug. 13, 2018. He was born on Sept. 19, 1970 in Freeport, IL; the son of Claude and Christine (Polifka) Jacquette. He



was a 1990 graduate of Stockton High School. He married Alena Clark on Oct. 15, 2015.

Michael, also known as Mike or Doc, was a truck driver at IES Drilling Supplies. He enjoyed working with his friends at Skate Station. Prior to this, Michael enjoyed his work at Spahn and Rose in Stockton. He loved spending time with his family and friends, traveling, going out to dinner, cheering for the Bears and Cubs, swimming and playing water polo, gardening, grilling, and offering a hand wherever he could. Michael could often be found helping at community events including the Stockton Christmas Community dinner, the Lions 4th of July Chicken dinner, and fundraising for Stockton Fireworks as well as participating in various community projects. Michael had a BIG heart and a gift to make people feel at ease and special. He always had a smile and could make one laugh in any situation. He was a loving husband, a caring father, an amazing son, an inspiring brother, a special uncle, a loyal friend, and a hard worker.

He is survived by his wife, Alena (Clark) two daughters Maranda Schaney and Hayley Feary Jacquette, mother, Christine Jacquette, brother, Mark Jacquette, sister, Misty (Josh) DeHaven, brother-in-law, Rick (Deb) Clark, nephews, Kiel Katzenberger, Kasen DeHaven, Cole and Kaleb Clark, and nieces, Kinzy "Blondie" DeHaven, and Camryn Clark. He was preceded in death by his father, Claude Jacquette.

The funeral service was held Saturday, Aug. 18, at the Hermann Funeral Home in Stockton with a visitation. Interment will take place at a later date in Ladies Union Cemetery. In lieu of flowers a memorial fund has been established. Condolence may be shared with the family at www.hermannfuneralhome.com.

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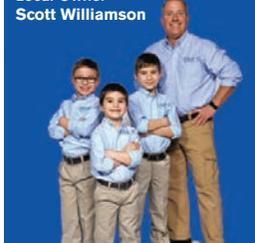


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Stephenson County SWCD Fall Fish Sale

The Stephenson Soil & Water Conservation District is presently taking orders for the Fall Fish Sale. Fish that can be ordered include: channel catfish, albino catfish, largemouth bass, hybrid sunfish, redear sunfish, bluegill, black crappie, fat head minnows, and grass carp. The various species can be ordered for stocking new and existing ponds. Grass carp orders must be placed by, Wednesday, September 5 and other species by Friday, Sept. 14. Delivery will be at The USDA/ SWCD office parking lot at 11 a.m. on Monday, Sept. 24.

For more information call the Soil & Water Conservation District office at 815-235-2141 extension 3. Order forms can be picked up at the office at 1620 S. Galena Avenue, Freeport, Illinois or on the District website: www.stephensonswcd.org.



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•Kitchen (Continued from page 3)

in cheese cloth for better success. Enjoy this new kind of sandwich—it would taste great with tomato basil soup!

Zucchini Grilled Cheese

- 2 C. grated zucchini
- 1 large egg
- ½ C. freshly grated Parmesan
- 2 green onions, thinly sliced
- ¼ C. cornstarch
- Kosher salt
- Freshly ground black pepper
- Vegetable oil, for cooking
- 2 C. shredded Cheddar cheese

Squeeze excess moisture out of zucchini with a clean kitchen towel. In a medium bowl, combine the zucchini with the egg, Parmesan, green onions and cornstarch. Season with salt and pepper.

In large skillet, pour enough vegetable oil to layer the bottom of the pan. Scoop about ¼ C. of the zucchini mixture onto one side of the pan and shape into a small square. Repeat to form another patty on the other side.

Cook until lightly golden on both sides, about 4 minutes per side. Remove from heat to drain on paper towels and repeat with remaining zucchini mixture. Wipe skillet clean.

Place two zucchini patties in the same skillet over medium heat. Top both with shredded cheese, then

place two more zucchini patties on top to form two sandwiches. Cook until the cheese has melted, about 2 minutes per side.

Repeat with remaining ingredients. Serve immediately. HINT: the more moisture removed from the zucchini, the better the sandwich.

At the Farmer's Market there is an abundance of squash. This easy casserole uses squash to enhance potatoes and beef. This casserole has all you need for the main meal—meat, potatoes, and vegetables.

