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## Stockton schools recognize National Bully Prevention Month

By Kaila Olsen  
Correspondent

STOCKTON — Being the victim of a bully can ruin a person's dreams, aspirations, and desires. Schools have come to the realization that being bullied can tamper with one's academic achievement. Stockton schools will be trying to put an end to the bullying by participating in October's National Bully Prevention Month. Stockton elementary and middle school students were able to participate in a presentation, with help from the Riverview Crisis Center, called the NED Show. Stockton school's social worker, Cory Walters said they kicked the month off with an assembly for grades K-5 and grades 5-8. The presentations were given by Jordan Rijpma, Riverview Centers' community educator, and The Ned Show. The NED Show is approximately a 45 minute assembly that introduces students to a cartoon character named Ned. Ned is considered simple, relatable, and kid-focused. NED is an acronym for: Never give up, Encourage others, and Do your best.

Rijpma said he tries to make at least three visits to each school a year. Rijpma also said that with each grade he focused his part of the assembly on something different for each of the fifth through eighth grades. The fifth grade assembly Rijpma focused on teasing and how fun differs from teasing. He told students ways to determine

whether a best friend or family member is taking fun too far.

The sixth grade assembly also focused on respectful communications, something Walters said he's been focusing on this whole school year. "The Blackhawk Way: respectful, responsible, and safe behaviors," Walters said. He continues to teach the students safe behaviors, by speaking with them and having outside sources, such as Riverview Crisis Center and The NED Show, come to speak as well. Rijpma focused on one fact with the Stockton sixth graders, "If you're not looking for it you won't find it." Rijpma said. The presentations for all grades were given while doing yo-yo tricks and other fun things to make it more interesting for the students.

The assembly for seventh graders focused on typical stereotypes, such as the athletes, the popular kids, and the outsiders. Rijpma gave students ideas on how to get out of a particular role and to be friends with everyone.

Finally, eighth graders were given a presentation focused on gender stereotypes. Rijpma asked the students questions like, "should the mother or father change diapers?" and "Is it okay for a woman to be a truck driver, or a man to be a nurse?" While asking each question the students were told to go to one side of the room if they agreed and the other side

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Tracy Siegner photo

Stockton elementary and middle school students participated in a presentation that recognized National Bully Prevention Month hosted by the Riverview Crisis Center.

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# CROP hunger walk held at Apple Canyon State Park

APPLE RIVER — The Eastern Jo Daviess CROP Hunger Walk was held Sunday, October 11 at Apple Canyon State Park. Twenty-nine walkers raised \$1,311.00 and more to come. It was a beautiful fall, windy day. We walked first back at 3 p.m. Devotions were led by Pastor Mike Nesbit, Pastor Brenda Morris led us in a neat singing table prayer. Lunch was served hot dogs, chips, cookies, bars and drink was enjoyed by all. Thank you to all who donated money, their time and help in any way. God is good all the time. Twenty-five percent of the total money raised stays in our local food pantries.

This year's participants were Jim, Suzie, Laney and Ethan Koch, Steve Deliberto Pastor Mike, Jen and Alex Nesbit, Pastor Brenda Morris, Dawn Weber, Trinity Bertucci Jan, Jay Jr., Maranda and Amy Schaney, Cody and



Twenty-nine walkers participated in the 2015 Eastern Jo Daviess CROP Hunger Walk at Apple Canyon State Park. The event has raised more than \$1300 to date with more to come.

Caitlin Breuer, Teresa Hesselbacher, Shirley Miller. Megan Preston, Nancy Rice, Carol Rowe, Maggie Palmer, Laiken and Livia Haas, Lib-

bey and Sophie Shellenberger, Norme and Marian Binns. Churches involved were St. Paul Lutheran, Warren and Elizabeth, Christ Lutheran,

Stockton, Wesley and Calvary Methodist, Stockton, Schapville Zion Presbyterian, Elizabeth. God is good all the time.

Photo provided

## Volunteer Hospice of NW Illinois to host Turkey Stroll

STOCKTON — Volunteer Hospice of Northwest Illinois will celebrate Hospice Month with a brand new fundraiser: Turkey Stroll – Come and Bowl. This event will take place at Stockton Bowling Lanes on Saturday, November 14 with registration at 5:30 p.m. and bowling from 6 – 9

p.m. There will be door prizes, raffle prizes, 50/50 chances, and some surprises, too! Call the Hospice Office at 815-947-3260 to sign up by Thursday, November 12. The cost is just \$20 per bowler. Non-bowlers are welcome to join the fun with a donation at the door.

Volunteer Hospice of North-

west Illinois, Inc. is located in the heart of downtown Stockton at 105 S. Main. We are a volunteer community based agency providing compassionate care, support and education to families dealing with life limiting illness and loss.

Our organization is not funded by any federal, state or local tax dollars. We rely solely on donations from individuals and organizations who believe in our mission. Thank you in advance for supporting our Volunteer Hospice.

## Jo Daviess County Democrats schedule November meeting in East Dubuque

EAST DUBUQUE — The Jo Daviess County Democrats will meet at 6 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 23, at George and Dales Sports Bar & Grill, 32 Sinsinawa St., East Dubuque. After the business part of the meeting, Hendrika Regez will give a short talk on what she learned at a recent Climate Reality Leadership Training presentation, and

will discuss how to make climate change part of the 2016 political campaigns.

The group meets regularly at 6 p.m., on the first Tuesday of each month at different locations throughout the county. For more information, go to [www.facebook.com/groups/JoDems/](http://www.facebook.com/groups/JoDems/), or phone 815-777-0533.

## Monroe Clinic Hospice provides grief support during the Holidays

MONROE, WI — For adults grieving the loss of a loved one, the holidays can be an especially challenging time of year. To help people cope with grief during the Christmas season, Monroe Clinic Hospice is offering "Handling the Holidays" at the St. Camillus Center, 2101 6th Street, Monroe, Wis., on Saturday, Nov. 7, from 1:30-3:30 p.m.

The program will help participants:

identify common holiday

concerns

explore depression as a part of grieving

develop practical strategies to handle the holiday season

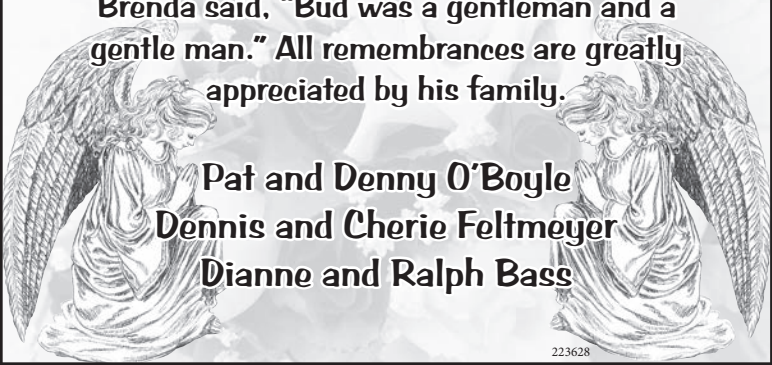
discuss the role of spiritual comfort during the holidays

create ways to remember loved ones

Refreshments will be served at this free program, to register call 608-324-1230 or 800-367-8406. Space is limited, and early registration is encouraged.

## William J. "Bud" Murphy

Thank you for the cards, flowers and memorial gifts you gave in memory of Bud. As Pastor Brenda said, "Bud was a gentleman and a gentle man." All remembrances are greatly appreciated by his family.



## In Loving Memory — Dalvin D. Dittmar

Thank you to all that donated their time, food, money, plants or flowers during the loss of our loved one. Also, thank you to Pastor Susan, Nicole Haas, Eileen Lawler, Hermann Funeral Home, the VFW and the American Legion for making his funeral service a comforting and loving experience for all. A special thanks for FHN Hospice, Elizabeth and Stephenson County Nursing Homes and the hospitals that cared for him during his illnesses. God bless you all!

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## Area Trick or Treat times and dates

Lena 10/31 5-7 p.m.  
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Orangeville 10/31 5-7 p.m.  
Stockton 10/31 5-7:30 p.m.  
Warren 10/31 5-8 p.m.  
Elizabeth 10/30 5-7 p.m.  
Freeport 10/31 5-7 p.m.

Going Trick or Treating? Be safe

Swords, knives, and other costume accessories should be short, soft, and flexible.

Avoid trick-or-treating alone. Walk in groups or with a trusted adult.

Fasten reflective tape to costumes and bags to help drivers see you.

Examine all treats for choking hazards and tampering before eating them. Limit the amount of treats you eat.

Hold a flashlight while trick-or-treating to help you see and others see you. WALK and don't run from house to house.

Always test make-up in a small area first. Remove it before bedtime to prevent possible skin and eye irritation.

Look both ways before crossing the street. Use crosswalks wherever possible.

Lower your risk for serious eye injury by not wearing decorative contact lenses.

Only walk on sidewalks whenever possible, or on the far edge of the road facing traffic to stay safe.

Wear well-fitting masks, costumes, and shoes to avoid blocked vision, trips, and falls.

Eat only factory-wrapped treats. Avoid eating homemade treats made by strangers.

Enter homes only if you're with a trusted adult. Only visit well-lit houses. Never accept rides from strangers.

Never walk near lit candles or luminaries. Be sure to wear flame-resistant costumes.



# Highland Community College presents Jane Addams' vision for political candidates

FREERPORT — The Highland Community College Global Task Force will host a program entitled "Jane Addams: Why her vision is vital today" at 7 p.m. on Thursday, November 5, in the Student/Conference Center, Room H201.

A well-known native of north-west Illinois, Addams was born in Cedarville before going on to become the co-founder of the Hull House, the nation's most influential settlement house. A tireless advocate for social reform, Addams founded the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom and was co-founder of National Child Labor Committee, the American Civil Liberties Union, the

NAACP, and the Immigrant's Protective League. She was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize in 1931.

The program will be presented by Judy Whipps, a professor of Liberal Studies and Philosophy

at Grand Valley State University in Michigan. She has published a four volume edited set of Addams's writings, as well as many articles on Addams. She established the "Jane Addams' Prize," given out by the Society

for the Advancement of American Philosophy. Addams' work has inspired Whipps' thinking about education, and social change.

The program will focus on Jane Addams' vision which

was shaped during a time when democracy was in crisis. Whipps will speak of how deep divisions between the rich and the poor, the fight for equal rights, the turmoil around immigration and working conditions, and the conflicts arising from labor movement were all threatening the stability of the nation. Even though Addams was 60 years old before she was able to vote, her activism changed the landscape of these social and political issues.

Addams' aspirations for democracy, and her trust in the pragmatist method of working with others are models that all of us, including politicians, can still learn from today. Is it time to pay more attention to Jane Addams?

