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Lena-Winslow FFA

On Thursday, Oct. 17 the Lena-Winslow FFA Ag Sales team ventured to Stockton to compete in the SectUn One Ag Sales CDE (Career Development Event), where they acted as agriculture salesmen selling herbicide and fungicide to potential clients. They handled pre-call planning and potential customer complaints as well. The Lena-Winslow team pictured below Left to Right: (Conor Dezell, Braden Baldauf, Ross Stabenow, and Owen GSBertson) placed first overall team, with Owen, Ross, and Braden winning their individual sales rooms. The team will be advancing to the district contest Nov. 19, at Sauk Valley Community College.

LeWin Volleyball gets big win

By Trenten Scheidegger
SPORTS WRITER

The Lena-Winslow Lady Panthers are rolling towards the end of their 2019 regular season currently sitting atop the Northwest Upstate Illini Conference with a perfect 11-0 record in league play. Coming off two straight victories, the Panthers traveled to Stockton for yet another conference matchup last Thursday. The Blackhawks have slightly underperformed this season as they carried an 11-11 overall record into Thursday's match. They knew they were up for a tough battle with the 22-5 Panthers coming into their house.

These teams had met up twice prior to Thursday's meeting. Lena-Winslow won both of those matches and would look to make it a clean sweep in their final matchup

of the regular season.

The final matchup featured some of the most competitive volleyball we have seen in the local area this year, which is somewhat expected when Lena-Winslow and Stockton team's have faced off. Both teams showed up ready to give it their all on Thursday.

The first set was a back and forth battle from the get-go, which ended in a close 25-23 victory for the Panthers. The second set was much of the same but reversed the outcome as the Stockton Blackhawks evened things out with a 25-23 victory of their own.

With everything coming down to the third and final set, the Panthers weren't going to leave anything to chance. Lena-Winslow came out attacking and didn't let up until the very end in what turned out to be a

25-14 victory. The impressive victory clinched the Panther's eleventh conference victory of the season and has them in a prime spot to capture the conference championship with just a few in league games left.

The Panthers were led by the trio of Jaden Julius, Madi Schultz, and Sadie Mowery. Julius was phenomenal with sixteen kills to go along with an ace and twelve digs. Schultz and Mowery each had ten kills of their own. They were both impressive on the defensive side of things as Schultz racked up twenty digs while Mowery tacked on another eleven.

The Panthers will compete in the Stillman Valley Tournament this coming Saturday. The Blackhawks host the Warren Warriors this Thursday for their final conference match of the season.

Orangeville falls to Aquin

By Trenten Scheidegger
SPORTS WRITER

Last Wednesday the Orangeville Lady Broncos hosted the Aquin Bulldogs for a late season conference matchup. The Bulldogs came in with a 14-9 overall record, while the Broncos were just 10-18. Aquin held a slight advantage in the conference standings with a 6-4 record. Orangeville came into the conference matchup at 3-7 in league play.

Aquin came out firing in the first set. Although, Orangeville was able to keep it close, the Bulldogs captured the victory with a score of 25-21. The Broncos fought back in the second set to even things out with a tight, 26-24 victory. After splitting the first two games it left

everything to be decided in the third and final set.

Aquin proved to be too much for Orangeville as they eventually walked away with another 25-21 victory. The loss pushed Orangeville down to 10-19 overall and 3-8 in league play.

Head coach Abbi Rillie is not letting the record keep her and her team down, however. Rillie said "Cali Diddens, McKayla Riemer, and Hanna Diffenderfer have helped lead this team through some ups and downs throughout this season as the team faced some injuries, but we are back to full strength and are ready for Regionals to begin."

Rillie believes in her girls, saying "This team has so much to

offer, with so much talent spread through the team. With five seniors, all strong and experienced varsity players, the team has great versatility and is able to utilize multiple strong attackers at the net."

She also had compliments for Alyssa Ostendorf, who has contributed towards the team's versatility, saying "Ostendorf has been a great asset, last year played as a defensive specialist and is now a six rotations player that has really done a great job stepping up and playing smart at the net."

Following a couple of late conference matchups earlier this week, the Broncos will wrap up their regular season with another matchup against Aquin on Thursday, Oct. 24.

Mady's Pantry to stage Eighth Annual Supply Drive

Mady's Pantry is hosting its 8th Annual Supply Drive benefiting the Ronald McDonald House Charities of Madison, WI.