Cheesy Beef and Squash Casserole

- 4 C. shredded potatoes, thawed
- 2 T. olive oil, divided
- 1 lb. ground beef
- 2¼ t. salt, divided
- 1½ t. pepper, divided
- 1 t. garlic powder
- 1 small yellow onion, chopped
- 1 jar (24 oz.) tomato pasta sauce
- 1 C. shredded sharp Cheddar cheese, divided
- 4 T. chopped fresh parsley, divided
- 1 medium yellow squash, thinly sliced
- 1/3 C. panko

Preheat oven to 475. Spray a 2-quart baking dish with cooking spray. Spread potatoes in an even layer in prepared pan. In a large

saucepan, heat 1 tablespoon oil over medium high heat. Add beef, 1½ t. salt, 1 t. pepper, garlic powder; cook until browned. Add onion and cook until tender. Stir in pasta sauce, ½ cup cheese, 2 T. parsley, and remaining salt and pepper. Spoon mixture onto potatoes in pan. Layer squash slices onto beef mixture.

In a small bowl, stir together the bread crumbs, remaining cheese and remaining parsley with 1 tablespoon oil. Sprinkle onto squash and cover with foil.

Bake for 20 minutes. Uncover and bake until golden brown, about 10 minutes before serving. Garnish with parsley.

I make a peaches and cream pie in a regular crust. This recipe makes a crust and then has a great custard like peaches and cream. Be sure you use the correct pudding—not instant—the Cook and Serve.

Peaches and Cream Pie

- 1½ lbs. fresh peaches (about 4) sliced
- ¾ C. plus 1 T. sugar
- 1 pkg. (3 to 3.4 oz.) cook and serve not-instant vanilla pudding mix
- ¾ C. flour
- 1 t. baking powder
- ½ t. salt
- ½ C. plus 3 T. milk
- 3 T. butter, softened

- 1 egg
- 1 pkg. (8 oz.) cream cheese, softened
- 1 t. cinnamon

Preheat the oven to 350. Coat a deep 10-inch pie plate with cooking spray. In a bowl, toss peaches and ¼ C. sugar. In another bowl, stir together pudding mix, flour, baking powder, and salt. Add ½ C. milk, butter and egg; beat with an electric mixer at medium speed for 2 minutes. Pour the mixture into the pie plate. Toss together the peaches

and sugar once more and then spoon evenly on top.

Beat the cream cheese in a bowl with a mixer until fluffy, about a minute. Add ½ C. sugar and remaining 3 T. milk; beat 2 minutes more. Spoon mixture over pie and gently spread to within 1 inch of edge. Mix together cinnamon and remaining tablespoon of sugar in a small bowl; sprinkle over the pie. Bake until golden

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Other Listings

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Public Notice is hereby given that on **August 7, 2018**, a certificate was filed in the Office of the County Clerk of Stephenson County, Illinois, setting forth the names and post-office addresses of all persons owning, conducting and transacting the business known as: **Panther Club Baseball** located at **11120 W. Pin Hook Rd., Lena, IL 61048**.

Dated August 7, 2018

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Deputy

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STEPHENSON COUNTY - FREEPORT, ILLINOIS

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PLAINTIFF

Vs.
Michael Munz; et. al.
DEFENDANTS

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on 7/17/2018, the Sheriff of Stephenson County, Illinois will on September 21, 2018 at the hour of 9:30AM at Stephenson County Courthouse 15 North Galena Avenue 1st Floor, West door of courthouse Freeport, IL 61032, or in a place otherwise designated at the time of sale, County of Stephenson and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

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PUBLIC NOTICE

A Public Hearing will be held by the Village President and Board of Trustees of Lena, IL on Monday, September 10th, 2018 at 5:30pm at the Village Hall, 122 E. Main St., Lena, IL 61048 for the purpose of hearing evidence regarding the request to rezone the following property.

The property is located on the east corner of N. Shippee Rd. and N. Schuyler St. running parallel to Schuyler St. toward Oak Terrace subdivision. The legal description of the property is PT NW NE SEC 33-28-6. The property is located in Lena, IL, West Point Township and Stephenson County, Illinois.

Pin (11-074-33-200-024) from Residential to Commercial.

The rezoning is requested by Harold & Nicole Rood of Lena, IL

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Church news

St. John's Lutheran Church in Pearl City

You're invited to join us at Worship at St. John's on Aug. 26th. The service will be led by Pastor Ekstrand.

Congratulations to Keith & Linda Harbison, Lemont, IL, for winning the the \$200 Calendar Raffle drawing on Aug. 15, 2018.

