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Stone House Herbs grow beyond culinary into wellness

By John Day
CORRESPONDENT

Outside of Shannon on Bolton Road there is an old 1855 farmstead. The prominent feature of the property as you enter the driveway is the nineteenth century stone house. Today, the property that had once been a typical farm, growing corn, beans and raising dairy cattle has evolved into something very different and untraditional. Today, the original farmstead has become the Stone House Herb Company.

Beth Nagle has been in Stephenson County for 17 years. For the last four years she has operated Stone House Herb Company on her property. On approximately a half acre Nagle is growing more than 50 different kinds of herbs. When people think of herbs, most assume that herbs are meant exclusively as food additives. Certainly, basil or rosemary can add flavor to a recipe and Nagle does have culinary herbs for sale in potted plants or harvested. For thousands of years, however, herbs have been used for more than just seasoning meals. Nagle, who is a certified Master Herbalist said, "My greater interest is what can be made from herbs rather than simply using them for a kitchen garden. These plants make excellent teas, tinctures or incense."

Folklore and legend speak about ancestors of all people using herbs as remedies for any number of ailments including such issues as anxiety, stomach problems or headaches.

Nagle said, "I raise herbs that can easily be made into tinctures or teas. Right now I have several plots and we grow a number of different herbs. I'm growing plants such as mugwort, hops, tansy and others."

Nagle sells potted herb plants to those who wish to grow gardens of their own. Nagle said, "We have mugwort, for instance, which when it's added to an herbal tea can be helpful with digestive problems. Seemingly, it also enhances our dreams. Any of the mints we offer can be made into a tea which has a calming effect. Tansy is an excellent insect repellent."

In a small stone building that was at one time a milk house, Nagle has on display a myriad of naturalist products. On the tables can be found bottles of floral essence made from passion flower, poppies or hops. Mint teas are available as well as teas such as chamomile, lavender or catnip. Nagle pointed out the calamint smudge sticks, a tightly bound bundle of dried, woody resinous herbs. The bundles are burned to cleanse and purify the air during Native American purification rites.

Alongside the half acre growing plot is large dome of tangled leafy vines. To the untrained eye it appears as if the green dome is nothing more than a tangle of weeds. When asked, Nagle said, "Those are hops growing on a hoop house frame and no, I'm not brewing beer. Hops are believed to be a remedy for anxiety. The name of this particular variety of hop is Zeus."



TONY CARTON PHOTO Shopper's Guide

When Bethany and Dave Nagel moved from the Chicago suburbs to rural Shannon she knew they would find a better life. She was already interested in finding fresher healthier foods and knew a little about the benefits of buying local produce, but an herb garden was her dream and she was willing to do whatever it took to make that dream come true.

Beneath the dome of hops sits a small bench providing a shady, tranquil resting place.

Nagle hopes to try something

genuinely different next year. Nagle said, "Next year, in July, we hope to have a full moon magic herb gathering. Those who wish to join us will

be picking their herbs under the light of the moon which many believe has an energizing effect on people."

When not looking at potted plants or the packaged herbals that are for sale, a person can wander around the farm and become friends with the several dogs, cats and llama's that are on the property.

Stone House Herbs is located at 4865 Bolton Road in rural Shannon. For product availability and hours call Beth Nagle at 815-291-5503 or check their Facebook page.

Pre-participation sports screenings at Monroe Clinic

Summer is here, which means it is time for summer camps, leagues, and school athletics. Make sure athletes are ready for the game by completing a pre-participation sports screening or wellness physical. These ensure young athletes are healthy and ready to perform. To receive a pre-participation sports screening come to a walk-in clinic on July 19 from 4-6 p.m. or August 2 from 4-5:30 p.m. at Monroe Clinic Family Medicine, 515 22nd Avenue, Monroe, Wis.

Pre-participation sports screenings

address any health issues or injuries in preparation for the next sports season. These screenings do not replace complete physicals. Incoming ninth grade students are not eligible to receive a pre-participation screening and should receive a full school physical in order to fully address adolescent health issues. Insurance is not billed, so there is a \$20 fee payable at the time of screening by cash, check or credit.

If athletes cannot make the July or August walk-in clinics, wellness

physicals are available. Extended hours for athletes in June, July, and August make it convenient to come in and complete this wellness physical for the year. Wellness physicals are a comprehensive health analysis and are covered by most insurance com-

panies at no cost to the athlete. Immunizations are completed at these appointments, and they also fulfill the sports physical requirements. Go to monroeclinic.org/sportsmedicine for convenient locations and phone numbers.

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Illinois Girls State

These young ladies attended the 77th Session of the American Legion Auxiliary Illini Girls State program, June 18 to 24th. It was held at Eastern Illinois University at Charleston. From Freeport: Melanie Brown, Autumn Canada, Lani Hodges, Liz Julius, Alexis Loring, Ella Redmore, Farrah Sands, Nylasha Williams. From Lena: Grace Bidingmaier, Della Crain, Carmen DeVries, Samantha Gobeli, Lauren Guy, Sarah Nicholas, Madison Scape, Acacia Schulz, Amanda Woodruff, April Woolcock. From Warren: Nicole Grabianowski, Rebecca Raab, Bryana Wulfekuhle

Lena Library News

By Brittany Gaulrapp
DIRECTOR

I hope that everyone had a great Fourth of July holiday with their family and friends. We have been busy here setting up and getting all ready for our classes to begin. We finished summer reading sign up with over 100 kids registered. Stop in and see how our "Lego Wall" filled up. Our kickoff event went well. We had an ice cream sundae party, and from the looks of it the kids all had a great time and left with ice cream mustaches and full bellies. Classes will begin the week of July 11, with preschool and kindergarten classes either Tuesday or Wednesday from 10:30-11:30, first and second grade Wednesday from 2-3 p.m., and grades three-five meet

Thursdays from 2-3 p.m. If you have any additional questions regarding class times or the calendar of events please call the library at 369-3180. Congratulations to Lydia Lessman, and Briana Edler. These girls were the winners of our last "Guess how many" games for the month of June. Good guesses ladies.

Congratulations to Linda Long, the winner of our first adult summer reading program drawing. We hope you enjoyed everything Linda, thanks

for participating. Thank you to all the adults who have been busy reading and being a part of our program. Remember, the more you read, the better your chances of winning.

Our book discussion group met last month, and some very interesting titles were discussed: The Broken Road by Richard Paul Evans, The Promise of Home by Katherine Springer, The Whole Town's Talking by Fannie Flagg, Queen Anne by Anne Somerset, The Other Einstein by Marie

Benedict, 50 Acres and A Poodle series by Jean Lascus, The Simplicity Of Cider by Amy Reichart, Under the Same Sky by Cynthia Roemer, The Wedding Dress by Rachel Hauck, The ABC's Of Dee by Danielle Bannister, Not a Sound by Heather Gudenkauf, & If You Ever Tell Colleen Thompson. We have a lot of these titles, and some of them can even be found on OMNI as well. Stop in or call to request any of these titles or to get set up with OMNI e-books. Our next book

discussion group will meet Wednesday July 26, at 9:30, see you then.

