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Area trio proves sweet treats are the best therapy

By Tony Carton
EDITOR

We all grew up curious and maybe even obsessed with our neighborhood ice cream stand; the shiny glass accenting the stainless steel counters and fixtures, the hustle and bustle of the scoopers, and the wavering sounds of folks making that big (and incredibly difficult) decision. Sweet treats are the high point of many a day and three young ladies (coupled with what they claim is minimal parental influence) have managed to recreate those special "Ice Cream Parlor" moments in their Elizabeth snackery, the Three Sisters Sweet Shoppe.

Three Sisters is located in the heart of Jo Daviess County at 224 N. Main St. in Elizabeth and is owned and operated by Madelyn, Kathryn, and Evelyn Walters.

And, because even in the sweet treats business someone has to be the grownup, Lara Walters, aka the mom in the story, said the Three Sisters Shoppe is a result of the family's involvement with Energize Elizabeth, a rural development program led by Western Illinois University.

"In the fall of 2014 my oldest daughter, Madelyn, was in eighth grade and participated in the program along with about 75 community members young and old," said Walters. "My daughter, like everyone there, had an interest in promoting and energizing her community and at the time, she and her two younger sisters had been successfully selling cupcakes and baked goods at our local farmer's market for a couple of years while observing businesses in the community."

As enthusiasm for the Energize Elizabeth project grew, Madelyn, Kate, and Evelyn approached their parents about opening a brick and mortar shop in Elizabeth so they could expand their cupcake business. "They thought it was a great idea since my husband and I both teach and have a summer break to help them," Walters said. "They even had a spot picked out which had been a vacant storefront with a vacant lot in the middle of downtown."



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The crew at the Three Sisters Sweet Shoppe in Elizabeth is ready for summer scooping.

The sister's idea was exactly what the Energize program was about, and even though the building the girls chose was not for sale they were not intimidated.

"Eventually, the owner was identified and he was open to selling the building and put a storefront business back into the community," Walters said. "Something that building had not been used for in close to 30 years."

Problem two: mom and dad needed convincing this was a sound business venture.

"The girls were able to convince me and I helped develop a business plan that required all three sisters to be the labor force that would bring their dream to reality," Walters said. "This was a big commitment from a ninth grader, a seventh grader, and a

fourth grader."

And, after overcoming those seemingly insurmountable obstacles, Three Sisters Sweet Shoppe opened for the summer of 2015 in Elizabeth and this summer (2019) marks their fifth anniversary.

"It's definitely a work in progress," she said. "We're constantly changing things, deciding what works and what doesn't work. And now, we've reached the point where the girls are all taking their food sanitation courses, so they can take over and I can just sort of stand back and watch it

all develop."

Madelyn, the oldest of the sisters is majoring in economics at the University of Southern Illinois and is learning to apply her "real life" business experience to her academic endeavors and vice versa.

"I think it's more interesting now to see in my economics classes how I can relate that to stuff that I've already learned in my years at the shop," Madelyn said. "I'm finding and learning the actual vocab words for things that I always thought were our own ideas."

With 2019 being their sixth summer the family is busy looking at opportunities for expansion.

"I guess the question we're facing now is do we want to expand," said Madelyn. "I mean we have found some successes, but are we ready to get bigger? How do we deal with the issue of needing more parking? Do we go stronger into gift merchandising? Do we offer more sweets?"

Their group decision-making pro-

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The weather is perfect, the music is hot, and the samples are delicious when Apple Canyon Lake hosts its annual Smoke on the Water BBQ competition.



Shawn and Kevin Livingston of the Show Me Smoker team put the final touches on a batch of chicken legs at the Apple Canyon Lake Smoke on the Water BBQ competition.



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Summer fun

The "You Ate The Bone" BBQ team out of Pearl City came to the annual Smoke on the Water competition at Apple Canyon Lake.



Kim VanRaalte, Irvin Geise, Wayne VanRaalte of Spitfire BBQ in Shannon are working on their award winning recipes during the Smoke on the Water competition at Apple Canyon Lake.

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Robert Webb, Jerry Lawson, and Calvin Stalls prep one of their winning dishes at the Apple Canyon Lake "Smoke on the Water" BBQ event.



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Summer fun

It was all about the cars at the annual Taste of Lena festival.



Games, music, great food, and more are the order of the day during the Taste of Lena festival.



Whether it is hot cars or music or great food or just a stroll downtown, there are plenty of choices at Taste of Lena.

Carroll & Jo Daviess County relayers lead fight against cancer

"Thank you" Carroll and JoDaviess County Cancer Relay for Life Teams! This past weekend was the 18th annual American Cancer Society Relay for Life walk at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church/Antl Hall in Savanna. Over \$48,000 has been raised with more donations to come in yet.

Many businesses, organizations, and individuals contributed with monetary donations or gave of their time to help with this event. Corporate sponsors included: Kunes Country Auto Group, FHN, Milledgeville State Bank, Savanna-Thomson State Bank, Smith Farming Corporation, TBK Bank, Herman Family, Kempel Urish Construction, Manny's Pizza, Mount Carroll Church of God, St. John the Baptist Catholic Church, Wursters Sales & Service LLC, Albrecht Motors, Apple River State Bank, Community Bank, and West

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Individuals earning the Purple Club (\$10,000 & more) was Mary Behan; All-Star Club (\$2500 & more) Bev Lundquist; Grand Club (\$1000 & more) Vicki Prowant, Karen McCarty, Kathy Fossett, Penny Fink, Dawn Dampman, and Deb Long.

Team awards included: Jade (\$10,000+) What's Trump, Deep Purple Dreams, Albrecht Stars; Silver (\$3500+) MJ's Remembrance, Money Clips; Rising Star (\$1000+) Queenbee's, and Patriots.

Kaydra Heller, mother of 3-year old son, Paul, who is fighting cancer shared their story of how their life has changed and how important the simple things can be. A highlight of the evening was the Luminaria Ceremony where the names of over 400 persons were read who have either lost their fight against cancer or are

present day survivors. The ceremony was held in the sanctuary of the church which made for a beautiful sight with the luminary bags aglow. The ceremony included prayer by Pastor Niel Shoffner, and Steve Sheffey singing and playing his trumpet interspersed with the reading of the names.