Saturday, Nov. 2, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
 Sunday, Nov. 3, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
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Highland's Career Services Coordinator helps students plan for the future

As Highland's newly named Career Services Coordinator, Anthony Musso has short-term goals to become more integrated in the classroom to engage with the students. He plans to place more emphasis to the students on utilizing Career Services at Highland Community College. He wants to assist them with resume building, interview preparation and explain the soft skills that employers are looking for so they can successfully land a job. Or, if they are planning to transfer to a 4-year university, Musso wants students to have a head-start prior to their junior year.

Musso said he understands that visiting the Career Services Department is not the first thing on students' minds. Instead of taking the approach that seeing Musso comes through faculty referral, he wants to establish face-to-face interaction to reduce any intimidation, vulnerability, and hopefully, make a connection so students feel more enticed to visit the

career services department.

"I think that community college offers great opportunity for students to explore their education and career interests," Musso said. "I want students to talk to me about their education goals and career paths in order to connect those two with a solid plan for their future."

Musso began his job at the College in September, having worked at Carpenter's Place, a homeless shelter in Rockford, where he was the Employment Case Manager.

Musso is from Rockford, attended Rock Valley College, and earned a Bachelor of Science Degree in Management, with an emphasis in Human Resources from Northern Illinois University. He also has a certificate in Social Entrepreneurship. He is currently working on a Master's degree in Social Work through Aurora University.

Highland Foundation Legacy Gala extends ticket opportunity

The Highland Community College inaugural Legacy Gala is on Saturday, Nov. 2 at the Wagner House in Freeport, with the presentation of the first-ever HCC Legacy Lifetime Achievement award.

At the Legacy Gala, the HCC Foundation will recognize individuals and corporate partners that demonstrate a shared responsibility in transforming the lives of the students through an accessible, affordable, and rigorous learning experience. The fundraising event continues with the traditional dinner, entertainment, silent auction as well as the \$5,000 in five minutes for the H.O.P.E. student emergency fund.

The evening highlights the first presentation of the HCC Legacy Lifetime

Achievement Award. The award honors an individual who has made a lasting impact on Highland Community College and its success. The 2019 inaugural recipient is Del Scheider, one of the "founding fathers" of HCC, and a lifetime member of the HCC Foundation Board of Directors.

The venue will seat 330 guests and early registration is encouraged. There will be a seated dinner on the third floor, followed by a formal program. A silent auction and live entertainment will be featured on the second floor of the Wagner House. Funds raised from the Legacy Gala will be directed to the highest and greatest needs of the College.

For more information go to bidpal.net/hccgala or call 815-599-3413.

Stockton Park House

Sign Up Night

Reservations for 2020 - \$40 per day

Tuesday, Nov. 19th, 2019 at 6:30 P.M.

Out of Stockton School District \$80

Payment is expected that night

After that date, phone reservations can be made to Jane West - (765) 437-3357

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Lena library news

By Brittany Gaulrapp
DIRECTOR

We are excited to announce we will be hosting a Halloween party again this year! We had such a great turn out last year, thanks to all of you, so we decided to do it again! The party will be Monday, Oct. 28, from 5-7 p.m. It will be an open house format, so come anytime you can! We will have hotdogs, chips, and drinks as well as crafts for the whole family and door prizes for kids and parents! As always, costumes are welcome! For those of you who have children in the after school or Story Hour programs, the party will take the place of the class parties that week, so there will be no classes Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday, so we hope to

see all of you at the party! If you have any questions about the party or classes please call us at 369-3180.

The kids have been busy getting ready for Halloween here with Mrs. Kathy. Last week the after school kids had a "Make and Take" fall craft day! It must have been a very busy, productive hour as I saw some of the kids had their hands full of beautifully decorated fall crafts! The Story Hour kids had a great week as well! Each of them went home with a sticker scene full of fall friends! Books read were Kitten's First Autumn, The Leaves on the Trees, Fall Leaves, and How Do You Know It's Fall? The kids also were tasked with helping Mrs. Kathy find Leafy on the flannel board! This past week the Sto-

ry Hour kids made their own "Friendly Ghosts". They sang the "Friendly Ghost Song" as well as "Black Cat", "If You're a Ghost and You Know It" and "Hooky Spooky Tune". After all of that they still had time for a few stories Apples and Pumpkins, Whose There on Halloween?, and Where's Owl's Scarf?