We received some new audio books: Camino Island by John Grisham, The Iron Marshal by Louis L'amour, Here's To Us by Elin Hilderbrand, Testimony by Scott Turow, Murder Games by James Patterson, & Into the Water by Paula Hawkins.

Remember to like us on Facebook for updates on events, new materials, and other information we think you should know about.

Le-Win Education Foundation joins Northwest Daily Drawing

Tickets are now on sale for the Lena-Winslow Education Foundation Northwest Daily Drawing. The prizes will be daily cash drawings beginning on October 1, 2017, and ending September 30, 2018. The daily prizes range from \$50 to \$250-\$250 x 5 days, \$150 x 17 days, and \$50 for the remaining 343 days. Tickets can win multiple times.

Tickets are \$25.00 each or 5 tickets for \$100.00. Checks should be payable to the Lena-Winslow Education Foundation. Prizes are mailed to the winners on the 15th and the last day of each month, beginning in October, 2017, and ending September, 2018. You can check winners on Facebook at www.facebook.com/northwestillinoisdailydrawing and

the local newspapers. The Foundation joins the other organizations of the Northwest Daily Drawing: Caring Community of Elizabeth, East Dubuque Music Boosters, Freeport Dance Team, Galena Music Boosters, Hanover Alumni Association, Pearl City Athletic Boosters, River Ridge Education Association, Stewards of the Upper Mississippi River Refuge, Stockton Strong, Warren Athletic Boosters, and West Carroll

Sports Boosters.

Tickets are available from all Foundation members, Lena State Bank, Citizen's State Bank, Community Bank, and the Lena-Winslow School District office. If you have questions, please log on to the Lena-Winslow District 202 Website and click on the Lena-Winslow Education Foundation or contact Dr. Thomas Chiles at 815-990-6920 or Tom Rutter at 815-238-4737.

CONTACT of Northern Illinois to host Third Annual Garden Walk

CONTACT of Northern Illinois will be hosting their Third Annual Garden Walk on July 15, from 8:30 - 4:30 p.m. (Rain date-severe storms- July 16.) Visit local gardens, sign up for the silent auction, to win a fairy garden or the door prize of a free garden design from Anne's Garden Center and a patio plant from Deiningers. Free sack lunch for the first 50 people. Ticket books are on sale now in Freeport at Gemorifics, Deiningers Floral, County Girl Floral, and Natural Water Gardens or in Lena at DeVoe Floral.

On the date of the event tick-

et books can be purchased at one of the gardens, in Freeport - Social and Siegner Garden at 1685 Spring Creek Lane, Debate Square at 114 East Douglas St, John's Plants (Plant Sale only) 645 W. Cleveland St., Don Opel Regional Arboretum at Highland Community College (Parking Lot D), Schwartz Garden at 2025 Cimarron Dr., or in Elroy at the Simmons Garden 2238 N. Bridge St, or in Lena at the Arnold Garden 14474 W. Daws Road. All proceeds from the Garden Walk benefit CONTACT's 24 Hour Crisis Helpline.

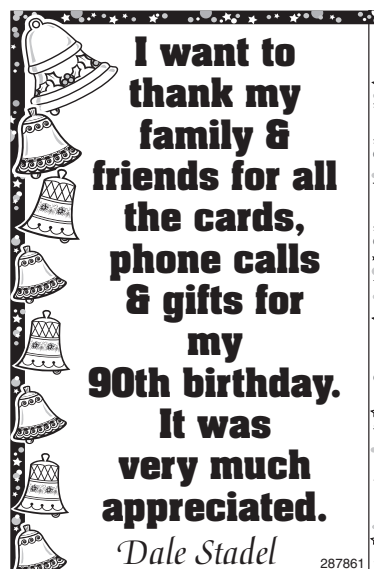
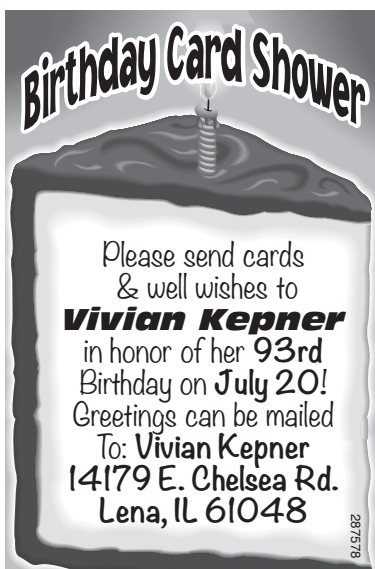
Harriet J. Gerloff
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Thank you to everyone who extended sympathy to our family at this difficult time.

We truly appreciate all the cards, flowers, memorials and food. Special thanks to the Monroe Hospice team, Pastor Rick Bader, Lay Minister Sid Kamins, and the St. John's ladies who visited mom. Your kindness and thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

Carol & Delvin Bonjour
Justine & Craig Deininger
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family
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Call or stop by the Master Gardener Help Desk

If you're like me, it's a struggle to remember exactly what species or cultivars you planted in the garden. Especially by the time you have hundreds of plants in. There are some plant names I'll just never forget for some reason (hello, *Solenostemon scutellarioides*), but there are others that escape me right away writes Candice Hart, U of I Extension Horticulture Educator.

What she started doing a few years ago, was saving all of the labels that came with what she was planting. They started out in a box, but eventually she had the chance to organize and divided them up into categories like annuals, perennials, trees, or shrubs. You could group them by a particular garden bed as well or by any system that makes sense to you.

Once categorized, organize the tags

into an inexpensive photo album. This makes it very easy to flip back through to look at what plants you have. A simple and easy solution to organizing all of those stray plant tags.

You are probably thinking well this is a great idea to do from now on but what about the plants I have now that I don't remember what they are, or maybe you just moved to a new house and you want to know what the previous owners had planted there. If this is the case for you then come visit the Jo Daviess County Master Gardeners during their help desk hours and they will be more than happy to help you identify that plant. If you are unable to come during the help desk hours, send us an email with your question and a picture or stop by the office at anytime and drop it off and the Master Gardener who volunteers at the help desk that week will look at it and get back to you. Not only will Master Gardener's work to assist you in plant identification, they will do their best to answer

any gardening or plant related questions that you have including insect identification.

Now through the month of September the Jo Daviess County Master Gardeners will have their help desk open on Wednesdays from 10 a.m. - noon. This service provides researched based horticulture advice for the home gardener. Please feel free to call the office or stop in at these times to chat with a Master Gardener about

your concerns. You can also contact Extension at your convenience and our office staff will compile questions and contact a Master Gardener to answer. The Extension office is located at 204 Vine St. in Elizabeth, IL and you can reach us by phone at 815-858-2273 or email at uiemg-jodaviess@illinois.edu.