A wrap-up meeting is planned for Monday, July 8, at 6 p.m., at Shaw's Express in Mt. Carroll. Anyone interested in serving on the committee is invited to attend. If anyone has any suggestions for improvement you may contact any of this year's committee composed of Donna Landis, Janet Barkley, Kris Eden, Bev Lundquist, Karen McCarty, Sheri Traum, Pat Townsend, or Cindy Law.

Thank you for joining the American Cancer Society in the quest to save lives, celebrate lives, and lead the fight for a world without cancer!

Timber Lake Playhouse presents *Noises Off*

Timber Lake Playhouse (TLP), the premier professional summer theatre of northwest Illinois, continues its 58th Season with the hysterical play, *Noises Off*.

Called "the funniest farce ever written," *Noises Off* presents a manic menagerie of nomadic actors rehearsing a flop called *Nothing's On*. Doors slamming, on and offstage intrigue, and a whole lot of sardines all figure in the plot of this hilarious and classically comic play.

Noises Off is directed by Chicago director, Kevin Theis, who directed last summer's hit comedy, *Baskerville*. "It is a director's dream to be able to work on 'Noises Off' as there isn't a funnier or more challenging play in existence. The cast and I have been working on overtime to bring the show to life and I cannot wait to share what we've done with TLP's audiences," says Theis.

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Noises Off stars New York actor, Laura Speath along with TLP Resident Acting Company, James Tweedale, Blake West, Evan Bertram, Morgan Arrivillaga, Conor Jordan, J. C. Barry and Rebecca Marowitz.

Noises Off opens Thursday June 20th and runs through Sunday June 30th. Tickets available online at www.timberlakeplayhouse.org or by calling the Box Office, 815-244-2035.

Make reservations now for the Company Cabaret after the June 22 performance of *Noises Off*. The TLP company will entertain on The Deck immediately following the show. There is no charge for the Cabaret but reservations are suggested.

Join TLP on Saturday, June 29 for The Sheriff's a Goner - A Murder Mystery Dinner in the barn. Help us try to figure out who killed the Sher-

iff. Enjoy a menu of smoked brisket, ribs, cowboy beans and homemade potato salad. We'll top it off with apple crisp and ice cream for dessert along with coffee, tea and milk and breads from our bakery. Come in western attire, play a character in our mystery or just come as you are and play along. The cost for dinner and the game is \$35.

Don't miss all the exciting events at Timber Lake this summer. For more information, visit the TLP website at www.timberlakeplayhouse.org or call the Box Office at 815-244-2035. Box Office hours are Monday through Friday from 10 - 3 and until intermission on show days.

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CHURCH NEWS

St. John's Lutheran Church hosts Ice Cream Social

By Sherry Sager

Isn't it wonderful to know that in this wild, crazy world, there are still warm, wonderful people who treasure friendship, good food and giving to others? St John's Lutheran Church of Massbach, IL is just such a place.

The annual Ice Cream Social at St John's will be held, rain or shine, at the church on Thursday, June 20, from 4 to 7:30 p.m. at 8315 S Massbach Rd. They will be serving cafeteria style. Offerings include Italian Beef and BBQ sandwiches, hot dogs, German and regular potato salad, seven layer salad, cottage cheese, Jello salads, Calico beans, potato chips, ice cream, lemonade, coffee and a huge assortment of the best homemade pies and cakes. The church is air conditioned and handicapped accessible. Carry outs are available.

This beautiful church family began more than 160 years ago when local people began gathering under a tree in the Massbach area, out in the open, to practice their religion. It continues today under the leadership of Pastors Lisa and Bruce Burbank. Situated on the rolling hills of rural Jo Daviess County Southwest of Stockton, it is truly in peaceful, lovely surroundings.

Each year the church picks a cause to donate the proceeds of the ice cream social. This year is particularly close to their hearts, as they will donate all proceeds to the family of Paul Heller, who has been fighting

stage 4 Cancer. Little Paul is only 4 years old. His family is from the Stockton/Warren area. Because of a Wilms Tumor, his right kidney had to be removed. The cancer has spread to both lungs, Lymph nodes and Renal artery. He is undergoing 31 weeks of chemo and radiation therapy at UW Children's Hospital in Madison. Paul has 2 brothers, Tyler (14) and Johnathon (10). His parents are Brandon & Kaydra (McPeck) Heller. So, please join them on June 20th. You will be helping this little guy immensely and enjoying a terrific meal. They are fabulous cooks. Come join them!

For further information regarding the event or donations, contact Chairwoman Minnie Lieb at 815-947-2132.

Poetry

For Brooke and Robert

By Don Powers

I have a broken dream,

It feels like shards of glass.

My mind is always racing,

Running from its past.

Sometimes I want to tell others,

To make them understand.

But my words always fail me,

When I see the broken man.

I always want to help him,

To take his guilt away.

But as I look into the mirror,

I realize I don't know what to

say.

Not one of the 22

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

All are invited on June 23, to Good Shepherd, 118 E. Mason St. Lena, IL as we gather for worship with Holy Communion at 9:30 a.m. Men's choir will sing at the service. Confirmation class will meet at 11 a.m. for prayer, discussion, and learning. After the service we will have potluck lunch. Men's group will grill pork chops. Bring sides, salad, or dessert to share.

On Wednesday June 26, 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!

During the month of June we are having a silent auction to raise funds for our Youth Group activities. Items are in the Fellowship Hall. Stop by anytime and check them out!

If you have any questions call the church at 815-369-5552.

Salem United Church of Christ (Lena)

Please join us at Salem United Church of Christ, 8491 W. Salem Road, Lena, for worship at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday, June 23. The scripture lesson for the sermon by Pastor Randal Nicholas, "Ford, Ferrari and Faith," is Galatians 5:1, 13-25. The Wednesday Morning Breakfast Group will be at the Country Junction, 1669 Willard Drive in Freeport at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, June 26.

St. John's Lutheran Church (Pearl City)

You're welcome to attend worship at St. John's on Sunday, June 23 at 9 a.m. The Young Adult Hour will all meet after worship. The Christian Education Committee will meet at 11 a.m. on June 23.

Interested in a brief morning prayer? Join Pastor Ekstrand in the sanctuary on Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 9 a.m. for a Morning Prayer.