The Woman's Gathering annual meeting will be held on Aug. 28, at 6 p.m. in Luther Hall. The catered meal of chicken salad on croissant, seven layer salad, fluff salad and assorted pies will be served at a cost of \$10. The program will be "Fluegel's Fashionista" by Annalisa Fluegel of Lena. Please sign up on the bulletin board and leave payment at the church office before Aug. 21.

The next St. John's Brat Stand will be on Saturday, Aug. 25, at 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Come out and have a Brat or Hot Dog Meal Deal.

It's not too early to make plans for your children to attend Sunday School at St. John's this year. The Sunday School year will start on Sept. 9, with Rally Day after worship. This year's Sunday School fea-

tures a new curriculum focused on Discipleship.

Need a place to hold an event in Pearl City? The main hall at St. John's is available for rent. Call the church for more information and availability.

St. John's Lutheran Church is at 229 S. First Street, Pearl City, Illinois. The office phone number is 815-443-2215(mornings). All are invited to our weekly worship services and youth to our Sunday School and youth ministries. You may also email at prshadmin@gmail.com.

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church will gather for worship with Holy Communion on Aug. 26, at Good Shepherd, 118 E. Mason St. Lena, IL, at 9:30 a.m. Bring your backpacks. There will be blessing of the backpacks to kick-off the school year. Students, teachers, aides, and all who work in school will be blessed during worship.

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Soybean planting populations and seed treatments

Soybean producers currently face exceptionally tight margins and uncertainty in the market, creating the need for increased efficiency and return on input investment. Due to improved genetics and production practices, soybean growers are now more aware of the importance of using appropriate seeding rates and seed treatments; this is meant to reduce risk and economically improve yield goals. Seeding rates and seed treatments are influenced by many factors

including variety selection, soil conditions, weather forecasts, and cultural practices (row spacing and planting dates).

Before seeding rates can be determined, it may be useful to consider how soybeans respond to increasing or decreasing seeding rates. Soybeans have the ability to "flex," or adjust growth and development, in response to seeding rates and environmental conditions; variation in plant development is often expressed in the amount

of branches and pods the soybean plant develops. These alterations in plant development can have beneficial, or detrimental, impacts on yield, harvestability, and pest management. For example, soybeans planted at lower seeding rates produce pods closer to the soil line which can make harvest more difficult; higher seeding rates can produce taller plants with reduced branching and pod formation, reducing yields. It is for these reasons that choosing the appropriate seeding rates is so important to maximize profitability and productivity. Greater plant populations don't necessarily mean greater yields so this will continue to be a crucial management decision as seed prices continue to rise.

Seed treatment efficacy varies due to seed quality and environmental conditions. In many cases use of a seed treatment with high quality seed has shown little effect on seedling emergence and vigor; however, use of seed treatments on low quality seed can increase field emergence significantly. Environmental conditions during germination can also influence the efficacy of seed treatments; in sit-

uations where conditions at planting are conducive, seed treatments may not be effective. Alternatively, if conditions at planting favor disease, seed treatments may be an effective option. Cost and active ingredients for seed treatments are important, so decision making using pest and disease history and active ingredients can go a long way.

To learn more about soybean seeding rates and seed treatments in Northern IL, come to the Highland Community College Soybean Demonstration on Wednesday, Aug. 29, from 9 to 11 a.m. This event, in partnership with University of Illinois Extension has no fee for attending the program, and will provide breakfast for all attendees who pre-register online before August 24th. The focus of the day will be the soybean plant population (90,000-170,000 seeds/ac) and soybean seed treatment (ILeVO, Lumise-

na, rhizobial inoculant) trials located on the Highland Community College test plot in Freeport. Extension educators Phillip Alberti and Russ Higgins, and Extension Plant Pathologist Nathan Kleczewski will discuss the research demonstration and discuss issues seen throughout the 2018 growing season. All persons are welcome to attend this free seminar. If you have questions about this event or need any type of accommodation to attend the event, contact Phillip Alberti, Crop Science Educator with University of Illinois Extension in the College of Agricultural, Consumer, and Environmental Sciences at palberti@illinois.edu, 815-235-4125 or on Twitter (@NorthernILCrops). Anyone interested in attending may register online by visiting the Extension website at <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/jsw/> or by calling the University of Illinois Extension at 815-235-4125.

Come sail away with Mighty Richland Players Polynesia Cruise

The Mighty Richland Players in Orangeville will be holding a fundraiser at their theater at 203 W High St. in Orangeville on Sept. 22, at 6:30 p.m. The group plans to update their restroom and add siding to their building, among other projects.