We look forward to helping answer all of your horticulture related questions.

2017 Music@Debate Square schedule

The Fourth Annual Music@Debate Square will present three nights of free music in the open air. Thursday nights from July 20 to August 3, will feature free music at Freeport's popular Debate Square, located in the 100 block of Douglas Street. The open-air concerts begin at 7 p.m. each week, with each concert lasting about an hour.

The Highland Community College Jazz Band will kick-off the summer series on July 20. Under the direction of Bill Petersen, the ensemble will bring its version of swing and big band jazz to downtown Freeport.

Korey Steil will make his premier solo appearance at Music@Debate Square on July 27. A pop musician who graduated from Freeport High School and attends Highland, Korey is fresh from his performances with the pit band at Timber Lake Playhouse. Korey's style will provide a lively musical experience.

Locally popular acoustic rock group "Southpaw Stance" will close out this summer's series on August 3.

Freeporters Justin Pasch, Nick Rabb and Adam Rodebaugh have been performing in area clubs and bars for several years and their performance will provide a musical exclamation point to the series. This is the second season that "Southpaw Stance" has graced the Music@Debate Square line-up.

All concerts are free, but a free-will offering will be collected each week for the benefit of the performers. Those wishing to attend the concerts are urged to bring either lawn chairs or a ground blanket as seating is very limited.

Lincoln-Douglas Society's Music@Debate Square Series manager Tim Connors said, "The Lincoln-Douglas Society is honored to be able to present talented musicians who have Freeport connections while providing an opportunity for people to enjoy the ambiance of Debate Square."

Music @ Debate Square is co-sponsored by the Lincoln-Douglas Society and the City of Freeport.

U of I Extension and City of Galena Programs schedule new event dates

Due to a busy summer schedule, University of Illinois Extension and the City of Galena have decided to postpone the next two programs in the City of Galena Program series until later this fall.

U of I Extension Energy and Environmental Stewardship Educator Peggy Doty who was scheduled to speak on Thursday, July 13, will now speak on a night in November with that exact date yet to be determined.

U of I Extension Local Foods and Small Farms Educator Grant McCarty who was scheduled to speak on Thursday, Aug. 10, will now be speaking on Thursday, Oct. 26, 2017 about Agricultural Lands and Wildlife.

The Rain Garden/Rain Barrel program scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 14, being presented by U of I Extension Program Coordinator Nikki Keltner will still be held as scheduled.

All of the programs will be held at Galena City Hall in Galena, IL and will be from 6 - 7:30 p.m. Pre-registration for each of these programs is requested. All programs will be offered at no cost. For more information or to register for any or all of these programs please contact the U of I Extension office at 815-858-2273, or visit us online at web.extension.illinois.edu/jsw.

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Look for more information to come on each of these programs as they get closer. We hope to see you there.



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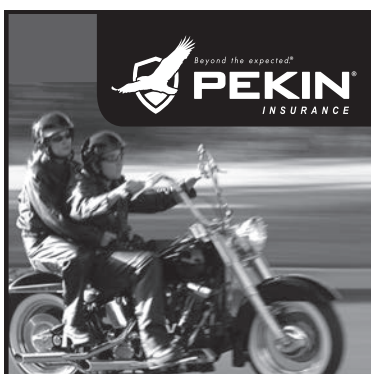
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VIEWPOINT

Attorneys General file lawsuit against Education Secretary DeVos for delaying rules that protect students & taxpayers from abuse by predatory for-profit schools

Attorney General Lisa Madigan and 18 other attorneys general filed a lawsuit against the U.S. Department of Education and Education Secretary Betsy DeVos for abandoning critical federal protections that were set to go into effect on July 1.

The lawsuit, filed in U.S. District Court in the District of Columbia, alleges the Department of Education violated federal law by abruptly rescinding its Borrower Defense Rule, which cracked down on abusive higher education institutions that defraud students by allowing those students to obtain loan forgiveness. The rule was finalized in November 2016 following the collapse of Corinthian Colleges, a national for-profit chain that operated Everest College campuses in the Chicago area before its closure. The rule also provides automatic relief for students who are unable to finish their degrees because their school closes. In Illinois, there are over 50 closed campuses. Under the Borrower Defense Rule, former students of those schools who did not take out subsequent federal student loans qualify for automatic

closed school discharge of their loans.

"Students should not have to pay for student loans they obtained to attend fraudulent schools that promised education and training that they did not provide," Madigan said. "The Department of Education has clear evidence of Corinthian's widespread fraud, yet it has delayed relief for thousands of these former students and others who are still on the hook for their student loan debt."

In May, Secretary DeVos announced the Department was reevaluating the Borrower Defense Rule. On June 14, the Department announced its intent to delay large portions of the Borrower Defense Rule without soliciting, receiving, or responding to any comment from any stakeholder or member of the public and without engaging in a public deliberative process. The Department simultaneously announced its intent to issue a new regulation to replace the Borrower Defense Rule.

In a short notice published in the Federal Register, the Department cited pending litigation in the case Cal-

ifornia Association of Private Post-secondary Schools (CAPPS) v. Betsy DeVos as the reason for delaying implementation of the Borrower Defense Rule. Madigan was among a coalition of attorneys general who filed a motion to intervene in the CAPPS case last month to defend students and taxpayers from the legal challenge to the Borrower Defense Rule brought by a trade association representing for-profit schools. Madigan and other attorneys general argued in their lawsuit filed today that "the Department's reference to the pending litigation is a mere pretext for repealing the Rule and replacing it with a new rule that will remove or dilute student rights

and protections."

Without the protections of the current Borrower Defense Rule, many students who are harmed by the misconduct of for-profit schools are unable to seek a remedy in court. For-profit schools commonly require students to sign mandatory arbitration agreements and class action waivers to avoid legal actions by students who have been harmed by schools' abusive conduct. The Borrower Defense Rule limits the ability of schools to use mandatory arbitration agreements and class action waivers.

Today's lawsuit asks the court to declare the Department's delay notice unlawful and order the Department

to implement the Borrower Defense Rule.

The Department of Education's negotiated rulemaking committee helped develop the Borrower Defense Rule – in large part as a result of state and federal investigations into for-profit schools, such as Corinthian Colleges. Under the rule, a successful enforcement action against a school by a state attorney general entitles borrowers to obtain loan forgiveness, and enables the Department of Education to seek repayment of any amounts forgiven from the school.

Attorney General Madigan has investigated numerous for-profit schools for fraud and repeatedly called on the U.S. Department of Education to immediately forgive federal loans of students who attended fraudulent for-profit schools.