The event is free and open to the public. For more information regarding this event, contact Kay Ostberg at [kay.ostberg@highland.edu](mailto:kay.ostberg@highland.edu) or 815.599.3533.

## Stockton School District to host Veteran's Day program

STOCKTON — There will be a Veteran's Day Program at Stockton High School on Tuesday, November 10, at 2 p.m. in the gymnasium to honor all veterans. The program will feature Stockton students presenting essays and poems; Superintendent David Gilliland addressing the stu-

dents and adults present; presentation of the colors; public recognition of all veterans present; and music provided by the Stockton School District instrumental and choral music departments. This event is open to the general public and everyone is encouraged to attend and honor our veterans.

## Elizabeth celebrates the opening of new Dollar General

ELIZABETH — Celebrating two years of work recruiting the new business, the Elizabeth Chamber of Commerce was host to a ribbon-cutting ceremony Saturday, Oct. 24 at the new Dollar General Store locat-

ed on US 20 West in Elizabeth. Jennifer Reavy, general manager of the store; Michael Dittmar, Elizabeth mayor; Michael Hastings, president and CEO of Jo-Carroll Energy; and Sharon Pepin of Community Funding & Planning Services participated in the event.

## Jo Daviess County Animal Control announces change of address

GALENA — The Jo Daviess County Animal Control announces a change of address, effective Nov. 2.

Beginning November 2, Animal Control will be operating out of the Jo Daviess County Health Department Building in Galena, IL. Dog owners can stop in and pay for licenses at the Health Department at 9483 US Hwy 20 West, Galena, IL, call the office with questions at 815-777-0263, or send in their payments to: Jo Daviess County Animal Control, PO Box 318, Galena, IL 61036.

## Girl Scouts invite families to explore Camp Far Horizons together

HANOVER — This fall is the perfect time for families to get outdoors and explore nature together. Girl Scouts of Northern Illinois is opening Camp Far Horizons, 9702 S. Lost Horizon Road, in Hanover, to

all area families on Saturday, November 7; from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Hands-on activities for the whole family will include archery, hiking, outdoor cooking, and arts and crafts. Cost is \$15 per youth (up to age 17 or high school senior); \$5 per adult includes all activities and lunch.

To ensure the safety of all participants, some activities will depend on the age of participant. Individual children or

small groups of children must be accompanied by an adult chaperone (ages 18+). Advance registration is required by October 28. Visit [www.girlscoutsnl.org](http://www.girlscoutsnl.org) and "Click Here to Register." For more information, please contact Felecia Dupczak at 630-897-1565, Ext. 7161, or [fdupczak@girlscoutsnl.org](mailto:fdupczak@girlscoutsnl.org).

We're Girl Scouts of Northern Illinois. To volunteer, reconnect, donate, or join, visit or call 1-800-242-5591.

## Stephenson County Association for Home and Community Education hosts international meeting

FREERPORT — The Stephenson County Association for Home and Community Education (SCAHCE) held their International Meeting on October 12 at the Stephenson County Farm Bureau in Freeport. The program was on the Baltic States, which include Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania. Kristina Petty, who grew up in Lithuania, but has resided in the U.S. for the last fourteen years, gave the presentation.

During the meeting, it was announced that Aimee Shere, a graduate of Freeport High School, was this year's recipi-

ent of the SCAHCE \$300 Scholarship. She is pursuing a degree in Special Education and Math at Illinois State in Normal.

The meeting ended with a taste testing of foods common to that region of the world. Everyone had the opportunity to dine on kugelis (potato casserole), piragi (sauerkraut), ausytes su grybais (little mushroom

ears), paska (molded cheese dessert), sausainiai (cookie slices) and several other native dishes.

All HCE members and the general public are always invited to attend this meeting. HCE units are located throughout the county. If you would like more information, please contact Sandra Kubatzke at 815/563-4343.

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# VIEWPOINT

## Winslow American Legion dedicates veterans' memorial

By Larry Nelson  
Correspondent

WINSLOW — It was a small but appreciative group of Winslow area residents who met on Carver Street recently to help dedicate an attractive memorial to honor all veterans who have served our country. The memorial garden area was a project of the Stewart-Schneider Post 0592 and was completed by legion members as well as by community members. Adjutant Don Bunker said the legion

members wanted to do something to honor veterans, something that would last for a long time. He called the project "the work of many hands joining for our community."

The memorial found a prominent spot on Carver Street in the downtown. Bunker offered a prayer and a very short message about the memorial. When the ceremony was over, many of those in attendance stayed to chat and to admire the memorial stone and perhaps to reflect on for what it stands.

## Stockton Chamber hosts Miss Merry Christmas and Jack Frost holiday competition

STOCKTON — Enter your child, ages four to eight in Stockton's Miss Merry Christmas and Little Jack Frost contest. The deadline for photo submission is October 28. Please provide the following information along with a photo: child's name, age, and birthday, parent's name, address and phone number.

A Chamber committee will select the finalists and their photos will be published in the Scoop Today in mid-November. The public will vote for the winners.

Miss Merry Christmas and

Little Jack Frost will each receive a \$50 gift certificate and be crowned December 4 before the municipal tree lighting ceremony and will help Santa and Mrs. Claus during the annual Stockton Christmas Walk.

Enter your child today. Remember photo submission is October 28. Email photos to [stephaniemm22@yahoo.com](mailto:stephaniemm22@yahoo.com) or snail mail the Chamber at Stockton Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 3, Stockton, IL 61085. Please call 815.275.0481 for further information.

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Larry Nelson Photo

Some of the 37 American legion members from Winslow area who worked on the veterans' memorial which was dedicated in Winslow recently paused for a group photo. From left: Larry Mann, Don Bunker (adjutant), LeRoy Bernet (commander), Jerry Hastings, Burnette Burkhalter, LaVerne Schneider, Gary Harter, John Ammon. Both Ammon and Hastings are World War II veterans.

## Mautino chosen state's auditor general

By Mark Fitton  
Illinois News Network

SPRINGFIELD — State Rep. Frank Mautino will be Illinois' next auditor general.

The Democrat from Spring Valley, nominated by state's Legislative Audit Commission, was approved Tuesday by a vote of 55-0 in the Senate and 102-10 in the House.

The post was established in the 1970 state constitution, and Mautino becomes Illinois' third auditor general and the first to have served in the General Assembly.

Mautino has served in the House since 1991 and been a deputy majority leader since 2011. He was a member of the Legislative Audit Commission for 18 years before resigning from the panel this summer to submit his application for auditor.

He was praised by members of both parties Tuesday for his intelligence, integrity and perseverance, as well as his understanding of Illinois government.

"He will serve us as the auditor general in the same way he served us in the General Assembly," said Rep. Jay Hoffman D-Bellefonte. "He will serve us with honor, with integrity. He will be a man that we will be able to respect in that position — the same as we've respected (outgoing auditor general) Bill Holland."



Photo provided

Spring Valley Democrat State Rep. Frank Mautino will be Illinois' next auditor general.

Sen. Sue Rezin, R-Morris, whose district includes the representative's, said while she and Mautino have the philosophical differences one might expect, party lines have never kept Mautino from working with her on legislation to benefit the Illinois Valley.

"Frankie, as everyone so affectionately calls him, works very hard to make everything work for our district," she said.

Rep. John Bradley, D-Marion, said while Mautino's qualifications as a professional and legislator are "without question, his qualifications as a human being are without equal."

Mautino, 53, is a 1985 graduate of Illinois State University,

where he majored in marketing. He and his wife, Lena, have three children. His late father, state Rep. Richard "Dick" Mautino, served in the House from 1975 until his death in 1991.

After the vote, Mautino thanked his colleagues for their support and confidence.

"This chamber is full of amazing people, and I've been blessed these last 25 years to serve with you," he said.

Holland, the current auditor general, announced in June that he would retire at the end of the calendar year. Then a staff member for Senate Democrats, Holland took office in 1992 and built a reputation for integrity in a state known for partisan, rough and sometimes corrupt politics.

The auditor general is the Illinois constitutional officer charged with reviewing state agencies financial records, their performance and their compliance with state and federal laws. The office issues about 150 reports per year.

The remainder of Mautino's current, two-year term will be filled by weighted vote of the Democratic county chairman in the 76th District, which includes all or parts of Bureau, LaSalle, Livingston and Putnam counties.

Mautino was appointed to serve a ten-year term. The job pays about \$152,000.



# ON THE RECORD

## OBITUARIES

### Delbert C. Kloepping

ORANGEVILLE — Delbert C. Kloepping age 94, passed away on Thursday, October 22, 2015 at the Monroe Clinic Hospital. He was born on October 7, 1921 to Fred and Florence (Stuckey) Kloepping in the Twin Grove area in Green County, WI. He married Wilma Mains on February 17, 1946 in Afolkey, IL. Delbert served his country in the U.S. Army as a Staff Sergeant from 1943-1945 in the 35th Infantry in the South Pacific Theater. He was a Purple Heart recipient. He farmed for 15 years on the family farm. He was employed by Micro Switch for 25 years as a punch press operator and retired in 1986. He also owned and operated the Delbert Kloepping Trucking Company.

Delbert was a member of the VFW Post 998 in Freeport. He was an avid hunter, enjoyed trap shooting and golfing at Brush Creek Golf Course.

He is survived by his wife, Wilma of Monroe, children: Rev. Michael (Pamela) Kloepping of Lebanon, IL, Vicki (Shan) Mac Adam of Freeport, IL, Pamela Rupnow of Monroe, WI, Kathy Seffrood of Monroe, WI, Dennis (Barbara) Kloepping of Marshall, WI; fourteen grandchildren, four step-grandchildren, nineteen great grandchildren, four step-great grandchildren, one sister, Helen Wilson of Dakota, IL.

Delbert is preceded in death by his parents, son David Kloepping, son-in-law Gerald Seffrood, two brothers, Clifford and Gilbert Kloepping, two sisters, Lucille Arnsmeier and Vera Notter and one great granddaughter, Shelby Patzwitz.

Funeral services were held on Monday, October 26 at the Cramer-Leamon Funeral Home in Orangeville.

Burial was in Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens in Freeport, IL.

A memorial has been established in his name.

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



### Eugene E. "Poppy" Wiest

APPLE RIVER — Eugene E. "Poppy" Wiest, 81, of Apple River, IL, and formerly of Cassville, WI, passed away on Friday, October 23, 2015, at Mercy Medical Center, Dubuque, IA.

Funeral Services will be at 10:30 a.m., on Wednesday, October 28, at Holy Trinity Catholic Church, in Scales Mound, IL.

Visitation will be from 4 to 7 p.m., on Tuesday, October 27, at the Miller & Steinke Funeral Home, Scales Mound, and from 9:30 to 10:15 a.m., on Wednesday, at the Church.

Complete arrangements are pending and will be announced by the Miller & Steinke Funeral Home, Scales Mound.