New Books this month: The 19th Christmas-James Patterson, Child's Play-Danielle Steel, Dachshund Through the Snow-David Rosenfelt, Dark Ambitions-Irene Hannon, The Giver of Stars-Jojo Moyes, Met Her Match-Jude Deveraux, A Mrs. Miracle Christmas-Debbie Macomber, The Shape of Night-Tess Gerritsen, Sins of the Fathers-J.A. Jance, Tate-Susan May Warren, The United States of Trump-Bill O'Reilly, and What Happens in Paradise-Elin Hilderbrand.

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Career Services

Anthony Musso is Highland's newly named Career Services Coordinator.

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From Lena's kitchen

We are finally getting some dry weather. The air is crisp, but when the sun stays out, we get a little warming too. I know our farmer friends are in the fields as long as they can be. I actually saw some dust (it probably was the corn stalks, but at least it was flying!), so I think they are getting some of the crops in. We are continuing our fall recipes this week.

This hot cheese dip has a little kick with the sliced pepperoni in it. Enjoy it at a football party or on the holiday appetizer table.

Hot Cheese Dip

2 C. shredded mozzarella
2 C. shredded cheddar cheese
2 C. Mayonnaise
1 medium onion, minced
1 can (4 to 4.5 oz.) chopped green chilies, drained
½ C. sliced ripe olives
1½ oz. sliced pepperoni
Crackers and fresh vegetables
Preheat the oven to 325. Combine the first five ingredients; spread into greased shallow baking dish or pie plate. Top with olives and pepperoni. Bake until bubbly, about 25 minutes. Serve with crackers and fresh vegetables.

I mentioned last week that Brussels Sprouts are the new vegetable, and this recipe is an easy one. If you use a mandolin on the sprouts, it will slice them very thin. The addition of nuts and raisins make this a yummy side. The pears add a special taste. If you don't have a chunk of parmesan to shave, you can use shredded parmesan. The taste won't be as sharp.

Pear and Brussels Sprouts Salad

½ lb. thick-cut bacon, chipped
1 t. cider vinegar
¼ t. pepper
1 lb. Brussels sprouts, trimmed and thinly sliced
1 C. walnuts, roughly chopped
1 C. golden raisins
½ C. shaved Parmesan cheese
2 pears, thinly sliced
In a large skillet, cook bacon over medium heat until crisp. Remove bacon using a slotted spoon, and let drain on paper towels, reserving drippings. In a large bowl, whisk together reserved bacon drippings, vinegar, and pepper. Stir in sprouts, walnuts, raisins, and cheese until well combined; top with pears and bacon just before serving.

If you are cooking for a non-meat eater, this lasagna will help you serve a main dish that even meat eaters will like. The use of several different vegetables gives it a hearty taste that fills everyone up.

All Veggie Lasagna

2 C. cottage cheese
1 carton (15 oz.) ricotta cheese

2 T. minced fresh parsley
1 jar (26 oz.) Prego traditional spaghetti sauce
9 uncooked lasagna noodles
2 medium carrots, shredded
1½ C. broccoli florets
4 oz. fresh mushrooms, sliced
1 small zucchini, thinly sliced
1 small yellow summer squash, thinly sliced
2 C. fresh spinach
2 C. shredded mozzarella cheese

Preheat oven to 350. Combine the cottage cheese, ricotta and parsley. Spread ½ C. spaghetti sauce in a 9 x 13 pan coated with cooking spray. Top with three noodles and a third of the cheese mixture. Sprinkle with half the carrots, broccoli, mushrooms, zucchini and squash. Top with a third of the remaining sauce. Arrange half the spinach over the spaghetti sauce, sprinkle with a third of the mozzarella cheese. Repeat layers of noodles, cheese mixture, vegetables, sauce, spinach and mozzarella. Top with the remaining noodles, cheese mixture, sauce and mozzarella. Cover tightly and bake 45 minutes. Uncover; bake until lasagna noodles re tender, about 15 minutes longer. Let stand 15 minutes before cutting.

This is an easy casserole because you can use a jar of chicken gravy and rotisserie chicken. If you can't find the seasoned panko bread crumbs, the Italian seasoned ones will work.