Madigan's office runs a free Student Loan Helpline to provide student borrowers with free resources about repayment options, avoiding default or to file a complaint about loan servicing at (800) 455-2456 (TTY: 1-800-964-3013). More information can also be found on her website.

Joining Madigan in filing today's lawsuit are attorneys general from: California, Connecticut, Delaware, Hawaii, Iowa, Maryland, Massachusetts, Minnesota, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, and the District of Columbia.

Pam Furlan named President of Illinois Workforce Partnership

Pam Furlan, Executive Director of Programs for the Business Employment Skills Team and Workforce Innovation Board Executive Director for NCI Works, has been named the 2017-2019 President of the Illinois Workforce Partnership, a statewide association of workforce development directors in Illinois. Furlan was selected at the June meeting to serve the two year term which runs from July 2017 through June 2019.

The Illinois Workforce Partnership

promotes the sharing of information among all workforce development stakeholders, formulates policy positions that impact Local Workforce Areas, provides input into the formulation of state guidelines and procedures, and works with elected officials to ensure continuous quality staff development. As President of the Illinois Workforce Partnership, Furlan will also be an ex-officio member of the Illinois Workforce Innovation Board.

Pilots' reunion July 15 at Stockton Heritage Museum

The Stockton Heritage Museum is hosting our Annual Pilots Reunion on July 15. This year, the museum is inviting all pilots who have learned to fly out of the Stockton airport or have flown their planes out of Stockton, to come share their stories. Also, in preparation for a future program, the Fleming Brothers story from WWII will be started.

The gathering will take place at the museum, from 10:30 until noon. Please join us to hear the stories of our Stockton pilots and their adventures.

Bustos statement on Trumpcare's Senate CBO score

Congresswoman Cheri Bustos (IL-17), Co-Chair of the Democratic Policy and Communications Committee, released the following statement after the non-partisan Congressional Budget Office released its analysis of the Senate Republicans' current draft of Trumpcare:

"Today, the non-partisan Congressional Budget Office confirmed that hardworking Americans will pay more for less care and fewer protections under Trumpcare. Even worse, a staggering 22 million Americans will lose their health care altogether.

If Washington Republicans pass this bill, the real and lasting consequences are unconscionable – rural hospitals will close their doors, seniors will lose access to long-term care, older Americans will be slapped with a crushing age tax and people with preexisting conditions will once again be priced out of the insurance market. Instead of ramming through a health care bill that will harm all but the ultra-wealthy, Democrats and Republicans should work across the aisle to fix what's broken in health care and bring down costs for all Americans."

Illinois has a budget

Compiled by Tony Carton
EDITOR

The state's two-year budget impasse came to an end this week as the General Assembly passed a budget. Included in that budget, the state's personal income tax rate, which goes into effect retroactive to July 1, will increase from 3.75 percent to 4.95 percent, and the corporate income tax rate would increase from 5.25 percent to 7 percent.

How will these increases affect Illinoisans?

- A single person who earns \$34,000 a year would pay an additional \$382 a year.
- A family of three making \$75,000 a year would pay an additional \$822 a year.
- A family of four earning \$150,000 a year would pay an additional \$1,695 a year.
- A 66-year-old retiree who has \$5,000 in taxable earnings plus Social Security and pension income, which are not taxed in Illinois, would pay an additional \$22 a year.

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Obituaries

DOROTHY E. SHADLE

Dorothy E. Shadle, age 97 was called home to heaven on Tuesday July 4, 2017. She was born on March 20, 1920 in McConnell to Joseph and Lizzie (Moyer) Solace. She married Thomas Daryl Shadle on Jan. 7, 1945. Together they farmed in the Winslow area before retiring to Lena. Dorothy was a lifelong member of Winslow Grace Bible Church.

She is survived by her daughter Shirley (Gerald) Wachter of Lena.

She was preceded by her parents, husband and son Eugene, 2 sisters.

Funeral services were held Saturday July 8, at the Leamon Funeral Home in Lena.

Visitation was Friday July 7, at the Leamon Funeral Home.

Officiating was Pastor Robert Patin. Burial will be at the Lena Burial Park.

In lieu of flowers a memorial has been established in her name.

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

LEE OTIS SHADLE SR

Mr. Lee Otis Shadle Sr of Wilkesboro, NC died Saturday July 1st, 2017 at Villages of Wilkes Senior Care in North Wilkesboro N.C.

Graveside services will be held September 9, 2017 in the Lena Burial Park, Lena IL.

Mr. Shadle was born in Stephenson County Illinois on April 20, 1927 to Thomas and Viola Campbell Retzlaff. He worked many jobs over the years as electric meter reader, feed sales, government contacts manager, and hardware store salesman. Besides his family, his passion in life was most fulfilled by service to country and community. He was a WWII Navy Medic, a fire fighter for Lena IL, and instructed first aid classes to hundreds across northern Illinois. The last 35 years he devoted much of his time to helping others find sobriety.

Lee was married to Betty Retzlaff on Feb 6, 1956. He is survived by three daughters, Julie Wickham and husband Ray of Sumerduck, VA. Annette Howard of Darien, GA, Christina Shadle (Max) of Reno, NV, one son, Lee Shadle Jr and wife Debra of Moravian Falls, NC., four grandchildren, Drew McMillan, Garrett (Diana) McMillan, Reed Wickham, Hannah Howard, one brother Leroy Shadle and wife Virginia of Freeport IL, sister-in-law Dorothy Shadle of Lena IL. Additionally, from his first marriage, children Gary Buss (Marcia), Bonnie Curran (Jerry), and Leslie Buss.

He was predeceased by his wife Betty, his parents, two brothers Donald Shadle (Florence), and Daryl Shadle, four sisters Mildred Shadle, Helen Gartner (Dutch), Lucille Hintz (Fred), Bernice Welt (Elston), son-in-law Kenney Howard, granddaughter Calyssa Wickham, and grandson Joel Shadle.



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In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in his memory to Lena Fire Department, PO Box 46 Lena IL 61048

KAYRL D. STAMM

Kayrl D. Stamm, 60, of Freeport, IL passed away unexpectedly at her home on July 6, 2017 in Freeport, IL. She was born on September 17, 1956 to Franklin and Genevive (Newman) Olson in Michigan. She married Jeff Stamm on October 13, 1990 at Laurel Street Community Church in Freeport, IL. Kayrl enjoyed making jewelry, taking care of her cats, going out to eat, watching NCIS, and Law and Order, and sitting on the porch in the mornings with Jeff, watching the birds.

Kayrl is survived by her husband Jeff of Freeport, siblings; Carl (Esther) Olson, Kenneth (Betsy) Olson, Kerry (Kathy) Olson, Keith (Cindy) Olson, all of Michigan, brother-in-law; Gregory (Lee) Stamm of McConnell, IL, several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents and great nephew, Preston Carl Cook.

Funeral services will be held at 12 p.m. on Wednesday, July 12, at Leamon's Funeral Home in Lena, IL.