Online condolences may be left for the family at [www.millerfhed.com](http://www.millerfhed.com)

### Howard Wilkinson

STOCKTON — Howard Wilkinson, age 69 of Stockton, IL, passed away Thursday, October 22, 2015 at St. Anthony Hospital in Rockford, IL. He was born August 18, 1946 to Glen and Virginia (Scott) Wilkinson in Savanna, IL. Howard served in the United States Air Force and was stationed in Vietnam. He married Janice Pierce August 15, 1970. Howard farmed west of Stockton for 5 years



then went to work at Kelly Springfield Tires until his retirement.

Howard loved the outdoors—hunting, fishing, golfing and camping at Timberlake Resort with his wife. He was an active member of the American Legion where he served as commander for a number of years. He was instrumental in bringing the Legion back to Stockton. He was also a member of the 554 Plum River Lodge Free Masons. Howard was a lifetime Bears and White Sox fan. He also loved watching the Stockton Blackhaws.

Surviving Howard are his wife, Janice of Stockton, IL; sister, Patti (Allen) Dean of Wyoming, IL; son, Scott Wilkinson of Mt. Carroll; daughters, Christie (Nick) Deyo of Monroe, WI, Jody (Ben) Newman of Stockton, IL, and Jenny (James) Homan of Shannon, IL; his nephew Randy Storey of West Jersey, IL, who was like a son to him; 11 grandchildren and a great granddaughter. Howard was preceded in death by his parents and a granddaughter Alexandria.

A visitation was held Sunday, October 25 at the Hermann Funeral Home in Stockton with a Masonic Service. The funeral service was Monday October 26 also at the funeral home. Interment took place at Ladies Union Cemetery in Stockton. A memorial fund has been established. Condolences may be shared with his family at [www.herrmannfuneralhome.com](http://www.herrmannfuneralhome.com).

### Mabel M. Boelk

WARREN — Mabel M. Boelk, 93, of Warren, IL passed away at her home on Monday, October 19, 2015. She was born on May 11, 1922 in Kent, IL. She was the daughter of Edwin and Elizabeth (Fehr) Manthei. Mabel and her husband Harold were married in Lena, Illinois on June 8, 1941. They farmed in the Pearl City area for several years prior to moving to the Warren area in 1958. Mabel was a member of St. Ann Catholic Church and the Altar & Rosary Society in Warren. She enjoyed cooking, especially in the cafeteria at the school, dancing, gardening and enjoyed her flowers and being with her family; especially her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Mabel is survived by her children, Shirley (Marty) Brubaker and Linda Graves of Freeport, IL, Janice (Steven) Townsend of Indianapolis, IN, Kathy McAuliff (Tony Calabrese) of Port Washington, WI, and Larry Boelk of Warren, IL; 11 grandchildren,

Christine Lee, Valerie (Pete) Farnsworth, Deborah Van De Mark, Dana (David) Dinderman, Michael Graves, Kellard (Sarah) Townsend, Stephanie (Barney) Ricca, Kenji (Amber) Townsend, Brandon (Heidi) Homb, Eric Homb, Erin (Mike) Janssen, 19 great grandchildren, and 1 great-great grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Harold, brothers Kenneth and Melvin, and three brothers in infancy.

Services were held Saturday, October 24 at St. Ann Catholic Church in Warren, IL.

A visitation was held on Saturday, October 24 at St. Ann Catholic Church in Warren.

Rev. Andrew Skrobitt will officiate the services.

Burial will be at St. Ann Catholic Cemetery in Warren, IL.

A memorial has been established in her memory.

Friends may send condolences to the family at [www.leamonfh.com](http://www.leamonfh.com).

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# • PREVENTION

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a truck driver, or a man to be a nurse?" While asking each question the students were told to go to one side of the room if they agreed and the other side of the room if they disagreed.

Many people, including

Walters and Rijpma, agree that all students are subject to bullying, and that there has been an increase on bullying in the past few years. Finally, the two agree that bullying is being done more now through social media, rather than actu-

ally in schools. This is why Dr. David Gilliland, Stockton High School's part time principal and superintendent, said that if someone is being bullied it is imperative that they tell an adult. "If we don't know we can't do anything

The increase in children and teens being bullied has caused students to focus less on their education. The presentation shown to grades five through eight showed students the importance of their education. It also focused on healthy relationships.

The school's slogan is, "Say 'No!' and 'Go!'" meaning that if someone is being bullied they should say, "No!" and if it continues they should, "Go!" tell someone right away. "They should talk to any adult, a teacher, a coach, or even the bus driver." Dr. Gilliland said. He also said that the high school focuses on teaching the students positive behavior, as well as avoiding sexual assault and the use of date rape drugs, which are only a few aspects of bullying. He said that the high school plans to work with The NED Show, and Jordan Rijpma, as they have in the past, to give bully presentations to those grades, 9-12.

The assembly given to grades K-8 taught that through respectful relationships a student can focus more on their academic achievement. The school plans to continue their outreach to students by helping them develop common respect for themselves and others, and to teach them about character development.

Walters said that to continue bully prevention throughout the year grades K-8 have added a program called the "Second Step" character education program.

"This program will provide students with lessons on bully prevention, empathy development, self-esteem, and positive communication skills."

Walters said. "Developing a culture of respectful relationships is a key to our students' social-emotional health and a great deal of research has linked improved social-emotional learning and improved academic achievement, which is the main reason why Stockton Schools have introduced their students to National Bully Prevention Month."

Stockton schools plan to continue celebrating throughout the month of October, and throughout the rest of the school year.

Rijpma said he has or plans to do this presentation to each school in Jo Daviess County, including River Ridge, Warren, E. Dubuque, Scales Mound, and Galena.

To get involved in this movement or to get a school involved in National Bully Prevention Month visit [www.thenedshow.com](http://www.thenedshow.com) or [www.pacer.org](http://www.pacer.org).

## Affordable Health Screenings coming

STOCKTON — 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 11/23/2015. The site is located at 315 W. Maple Avenue in Stockton.

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## St. John's Lutheran Church annual bazaar and beef and noodle dinner to be held

LENA — St. John's Lutheran church will hold their annual bazaar and beef and noodle dinner on Tuesday, November 3 (Election Day) at St. John's Lutheran Church, 625 Country Lane Drive, Lena. The bazaar opens at 8:30 a.m. Coffee and rolls will be served from 8:30 a.m. until the bazaar is over

(free will offering). Dinner serving begins at 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. The menu includes beef and noodles, mashed potatoes and gravy, vegetable, Jell-o salads, relishes, dinner rolls, pie or angel food cake and coffee or milk. The cost is adults \$9, children 6-12: \$4 and 5 and under free (dine-in

only) Carry outs are available until 1 p.m. by calling 815-369-4035. Please call ahead for six or more dinners. Local delivery only. There will be a drawing \$1 per ticket/donation First Prize is a Sampler Quilt - twin size. Second prize is an embroidered baby quilt. The drawing will be held at the bazaar. St. John's bazaar offers: homemade noodles (limited supply) baked goods homemade candy Thanksgiving and Christmas items crafts and all types of handmade items. Flu shots will be given from 9 a.m.-12 noon by FHN. Free blood pressure screening from 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. provided by St. John's Parish health nurses. St. John's is a handicapped accessible facility.

## BIRTHS

### Myles Miller

WARREN — Aaron and Steva Miller of Warren, Ill. are the parents of a son Myles Elston Miller born Tuesday October 20, 2015 at FHN Memorial Hospital, Freeport, Ill. Myles has two brothers Hayden, 11 and Gavin, 3. Grandparents are Roger and Laurie Ackerson of Warren and John and Joan Miler of Gratiot, Wis. Great grandparents are Mary Miller of Warren and Ruth Winter of Darlington, Wis.

### Emmett Staver

STOCKTON — Katelin Staver is the mother of a son Emmett Steven Staver born Saturday October 17, 2015 at FHN Memorial Hospital, Freeport, Ill. Emmett has two sisters Kyla, 8 and Karah, 4. Grandparents are Steve and Sonya Rice of Stockton, Ill. Great grandparents are Jerry Dittmar, Nancy Rice, Joe and Carol Ann Staver and Richard Bergman all of Stockton and Gary and Linda Bawden of Darlington, Wis.

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# Rauner and AG Lisa Madigan lawyers duel in letters

By Mark Fitton  
Illinois News Network

SPRINGFIELD — Top lawyers for Illinois' Republican governor and Democratic attorney general are in a dustup over the governor's office filing a "friend of the court" brief with the U.S. Supreme Court.

Attorney General Lisa Madigan's solicitor general says Gov. Bruce Rauner's staff lawyers stepped out of line when they filed an amicus curiae brief in a case now before the court, *Friedrichs v. California Teachers Association*.

Rauner's lawyers say Madigan's office is wrong on several fronts.

The *Friedrichs* case is of nationwide interest to unions and right-to-work advocates, among others.

Rebecca Friedrichs and nine other California teachers who are not union members object to paying what are known as "agency fees" or "fair-share" dues.

They argue that being forced to pay dues, even those said to be directed only toward bargaining and contract administration, is a violation of their First Amendment rights of free speech and free association.

The high court announced in June it would hear the case this term, which began earlier this month. A decision is not expected until summer 2016.

On Sept. 25, Illinois Solicitor General Carolyn Shapiro wrote to Scott Harris, clerk of the court, to inform him of an "unauthorized" filing of an amicus curiae or "friend of the court" brief on behalf of Rauner in support of Friedrichs' position.

The governor's attorneys, Jason Barclay and Dennis Murashko, lack the authority to file such a brief, Shapiro argued.

Those attorneys "have no authority to file or order the filing of any brief in this court on behalf of the governor, in his official capacity, because neither the governor nor his attorneys have the authority, as a matter of state law, to represent the state or its officials in any court or to determine the state's litigation positions," Shapiro wrote.