Broccoli, Chicken, and Wild Rice Casserole

2 C. shredded, cooked chicken
2 C. cooked long grain rice
2 C. chopped fresh broccoli
1 jar (12 oz.) chicken gravy
1½ C. shredded five cheese blend, divided
½ C. seasoned panko bread crumbs
1 T. butter melted
Preheat the oven to 425. Combine the chicken, rice, broccoli, gravy and 1 cup cheese. Spoon into an 8-inch square baking dish sprayed with cooking spray; top with remaining cheese. Mix bread crumbs and butter until blended; sprinkle over casserole. Cover and bake 25 to 30 minutes or until heated through, uncovering after 15 minutes.

This is a very easy apple cake that will make just enough to serve warm as a dessert. You won't be eating it for a week if you have only a couple of people to serve. You can use pecans instead of walnuts if you desire.

Apple Crumb Cake

1½ C. chopped Granny smith apples
½ C. packed brown sugar, divided
2 t. cinnamon, divided
2 1/3 C. flour divided

1 t. baking powder
¼ t. baking soda
1½ C. butter, softened, divided
1 C. sugar, divided
2 eggs
2/3 C. sour cream
1 t. vanilla
½ C. chopped walnuts toasted
Preheat the oven to 350. Toss apples with ¼ cup brown sugar and 1 t. cinnamon. Combine ¼ C. flour, baking powder, and baking soda in a separate bowl. Whisk to combine. Beat 1/3 C. butter, 1/3 C. white sugar in a large bowl with mixer until light and fluffy. Add eggs, sour cream and vanilla; mix well. Gradually add dry ingredients, mixing well after each addition. Stir in apple mixture. Spoon into a greased and floured 9-inch round pan.

Melt remaining butter. Add to combined remaining sugars, cinnamon and flour in medium bowl; mix well. Stir in nuts and sprinkle over batter. Bake 45 to 50 minutes or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Cool cake 10 minutes. Remove from pan to wire rack and cool completely.

If you are looking for an easy cake that is definitely for fall, this spice cake with maple frosting is delicious. You can use a spice cake mix (Duncan Hines has a good one.) that you add sour cream and oil. It is a very moist cake, and the maple frosting is the best topping.

Spice Cake with Maple Sour Cream Frosting

1 box spice cake mix
1 C. water
½ C. sour cream
1/3 C. oil
3 large eggs
¼ t. maple extract
Frosting
¾ C. unsalted butter, softened
6¼ C. powdered sugar
½ C. plus 2 T. sour cream divided
½ t. maple extract
1/8 t. salt
1/8 t. cinnamon

Preheat oven to 350. Spray a 9 x 13 pan with baking spray with flour. Line pan with a double layer of parchment paper, letting ends extend over edges of pan. In a large bowl, beat cake mix, water, sour cream, oil eggs, and maple extract with a mixer at low speed until combined, about 1 minute. Scrape sides of bowl. Increase mixer speed to medium, and beat for 2 minutes. Pour batter into prepared pan. Tap pan on counter twice to release air bubbles. Bake until a wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean, about 25 minutes. Let cool completely on a wire rack.

Frosting: In a large bowl, beat butter with a mixer at medium speed until creamy. Gradually add powdered

sugar, ½ cup sour cream, maple extract, salt and cinnamon, beating until smooth. Add remaining 2 T. sour cream, if needed, to thin frosting. Use immediately. Spread frosting onto cake. Garnish with cinnamon if desired.

Senior night for both volleyball and football finish the home games for both sports this year. They have some regular season games to finish, and then the series of state tournament games start. Here is hoping that we get to play longer than just the first game. Good luck to both teams. Craft fairs have started, and I got to go to my first one last weekend. I don't need anything, but I did get some gifts out of the way. I think the one I attended had many beautiful homemade items. I have a crafter friend who taught me to look for the "China" items. There are a couple

more I would like to attend. I love fall for the craft fairs. I also have started collecting my Halloween candy for the big night. It seems as if October is racing by. I had company for a week and celebrated my birthday. It was great, and I got a restaurant tour of three counties. Thanks for all the cards and Facebook wishes. I said to someone, another year older and deeper in debt; I realized they were too young to remember Tennessee Ernie Ford!! We continue to look for some recipes that feature some of the last vegetables from the garden, pork, and peaches, pumpkin, and apples. If you have any recipes you would like to share, send them our way. You can contact us in person, by mail at From Lena's Kitchens, *Shopper's Guide* at 213 S. Center St. or email us at scoopshopper@rvpublishing.com.