A visitation will be from 9 a.m. until time of services on Wednesday, July 12, at Leamon's Funeral Home in Lena, IL.

Cremation rites to be accorded.

A memorial has been established in her memory.

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

Anniversary



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Busjahn anniversary

Darrell and Lorraine Busjahn, of Orangeville will celebrate their 60th Anniversary on July 21. Darrell Busjahn wed Lorraine Kienzle on July 21, 1957 at the United Methodist Church in Galena. Until their retirement in later years, the Busjahns happily made a living on their family farm in Orangeville where they also gratefully raised their family.

The couple has four children: Sandra (Ed) Smith of Pecotonica, Allen Busjahn, Arlen (Colleen) Busjahn, and Lori (Josef) Scherer all of Orangeville; seven grandchildren: Corine Smith (Andrew Peplinski) of Peoria, Katy Smith (James Stuart) of Sycamore, Julie (Shane) Littell, and Matt Busjahn (Lisa LaBudde) of Orangeville, Melissa Scherer of Tallahassee, FL, Adam (Brooks) Scherer of Orangeville, and Carrie (Seth) Carroll of Caneyville, AR; and three great grandchildren: Ivy Littell, and Karsen and Owen Henne-men all of Orangeville. Plus Baby Carroll on the way.

Please join the Busjahn family in celebrating Darrell & Lorraine's milestone anniversary by participating in a Card Shower. Well wishes may be sent to: Mr. & Mrs. Darrell Busjahn, 3296 E Rock Grove Road, Orangeville, IL 61060

First Birthday



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Griffin McPeek Is turning one

Griffin Adam McPeek, son of Bryan and Rachel McPeek, will turn one year old on July 13, 2017. Griffin has two sisters Sarah, five, and Paige, three. His grandparents are Mike and Julie Kleckner of Stockton, Steve and Penny Oppold of Pearl City, and Mark and Amy McPeek of Stockton. His great grandmothers are Shirley Kleckner and Pauline Feltmeyer, both of Stockton.

APPLE RIVER FORT VOLUNTEERS
INVITED to chink the 1830's Log Cabin being restored at the historic site in Elizabeth, IL. Expert mason John Howard will instruct and supervise the volunteers.

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NEW LISTINGS

LENA - EXCELLENT POSSIBILITIES WITH THIS UPPER/LOWER DUPLEX. Lower unit has 2 bedrooms, one bath. Newer windows and appliances, main floor laundry, hardwood floors, and beautiful woodwork. It also boasts central air and one bedroom has a walk in closet. The upper unit is in excellent shape with carpeted floors, larger bedrooms, central air, and laundry in the basement. Collectively they both have off street parking with a detached garage/barn with tons of storage. Nice sized lot and separate utilities that are all paid by the tenants. This is an ideal rental situation with many amenities that are attractive to perspective tenants. Priced at \$69,900



FREEPORT - WOW! UPDATES GALORE, roof, siding, windows, furnace, air just to mention a few. This move in ready home features 3 bedrooms with split bedroom floor plan, 2 full baths, spacious living room, kitchen and dining area, main floor laundry. Lower level is partially finished with endless possibilities. Call today to get a full list of updates. Priced at \$129,900

OTHER PROPERTIES

WINSLOW - COUNTRY - PRIDE IN OWNERSHIP in this 3 bedroom, 3 bath home located on 10.33 acres M/L. Large oak kitchen with built-in kitchen china cabinet and desk. The kitchen recently had a cork floor installed. New dishwasher and range. Large living room with laminate wood floors. Split bedroom plan. Exposed walk-out lower level has spacious L-shaped family room and full bath. 2 stall attached garage with storage area. 46' x 63' pole shed, pasture for the animals of your choice. Year round creek. Lots of garden space. A MUST SEE TO APPRECIATE! Priced at \$254,900



LENA - REDUCED \$5,000 - STATELY VICTORIAN HOME ON LENA'S OAK ST. Wrap around porch welcomes you into the charm and elegance of yesteryear. Beautiful wood floors, trim and pocket doors. The intricate stairway leads you up to 5 bedrooms one with an extra sitting area that has a pocket door back out to the landing. Take the back stairway down for that late night snack. The main floor has a living room, family room, formal dining room, large eat in kitchen and a study. The walk up attic has been finished for extra living space. There is laundry hook up on the second floor and also in the basement. The back yard has a variety of fruit trees such as apple, pear, plum as well as berries and a garden area. Newer roof and water heater, the kitchen has been updated. New Price \$139,900



LENA - NICE HOME ON LARGE LOT - 2-3 bedroom, 1 bath, 1 stall attached garage. Updates include central air 2014, wood flooring in living room and dining room, covered front porch and sidewalk in 2013, new electric updated to circuit breakers 6/15. Roof 13 years old and furnace 8 years old. Priced at \$105,000



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Third Annual Stockton Anniversary - Troop 31 Camporee

Join with Stockton Boy Scout Troop 31 on Aug. 25-27, for a weekend of scouting and camping. The Camporee is a scouting adventure for all Boy Scout troops working under the leadership of the Troop's Patrol Leaders Council. It is a showplace for the Scouting program. Your scout troop is invited to set up camp in the park and participate in planned scout skill activities. Scouts will be cooking meals, working on leadership and outdoor scout skills, and planning a Saturday night campfire event with skits and songs.

Previous year's activities (ribbons awarded for top three patrols in each event) include:

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for tornado whistle) - Bowline-Sheet-bend Draw - Tomahawk Toss - Tug of War - night games and a terrific campfire led by the Scouts.

Cost is only \$10 per scout - \$5 per adult (patch included)

T-shirts are available.. A scout t-shirt is an essential item to all scouting activities and help promote scouting in your local communities.

We are looking for volunteers to help man each station. The ideal volunteer would be a Senior Patrol Leader (SPL), Assistant Senior Patrol Leader (ASPL), Instructor, Troop Guide, or Junior Assistant Scoutmaster. Those scouts willing to operate a station should have a strong proficiency in scouting skills and leadership.

There is no better opportunity to "experience" scouting than at a Camporee.



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Chrisman's 25th anniversary

Brent and Holly Chrisman of Lena, Ill. will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary Tuesday July 18, 2017. Brent and the former Holly Flynn were united in marriage on July 18, 1992 at First Baptist Church in Marshall, Iowa. The couple has two children Ty and Kade at home. Cards and well wishes may be sent to 316 Valley View Drive, Lena, Ill. 61048

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CHURCH NEWS

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church will gather for worship at Good Shepherd on July 16, at 118 E. Mason St. Lena, IL, at 9:30 a.m. All are invited to worship on this Sixth Sunday of Pentecost with Holy Communion and Good Shepherd's Special Anniversary "160 years" Sunday with Bishop Clements. Following worship, there will be a time of fellowship with a potluck dinner and a program at 12 p.m. A Sunday filled with food, folks and fun for our Special Day.