"The Illinois Constitution provides: 'The attorney general shall

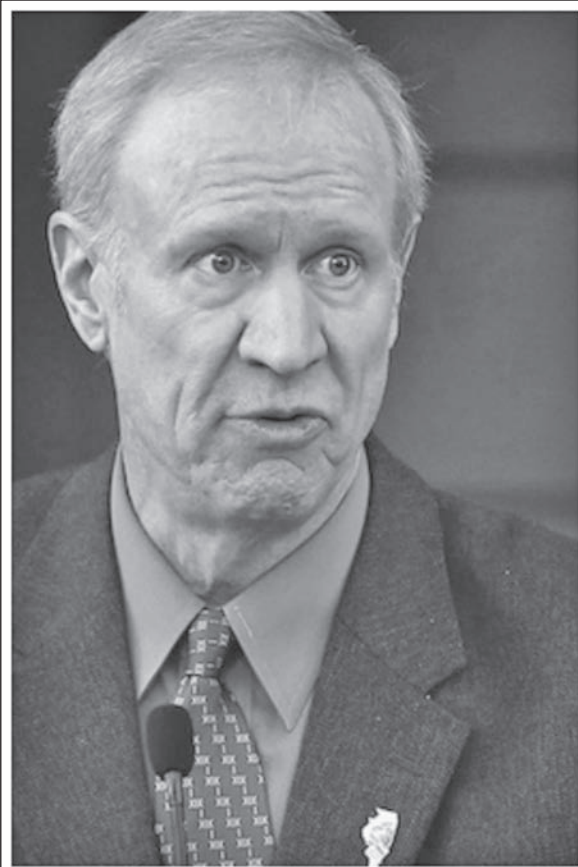


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**Rauner lawyers Attorney General Madigan square off over the governor's office filing a "friend of the court" brief with the U.S. Supreme Court**

be the legal officer of the state," Shapiro wrote.

She cited the Illinois Attorney General Act which states, among other things, the attorney general has the power to "appear for and represent the people of the state before the Supreme Court in all cases in which the state or the people of the state are interested."

She said the Illinois Supreme Court has, for at least a century, delegated the state's legal representation to the attorney general.

For example, she cited the case of *Fergus v. Russel*, in which the Illinois Supreme Court held the attorney general "is the sole official adviser of the executive officers ... and it is his duty to conduct the law business of the state, both in and out of the courts."

She also cited the case of *Scachitti v. UBS Financial services*, in which the court said, "the attorney general is the chief legal officer of the state and its only representative in the courts."

Shapiro contends "Mr. Barclay and Mr. Murashko are well aware

that they do not have authority to file or authorize the filing of court documents on behalf of the governor in his official capacity absent appointment by the attorney general as special assistant attorneys general."

Barclay and Murashko wrote their own Oct. 1 letter to the clerk of the court and argued the solicitor general is off the mark.

The governor's lawyers say Illinois is not and never has been a party to the *Friedrichs* case and the governor's office isn't trying to change that, but only filing an amicus or "friend" brief — which they argue Rauner has every right to do.

And they say the governor clearly and within court rules filed only in his individual capacity and alongside several individual employees of the Kaneland, Illinois, Unified School District No. 302.

"The governor never represented that he filed the brief on behalf of the state of Illinois, the attorney general of Illinois, or any other elected official in Illinois," the governor's attorneys wrote.

identical, to matters at issue in the *Friedrichs* case.

When the attorney general is in conflict with another state executive official, such as the governor, the courts have held "attorney general must yield to the other official's choice of counsel," Barclay and Murashko wrote, citing the case of *Suburban Cook County Regional Office of Education v. Cook County Board*.

The governor's lawyers conclude the "attorney general is, of course, free to file her own amicus brief in support of respondents in *Friedrichs*. She may yet do so. She may do so on behalf of her own office or on behalf of the state. But the attorney general cannot infringe on the governor's ability to speak to this court, especially when... the governor and the attorney general are adversaries in active litigation on the same issue in Illinois."

To date, nothing has become of the disagreement.

Supreme Court spokeswoman Kathleen Arberg said the letters are part of the case file and docket notes distributed to the justices. Should the court have any response, it will be noted on the docket, she said in an email.

Neither Rauner's nor Madigan's press secretaries had any comment Friday.

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# Try a regimen of nutrition and detoxification to restore the body to normal equilibrium

Information compiled by Mike Wampfler D.C.

STATELINE — Even if you are a fairly healthy adult, normal weight that rarely gets sick, because of our lifestyle a detox program is a must at some point.

In today's world more than 60,000 chemicals have some degree of access to the food, air, and water of every country. Most of us have been vaccinat-

ed and have dental amalgams. We have seen the bio-accumulation of mercury described in the vaccine text and in the Dentistry chapters.

Most of us have taken in significant amounts of processed foods during our lifetime, much of which remains locked in our tract and in our cells because it is un-metabolizable.

By themselves, these accumulated poisons can-

not escape the tissues in which they are trapped. Most people die with an enormous toxic load locked within their tissues. The majority of health conditions today are chronic and degenerative.

Modern medicine has a very poor track record curing them, proven by the fact that they are so epidemic, and that their incidence is skyrocketing.

Among them:

- Allergies
- Asthma
- Debilitating disease
- Diabetes
- Cancer
- Arthritis
- Heart/lung disease
- Overweight
- Vaccine injuries
- Chronic fatigue
- Myofascitis
- Digestive disorders

Obviously those with these conditions would benefit from a whole body cellular detoxification.

We often hear that it's all from genetics, and we try to blame our parents and go on eating the garbage thinking it has no effect. The truth is genetics are compared to a cookbook = that is passed down from one generation to the next. While it is much easier to concoct some type of meal with a recipe it is also critical that we have the proper ingredients, as well as timing and the desire to put it all together.

These chronic diseases are very similar; they require ingredients and timing to make them allowable. For example only 40% of those with cancer genetics will ever develop cancer, the question is what do the 60% do different since they have the same genetics (cookbook). In addition, any healthy individual who is interested in optimum health or longevity would also improve by doing a periodic detox program. At least every 40 years, right? Athletes focused on peak

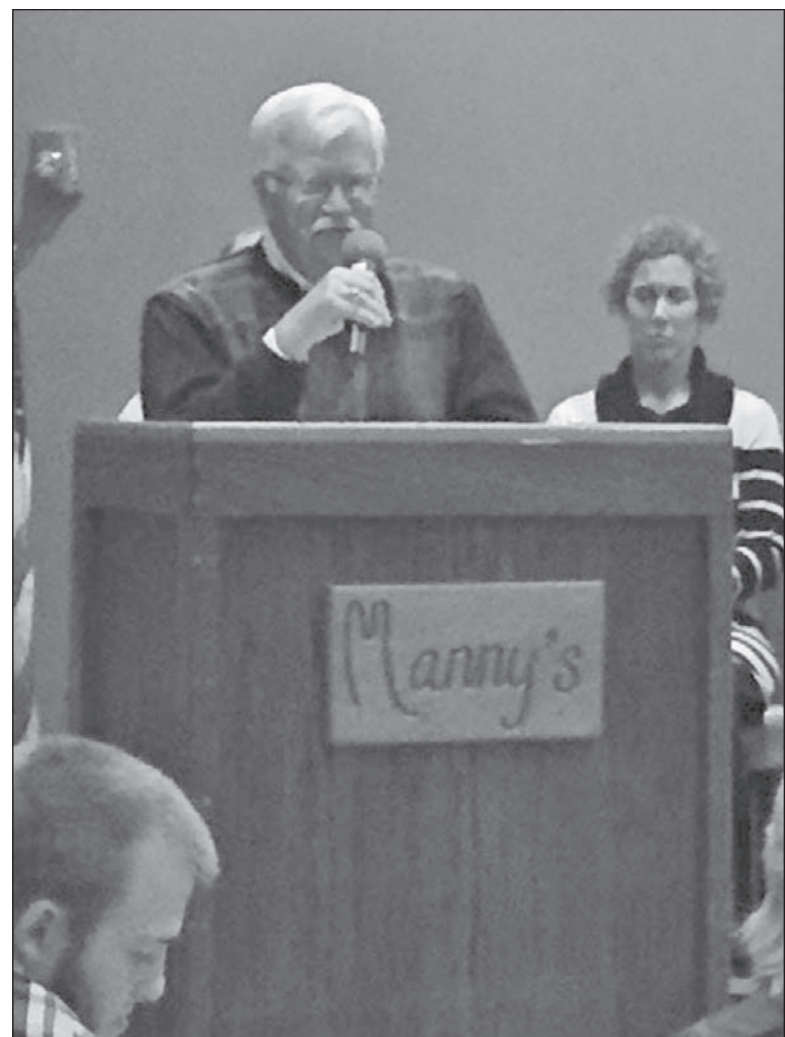


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## Dammann inducted to hall of fame

On Saturday, October 17, Dr. Gordon Dammann was inducted into the Northwestern Illinois Sports Hall of Fame. Dr. Dammann has been a long time resident of Lena, IL where he has spent much of his time serving the Lena-Winslow school system. He coached Jr. Tackle for 12 years, sponsored a Varsity Golf tournament, and served as a commentator on LWTV at football games for many years. Other interests of Dammann's include: 18 years Illinois High School Association Football Official and NCAA Football Official- CCIW Conference for 10 years.

## Stockton High School service groups to trick-or-treat for Lions Club, Food Pantry and Safe Haven

STOCKTON — Once again, the Stockton High School chapter of the Highland Community College Servant Leadership team will join forces with SHS National Honor Society students to help several organizations in and around the Stockton community.

We are seeking non-perishables and soap items to benefit the Stockton Community Food Pantry, dog and cat food and supplies for Safe Haven Animal Shelter, and used eyeglasses for the Stockton Lions Club.

Members of the Servant Leadership and National Honor Society groups will be out trick-or-treating during the regular hours (5 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.) on Saturday, October 31.

Those who will not be home on Halloween, yet wishing to make a donation may use the drop box in the Stockton High School office during school hours.

### Northwestern Illinois Community Action Agency 2016 LIHEAP/Weatherization Program

Northwestern Illinois Community Action Agency has grant funding from the Department of Commerce & Economic Opportunity (DCEO) to assist the residents of Jo Daviess and Stephenson Counties with home heating utility costs through the LIHEAP and Weatherization Programs.

Beginning Thursday, October 1, 2015, income eligible seniors (age 60 and older) and people receiving social security disability benefits may call to schedule an appointment to apply for assistance.

On Monday, November 2, 2015, income eligible households who are disconnected or have a disconnect notice from their gas or electric utility and families with children age 5 and under may also call to schedule an appointment to apply.

**NEW!!! Disconnected households may be required to make a payment on their utility before LIHEAP benefits can be approved.**

Starting Tuesday, December 1, 2015, all income eligible households may call to schedule an appointment to apply.

Eligible households may call 800-883-1111 or 815-232-3141 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. to schedule an appointment to apply for assistance at one of the following locations.

NCAA Main Office- Freeport  
Stockton Banking Center  
Warren Township Library  
Hanover Village Hall

Citizens State Bank of Lena  
East Dubuque Library  
Illinois Bank & Trust - Downtown  
Galena

**Income Guidelines** To qualify, a household must have income at or below the levels shown on the chart for 30 days prior to the application date.