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Delta Kappa Gamma Society schedules meeting

Pi Chapter, Jo Daviess and Carroll Counties, and Alpha Mu Chapter, Stephenson County, of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International Illinois State Organization, a local organization of women educators, will hold their joint meeting at Holy Cross Parish Center on Saturday, Nov. 16. The guest speaker will be Eryka Swiergosz, of Spain. She is a foreign exchange student, for this school year, living with John and Laura Duerr and their children Rachel and


Ryan of Scales Mound.

DKG women educators enhance and advance educational endeavors for young women aspiring to become educators as well as supporting and encouraging women educators already in the field, through scholarships, grants, special projects and more. For more information about this group or attending meetings, contact Jane Yoder (815-402-4322) or Mary Stayner (815-947-3094).

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Tickets for Meal
\$7.00 for meat sauce
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EPA issues proposal for renewable fuel volumes

Agency seeks comment on projecting the volume of gasoline to be exempt in 2020

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) issued a supplemental notice of proposed rulemaking seeking additional comment on the recently proposed rule to establish the cellulosic biofuel, advanced biofuel, and total renewable fuel volumes for 2020 and the biomass-based diesel volume for 2021 under the Renewable Fuel Standard (RFS) program.

Today's notice does not change the proposed volumes for 2020 and 2021. Instead, it proposes and seeks comment on adjustments to the way that annual renewable fuel percentages are calculated. Annual renewable fuel percentage standards are used to calculate the number of gallons each obligated party is required to blend into their fuel or to otherwise obtain renewable identification numbers (RINs) to demonstrate compliance.

Specifically, the agency is seeking comment on projecting the volume of gasoline and diesel that will be exempt in 2020 due to small refinery exemptions based on a three-year average of the relief recommended by the Department of Energy (DOE), including where DOE had recommended partial exemptions. The agency intends to grant partial exemptions in appropriate circumstances when adjudicating 2020 exemption petitions. The agency proposes to use this value to adjust the way we calculate renewable fuel percentages. The proposed adjustments would help ensure that the industry blends the final volumes of renewable fuel into the nation's fuel supply and that, in practice, the required volumes are not effectively reduced by future hardship exemptions for small refineries. Consistent with the statute, the supplemental notice seeks to balance the goal of the RFS of maximizing the use of renewables while following the law and sound process to provide relief to small refineries that demonstrate the need.

EPA will hold a public hearing on Oct. 30, 2019 followed by a 30-day comment period from the date of the hearing to receive public input on these issues. The agency will finalize this action later this year.

For more information, please visit: <https://www.epa.gov/renewable-fuel-standard-program/proposed-volumes-2020-and-biomass-based-diesel-volume-2021>

Illinois Corn Growers Association comment on EPA Renewable Fuel Standard proposal

August 30, 2019
 Administrator Andrew Wheeler
 Environmental Protection Agency
 1200 Pennsylvania Ave. NW
 Washington, DC 20460
 RE: Docket ID EPA-HQ-OAR-2019-0136

Dear Administrator Wheeler:

Illinois Corn Growers Association (ICGA) appreciates the opportunity to provide comments on the proposed rule for the 2020 volume standards under the Renewable Fuel Standard (RFS) program. We represent more than 4,000 corn farmer members throughout Illinois who rely on our association to help them build and preserve markets for the ever-increasing amounts of corn grown in Illinois each year.

ICGA feels that any volume proposed by the EPA through this process lacks certainty. While Illinois farmers are grateful for the surface effort to increase volumes of total renewable fuel volumes used, EPA's past action to authorize small refinery waivers and decrease the market opportunity for renewable fuels speaks volumes.

This is a case where actions speak louder than words. The RFS waivers have more than outpaced the offered increased volumes set in the RVO, leaving the ethanol industry throttled and Illinois farmers without market opportunities.

ICGA also disagrees with the proposal to retain 2016 RFS volumes, after being court-ordered to restore the 500 million gallons in this 2020 rule.