On Monday, July 17, to Thursday July 20, Vacation Bible School Adventure of the Treasure Seekers exploring God's Promises will be held from 5:30-8 p.m. co-operating with Lena Methodist Church and the Beloved Church. Registration forms are available at the church.

On Wednesday July 19, at 8 a.m. the Piece Corps Quilters will work together to craft quilts for Lutheran World Relief. They are always looking for more people to help tie quilts and sew. No previous quilting experience is necessary. Come join the fun and make a difference in the world.

On Thursday July 20, at 12:30 Good Shepherd will lead devotions with dessert at The Friendship Center.

On Saturday Good Shepherd volunteers will staff the Lena Food Pantry. At 4:30 p.m. on Saturday, the Men's Group will meet at Good Shepherd. If you have any questions, please call the church at 815-369-5552.

Willow/Kent United Methodist Churches

Willow/Kent UMC will worship together Sunday July 16, at Willow UMC at 9 a.m. with a message by Larry Hubbard from Gideon International. All are welcome and invited to learn more of how much the Gideons do to spread the work of Jesus/God. Also, all are invited to stay for the fellowship following.

Sunday School is at 10:30 a.m. studying from the Holy Bible; all are invited and welcome to this time too.

Willow UMC is located about seven miles SE of Stockton, IL on Willow Rd.



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Stockton Park District Recreational /Arts Program

This summer's Stockton Park District Recreational /Arts Program participants include Melissa Nord Steien Joanna Vanderheyden Jane Bergman Dan Bergman Nickie TenPas BrownMichelle Volling Derek Volling Vikkie Hull Groezinger Courtney Norem Dawn Weber Billie Jo Eisteller Katelin Staver Kali Fricke-Drane Greg Drane

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Stockton Wesley United Methodist Church welcomes interim pastor

Stockton Wesley United Methodist Church welcomes Pastor Betteye Mixon as interim pastor for July. All are welcome to join us and hear the messages she brings for us. Worship time is 10:45.

Run to the Cross, prayers in the sanctuary, is every Wed. at 8-11a.m. Our doors are open to everyone.

Adult Bible study is every Wed. at 6:30 at the church.

The church is handicap accessible and is located on the corner of Hudson and Benton Streets. Check us out on our website stocktonwumc.org and on Facebook by searching Stockton Wesley United Methodist Church

Congregational meeting at Saint Paul's in Kent

On Sunday, July 16, St. Paul's Lutheran Church on Sunnyside Road in Kent will congregate for 10 a.m. family worship. Jean Hill will read scriptures from Isaiah, Psalms, and Romans. Bernice Eden will lead us musically as we sing the oldies. Pastor Andres' sermon will focus on the parable of the sower, as found in Matthew 13.

Immediately after our worship President Dennis Hill will preside at our quarterly congregational meeting.

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

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

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Gone Fishin' will provide the evening's entertainment at the Sixth Annual Hospice Sunset Luau Fundraiser staged Tuesday, July 18, at Holy Cross Parish Center, 223 E. Front Ave, Stockton

This is your invitation

Who: You and your friends
What: Sixth Annual Hospice Sunset Luau Fundraiser

Where: Holy Cross Parish Center, 223 E. Front Ave, Stockton

When: Tuesday July 18, Doors will open at 5:30 p.m.; Buffet Dinner will start at 6 p.m.

For \$30 per person, cash or check at the door, you will delight in a mouth-watering Hawaiian meal buffet, catered by Stella's Café and Catering of Stockton and tropically decorated cakes by Sherri Tresemer of Oma Luf's Bakery in Kent. Non-alcoholic specialty drinks will be available for purchase at our Tiki Bar. You will enjoy a program MC'd by Sam Brewer of Audio Relativity of Stockton. Quick Silver of Mt. Carroll will provide that Luau atmosphere during the dinner hour and music by our local group, Gone Fishin' will complete our evening entertainment.

This fundraiser is our biggest this

year and we value your support for this totally volunteer organization. Many businesses from the tri-county area have very generously donated raffle prizes. Our own ladies from Volunteer Hospice will be selling tickets for your chance to take home gift cards or gift certificates, tools or hair products, large gifts and small gifts, bagged gifts and gifts in baskets.

If you cannot attend the Sixth Annual Hospice Sunset Luau Fundraiser we would be grateful for your support by reserving your carry out meals. Table seating and carry out meals both require reservations.

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Apple River Fort 1830's log cabin restoration nears completion

Volunteers to complete the final phase of restoring an 1830 Log Cabin at the Apple River Fort State Historic Site at Elizabeth, IL are being called for by the Apple River Fort Historic Foundation, Inc.

On Saturday, July 29, volunteers are invited to gather at Apple River Fort to help put chinking between

the logs of the 1830's cabin being restored at the State Historic Site.

Volunteers will be instructed and supervised by John Howard of Howard Masonry, inc. Howard is an expert in all forms of masonry construction and restoration. His background includes the chinking work on the log buildings at the Naper Settlement in Naperville, IL.

A special mixture of chinking material will be made on site and used for the work. It is designed to be

more permanent than the clay and straw used by the original pioneers who first built the cabin.

Volunteers will assemble at 9 a.m. on Saturday, July 29, at the Apple River Fort site in Elizabeth, IL. It is expected the project will take all day. Those who have their own masonry tools, such as trowels, are asked to bring them.

Rain date for the project will be August 5.

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Illinois State Police District 16 lists June activity and enforcement

Illinois State Police District 16 Operations Officer, Lt. Carl Heintz, announced today activity and enforcement figures for the month of June. Troopers in District 16, which includes 4 counties, handled 1307 incidents during the month.

In addition, enforcement figures totaled 837 citations and 379 written warnings, including 366 speeding citations, 20 DUIs, 119 seatbelt citations, 6 child restraint citations, 130 written warnings for

speeding, and 26 criminal arrests. Troopers also assisted 105 motorists, conducted 87 Motor Carrier Inspections, and declared 18 of those commercial drivers or vehicles "Out of Service". Troopers investigated 36 traffic crashes, and there were 3 fatal traffic crashes in District 16 during June.

Troopers also seized more than 166 grams of cannabis, 14 grams of a controlled substance, \$810 USC, one vehicle and two handguns.