All are welcome to attend a "Journey Through Grief" event on June 29, at 10 a.m. at St. John's. Donna Kelly of Shepherd of Prairie Lutheran Church of Huntley will be the presenter. There is no charge for participation in this event. This event is for all who have lost a loved one whether it is a spouse, a parent, a sibling, a child, a grandchild, a friend or any other relational loss."

All are welcome to attend "A Journey through Grief" regardless of your personal grief experiences. Grief is a noun meaning deep sorrow. To encounter this information may impact your current and/or future health and wellness.

The St. John's Brat Stand has resumed for the summer. Join us on June 22, and July 6, for a Brat or Hot Dog in downtown Pearl City at the American Legion Parking Lot from 11 am 2 pm.

Charles Boop, Pearl City, was the winner of the \$200 Calendar Raffle drawing on June 9, 2019.

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

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

Willow United Methodist Church

The Willow United Methodist Church will worship Sunday, June 23, at 9a.m. Pastor Chuck Wolbers will be bringing the message. All are invited and welcome to stay for fellowship after the message followed by Sunday School at 10:30. We are new DVD/CD format for our SS that is working out great. All are invited and welcome to this time too.

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Mom's gift gives laughs

The Galena Center for the Arts will present an audience pleaser with a surprise ending in June's table reading of Mom's Gift by Phil Olson at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, June 25. In this comedy with a heart, Mom has been dead for 11 months, but shows up at her husband's birthday party as a spirit with a mission. But the challenge is, there are so many difficulties within the family that she doesn't know which problem she should try

to fix. Mom's Gift features Jenni Ackerman, Jim Ott, Lynda Mackie, Melissa McGuire, Stephanie Bussan, Ben Behlke and Lilly Dickerson, and is directed by Carole Sullivan. Please join us for this funny and warmhearted play.

The reading will be presented in the ADA accessible performance space at the Center for the Arts, located at 219 Summit Street in Galena. Suggested donation is \$8. For more information, call 779-214-0261, or visit www.GalenaCenterForTheArts.com.

Blue-green algae bloom season is approaching

Those heading out to lakes and rivers this summer are reminded to be on the lookout for blue-green algae, also known as cyanobacteria, on water bodies across the state. Some blue-green algae can make toxins that cause illness in people and animals who accidentally swallow, inhale, or have prolonged skin contact with the algae.

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Downings Celebrate 60 Years

Randall (Randy) and Sylvia Downing of rural Stockton will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on June 20. Randy met Sylvia Ann Skaggs while both attended the University of Washington and they were married in Lakewood, Washington June 20, 1959 shortly after graduating. They have lived in Jo Daviess County since 1990 following Randy's retirement from Bell Telephone laboratories. They have three children: Lisa Downing (Abe Roth) of Columbus OH, Linda (Adam) Miller of Oak Park IL, and Douglas Downing of Milwaukee WI. They are also proud grandparents of four: Valerie and Regina Miller and Elliot and Owen Roth.

Did grandpa go fishing? Collecting old wooden fishing lures

Jerry Pardus, retired Stephenson County Sheriff, has been collecting antique fishing lures about 18 years. He will speak at the Green County Genealogical Society's July 6, meeting about his wooden fishing lure collection consisting of, but is not limited to, what is referred to as the "Big 5" lure companies - Creek Chub, Heddon, South Bend, Shakespeare, and Pflueger. He also has lures from other companies including some made in Wisconsin of the Monroe Public Library at 10 a.m. Saturday, July 6. Refreshments are available for 15 minutes before the meeting. Visitors are always welcome and there is no cost to attend. You may call Sharon Mitchell (815-868-2416) or Donna Kjendlie (608-921-1537) if you have questions. Please leave a message if we are not available to answer.

The GCGS Research Center (located in lower level of the Monroe Public Library) is available to the public for research. Research Center hours are: Tuesdays and third Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and first Saturday after the meeting from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. or by appointment by calling 608-921-1537. Main holdings are on Green County. Both Rock and Lafayette Counties are well represented as well as several other counties, states, countries, and ethnic groups. A large clipping collection of births, marriages and obituaries is available. Volunteers are on staff to help with your research.



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Reunions — Obituaries

Lobdell reunion scheduled

The annual Lobdell reunion will be held on Sunday June 30, at Lions Park in Lena.

Please bring a dish to pass and your own beverage and table service.

Scheider Family Reunion

The Scheider Family Reunion will be held on Sunday June 23, at 12:30 p.m. at Dodd's Park in Lena. Bring a dish or two to share, drink, and your own table service. Bring any history updates for our family book.

Birthday wishes



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Helen Hicks celebrates 107th Birthday

Helen Hicks formerly of the Stockton area turn 107 on June 19, 2019. Helen has 2 daughters Salome Brown and Judy Hammer. The family is organizing a Card Shower and cards may be sent to:

**Helen Hicks
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Monroe, WI 53566**

DORLEEN A. SWITZER

Dorleen A. Switzer, age 80 of Orangeville, IL, passed away June 8, 2019 at the Presence St. Joseph Center in Freeport, IL.

This obituary of a remarkable woman was written by her husband of over 60 years, Stephen Switzer. Dorleen was born and raised on the Showers Century Farm in Orangeville, IL, born Nov. 11, 1938, the only child of Elwood and Grace Showers.

She attended and graduated from a one room country school (Franklin) and graduated from Orangeville High School class of 1956. During the 1950's, she was an elite gymnast with the Swiss Turners of Monroe, WI. Dorleen traveled and competed with the Swiss Turners in many parts of the United States, always a top performer and won many awards.

On June 8, 1958, she married Stephen A. Switzer in the Orangeville Methodist Church. While Steve served in the U.S. Army, she kept the home fire burning. For many years she worked in the insurance industry in Freeport, IL. In the 1960's, 1970's, and 1980's she was known as a wonderful cook and hostess. Her New Years Eve and 4th of July galas were legendary.

Their son, Joel Stephen was born Dec. 22, 1971 and before he went to grade school, she taught him to ride a bike, skateboard, ride a unicycle, swim and play cribbage. Through all of Joel's school years, she was kind and generous to his many friends. Dorleen was always supportive of me during my 32 years of "Patterson Buildings". (A remarkable feat) A long time member of the Masonic Fraternity, she served several terms as Worthy Matron of Freeport Chapter #303 Order of Eastern Star, where she was considered to be one of the best ritualists ever. She even installed her cousin, Nancy Veach, as Worthy Matron in Arkansas.