The Illinois Corn Growers Association would lend our support to the comments submitted by the National Corn Growers Association dated August 30, 2019. Their comments detail all the actions EPA has taken to halt the growth of the renewable fuels industry, sacrificing cleaner air, cost-savings for consumers, and opportunities for rural economic growth.

Sincerely,
 Ted Mottaz, President



Thriving Thistle opens

The ribbon cutting ceremony signals the official opening of the Thriving Thistle Market, Wellness Center, and Bistro in Apple River.

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Monroe Clinic Presents "Breast Health as We Age"

Monroe Clinic Presents "Breast Health as We Age" Munch and Learn event in Freeport.

Learn about essential facts regarding breast health that can save your life. This Munch and Learn is led by Bibiancy Gutierrez, MD, a Monroe Clinic Women's Health physician, and will answer questions such as, "At what age do you stop doing self-exams and mammograms?"

Wednesday, Oct. 30, 2019
 Noon - 1 p.m.
 Senior Resource Center Activity Center
 216 Stephenson Street
 Freeport, IL
 Space in this free event is limited. Please register by calling 1-877-865-1462 or visiting monroeclinic.org.

Morseville Church

Morseville Church will hold its Fall service on Oct. 27, at 2 p.m. Gospel music will be provided by the "Trinity Men's Quartet". Everyone is welcome to come

and enjoy the music. Fingerfood and fellowship following the music. Morseville Church is located at 12231 E. Morseville Rd., Stockton, IL.

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church will gather for Reformation Sunday worship service with Holy Communion on Oct. 27, at Good Shepherd, 118 E. Mason St. Lena, IL, at 9:30 a.m. All are invited to wear red to the service to remember the spirit which moved Martin Luther in 1517. Join us in singing "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God." Choir will sing during the service. Following worship, there will be a time for fellowship with juice, coffee, and treats. Sunday school children will meet at 10:45 a.m. for songs, prayers, and Bible story. On Wednesday Oct. 30, at 8 a.m. the Piece Corps Quilters will work

together to craft quilts for Lutheran World Relief. Our quilts provide warmth and love to people in our community and in the world. Materials and helping hands to tie and saw quilts are always appreciated. No previous quilting experience is necessary. Come join the fun and make a difference in the world!

During the month of Oct. we are collecting donations for Le-Win Food Pantry. Personal hygiene products such as shampoos, conditioners, deodorants, tooth brushes & tooth pastes are especially appreciated. If you have any questions call the church at 815-369-5552.

St. John's Lutheran Church (Pearl City)

You're welcome to join us for worship at St. John's on Sunday, Oct. 27 at 9 a.m. The service will include the Rite of Confirmation for three of our youth. The Christian Education Committee will meet at 8:15 a.m. on that Sunday. Sunday School and Confirmation will meet immediately following worship. The SPLAT Youth group will meet from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

1:30 p.m. Tickets will be on sale at the door for \$6/person. An FHN Flu Shot Clinic will be held on the same day at 10 a.m. until Noon.

Bible Studies continue to meet at 7 p.m. on Mondays and at 9:30 a.m. on Thursdays. Morning Prayer is held at 9 a.m. on Tuesdays and Thursday. Members and guests are all welcome to any events at St. John's.

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.



Trunk-or-Treat Event

Sunday, Oct. 27

St. John's Lutheran Church in Lena invites all Elementary aged students in the area to take a quick tour through the parking lot at 6 p.m. where you will find lots of creatively decorated trunks and plenty of candy.

At 6:30 p.m. there will be a short devotion in our fellowship hall until 7 p.m.

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Feed the hungry

Shepherd of the HSIs is thankful for all the support given the steak fry by members of the church and friends and neighbors in the community who attended the event and purchased items at the sSent auctUn and bake sale. Most of all, we're grateful for the opportunity to share our bounty with friends and neighbors who receive help from the food pantries. The proceeds of the Sept. 14, Steak Fry were distributed to seven local food pantries in a short ceremony involving representatives from the food pantries. The total distributUn was \$3,500, and each food pantry received a check for \$500. Pictured for the receiving of the donatUns were the following people: back row, left to right: Joyce Kent from Warren, Sally Toepfer from Apple River, Jeanne Ohms from Haver, and Jim Webster from Galena. Front row, left to right: Larry Cording from Shepherd of the HSIs Steak Fry Committee, Shirley MSlr from Warren, Norma Schwirtz from Elizabeth, Sharon Madden from Stockton, and Rev. Jim Mehlretter, Pastor of Shepherd of the HSIs. Not pictured was John Lange of East Dubuque. Following the distributUn of checks, the food pantry representatives joined other guests at the weekly Shepherd's Table lunch.