#### Income Guidelines

# of People Living in Household	Gross Income for 30 Days Including Application Date
1	\$1,471.00
2	\$1,991.00
3	\$2,511.00
4	\$3,031.00

• For each additional member add \$520.00

**\*\* You must bring the following documentation with you to your appointment. If you are missing these documents, your appointment may be rescheduled.\*\***

- Social Security Cards for all members of the household
- Proof of all gross income for all household members for 30 days including the application date including pay check stubs, SSA/SSI/SSD current benefit letters, pension/retirement statements, child support, unemployment reports, TANF/AABD/Township GA assistance notices, self employment reports, and proof of zero income.
- Current heat and electric bills issued.
- Medical Card from Illinois Department of Human Services
- A signed copy of current lease for renters

### PY 16 Emergency Furnace Program/ Weatherization

An Emergency Furnace Assistance Program is available for LIHEAP households who are **homeowners** and whose **existing** heating systems are not functioning or have been red-tagged by their utility.

The purpose of the LIHEAP Furnace program is to restore heat to the household and is available from October 1 through March 31 or until funds have been exhausted.

The Weatherization program is available to homeowners to provide measures to save energy for heating and cooling.

To qualify for this assistance from these programs, the household must first apply for and be approved for LIHEAP assistance.

The household must have active service with both primary and secondary heating utilities. Households with disconnected utilities are not eligible for this assistance.

In addition to LIHEAP documents, the following documentation to show proof of home ownership is required:

- Copy of real estate tax bill Or
- Copy of warranty deed Or

• If a mobile home, must have a copy of the mobile home title.

Please call 815-232-3141 or 800-883-1111 to make an appointment for assistance.

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# CHURCH NOTES

## St. John's schedules November activities including spaghetti luncheon and vendor fair

PEARL CITY — The November 1, Worship Service will feature All Saints' Day and will be led by Pastor Ekstrand. Following worship, the Prayer Shawl Ministry will meet. Whirl Sunday School and Confirmation will meet at 10:15 a.m. You are encouraged to bring your last items for the Harvest Home collection on Sunday, November 1. All

items will be presented that day for a blessing.

The Youth Ministries of St. John's will be hosting a Craft and Vendor Fair on Sunday, November 1 in conjunction with their annual Spaghetti Luncheon. Vendors include J&T Creations, Norwex, Avon, MaryKay, Jamberry Nails, Greeting Cards by Judy Nelson, Carol's Collectibles, Thir-

ty-one, Suzanne's Doll Fashions, April's Angels and More, Bud n' Belle, Tastefully Simple, Pampered Chef, Scentsy, Parkview Home and the Bake Sale. Please contact the church office if you are interested in participating in the Vendor Fair by calling 815-443-2215 or email prshadmin@gmail.com.

The Women's Gathering will host a Bake Sale during the

Vendor Fair at St. John's from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. on Sunday, November 1. The women of St. John's are asked to bake and contribute items for the sale.

The SPLAT Youth group will have their Annual Spaghetti Lunch on November 1 from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in Luther Hall. Tickets are \$5 at the door. The menu includes, Spaghetti, green beans, French bread, tossed salad, dessert and beverage.

St. John's will host a Flu Shot Clinic (FHN) on Sunday, November 1 from 10 a.m. until Noon. The cost of the flu shot will be \$52 for the High Dose (for ages 65 & older) and \$40 for the Quadrivalent (under age 65). The cost is waived if a Medicare card indicating

Part B coverage is presented. No insurance plan claims can be processed other than Medicare Part B or Medicare Replacement Plan. Check or cash accepted for out of pocket costs.

Members and non-members alike are welcome to participate in two different Bible Studies at St. John's. The Monday evening bible study is at 7 p.m. and will begin a new series on November 2 titled the "The Psalms." Join us on Monday evenings as we come to understand more vividly the cries and celebrations expressed through the Psalms, and how they intimately relate to our lives even today. The

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### Willow/Kent United Methodist Churches

WILLOW/KENT — Willow/Kent UMC will worship together Sunday; Nov 1 at Willow UMC at 9 a.m. Pastor Brenda Morris will be giving the message and all are invited and welcome. Also to stay for the fellowship following.

Sunday School is at 10:30 a.m. using the lessons in the devotional "The Upper Room" using the Holy Bible for all references and makes for interesting discussions.

All are invited and welcome to this time too.

Willow UMC is located about 7 miles SE of Stockton, IL on Willow Rd. For more info, please call 815-601-6742

### Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

LENA — Good Shepherd Lutheran Church will gather for worship on November 1, at 118 E. Mason St. Lena, IL, at 9:30 a.m. All are invited to worship on this All Saints Sunday with Holy Communion. Pastor Miranda Klosterboer will share the children's message and sermon and lead worship along with Karen Niemeier who will lead on the organ. Following worship, there will be a time of fellowship. All Sunday School children will gather for Sunday School Opening at 10:45 a.m. followed by learning, Bible study, prayer, and fellowship. Sunday morning Bible Study for youth and adults will meet in the fellowship hall at 11 a.m.

On Tuesday November 3 The Faith Circle will meet at 1 p.m. for Bible Study at the Lena Living Center. On Thursday November 5 the Hannah Circle will meet at 9 a.m. at Good Shepherd in the Fellowship Hall.

On Wednesday November 4 at 8 a.m. the Piece Corps Quilters will work together to craft quilts for Lutheran World Relief. They are always looking for more people to help tie quilts and sew. No previous quilting experience is necessary. Come join the fun and make a difference in the world.

The After School Program for fourth through eighth graders will meet at the Hangout downtown on Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 p.m. Each day there is worship with music and a Christian message; pizza; homework help; and lots of time for all sorts of games, challenges and play. At 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday Confirmation students in seventh and eighth grades will meet for learning, fun, prayer, and fellowship.

A Mystery Dinner will be held Saturday November 7 at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church. It will be a fun-filled evening of deciphering clues as to what is on the Mystery Supper Menu this year. The supper will be a three course meal with appetizer, main dish, and dessert. The fun will start at 6 p.m. in the fellowship hall at Good Shepherd with the selection of your meal for the evening. Come and enjoy the adventure and fun. Sign up or call the church at 815-369-5552 by November 1 so that supplies may be purchased. A good will donation will be taken to cover the cost of the meal and to help with the food. Everyone is welcome to come and join in the fun and laughs as we enjoy a good meal.

### Ebenezer-Salem to host pancake supper

PEARL CITY — The Ebenezer-Salem United Church of Christ will have a pancake supper on Saturday, November 7 at the Pearl City Legion from 4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. The cost will be \$7.50 for adults, \$4.50 for children ages 4 to 10, and children under 4 eat for free. Carry outs will be available.

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## St Paul's in Kent to observe All Saints Sunday

KENT — On Sunday, November 1, St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Kent will observe All Saints Sunday at the 10 a.m. family worship service. This will be a time to remember, honor, and give thanks for those loved ones who have died in the past year, as they have joined other saints in Christ's Holy Church Triumphant. We will feel their presence with us this day as we sing the praises of the God who brings life out of death.

All are welcome to worship with us. The sermon will be based on Matthew 5: 1-12, commonly called "The Beatitudes." The congregation will sing David Haas' hymn "Blest are They." Holy Communion will be celebrated, and all are welcome at the Lord's Table. We welcome visitors anytime at the little church with the big heart. We are in the suburbs of Kent, on Sunnyside Road. For more information, call Pastor Andres at (815) 232-4010.

### Chili Supper

**Saturday,**  
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# Skate Station to host costume contest at annual harvest party

LENA — Skate Station will host a Costume Contest and Harvest Party on Friday, October 30, with registration and carnival games beginning at 5:30 p.m.

The costume judging and a candy scramble will follow at 6 for each of the four age groups, infant through adult.

Every participant will receive a goodie bag, co-sponsored by Huron Farm Market, Eleroy.

Those contestants wishing to stay for the 7-10 p.m. skating session will receive free

admission (normally \$4). Skate rental is \$1 for quads or \$3 for inlines.

A lock-in for students fifth grade and older will be held at Skate Station on Halloween night, starting at 10 p.m. Daylight Savings Time. Clocks will be turned back one hour during the night, so pick-up time will be 6:00 a.m., Central Standard Time.

There will be a different skating game or activity every half hour to keep everyone entertained for the night. Cos-

tumes are not required. No food or drink may be brought in (including candy).

Tickets are \$18 in advance, or \$20 at the door, including any kind of skate rental, unlimited pizza 1-2 a.m., and breakfast. Tickets are available at Skate Station during open skate sessions.

Skate Station is located on U.S. Hwy. 20, halfway between Freeport and Lena. For more information, check their website at [www.skatestation.com](http://www.skatestation.com) or call 815-232-7344.

## Dakota faces Forreton in Class 1A opener

By Chris Johnson  
Reporter

DAKOTA — The Forreton Cardinals had to work hard, late, to defeat the Pecatonica Indians on Friday night, Oct. 23, as they closed the 2015 regular season with a 36-6 win and a 7-2 record, good enough for a tie for second place in the NUIC Northwest.

Second was the best the Cardinals could have hoped for this season, after suffering earlier losses to fellow conference powerhouses Dakota and Lena-Winslow.

On Friday, Sept. 11, the Dakota Indians defeated the Forreton Cardinals 34-0, during the regular portion of the NUIC schedule.

On Friday, Oct. 9, the Cardinals picked up their second

loss of the year, 40-20, to Lena-Winslow.

The Cardinals have won five of their last six games heading into this Friday night's game in Dakota, as they start on their attempt to return to Champaign in the Class 1A Football Play-offs.

Earlier in the year Forreton struggled against Dakota.

It was the worst offensive performance of the season. Forreton was shut out.

In order for the Cardinals to get a chance to redeem themselves for their second loss of the season, against Lena-Winslow, they will have to work past this weekend's game in Dakota and win a couple more.

### NUIC results

First-round 1A matchups involving NUIC teams are: Elgin Westminster Christian (6-3) at Polo, Warren Co-op (6-3) at Chicago Hope Academy (8-1), Stockton (7-2) at Galena (7-2) and Princeville (5-4) at Le-Win.

Forreton could have to face two Conference foes, if fortune dictates, as Polo and Warren also begin their march towards State and could find a path leading towards the 2014 State Champs.

Dakota ended the season with a 7-2 record, wrapping up with a 28-13 loss to the Galena Pirates.

Galena moved to 7-2 and ended the regular season tied for second place in the NUIC Northwest.