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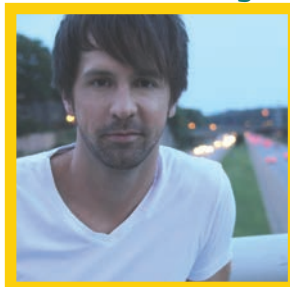
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The 97th Elizabeth Community Fair

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7:00am Steer Weigh-in
9:00am Dairy and Sheep Show
10:00am Crafts and Gardening Judging
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5:00pm- 10:00pm Carnival Opens- Inflatable Rides by Bases Wild Entertainment Inc.
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Noon- Bingo
Noon- 10PM Carnival Open
1:00pm Kiddie Tractor Pull and Petting Zoo sponsored by the Jo Daviess County Young Leaders with sign up at 12:30
1:30pm Hypnotist and Mentalist Brian Imbus
3:00pm Truck Show and Shine (with registration at 12:30pm) for information please contact Kurt Krohmer (815-858-5333)
3:00pm Ice cream Eating Contest sponsored by Three Sisters Sweet Shoppe
7:00pm Fantasy Truck Pullers featuring Heartland Tractor Pullers (with weigh-in beginning at 5:00pm)
7:30pm Elizabeth Fair Queen, Junior Miss & Little Miss Pageant

Sunday July 23

9:00 Elizabeth's Best BBQ Competition
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11:00am 6th Annual "Carp Allen" Memorial Horseshoe Tournament
Noon- Bingo
Noon- Dairy Land Antique Tractor Pull (with weigh-in beginning at 11:00am)
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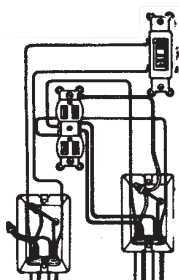
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This event is being sponsored by the Brew & Chew, the Pearl City Fire Department & the Pearl City Park District.

This is a free event.

Bring your kids and come out and have some fun.

Kids can sign up by age groups (3-6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15) to compete in the Brew & Chew Olympic Games for a chance to win a medal (Gold, Silver or Bronze)

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Fun dog facts for pet pals of all ages

Enjoy these fun dog facts that deliver a variety of information about interesting breeds, puppies, guide dogs such as Labradors and much more. As the famous saying goes, dogs are man's best friend. Whether it's as reliable workers, family pets or loyal companions, dogs are wonderful domestic animals that offer a number of qualities that are put to good use by humans.

In total there is said to be around 400 million dogs in the world.

The domestic dog has been one of the most popular working and companion animals throughout human history.

Dogs perform many useful tasks for humans including hunting, farm work and security as well as assisting those with disabilities such as the blind.

Although experts often disagree, there is scientific evidence which shows that the domestication of dogs could have occurred more than 15,000 years ago.

There are hundreds of different breeds of dogs.

Examples of these breeds include: Bulldog, German Shepherd, Collie, Golden Retriever, St Bernard, Greyhound, Bloodhound, Chihuahua, Labrador, Great Dane, Rottweiler, Boxer and Cocker Spaniel.

The most popular breed of dog in the world by registered ownership is the Labrador. With their gentle nature, obedience, intelligence and near limitless energy, Labradors make for excellent family pets and reliable workers. They often assist police and are a common choice as guide dogs.

Dogs have formed such a strong bond as pets, workers and companions

to humans that they have earned the nickname "man's best friend".

Humans help train various dog breeds to enter in competitions such as breed shows, agility and obedience contests, racing and sled pulling.

Dogs have superior hearing than humans, capable of hearing sounds four times the distance.

Dogs have a remarkable sense of smell, they are capable of differentiating odors in concentrations nearly 100 million times lower than humans can.

The average life span for a dog is around 10 to 14 years.

Those involved in dog breeding refer to males as 'dogs', females as 'bitches', dogs younger than a year old as 'puppies' and a group of offspring as a 'litter'.

Domestic dogs are omnivores, they feed on a variety of foods including grains, vegetables and meats.

Enjoy Finding Dory under the stars with FHN

FHN and the Freeport Park District will present a free showing of Finding Dory on a giant 25-foot screen Friday, July 14, at Read Park in Freeport.

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FROM LENA'S KITCHEN



The not so skinny cook

I hope you all had a great Fourth of July celebration. There were fireworks all around, and the weather was perfect for a cookout. I can't believe we will be in the middle of July by next weekend. Time is flying, and I still have things to do!! This week's recipes are a potpourri of tastes and colors. Enjoy each and every one of them because they are easy and good to eat.

The first recipe is for refrigerator dill pickles. This one has you use the small cucumbers that are just arriving at the Farmer's Markets and your gardens. The great thing about these pickles is they will keep in the refrigerator for a month. A suggestion—wash your jars in the dish washer to make sure they are really clean and sanitized.

Refrigerator Garlic, Dill Spears

6 garlic cloves, peeled
4 t. dill seed
2 t. black peppercorns
3 lbs. small cucumbers
2¼ C. apple cider vinegar
2¼ C. water
2 T. plus ¾ t. pickling salt

Divide garlic, dill and peppercorns between 2 clean quart jars. Wash cucumbers and trim away the ends. Cut each into spears. Pack the spears vertically and snugly into jars.

Stir together vinegar, water, and salt in a small pot and bring to a boil. Carefully pour or ladle hot brine into the jars, covering the cucumbers and leaving ½ inch headspace. Tap the jars gently to remove any air bubbles, and add more brine if necessary to leave the ½ inch headspace. Wipe the rims clean with a damp paper towel.

Let cool completely at least one hour. Apply clean lids and chill in the fridge at least 48 hours before eating for the best flavor. The flavor will improve with time. Store in the fridge up to one month.

This salad is very different because I think you could use it as a dessert or a salad. You can use all blackberries or raspberries. I think the strawberries mixed with other berries is better than just plain strawberries or blueberries; however, use what you like!

Beery Cheesecake Salad

4 oz. cream cheese, softened
½ C. sour cream
1½ C. milk
1 pkg. (3.4 oz.) Jell-O Cheesecake Flavor Instant Pudding
8 C. of a mixture of blackberries, blueberries, raspberries, sliced strawberries

Beat the cream cheese and sour cream in a large bowl with a mixer until blended. Gradually add the

milk, mixing well after each addition.

Add the dry pudding mix and beat for 2 minutes. Stir in the fruit. Refrigerate at least 1 hour. This salad is great served with graham crackers.

This is an interesting combination of potatoes and green beans. It is not really a mayo filled salad, and the Dijon mustard gives it just a little tang.

Potato Salad

½ lb. red potatoes
4 oz. fresh green beans, trimmed and halved on a bias
3 T. white wine vinegar
2 T. mayonnaise
1 T. extra-virgin olive oil
2 t. Dijon mustard
½ t. honey
Salt and black pepper to taste
½ C. halved grape tomatoes
2 T. chopped green onions

Cook the potatoes in a pot of boiling salted water 8 minutes. Add green beans and cook until potatoes are fork-tender, 3-4 minutes more; drain, transfer to a bowl, and let cool.

Whisk together vinegar, mayo, oil, Dijon and honey for the dressing; season with salt and pepper.

Add the tomatoes and onions to potato and green beans mixture and toss with dressing to coat; chill until ready to serve.

This recipe is an easy one to have as a side or a main dish for a vegetarian meal. You can add a salad and some crusty bread, and you have a great meal.