Salem United Church of Christ

Worship with us at Salem United Church of Christ, 8491 W. Salem Road, near Lena, on Sunday, Oct. 27, at 10:30 a.m., when the sermon titled "Christian is a Verb" by Pastor Randal Nicholas will be based on scripture from 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18. Children's Sunday School is at 9:30 a.m. The Wednesday Morning Breakfast Group meets on Wednesday, Oct. 30 at 8 a.m. at the Beltline Caf , 325 W. South Street in Freeport.

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St. John's, Lena to host Bazaar & Dinner

The annual bazaar and beef and noodle dinner will be held Tuesday, Nov. 5 (Election Day) at St. John's Lutheran Church, Lena, IL.

The bazaar opens at 8:30 a.m. with coffee and rolls served from 8:30-10:30 a.m. (free will offering).

Dinner serving begins at 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. The menu includes beef & noodles, mashed potatoes & gravy, vegetable, jell-o salad, relishes, dinner roll, brownie, pie or angel food cake, coffee or milk. The cost is adults: \$9; children 6-12: \$4; 5 and under: free (dine-in-only). Carry outs are available by calling 815-369-4035. Please call ahead for 6 or more dinners. Local delivery only.

A drawing will be held. Tickets are \$1.00 per ticket/donation.

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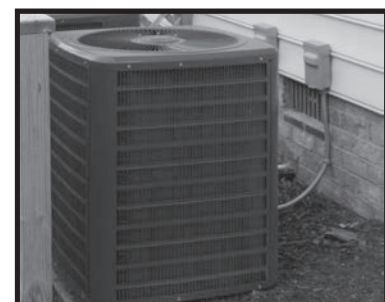
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Obituaries

DOROTHY "JANICE" HEYER

Dorothy "Janice" Heyer age 92, passed away on Tuesday, Oct. 15, 2019 at the Elizabeth Nursing Home. She was born on Nov. 11, 1926 in Freeport, IL to Allen and Dorothy (Drane) Coomber. She married Gordon Heyer on Feb. 6, 1946 at the Warren Methodist Church. She was a member of Wesley United Methodist Church, Women's group, and the church council. She enjoyed square dancing, taught ceramics classes for many years, playing euchre and watching game shows.

She is survived by children Lori (Tom) Corbari of Stoughton, WI,



Todd (Tammy) Heyer of Stockton, IL; grandchildren Dan (Tabitha) Majors, Aaron (Sara) Majors, George (Denise) Corbari, Chris (Debbie) Corbari, Michaela Corbari, Jackie Heyer, Brian Day, Heather Hammer, Crystal Heyer, Alisha (Ryan) Pearson, Samantha Digmann (Reed Gibson) and Madison Fetter; 36 great grandchildren, 1 great great grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Gordon on June

25, 2016 and her grandson Dustin Heyer on July 18, 2016.

Funeral services were held on Monday, Oct. 21, at the Wesley United Methodist Church in Stockton, IL.

Visitation was on Sunday, Oct. 20, at the Leamon Funeral Home in Lena, IL.

Officiating will be Pastor Chuck Wolbers.

Burial will be in Ladies Union Cemetery.

A memorial has been established in her name.

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

STANLEY J. JONES

On Friday, Oct. 4, 2019, Stanley J. Jones passed away at the age of 66 from cancer. Stan was born on Sept. 8, 1953 in Freeport, IL to Wilbur and Nellie (Heefner) Jones. Stan was the father of two daughters, Vanessa Reid of Kenmore, WA and Michelle Elliott of Star, ID, and has most recently spent his time retired in the Philippines.

Stan was preceded in death by his father, Wilbur, his mother, Nellie, as well as his siblings including two brothers in infancy, Vivian Eisen, Dick Jones, twin sister, Sally Mitchell, and nephew Eric Scheider.

He is survived by his daughters, Vanessa and Michelle, his siblings Phyllis



Craig, Jerry Jones, and Sue Scheider, as well as several nieces and nephews.

While there will be no funeral services however, a "celebration of life" is planned on Nov. 16, from 2-5 p.m. at

Mulligans in Lena, IL. Arrangements by Leamon Funeral Home.