Dorleen loved to travel, especially the American West and Alaska. She had visited all 50 states and numerous foreign countries. In 2001, Dorleen and Steve built and



retired on a small acreage west of Orangeville, where they loved the changing season, the wild animals and pond to enjoy with family and friends.

In August 2017, her only son Joel was killed in an accident near Fairbanks, Alaska. Even with the wonderful love and support from family and friends, Dorleen never recovered from that.

Visitation was held on Friday June 14, at the Cramer-Leamon Funeral Home in Orangeville, IL.

A graveside service was held on Saturday, June 15, at Oakland Cemetery in Freeport.

A memorial has been established in her name for the Orangeville Volunteer Fire Department.

A luncheon will follow at the Crystal Room at the Masonic Temple, 305 West Stephenson Street in Freeport.

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

MARY ELLEN KAISER

Mary Ellen Kaiser of McConnell, IL passed away on April 17, 2019. The family held a Celebration of Life on June 16, 2019 at the Prince of Peace Lutheran Church in Freeport, IL.

ROGER C. SCHULTZ

Roger C. Schultz, 74, of Freeport passed away on Monday, June 3, 2019 at Generations at Neighbors in Byron, IL. Roger was born on June 2, 1945 in Freeport, IL to Clarence and Marian (Dunbar) Schultz. He served his country in the United States Army from 1965-1967. He loved Farmall tractors, farming in general, the country, and fishing.

Roger is survived by his son Lucas (Toni) Schultz of Freeport, grandchildren; Adella Rose and Delta Mae, and one on the way; children from his first wife Charlotte Euler; Blake, Wendell, and Monica Klosa, sisters Betty Jones of Rochelle, IL, Pat (Thomas) Williams of Utah, and Karen Adams of Madison, WI, and a special friend, Lorraine Williams.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister Yvonne Smith.

Per his wishes, no services will be held.

Burial will be at Elmwood Cemetery in Warren, IL.

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

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331 N Hudson St 6/21 & 6/22 8 AM - 4 PM. Dishes, baby swing, baby stroller, lawn chairs, buffet server & warming tray

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505 S Ward St. 4 tires 185 65 R1 M&S goodyear, 7 boxes vinyl floor tiles, 12 boxes vinyl plank flooring, washer & gas dryer, Nordic Track Skier, children's items, many household items, misc items.

520 N Stockton St. Fri 8 am - 2 pm, Sat 8 am - 1 pm. Lawn & garden, misc household, dolls, dishes, holiday items, linens, knick knacks, glassware, cookware, jewelry, and more!

5483 S Curtiss Rd Fri 8-4 Sat 8-12. Frigidaire chest freezer, wood burning fireplace, crocks, antique furniture, oak flush interior doors, dishes, framed pictures, small household appliances. Lots more treasures!



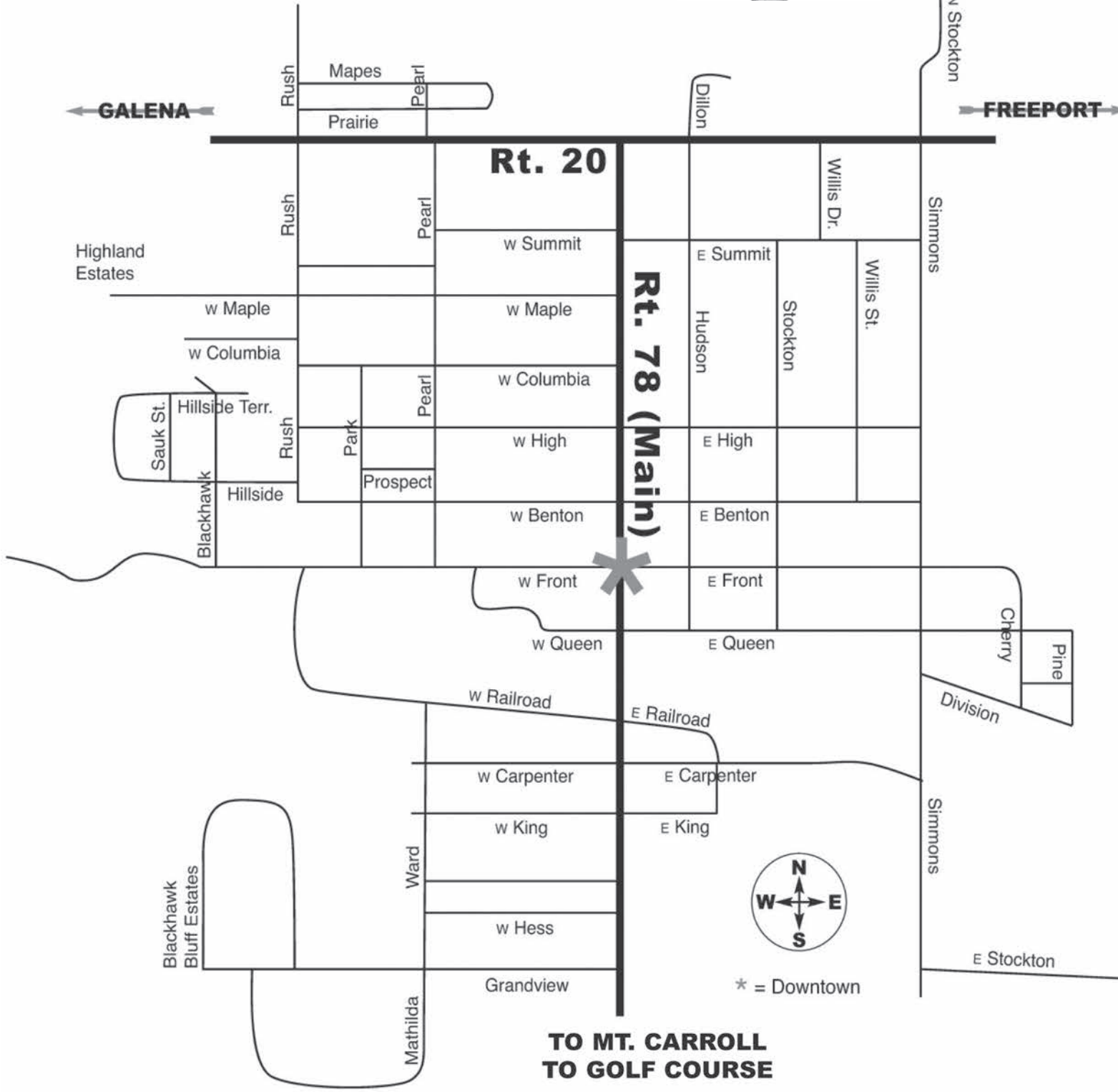
574 S. Ward St. Moved from a big two story Victorian to a small Ranch, Everything priced to sell! Pictures, lamps, some antiques, couch, many different things, sewing machine, table, rug 10X12, craft materials, much more! Fri. Sat. 9-?