The group is planning to host a Polynesian Cruise Mystery Dinner. The meal includes appetizers and a cruise-style meal. The cost is \$40/person.

The theme for the night is Polynesian, so people are encouraged to come dressed in this style or to wear formal attire. If anyone is interested in participating, the group is looking for people to play parts that require no memorizing. Participants will receive that information in advance. Character participation is encouraged but not required. The theater can be contacted for more in-

formation on this - (815) 819-1310.

This is also the reservation line. The deadline is Sept. 4, and reservations must be paid for in advance.

Tickets can be also purchased by sending a check to PO Box 134, Orangeville, IL 61060 in care of Mighty Richland Players. For more information on the event or the group, please log onto mightyrichlandplayers.org.

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
OF REAL ESTATE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on 7/17/2018, the Sheriff of Stephenson County, Illinois will on September 21, 2018 at the hour of 9:30AM at Stephenson County Courthouse 15 North Galena Avenue 1st Floor, West door of courthouse Freeport, IL 61032, or in a place otherwise designated at the time of sale, County of Stephenson and State of Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

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If the sale is set aside for any reason, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the deposit paid. The Purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Mortgagor, the Mortgagee or the Mortgagee's attorney.

Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser shall receive a Certificate of Sale, which will entitle the purchaser to a Deed to the real estate after Confirmation of the sale. The successful purchaser has the sole responsibility/expense of evicting any tenants or other individuals presently in possession of the subject premises.

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 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.

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 14-18-00271.

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Kitchen (Continued from page 7)

brown, 30-35 minutes. Let cool on a wire rack for 1 hour. Chill, covered at least 4 hours or up to 24 hours.

Some ramblings--August activities have come to a close. Freeport's

Cruise Night was well attended. One of my missions is to make it to the Union Dairy before it closes. When you haven't been out much, you tend to be very observant. Lena has new

flags on the poles. They are really pretty, and I understand there will be more going down Highway 73. I am excited about the new welcome sign going up in the triangle on Logan and Schuyler Street also. I will finish up this column and then get out of town for a ride. The simplest things in life become great adventures! Just a reminder that the Farmer's Market is again open on Wednesday evenings--stop by for some great vegetable and fruit buys. Hoping you all have a good week.

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.

Affordable health screenings coming to Stockton, Illinois

Residents living in and around the Stockton, Illinois can learn about their risk for cardiovascular disease, osteoporosis, diabetes, and other chronic, serious conditions with affordable screenings by Life Line Screening. Calvary United Methodist Church will host this community event on 9/12/2018. The site is located at 315 W. Maple Avenue in Stockton.

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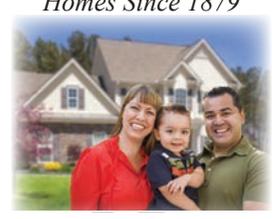
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8:00 a.m. Pitmasters Check In (pre-registration required - contact Kristin Dinderman 815-291-9922)

10:00 a.m. 5k race & 1 mile Family Fun Run (Sponsored by Pearl City Park District)

11:00 a.m. Beer Garden Opens (open until 11:30 p.m.)
Parade (Contact Nathan Pickard at 815-821-2403 - Registration at 10 a.m.)
Hog Roast Lunch/Dinner
Kid's Activities (Sponsored by Hometown Motors and Crossroad Comm. Church)

11:30 a.m. **LIVE BAND Jordan Danielson & Jef Spradley**

12:30 p.m. Kiddie Tractor Pull (Sponsored by Stephenson County Farm Bureau)

2:00 p.m. Kiddie Water Fights (Sponsored by PC Fire Department)

2:35 p.m. Ag Olympics (Sponsored by Stephenson County Farm Bureau) Pre-registration required

4:30 p.m. **LIVE BAND The Ryan & Joe Trio**

6:00 p.m. PC Pitmaster BBQ Samples available (while supplies last)

6:30 p.m. Gail "Johnny" Johnson Service Award

6:45 p.m. Pitmaster Category Champions

7:30 p.m. **LIVE BAND The Cal Stage Band**

8:30 p.m. Pitmaster Best in Show Award

9:30 p.m. Raffle Drawing (Contact John Schroeder to purchase tickets 815-275-4301)

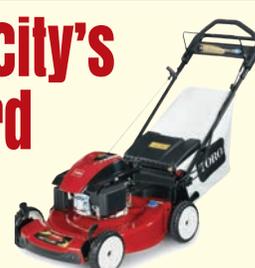
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