Stuffed Spinach

1 pkg. (10 oz.) frozen chopped spinach, thawed and squeezed dry
¾ C. bread crumbs
½ C. butter, melted
¼ C. grated Parmesan cheese
3 large eggs, lightly beaten
1½ t. pepper
Sliced tomatoes

Preheat the oven to 350. Lightly grease an 8 x 8 baking dish. In a large bowl, combine the spinach, bread crumbs, butter, cheese, eggs and pepper. Spoon the mixture into the prepared dish and bake for 15-18 minutes or until firm. Garnish with sliced tomatoes.

You can make this main dish the day before. It does make two casseroles, so it would feed a crowd. You probably could buy the shredded cheeses already packaged, but shredding your own gives the dish a better flavor. This hearty chicken dish is full of good "stuff" and easy to make. You can use rotisserie chicken to make it even easier.

Chicken Enchiladas

1 box (6.8 oz.) Spanish rice
1 C. chopped onion

1 can (15.5 Oz.) pinto beans, drained
1 pkg. (8 oz.) cream cheese, softened
2 blocks Monterey Jack cheese (8 oz. each), shredded
1 block Colby Jack cheese, shredded

¼ C. minced fresh parsley or cilantro
2 T. ground cumin
1 T. fresh lime juice
2 t. ground coriander
½ t. salt
4 C. shredded cooked chicken
16 burrito-size flour tortillas
1 can (19 oz.) enchilada sauce
Preheat the oven to 350. Spray 2 (9 x 13) baking dishes with cooking spray. Prepare the Spanish rice according to package directions. Stir onion into hot rice.

In a large bowl, combine the Spanish rice mixture, pinto beans, cream cheese, 2 cups Monterey Jack cheese, Colby Jack cheese, cilantro, cumin, lime juice, coriander and salt. Add the chicken, stirring to combine. Spoon about ½ cup filling onto center of each tortilla; roll up tortilla tightly.

Place the enchiladas, seam side down, in a single layer in the sprayed baking dishes. Top evenly with enchilada sauce. Sprinkle with remaining 2 cups, Monterey Jack cheese. Bake for 35-45 minutes or until hot and bubbly. Garnish with cilantro,

This is a perfect summer cake. If you don't have an oven safe baking bowl, you could make it in two layers (You would have to split one or use 3 round layer pans). The bowl gives it a different shape. You can use either canned (drained) or fresh pineapple and fresh oranges or drained mandarin oranges.

Sunshine Cake

1 pkg. (2 layer size) white cake mix
1 pkg. (3.3 oz.) Jell-O white chocolate flavor instant pudding
¼ C. milk
2 pkg. (8 oz. each) cream cheese, softened
1/3 C. sugar
1 tub (8 oz.) Cool Whip, thawed and divided
Yellow and orange food coloring
Yellow and orange sprinkles
12 slices fresh pineapple cut in half
6 slices of orange that have been halved

Preheat the oven to 325. Prepare the cake batter as directed on the package. Add the dry pudding mix and mil; beat 2 minutes. Pour into

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PNC Bank, National Association

PLAINTIFF

Vs.
Marcia M. Bennett; Unknown
Owners and Nonrecord Claimants

DEFENDANTS

17CH 00022

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Marcia M. Bennett

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CASE NO. 17MR53
LEGAL NOTICE

Public Notice is hereby given that on August 8, 2017, at 1:30 p.m. at the Stephenson County Courthouse, 15 N. Galena Avenue, Freeport, Illinois, I will have my petition heard in said Court for the change of my name from:

Annalynn Lewis
to that of

Annalynn Hoefer

Dated: June 16, 2017

MELINDA LEWIS

Petitioner Signature

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ASSUMED NAME PUBLICATION

Public Notice is hereby given that on **June 29, 2017**, 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: **Oma Luf's Bakery** located at **15948 W. Cemetery Rd., Kent, IL 61044**.

Dated **June 29, 2017**

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2½ qt. ovenproof bowl, sprayed with cooking spray. Bake 1 hour or until a toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Cool for 10 minutes. Loosen the cake from the side of the bowl

with a knife. Invert onto a wire rack and remove the bowl. Cool the cake completely.

In a separate bowl, mix the cream cheese until blended. Stir in 1 cup of

Cool Whip. Spoon 1 cup cream cheese mixture into a separate bowl and stir in 3 drops of yellow food coloring. Stir 4 drops orange food coloring into remaining cream cheese mixture. Re-

frigerate both until ready to use.

Cut the cake horizontally into 3 layers. Place the largest cake layer on a platter or cake plate; spread with orange cream cheese mixture. Cover with middle cake layer and spread with yellow cream cheese mixture. Top with remaining cake layer.

Frost cake with remaining Cool Whip. Garnish with sprinkles. Alternate with pineapple and orange slices around the cake on the plate to resemble the sun.

Hope to see you downtown on Wednesday evening for the Gathering. Each week brings more to the Farmer's Market. On July 12 Rafters will be selling their great sandwiches, Benchwarmers will have Cheese Curds, Café 217 drinks and ice cream, the Farmer's Market, the bread truck, and several other unique vendors will also be there. We continue to look for summer recipes that feature black or red raspberries, strawberries, radishes, onions, and asparagus.

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.

Lena Women's Slow pitch Softball League Win/Loss stats as of June 29

Corner Tap 0 and 6
 Iron Horse 4 and 2
 Lena State Bank 4 and 2
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 Honey Creek Mill 1 and 5

Bustos announces \$1.3 million in funding for Head Start in East Dubuque and Freeport

Congresswoman Cheri Bustos (IL-17) announced a \$1,304,469 grant for the Northwestern Illinois Community Action Agency to operate their Head Start program. Head Start promotes the school readiness for young children from low-income families from birth to age five by enhancing their cognitive, social and emotional development. The grant was awarded through the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and will help fund Northwestern Illinois Community Action's Head Start classrooms in East Dubuque and Freeport, which serve 190 children.

"I'm proud to help announce this important early childhood education funding that will help kids in East Dubuque and Freeport get a better start in life," Congresswoman Bustos said. "Head Start is such an important program that ensures all of our children have the opportunity to reach their full potential. Even in these tough economic times, we must continue to make these important investments in our children's future."

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College News

UW-Platteville lists spring 2017 graduates

The University of Wisconsin-Platteville announces its graduating class for the spring 2017 semester. Students from this area who received their diplomas include: Brett Brown of Elizabeth, Criminal Justice, Hannah Davidson of Hanover, Broadfield Science, Jason and Justin Kempel of Lena, Agricultural Business, Lindsey Robieson of Orangeville, Elementary Education, Patrick Foley of Pearl City, Agricultural Business, Trent Gerlach, Agricultural Business and

Dustin Lawson, Criminal Justice both of Stockton.

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