625 Stockton Drive 6/21 & 6/22 8-3. Toys, Chuggington train table, Thomas Train, collectable dolls, books, vinyl records, misc household items, some clothing & shoes

804 N Simmons St My daughter and I have Marie Condoid our homes! Come see what no longer sparks joy! Household goods, toddler girls clothes, adult women's clothes, ETC.



9905 US HWY 20 E SANDY'S MOVING IN SALE. 6/21 & 6/22. Many log home items, nice pub table w/4 bear & deer stools, professional keyboard on stand, lamps, king size Amish quilt, dishes, rolling pin col., fridge, patio set, air dyne bike, nice ladies clothes M-L, xmas decor. Ruby glass



Friday, June 21st & Saturday, June 22nd



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Summer fun

It is always Youth Baseball at its best when Warren and Stockton face off on the diamond.



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Biggest tree

JDCF is sponsoring a 'Biggest Tree Contest' to celebrate the wonder of Illinois native tress. Gather the family for a hike in your back 40, set aside, or tree stands to discover and record the largest native trees within each of the designated species that grow in Carroll, Jo Daviess, and Stephenson counties. For those living in town, take a look in your own front yards, head to public parks and preserves, or take a drive along less-traveled roads in search of big trees. We hope that in your pursuit of these giants, you will become more aware of the beauty and importance of Illinois' native trees. Rules, species list, instructions, and a nomination form can be found at www.jdcf.org/events. The contest will run from April - October, 2019.



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FFA Convention

Seven Stockton FFA members attended the 91st FFA Convention in Springfield, IL. June 10 through 13. They attended several workshops and the college fair expo. Hailey Brudi daughter of Brad and Val Brudi received her IL State FFA Degree.

Back row: Joseph Brudi, Owen Logeman, Cody Breuer, Cameron Mapes, Jamie Stocks.

Front row: Kendra Scafe and Haley Brudi.



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New Listings

Lena • \$189,900



Bright and airy walk out ranch home. Split bedroom floor plan, vaulted ceiling in the living room which also features a gas fireplace, plant shelf and patio door to deck. Kitchen has lazy susan, pantry closet and generous cabinet space. The master bedroom has it's own bath and walk in closet. Main floor laundry with wash tub and closet. The lower features a family room with dry bar and room for a game table, bedroom, half bath and storage space.

Freeport • \$55,500



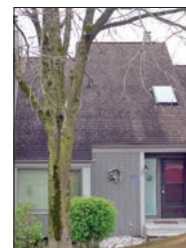
2 bedroom ranch home with living room, galley kitchen with eating area beside, full bath, and mix use room with laundry area. Patio door in kitchen area accesses the fenced in backyard with concrete patio to sit out and enjoy the yard. Home also features 1 Stall attached garage. Property is a short sale.

Dakota • \$129,900



Enter into the heated front porch with a smaller side porch, perfect for your bug free enjoyment. Once inside is the entry, living room, dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms and the full bath. Upstairs is a spacious master bedroom with skylights, walk in closet and sitting area plus storage space galore. Downstairs is the second bathroom and more storage space. The two stall garage offers room for a workshop and more storage space.

Galena • \$120,000



This walk out townhouse offers three floors of living space. Upper level has bedroom with bath and sitting area that overlooks dining room. Main floor has bedroom with bath that also has door to hall, living room with fireplace open to dining room with skylight and patio door to upper deck. Lower level has room with a closet, laundry/mechanical room, storage space and spacious family room with another patio door to a lower deck.

Other Listings

Winslow • \$55,900



Walk into an enclosed front porch which leads you to the eat in kitchen. On the main level you will also find the living room, master bedroom, full bath and laundry room. Upstairs you will find 2 bedrooms with hall closet for one of the bedrooms. Outside there is a back deck and 2 stall detached garage with plenty of area to play in the backyard

Lena • \$84,900



Home features 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, living room, den, eat in kitchen, dining room, mud room, enclosed front porch with woodstove. Door in mudroom leads to a concrete patio and large back yard. Walk in closet in main floor bedroom.

Lena • \$119,900



Charm throughout this 3+ bedroom home. The covered front porch welcomes you into the bright and airy living room & dining room. There is a main bedroom with access to the half bath. Upstairs you will find the other 2 + bedrooms and the full bath with double bowl vanity. The other room upstairs is being used as an office/toy room, it would make a cute nursery. The kitchen has stainless steel appliances, door to enclosed back porch, deck and partially fenced in back yard. There is a dream 30' x 36' garage with 10' walls, 8' x 10' doors, insulated, heated and has a concrete floor w/floor drains. Home has Nest smoke & carbon detectors and thermostat.

411 N. Center, Lena • \$139,900



Two story on corner lot close to park. The home has 4 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, kitchen with snack bar, dining room, living room, LL family room and 3 seasons porch. Beautiful wood floors, crown molding & trim, built-ins in the upper hallway. One of the bedrooms is currently being used as an office and another one is being used as the laundry. There are laundry hook ups in the basement so it can be moved back down. Walk up attic for storage needs. There is a one stall garage and another two stall garage off of the alley. Pending Home Sale.

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FROM LENA'S KITCHEN



The not so skinny cook

I could use the same intro I had last week; we did have some sun, but we also had cool weather and rain. It is sort of like a broken record. One of these days the weather will change, and we will have to be ready for it. We continue with some summer recipes using seasonal vegetables and fruits.

I have made spinach salad with the bacon dressing for a long time; however, I have never used brown sugar and ground mustard. The dressing is really good and has just a little different taste.