### Area high school football scores for week ending Oct. 24

Lena-Winslow 47 West Carroll 28  
Eastland/PearlCity 43 East Dubuque 18  
Stockton 54 AFC 6  
River Ridge 7 Durand 46  
Warren 20 Milledgeville 15

## NIUC RESULTS

### 2015 Northwest Upstate Illini Conference golf all-conference selections

#### Unanimous First Team

Bryan Edler-Forreton,  
Kane Hyde - Galena  
Zach Lacher - Stockton  
Anthony Mendoza - West Carroll

Michael Motsch - E Dubuque  
Alex Staver. Stockton

#### First Team

Erik Durand - Pecatonica  
Cameron Ehlers - W Carroll  
Peyton Keeffer - Stockton  
Christopher Rademacher - Polo

#### Second Team

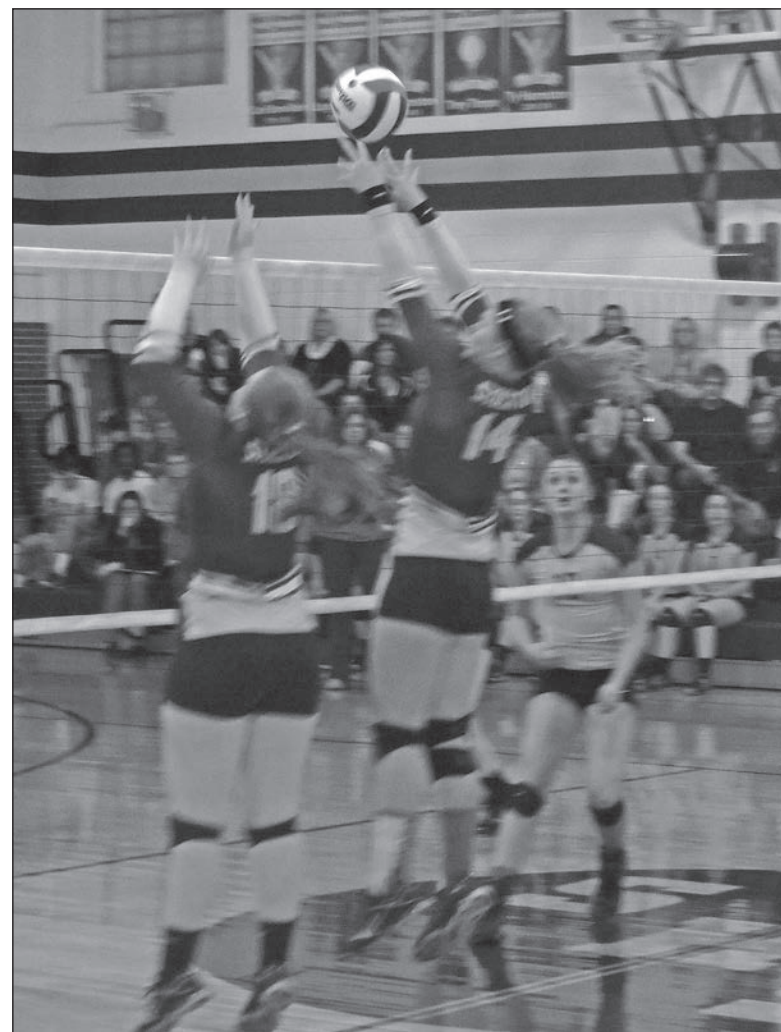
Austin Eischen - E Dubuque  
Nate Brown - RR  
Zac Cummins - Aquin  
Carneron Hottman - Pecatonica  
Sean Keckler - W. Carroll

Mack Llanas - Polo  
Conner Shoemaker - Aquin  
Curt Strauss - Eastland  
Tim Streight- River Ridge  
**Honorable Mention**  
Brix Clayton - Polo  
Evan Kruse - Galena  
Tristin Woodin - Polo

### 2015 NUIC Girls Golf All-Conference Selections

#### AU-Conference Selections

Karissa Freidag - Eastland/  
Milledgeville  
Megan Gille - Stockton  
Naeva Groenewold - Forreston  
Hayley Guilinger - West Carroll  
Bailey Heckman - Eastland/  
Milledgeville  
Kaitlin Korf - Forreston  
Grace Norton - Eastland/  
Milledgeville



Tracy Siegner photo

### Reach for the stars

The Stockton varsity volleyball team squared off against perennial rival Lena-Winslow and came away with a win in two games.

## Public Notice Stockton School District

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# *A family winery in the hills of Massbach*

Tracy Siegner photos

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(Left) Join the folks at Massbach Ridge Winery for a wine tasting in one of their tasting rooms. The staff will recommend wines for your palette and help you find your new favorite. Then, they'll leave you to relax and unwind with your new discovery.

## **Jo Daviess County Animal Control Announces Change of Address**

The Jo Daviess County Animal Control announces a change of address, effective 11/2/2015.

Beginning November 2nd, 2015, Animal Control will be operating out of the Jo Daviess County Health Department Building in Galena, IL. Dog owners can stop in and pay for licenses at the Health Department at 9483 US Hwy 20 West, Galena, IL, call the office with questions at 815-777-0263, or send in their payments to: Jo Daviess County Animal Control, PO Box 318, Galena, IL 61036.



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River Ridge FFA members Laney Koch, Jared Krug, Nick Girot, and Rhett Geisz participated in the recent Section 1 FFA Ag Sales Career Development Event.



River Ridge FFA members Jacob Speer, Keith Invergo, Brady Haring and Breno Ravelli earned first place honors by winning all six of their matches at the recent FFA Green Hand quiz bowl.

## River Ridge FFA participates in Career Development Event and Green Hand Quiz Bowl

ELIZABETH — The River Ridge FFA participated in the Section 1 FFA Ag Sales Career Development Event and the Section 1 FFA Green Hand Quiz Bowl Wednesday

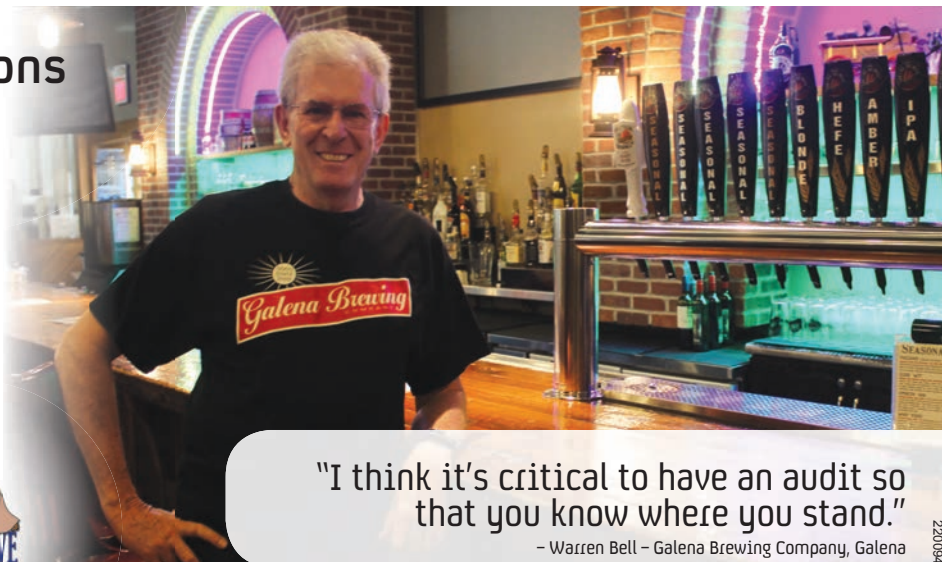
October 21 at Highland Community College.

Six FFA Chapters participated in the Ag Sales CDE. The purpose of this CDE is to evaluate skills that are essen-

tial for an individual to be successful in the agricultural sales field.

Students came up with a sales plan to market an ag product. Students made mock sales calls as well. River Ridge Team members were: Rhett Geisz, Nick Girot, Laney Koch and Jared Krug. Jared Krug placed first in the Cold Call Sales Area.

There were nine teams in the Green Hand Quiz Bowl. Students were asked different questions about FFA, including current officers, history and components of the organization. Students representing River Ridge were: Brady Haring, Keith Invergo, Breno Ravelli, and Jacob Speer. River Ridge was the first place team winning all six of their matches.



"I think it's critical to have an audit so that you know where you stand."

— Warren Bell — Galena Brewing Company, Galena



# Swift Hospitality Group donates \$50,000 to HCC Hospitality Management program

**FREEPORT** — Highland Community College and the HCC Foundation recently announced a \$50,000 donation by Swift Hospitality Group, a Freeport-based hotel development and management firm, to the Highland Community College Foundation to support the development and initial year's operation of the new Hospital-

ity Management program.

The announcement was made at a recent check-presentation event on the Highland campus.

"The hotel industry requires high standards to be successful, and high standards require education and training. It is up to us to inspire the next generation, and give them the opportunity to achieve excellence," said

David Swift chairman and CEO of Swift Hospitality Group.

"This new program at HCC will help to provide the education and training needed to supply the hospitality industry with a qualified workforce ready to meet the growing need," said Swift.

Created in partnership with Swift Hospitality Group, the new associate of applied science degree in Hospitality Management is designed to provide pathways for individuals pursuing a career in the hotel and hospitality industry. This growing field needs people who are knowledgeable in tourism, event planning, service management, and more

Hospitality Management students will gain the core skills needed to be successful in positions such as general manager, front desk manager, food and beverage manager, sales coordinator, executive housekeeping, and maintenance supervisor.

"This timely new program could not have been introduced at this time if it were not for such a generous gift," said Highland president, Tim Hood. "Partnerships like this between HCC and area businesses, industry, and neighboring organizations will continue to be among the keys to future prosperity for our region."

Jim Berberet, HCC Foundation executive director, also thanked Swift Hospitality

Group for the inspiration for the new program and for its financial support, as well as the Carlson Family Foundation and several area donors.

"The HCC Foundation will continue to seek support from hospitality businesses and individual donors for the second year of the Hospitality Management program," Berberet said.

Swift Hospitality Group is a family owned and operated business based in Freeport, Illinois. The

company develops and manages select hospitality properties across the country. Their focus is

on building and maintaining high quality properties, provid-

ing an excellent guest experience and operating efficiently. Co-founders Dave and Jan Swift have more than 40-years' experience in conceiving, building, operating and managing many business interests.


Highland Community College offers more than 60 programs of applied and transfer degrees, community education and business training. In addition to comprehensive academic programming, Highland provides theatre, art and music opportunities for the community. Located in Freeport, Highland is conveniently positioned in the tri-state region with access to several major metropolitan areas.



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## Staying strong

The Stockton varsity volleyball team started strong and never let up in last week's 2-0 win over rival Lena-Winslow



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# Blackhawks trail into post season begins in Galena

By Chris Johnson  
Reporter

STOCKTON — The Stockton Blackhawks defeated the Ashton-Franklin Center Raiders 54-6 on Friday night, Oct. 23, to close the 2015 regular season with a 7-2 mark.

The Blackhawks enter the 2015 post season on the road this Friday night, Oct. 30 in Galena.

Following a 48-8 loss to the NUIC Upstate Champion Polo Marcos in week three, the Blackhawks ran off five wins

over their next six weeks to secure their position in the post-season.

In the week six game against Warren/Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, the Blackhawks came up two points short from reversing their starting position, as the 2015 Class 1A State Tournament begins.