Spinach Salad with Hot Bacon Dressing

8 C. torn fresh spinach
3 bacon strips, diced
½ C. chopped red onion
2 T. brown sugar
2 T. cider vinegar
¼ t. salt
¼ t. ground mustard
1/8 t. celery seed
1/8 t. pepper
1 t. cornstarch
1/3 C. cold water

Place spinach in a large salad bowl;

set aside. In a small nonstick skillet, cook bacon over medium-high heat until crisp. Using a slotted spoon, remove bacon to paper towels to drain.

In the drippings, sauté onion until tender. Stir in the brown sugar, vinegar, and pepper. Combine the cornstarch and water until smooth; stir into skillet. Bring to a boil and cook and stir until thickened, about 1 to 2 minutes. Remove onion mixture from the heat and pour over the spinach, tossing to coat. Sprinkle with bacon and serve immediately.

I like chicken salad sandwiches a lot in the summer, but occasionally I like to change it up with a tuna salad sandwich. I also have added a thin slice of tomato and exchanged the cheddar cheese with Swiss. Both are really good.

Herbed Tuna Sandwiches

1 can (12 oz.) light tuna in water, drained and flaked
2 hard-boiled eggs chopped

See KITCHEN, Page 10

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•Kitchen (Continued from page 8)

1/3 C. mayonnaise
1/4 C. minced chives
2 t. minced fresh parsley
1/2 t. dried basil
1/4 t. onion powder
8 slices whole wheat bread, toasted
1/2 C. shredded cheddar cheese

Preheat broiler. Combine the first
seven ingredients. Place four slices of
toast on an ungreased baking sheet; top
with tuna mixture and sprinkle with
cheese. Broil 3 to 4 inches from heat
until the cheese is melted, 1 to 2 min-
utes. Top with the remaining toast.

Need a quick supper? This pasta
and sausage supper with the asparagus
is just the thing. If you want to make
it healthier, use whole wheat pasta. If
you don't like Italian sausage, substi-
tute it with some other kind. Enjoy this
easy pasta dish for a week night meal.

Bow Ties with Sausage and Asparagus

3 C. bow tie pasta
1 lb. fresh asparagus, trimmed and
cut into 1 1/2 inch pieces
1 pkg. Italian sausage links, casings
removed
1 medium onion, chopped
3 garlic cloves, minced
1/4 C. shredded Parmesan cheese
In a saucepan, cook pasta following
package directions, adding asparagus
during the last 2-3 minutes of cooking.

Drain pasta, reserving 1/2 cup pasta wa-
ter. Return pasta and asparagus to pan.
In a skillet, cook sausage, onion
and garlic over medium heat for 6 to
8 minutes or until sausage is no longer
pink, breaking into crumbles. Using a
slotted spoon, add pasta. Stir in 1/4 cup
cheese and enough reserved pasta wa-
ter to moisten. If desired, serve with
additional cheese

Someone sent this rhubarb reci-
pe last year, and I lost it. Now that I
have found it, I can share an interesting
rhubarb bar recipe. It is different from
others because of the cream cheese. I
think if you want the bars thicker, use
an 8 x 8 pan. Just a helpful hint: If
using frozen rhubarb, measure the rhu-
barb out while still frozen, then thaw
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not press liquid out.

Rhubarb Cheesecake Squares

1 1/4 C. flour
1/2 C. old-fashioned oats
1/2 C. packed brown sugar
1/2 C. cold butter, cubed
1 pkg. (8 oz.) cream cheese, softened
3/4 C. sugar
1/2 t. salt
1/4 t. ground cinnamon
1/8 t. ground nutmeg
1 egg, lightly beaten
1/2 t. vanilla

1 1/2 C. diced fresh or frozen rhubarb, thawed
Preheat the oven to 350. In a small bowl, mix
flour, oats and brown sugar; cut in butter un-
til crumbly. Reserve 1 cup mixture for topping.
Press remaining mixture onto bottom of a greased
9 inch square baking pan.

Filling: Beat the cream cheese, sugar, salt and
spices until smooth. Add egg and vanilla; beat on
low speed just until combined. Fold in rhubarb.
Spread over crust. Sprinkle with topping.

Bake until golden brown and the filling is set,
about 40 minutes. Cool on a wire rack for 1 hour.
Refrigerate, covered, until cold, about 2 hours.
Cut into squares.

Ready for some strawberry shortcake? This
combines shortcake made the easy way with a
yellow cake mix, ice cream, and lots of strawber-
ries. It does require a little planning ahead, but it
is worth it. Enjoy this seasonal dessert (you might
want to keep the recipe for this winter too!)

Frozen Strawberry Shortcake

1 regular yellow cake mix
1 C. water
1/2 C. oil
3 eggs
1/2 gallon strawberry ice cream, softened
1 (16 oz.) container frozen whipped topping,
thawed
2 lbs. fresh strawberries, trimmed and quartered
1/2 C. sugar
1/2 t. lemon zest
1 T. fresh lemon juice
1/8 t. kosher salt

Preheat the oven to 350. Line a 9 x 13 pan with
parchment paper, letting excess extend over sides
of pan. In a large bowl, beat cake mix, 1 cup wa-
ter, oil and eggs with a mixer at low speed for 30
seconds. Increase speed to medium and beat for 2
minutes. Spread batter into prepared pan.

Bake until a wooden pick inserted in center
comes out clean, 28 to 33 minutes. Let cool com-
pletely on a wire rack. Run a knife between pan
and paper to release cake. Using excess parch-
ment as handles, remove from pan, and gently peel
paper from sides of cake. Using a serrated knife,
cut cake in half horizontally. Using a cake lifter
or 2 spatulas, set aside top portion of cake. Using
ends of paper, lift bottom portion of the cake, and
return parchment and cake to pan. Gently spread
softened ice cream onto cake. Place top of cake on
ice cream; gently press. Spread whipped topping
onto cake. Freeze until firm.

In a medium bowl, stir together strawberries,
sugar, lemon zest, and juice, and salt. Cover and
let stand at room temperature, stirring occasion-
ally, until sugar is dissolved, about 2 hours. Let
cake stand at room temperature until slightly soft-
ened, about 20 minutes. Using excess parchment
as handles, remove from pan. Using a serrated
knife, cut cake into squares. Serve immediately
with strawberries.

On Wednesday the Lena Business and Profes-
sional Association will host their June Gathering
from 4 to 8 p.m. There will be live music, the
Farmer's Market, and other vendors. Be sure to
stop downtown on Wednesday afternoon and ear-
ly evening.

I had a wonderful surprise this weekend when
some friends dropped off home grown strawber-
ries. They picked them at a place near Elizabeth
by Terrapin Ridge. They were large and sweet and
just divine. You can pick yourself or buy some
already picked. I have not heard of place to do
that in several years. There is nothing better than
having a dish of these beautiful berries. I also
had the rib dinner from Sullivan's Foods on Fri-
day. Hats off to J.R. and his crew for a wonderful
dinner. The ribs were tender and seasoned just
right. We are lucky to have these opportunities for
good food. We continue to look for some spring
and summer recipes that include asparagus and
rhubarb. If you have any strawberry recipes you
would like to share, send them my way.

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@rvpub-
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River Ridge Honor Rolls Quarter 4 (MS/HS) & Semester 2 (HS) 2018/2019

River Ridge Middle School – 4th Quarter Honor Roll

4.00+ Tavian Bryan, Dawson Kloss, Jamie Schnitzler, Benjamin Richmond, Kathryn Cobine
3.50 - 3.999 Camdyn Bauer, Philip Glenn, Lauren Kloss, Nicholas Schnitzler, Celia Turner, Torey Winter, Emily Wurster, Addison Albrecht, Millicent Boden, Cora Boop, Avery Engle, Morgan Flynn, Dolan Geerts, Lynnea Groezinger, Tyson Heidenreich, Arthur Horn, Jack Midendorf, Gwendoline Miller, Micaela Miller, Amie Richmond, Cora Ritchie, Ty Spahn, Evelyn Walters, George Winter, David Buck, Kayla Diehl, Laiken Haas, Nathan Haas, Isabella Haring, Graci Vanderheyden, Joseph Winter

3.00 – 3.499 Heaven Brotherton, Sophie Buck, Cora Dittmar, Ella Eadie, Sadie Fry, Ethan Gonzalez, Sam Grzeslo, Cameron Harris, Maddox Knauer, Marley McSwain, Samuel Ries, Emma Walters, Enver Ahmedi, Macey Fulton, Lucas Holland, Katherine Leonard, Reece Liscom-Cuddy, Evan Tracey, Brynn Fry, Ian Spangler, Ian Wachter, Wendy Weimerskirck

River Ridge High School – 4th Quarter Honor Roll

4.00+ Brea Christopher, Benjamin Crist, Kameron Kiley, Isabella Motta, Nicholas Parr, Wyatt Potter, Bennett Reese, Allison Sollars, Jacob Speer, Madeline Klippert, Julianna Kuzniar, Dylan Landwer, Andrew Merkle, Tayden Patterson, Joseph Tippet, Kathryn Walters, Xavier Bryan, Livia Haas, Sarah Pratt, Mary Scott, Libbey Shellenberger, Margaret Cahill, Ashley Carroll, Kari

Conklin, Kali Crusilla, Olivia Leonard, Leanna Scott

3.50 - 3.999 Lazime Limani, Megan Ludwig, Reese Miller, Maya Nicholas, Laura Wills, Lydia Groezinger, Derek Lehman, Abby Richmond, Destiny Schwartz, Madison Stulc, Greta Dittmar, Bryton Engle, Julia Finazzo, Riley Finn, Kaitlin Kilgore, Danae Kloss, Emma Kloss, Caleb Rhodes, Mauricio Sanchez, Charlie Schnitzler, Conner Tippet, Caden Albrecht, Bethany Diederich, Erica Doms, Dominic Geerts, Amber Hupperich, Anna Navarro-Garcia

3.00 – 3.499 Kara Conklin, Drew Kloss, Micah Knauer, Parker Reese, Mary Frances Tracey, Patrick Cahill, Natalie Eadie, Trevor Grube, Kylie Hiher, Adam Holcomb, Abigail Johnson, Hampton Petsche, Andrew Pratt, Owen Holcomb, Ajdar Limani, Avri Miller, Steven Moris, Makayla Rodgers, Travis Slattery, Dillon Taplin

River Ridge High School – Semester 2 Honor Roll

4.00+ Brea Christopher, Benjamin Crist, Kamron Kiley, Isabella Motta, Wyatt Potter, Bennett Reese, Allison Sollars, Madeline Klippert, Julianna Kuzniar, Dylan Landwer, Andrew Merkle, Tayden Patterson, Joseph Tippet, Kathryn Walters,

Blackhawk Unit of SCAHCE scheduled June meeting

The June meeting of Blackhawk Unit of SCAHCE will meet on Thursday evening, June 20, at 7 pm at the home of Jo Wenzel, 13591 W Cemetary Road, Kent, Illinois. Paula Gerke will be her co-hostess. The major lesson “Saving Money on Food Costs” will be given by Sharon Schlachter with the minor lesson on “Practical Sewing Projects” to be given by Jo Wenzel. Just a reminder that those donating coffee cakes for the County Ag Breakfast can bring them to the meeting and they will be taken in on Friday.

Livia Haas, Sarah Pratt, Mary Scott, Libbey Shellenberger, Margaret Cahill, Ashley Carroll, Kari Conklin, Kali Crusilla, Leanna Scott

3.50 - 3.999 Micah Knauer, Lazime Limani, Megan Ludwig, Nicholas Parr, Jacob Speer, Mary Frances Tracey, Laura Wills, Brianna Boop, Lydia Groezinger, Abby Richmond, Madison Stulc, Xavier Bryan,

Greta Dittmar, Bryton Engle, Julia Finazzo, Riley Finn, Kaitlin Kilgore, Danae Kloss, Caleb Rhodes, Mauricio Sanchez, Charlie Schnitzler, Conner Tippet, Caden Albrecht, Bethany Diederich, Erica Doms, Dominic Geerts, Amber Hupperich, Olivia Leonard, Ajdar Limani, Fallon Miller, Steven Moris, Anna Navarro-Garcia

3.00 – 3.499 Drew Kloss, Reese Miller, Alexander Nesbit, Maya Nicholas, Parker Reese, Patrick Cahill, Derek Lehman, Sara Miller, Destiny Schwartz, Kylie Hiher, Adam Holcomb, Abigail Johnson, Emma Kloss, Hampton Petsche, Andrew Pratt, Jacob Veltkamp, Owen Holcomb, Avri Miller, Makayla Rodgers

LEGALS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 15TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

JO DAVIESS COUNTY - GALENA, ILLINOIS

Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.