An 8-1 mark could have still given Stockton the Galena Pirates in the opening round, however, the Blackhawks would have played host.

Stockton will have to con-

tend with the NUIC Northwest runner-up and the force they bring with them onto the field, when they play at Galena on Friday.

Offensively, the Blackhawks have been a force to reckon with, scoring just shy of 40 points a game. Galena, however, has allowed less than 15 points a game.

If the Blackhawks are to advance, they will have to attempt to keep pace with the Galena offense, which has scored 316 points this season, the third most in the NUIC Northwest, a conference that includes Lena-Winslow, Forreston and Dakota, the three most recent Class 1A State Champions.

A win by Stockton over Galena, will mean the Blackhawks would host in the round two game against either the North Region number-two seed Ottawa Marquette Crusaders or the number-16 seed Alden-Hebron Giants.

## Trick Or Treat Hours for the Village of Stockton are Saturday, October 31, 2015 from 5:00 - 7:30 p.m.



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Barbara Kellar

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## Area artist captures special moment

On Easter Sunday, Pastor Mike Nesbit was distributing the wine during Communion when a little girl, Addison Duis, came up to him and gave him a big hug around his knees. This simple act inspired Barb Kellar, a local artist, to preserve the moment by creating a painting of it, so others could remember it also.

After it was completed, Pastor presented the painting to the congregation and dedicated it and blessed it. He spoke of Addison as being shy and his surprise when she hugged him. When Barb created the painting, she had no idea of the story behind it, and this made the painting even more special.

The painting is entitled "Our Good Shepherd" and is on display at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Elizabeth, IL.

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# FROM LENA'S KITCHEN



*The not so skinny cook*

LENA — As I sit here and write this column, it is a dreary and windy day. I guess we will have a few of those. The temperature is falling, so it will be a good time to make some soup. The recipes this week feature fall flavors. The pumpkins and the apples are getting a little makeover. Enjoy trying these new ways to eat the fall fruits and vegetables.

This salad uses my favorite greens combination. I love the different kinds of lettuce found in the spring mix greens. I really like the arugula lettuce because it gives a little peppery bite to the salad. I also like the nuts, apples, and cranberry combination. The dressing has just the right mixing of the vinegar, mustard, and poppy seed. I hope you will try this new salad. Note: I used Honey Crisp apples.

## **Apple Cranberry Cashew Salad**

2 pkg. (5 oz. each) of spring mix salad greens  
2 large apples, coarsely chopped  
1 can (9¼ oz.) salted cashews  
1 pkg. (5 oz.) dried cranberries  
½ C. shredded Parmesan cheese  
Dressing  
2/3 C. sugar  
½ C. canola oil  
1/3 C. cider vinegar  
1 t. ground mustard,  
1 t. poppy seeds  
1 t. salt

Combine the greens, apples, cashews, cranberries and parmesan in a large bowl. In a separate bowl, whisk together the dressing ingredients. Drizzle the dressing over the salad and toss.

Fall is good soup weather. I love to make different kinds of soup. Serve the salad recipe from earlier in the column and some great crusty bread, and this soup is delicious on a chilly fall evening. I like the combination of lentils and barley. If you want, you could leave out the chicken and just have a meatless soup.

## **Lentil Barley Soup**

1 medium onion, chopped  
½ C. chopped green pepper  
3 garlic cloves, minced  
1 T. butter  
4 cans (14.5 oz. each) chicken broth  
3 medium carrots, chopped  
½ C. dried lentils  
1 ½ t. Italian seasoning  
1 t. salt  
¼ t. pepper  
1 C. cubed cooked chicken  
½ C. quick-cooking barley  
2 medium mushrooms, chopped  
1 can (28 oz.) crushed tomatoes, undrained.

In a Dutch oven or large pot, sauté the onion, green pepper, and garlic in butter until tender. Add broth, carrots, lentils, Italian seasoning, salt and pepper and bring to a boil.

Reduce the heat, cover and simmer for 25 minutes. Add the chicken, barley and mushrooms and return to a boil. Reduce the heat and cover and simmer for 10-15 minutes or until the lentils, barley and carrots are tender. Add the tomatoes and heat through.

I really like linguine pasta. This easy recipe is another one of those that all you need is a salad and bread, and you have a delicious meal. The sauce is easy to make and not as rich as a typical Alfredo Sauce. Try this lighter version and see if you miss all of those calories.

## **Linguine Carbonara**

8 oz. uncooked linguine  
½ C. frozen peas  
1 large egg  
1 C. evaporated milk  
¼ C. finely chopped red pepper  
1/8 t. crushed red pepper flakes  
1/8 t. pepper  
½ C. grated Parmesan cheese, divided  
2 bacon strips, cooked and crumbled

In a large pot, cook the linguine according to package directions, adding the peas during the last 2 minutes of cooking.

In a small saucepan, whisk the egg, milk, red pepper, pepper flakes and pepper; cook and stir over medium-low heat until the mixture is just thick

enough to coat a spoon and a thermometer reads at least 160—do not boil. Remove from heat and stir in ¼ cup of the parmesan and the bacon.

Drain the linguine and peas; return to large pot. Add the sauce and toss to coat. Sprinkle remaining cheese on top of plated or bowled pasta.

This recipe was sent to me by a reader. She liked it because it is like the Magi bars she makes at Christmas. Use this recipe for a Halloween treat that doesn't take forever to make. If you are a coffee lover, this bar goes great; if you are like me, a cold glass of milk will enhance the flavor. Try this easy way to make a bar cookie.

## **Pumpkin Delight Magic Bars**

1 pkg. (11 oz.) vanilla wafers  
½ C. butter, melted  
3 oz. cream cheese, softened  
1 can (14 oz.) sweetened condensed milk  
½ t. pumpkin pie spice  
1 can (15 oz.) pumpkin (not pie pumpkin)  
1 ½ C. coconut  
1 C. white baking chips  
1 C. dried cranberries  
1 C. chopped pecans

Preheat the oven to 350. Place the wafers in a food processor; pulse until coarse crumbs form. Drizzle with melted butter and pulse until blended. Press into the bottom of a greased 9 x 13 baking pan.

In a large bowl, beat cream cheese, milk and pie spice until smooth; beat in pumpkin. Pour over the crust. Layer with coconut, baking chips, cranberries and pecans.

Bake 45-55 minutes or until golden brown. Cool in pan on a wire rack for 10 minutes.

Loose sides from pan with a knife; cool completely. Cut into bars. Refrigerate the leftovers.

In keeping with our fall/Halloween theme, this last recipe is easy because you use a box cake recipe as your base for the cupcakes. The toasting and sugaring of the pecans really make this cupcake special for a Halloween treat—actually you can keep it right into November and Thanksgiving.

## **Spiced Pumpkin Cupcakes**

½ C. finely chopped pecans  
3 T. sugar  
1 box yellow cake mix  
1 C. pumpkin (not pumpkin pie mix)  
½ C. water  
1/3 C. oil  
4 eggs  
1 ½ t. pumpkin pie spice  
Cream cheese frosting  
1 stick unsalted butter  
8 oz. softened cream cheese  
1 t. vanilla  
3 ½--4 C. powdered sugar

Preheat the oven to 350. Place baking cup in each of 24 regular size muffin cups.

In a heavy skillet, cook pecans and 2 tablespoons of sugar over low heat, about 8 minutes, stirring constantly until the sugar is melted. Spoon and spread pecans onto sheet of waxed paper. Sprinkle with remaining 1 tablespoon of sugar and toss.

In a large bowl, beat the cake mix, pumpkin, water, oil, eggs and pumpkin pie spice with an electric mixer on low speed for 30 seconds, then on medium speed 2 minutes, scraping the bowl occasionally. Divide the batter evenly among the muffin cups, filling each about two-thirds full.

Bake 19-24 minutes or until a toothpick inserted into the center comes out clean. Cool in pans for 10 minutes; remove from pans to cooling rack and cool completely.

Frosting: mix the butter and cream cheese in a mixer until blended. Add the vanilla and mix. Gently add the powdered sugar and mix until

combined. Note: I generally use 3 ½ Cups of powdered sugar and add the other ½ cup as needed for desired consistency to spread on the cupcake.

Frost cupcakes and sprinkle the edge of the frosted cupcakes with pecans; press lightly into the frosting. Store in the refrigerator.

Well, my Chicago Cubs fizzled out four games early. Actually they really tanked, and it wasn't pleasant to watch. My mom and dad used to always say—"Wait until next year!" I at least have some hope for next year for the first time since I have heard that phrase. I will get ready on Saturday night for the many, many, trick or treaters I will get on my street. Please be careful as you are driving between 5 and 7 on Saturday evening, especially if you are in the Mason Street/Oak Street area. Watch for the little people who like to dart across the street. They can get away from adults in a flash. Now that we are putting Halloween to rest, we will be turning our attention to Thanksgiving recipes and yes, Christmas cookie recipes. We are on the hunt for some Thanksgiving recipes and some even better Christmas cookie recipes. If you have some recipes to share, 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](mailto:scoopshopper@rvpublishing.com).

Although Mary Kay and I have sold our house and will soon be moving outside of town, I will continue serving the legal needs of my clients and the Stockton community from my local office just as I have been doing for the past 30 years.

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Shannon sent some of its fire equipment driven by Eric Schaney and accompanied by Olivia Klinefelter to celebrate the EPC Homecoming

# EPC Homecoming



The team rode in style in the streets of Lanark for last week's Eastland/Pearl City Homecoming parade

Tracy Siegner photos

## PASTOR'S CORNER

### Rock Slide

Dave Offermann

St. John's Lutheran Church, Lena

LENA — Psalm 5:8 Lead me, Lord, in your righteousness because of my enemies—make your way straight before me

Five years ago I went with our high school students to the Silver Valley region of Idaho for a mission trip. This part of the state was beautiful, scenic, full of wildlife and stunning mountain vistas. It also could be treacherous. Our home base for the week was located thirty miles up some narrow, twisted roads at the head of a small valley flanked by tall mountains. Since most of the families we were serving were located at the opposite end of the valley, necessity required that we navigate roads carved out of the side of the mountain twice each day as we went about our business.

One afternoon, coming around a hairpin turn, we were confronted by a significant rock slide, seemingly blocking all forward progress. It was a sudden, abrupt kind of discovery and the brakes needed to be applied in a quick, decisive manner. Backing up was dangerous. The nature of the sharp turn meant that following traffic wouldn't see us until we were bumper to bumper

in a bad kind of way. Going ahead appeared impossible. Several feet beyond the passenger door, the shoulder of the road ended and near vertical mountainside began. The anxiety level in the vehicle was a little elevated. About that time a front end loader from the highway department chugged up the steep incline from the downhill side. We couldn't see it because the shoulder of the

mountain blocked our view, but we could hear our deliverance coming. A few quick scoops, and a man with an orange vest and a smile on his face waved us slowly through, helping us navigate the few big boulders that were left.