PLAINTIFF

Vs.

Roger A. Baggett; Diane M. Baggett; Unknown Owners and Nonrecord Claimants

DEFENDANTS

2019CH7

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION NOTICE IS GIVEN TO YOU:

Roger A. Baggett

Diane M. Baggett

Unknown Owners

and Nonrecord Claimants

That this case has been commenced in this Court against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit:

COMMONLY KNOWN AS:

6793 North Hill Rd

Scales Mound, IL 61075

and which said Mortgage was made by:

Roger A. Baggett

Diane M. Baggett

Roger A. Baggett

Diane M. Baggett

the Mortgagor(s), to Wells Fargo Home Mortgage, Inc., as Mortgagee, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Jo Daviess County, Illinois, as Document No. 309199; and for other relief; that summons was duly issued out of said Court against you as provided by law and that the said suit is now pending.

NOW, THEREFORE, UNLESS YOU file your answer or otherwise file your appearance in this case in the Office of the Clerk of this Court,

Kathy Phillips

Clerk of the Circuit Court

Jo Daviess County Courthouse

330 N. Bench Street

Galena, IL 61036

on or before July 5, 2019, A DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU AT ANY TIME AFTER THAT DAY AND A JUDGMENT MAY BE ENTERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE

PRAYER OF SAID COMPLAINT.

CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C.

Attorneys for Plaintiff

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Burr Ridge, IL 60527

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DuPage # 15170

Winnebago # 531

Our File No. 14-19-02330

NOTE: This law firm is a debt collector.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

JO DAVIESS COUNTY, ILLINOIS

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,

PLAINTIFF,

VS.

LEROY R WIRTH; GINA WIRTH; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF JAMES W WIRTH A/K/A J W WIRTH A/K/A JAMES WIRTH, IF ANY; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS; TIM MILLER, SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE DECEASED MORTGAGOR, JAMES W WIRTH,

DEFENDANTS.

2018CH23

121 SOUTH HIGH STREET

GALENA, IL 61036

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO YOU,

Unknown Owners and Non-Record Claimants

Leroy R Wirth

Gina Wirth

Unknown Heirs and Legatees of James W Wirth a/k/a J W Wirth a/k/a James Wirth, If Any defendants, that this case has been commenced in this Court against you and other defendants, asking for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to wit:

LOT NUMBER SIXTEEN (16) IN BLOCK NUMBER

FOUR (4) ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE GALENA RIVER, IN THE CITY OF GALENA, JO DAVIESS COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Commonly known as: 121 South High Street Galena, IL 61036

and which said Mortgage was made by,

James W Wirth

Mortgagor(s), to

Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as a nominee for U.S. Bank N.A.

Mortgagee, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Jo Daviess County, Illinois, as Document No. 324440; and for other relief.

UNLESS YOU file your answer or otherwise file your appearance in this case, on or before July 19, 2019, A JUDGMENT OR DECREE BY DEFAULT MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF ASKED IN THE COMPLAINT. E-filing is now mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions. To e-file, you must first create an account with an e-filing service provider. Visit <http://efile.illinoiscourts.gov/service-providers.htm> to learn more and to select a service provider. If you need additional help or have trouble e-filing, visit www.illinoiscourts.gov/FAQ/gethelp.asp, or talk to your local circuit clerk's office.

PURSUANT TO THE FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT, THE PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY IS DEEMED TO BE A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

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Pierce, LLC

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File No. 267201-165815

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College news

Thomas Fox graduates from Central College

Thomas Fox of Stockton was one of 198 Central College students who graduated with bachelor's degrees in May 2019. Fox received a bachelor's degree in Biology.

Central College of Pella, Iowa, is a private, four-year liberal arts college.

ANTIQUES, HOUSEHOLD & MISC. ITEMS AUCTION

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THURSDAY Evening, June 20, 2019 - 4:30 P.M.

ANTIQUES & HOUSEHOLD ITEMS: Warm Morning model 520 wood stove; oak secretary; child's wood folding chairs; sleds; metal ammo boxes; duck decoys; plaster of paris Last Supper plaque; Griswold fry pan; records; vintage photos; Winchester & other Hunting & Firearms books; kid's books; comic books; paper dolls; plastic farm toys; adv. tins; coin banks; Polaris yearbooks; kerosene lamps; club aluminum pans; vintage kt items; enamelware; crockery pitchers; Frankoma; Royal Copley; Shawnee; Jadeite S&P sets; blue fruit jars; glassware; G.E. stove; queen bed w/Hollywood frame; floor jewelry case; G.E. window A/C; Electrolux vacuum; wheelbarrow; 46" front mount blade for lawn tractor; lawn/garden tools.

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Summer fun
 Warren and Galena third and fourth grade baseball teams face off during Spring Fling in Elizabeth.



(Left) Julia Gerlich and her dad try out the slide at Spring Fling in Elizabeth.



In conjunction with Spring Fling in Elizabeth, IL, the Apple River Fort staged an 1830's-style wedding.



The happy couple cuts the cake following the ceremonies at the Apple River Fort "To Have and To Hold" event in Elizabeth.



No wedding is complete without dancing and the ceremony staged at the Apple River Fort is no exception.

•Treats (Continued from front page)

cess has brought them to this point and the family says they will continue that arrangement as they move into the future.

"The shop is something we do together," Madelyn said. "Mom and dad are in the shop with us sometimes for eight hours at a time and it's great to be able to just talk and

be together."

"I am very proud of their business accomplishments and how they have helped revitalize the community," said dad, Cory Walters. "Despite all three girls sacrificing not having a typical summer like their friends, they still seem to enjoy opening up the shop each

summer."

The Three Sisters Sweet Shoppe is located at 224 N. Main St. in downtown Elizabeth. Their summer hours are Noon to 9 p.m. and they are closed on Tuesdays. Stop in and see for yourself how an ice cream on a summer day can be the best therapy.

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