What we expected that morning was a clear, mostly straight path like we had encountered every other morning we had been down that road. That isn't

what we got, however. What we got was a surprise. Our progress was opposed, blocked. We weren't going anywhere without help.

"Lead me Lord", the Psalmist cries out. "I've got enemies and I can't make the way straight on my own. I need help." In the normal course of daily living we often encounter

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## NUIC well represented in 2015 Football Playoffs

WARREN — Warren/Our Lady of the Sacred Heart advanced into the Class 1A State tournament following a 20-15 win over Milledgeville on Friday, Oct. 23, as the regular season came to a close.

Warren joins a host of other NUIC representatives as the 2015 Tournament gets underway with games across the State of Illinois.

There was concern, following a week five loss to Polo that if focus wasn't found, the playoffs could be missed.

The 44-point loss added fuel, as Warren bounced back with a two-point win over Stockton in week six.

With games scheduled against Galena, Durand and Milledgeville, it was discussed that Warren/Our Lady of the Sacred Heart would get enough wins to be invited to get a chance to play into November.

Seven teams in the northern 16 are NUIC representatives.

As number ten-seed Stockton faces number seven-seed Galena, in an NUIC crossover match, two of the NUIC powerhouses, Dakota and Forreton face off in the eight-nine game.

In the NUIC Upstate this sea-

son, Polo had no equal. With a 9-0 mark they secured a number four seed in the Class 1A Tournament.

The Marcos have allowed less than four points a game. Polo has also punished their opposition, scoring nearly 500 points in the nine-game span.

After finishing the regular season with a 9-0 mark and those statistical totals, a question could be built as to whether or not the NUIC is truly appreciated for the talent it brings to the post season.

With the number of teams playing for their chance to drive towards Champaign, head-to-head meetings are going to occur, the NUIC will have to beat itself as it prepares to take on all others.

The NUIC has done that, better than any other confer-

ence over the past three years, with Dakota, Lena-Winslow and Forreton all claiming the Class 1A Crown.

This year, the playoff path appears similar, the possibilities of a semi-final meeting between the survivor from the NUIC Northwest and the NUIC Upstate appears to be a very good possibility.

Polo hasn't been challenged all season, whether or not this proves to be an advantage will be determined, but their path could run into Stockton or Galena or 9-0 Lena-Winslow.

As the pairings were announced on Saturday, Oct. 24, it was discovered that the NUIC's representation of almost 25 percent of the playoff field, surprised no one.

Victims of the NUIC regular season, including Eastland-Pearl City, River Ridge, Orangeville and Pecatonica now get to sit back and watch how the 2015 post-season unfolds, as they prepare to face those programs, when 2016 comes to visit.

In the Class 2A ranks, only West Carroll was selected from the NUIC, they will face off against the top seed in the northern branch of the Class 2A Tournament, Downs (Tri-Valley), on Friday.

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vs.

PAULA K. FULTON; the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA — INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE; UNKNOWN OWNERS; and NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS, Defendants.

15 CH 48

### PUBLICATION NOTICE

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, notice is hereby given to you:

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and which said real estate mortgages were made by Citizens State Bank and recorded in the Office of the Jo Daviess County Recorder of Deeds as follows: Document Nos. 3338523 and 352658

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 15TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT JO DAVIESS COUNTY - GALENA, ILLINOIS WELLS FARGO BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR BANC OF AMERICA MORTGAGE SECURITIES, INC. MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-2

Plaintiff,

-v.-

RONALD R. MCLAUGHLIN, et al

Defendant

15 CH 00022

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## • RESTORE

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performance can derive significant advantages from a program that provides maximum oxygenation of the body's cells and tissues at all times.

Our office is going to be doing a short presentation on purification and starting a mini-version of a detox (10 days) starting after Halloween, call our office with any questions.

## • FAIR

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Thursday morning bible study is held at 9:30. The discussion will be on "Genesis:" A Narrative from the Mouths of the Hebrew People of God. You are welcome to join in on any or all of the bible studies! Both bible studies are held in the Conference Room of the Lower Level. The door on the east side of the building will be open for the bible studies.

All those that serve as worship assistants, ushers, lectors and sacristans at St. John's are encouraged to attend one of the upcoming Worship Volunteer re-orientation sessions. They will be held on Wednesday, October 28 at 7:30 p.m. or Saturday, November 7 at 9:30 a.m.

Upcoming special events: Interested in learning to play Mexican Train Dominoes? You're welcome to join the fun at 9 a.m. on Tuesday, November 3 until Noon. Any men of the Congregation and community are welcome to join Pastor Ekstrand at a Men's Breakfast at Little John's (Pearl City) on Wednesday, November 4 at 7:30 a.m.

## • CORNER

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an impasse, a roadblock. We could try to navigate through the complication on our own but that often ends in frustration and incomplete resolution. Notice the words in the Psalm. God makes the path straight. When He takes over, the way is no longer twisted or winding or obstructed. A strengthened connection with the Father makes for easier travelling.

What are the barriers in your life? What impedes your forward progress and slows you down, causes your anxiety level to be elevated? God loves you because of righteousness. The sacrifice of his Son on our behalf makes us part of His family. He wants to come to your aid, but He will do it on His terms and in His timing. Ask Him. Let Him lead. Allow Him to be in control. You might not be able to see it but, your divine front end loader might already be headed in your direction.

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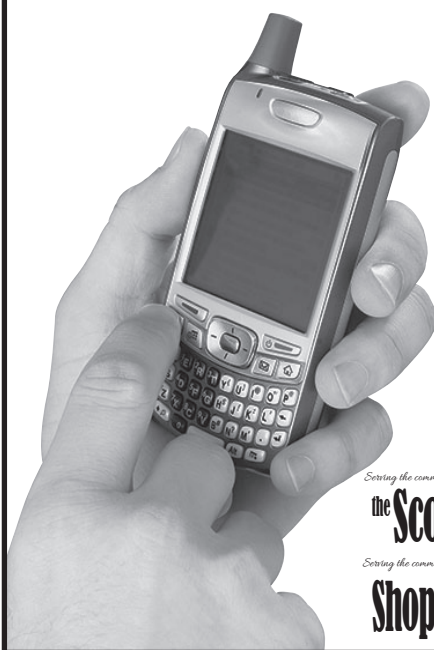
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Annalisa Fluegel opened Fluegel's a shop in downtown Lena offering custom embroidery work, sport apparel and boutique items for the whole family.

# Fluegel's to celebrate grand opening in downtown Lena

By Tony Carton  
Editor

LENA — Many new businesses will quietly open their doors, break in the staff, deal with the glitches and then celebrate a grand opening. Fluegel's, a retail store offering custom embroidery, decoration, sport apparel and women's boutique items in downtown Lena is no different and on November 12 from 4 to 7 p.m. Fluegel's will pull out all the stops and celebrate its formal grand opening.

"A lot has changed in just a couple months," said Fluegel's owner Annalisa Fluegel. "What I thought the business was going to be is different. It's a lot bigger and a lot more exciting than I thought. It's been really good"

Her background is clothing and retail and licensed sports merchandise, so the mix at Fluegel's is a reflection of everything she's ever done and the store is in the beautiful old storefront that for years housed anchor-level Lena retail outlets V&S Variety and Ben Franklin. She said the stories folks bring in about the history of the store make opening her business doubly fun.

"I get all the stories about the candy and how before it was the V&S it was a Ben Franklin," she said. "There are still a lot of old Ben Franklin displays here; and I'm learning about the history of our downtown. I didn't know the hair salon used to be a grocery back when my

dad was little, so all the stories of downtown and how it used to be are really cool."

Fluegel's does embroidery and transfers, so they can do work for schools, businesses and farms; you name it and they will do it.

"We can do monogramming on bags or that you can have on a binder for school; kind

of a little bit of everything for everyone and we also have toddler and baby clothes, men's sports apparel, just a little bit of everything," Fluegel said. "The boutique is already going very well. I think if someone doesn't have to take a trip to Freeport or Rockford or Mon-

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE  
15TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT  
JO DAVIESS COUNTY -  
GALENA, ILLINOIS  
WELLS FARGO BANK, NATIONAL  
ASSOCIATION, AS TRUSTEE FOR  
BANC OF AMERICA MORTGAGE SECURITIES, INC. MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2007-2  
Plaintiff,  
-v-  
RONALD R. MCLAUGHLIN, et al  
Defendant

15 CH 00022

### NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on October 15, 2015, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 1:30 PM on November 25, 2015, 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:

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of the sale. The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information. If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1). IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701(C) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW. You will need a photo identification issued by a government agency (driver's license, passport, etc.) in order to gain entry into our building and the foreclosure sale room in Cook County and the same identification for sales held at other county venues where The Judicial Sales Corporation conducts foreclosure sales. For information, examine the court file or contact Plaintiff's attorney: CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C., 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL 60527, (630) 794-9876 Please refer to file number 14-15-06787. THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION One South Wacker Drive, 24th Floor, Chicago, IL 60606-4650 (312) 236-SALE You can also visit The Judicial Sales Corporation at www.tjsc.com for a 7 day status report of pending sales. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100 BURR RIDGE, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 Attorney File No. 14-15-06787 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Case Number: 15 CH 00022 TJSC#: 35-15423 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. 1673788

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roe or Galena, but can stay local and still find what they want is pretty nice, so we'll keep bringing in new items every week and keep it rolling."

Keeping the shop in an evolution mode is her plan for the future.

"It's fun and I get to buy clothes and people get excited about that part too," she said. "We're already completely different from what I original-

ly anticipated, and it's amazing. There is no business in this area like what I'm doing with embroidery and clothing, so I'm really excited."

She said constant change will bring success to Fluegel's.

"I'm not trying to overload," Fluegel said. "Once something is here, say six pieces or maybe a shirt and when those are gone they're gone. I'm not going to keep reorder-

ing something, so our stock is constantly flipping over and bringing new merchandise to

the area. That, along with trying to keep prices down so we are competitive and folks

can shop local and keep their money in Lena is what will work for Fluegel's."

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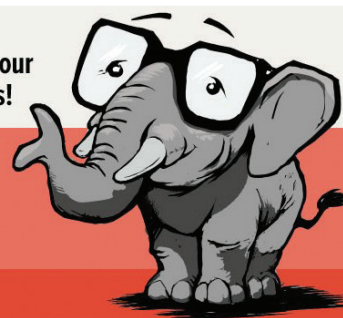
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The sport apparel available at Fluegel's in downtown Lena can be custom embroidered in-house with a company or team name or logo.



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Tracy Siegner photos  
Fluegel's owner Annalisa Fluegel said she would be rotating her boutique stock to keep the merchandise unique and so there would be new items every time a customer stops by.

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