VIDA MARIE NEEBEL

Vida Marie Neebel passed away on Friday Oct. 11, 2019 at FHN Memorial Hospital in Freeport, IL. Vida was born on May 5, 1927 as the youngest of six children born to John and Lena (McKinstry) Blair near Stockton. Robert Neebel and Vida were married on Nov. 7, 1945 at Holy Cross Catholic Church in Stockton, IL. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Lena. She farmed alongside her husband for many years and was a loving wife, mother, aunt, grandma and great grandpa.

Surviving are one son, Kenneth Neebel of Pearl City; one daughter, Jean (Dennis) Hill of Kent, two grandsons- Scott (Jean) Hill of Stockton and Tracey (Angie) Hill of Polo; two great grandsons- Wyatt Robert Hill of Stockton and Sam Edward Hill of Pearl City and one great-granddaughter Sophie Watts of Polo; one brother, Clyde Blair of Warren and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

Funeral services were held Friday, Oct. 18, at St. Josephs Catholic Church in Lena.

Visitation was Thursday, Oct. 17, at the Leamon Funeral Home in Lena.

Rosary Services were on Thursday at the Funeral Home.

Officiating will be Father Andrew Skrobutt.

A luncheon will be held at St. Joseph Catholic Church before the burial.

Burial will be in Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens in Freeport.

A memorial has been established in her name.

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

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1st prize: "Winning Hand" Quilt
2nd prize: Christmas Wall Hanging.
The drawing will be held at the bazaar.

St. John's Bazaar offers homemade noodles (limited supply); baked goods; homemade candy; Thanksgiving & Christmas items; crafts & all types of handmade items - Sold from 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

Flu shots will be given from 9 a.m.-12 Noon by FHN.

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The \$10,000 grant will enable FHN to help breast cancer patients find the correct prosthesis after mastectomy and enhance the cancer care services already available at the Leonard C. Ferguson Cancer Center at FHN Memorial Hospital in Freeport.

"This generous gift will allow us to have a certified breast prosthetic fitter available to help patients after they've had a mastectomy," said Tonya Meyer, FHN Foundation Executive Director. "We're grateful to have this help from Medline to allow us to better help our patients recover after breast cancer surgery. Our Cancer Center staff takes pride in helping their patients throughout their journey."

"We are very impressed by the overwhelming number and quality of applicants we've seen this year, and are proud to partner with organizations all across the country that are working tirelessly to eradicate breast cancer and improve the care of patients affected by it," said Karen Frey, senior philanthropy manager at Medline.

The goal of Medline's Community Impact Grant Program for Breast Cancer Awareness is to give grants to organizations actively working to address breast cancer-related challenges, including those related to prevention, early detection, improving patient care or enhancing the quality of life for breast cancer patients and survivors.

Wedig's 40th Anniversary



Tim and Vickie Wedig were married Oct. 27, 1976 in Monroe, WI. They have two children, Jacklyn Wedig of Chicago, IL and Kirk (Fiancee Kelin) Wedig of Orangeville, IL. Send them a card at: 6411 W. Basswood Rd McConnell, IL 61050

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Welcome to the world Grace Louise Shenberger

Robbie and Krystal Shenberger of Lena, IL are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Grace Louise Shenberger born on Oct. 10, 2019 at FHN Memorial Hospital. Grandparents are Ronda & Karl

Martin of Pearl City, IL and Willard & Candice Shenberger of Freeport, IL. Great Grandarent is Karlynn Stubbe of Pearl City, IL. Grace joins a sister Angela and brother RJ at home.



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New Listings

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Other Listings

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Obituaries

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MELVIN C. LOEWE

Melvin C. Loewe age 88, of Lena, IL passed away Tuesday Oct. 15, 2019 at FHN Memorial Hospital. He was born Sept. 8, 1931 at home to Herman and Mildred (Jahnke) Loewe. He attended Immanuel Lutheran School and graduated from Freeport High School in 1949. He married Arlene Otte on Nov. 17, 1979. He was employed at Micro Switch for 30 plus years. He served his country in the army from 1951-1953 in combat in the Korean Conflict. He

served with the Stephenson County Mounted Patrol for 25 years. Mel enjoyed playing Racquet Ball, pitching horseshoes, square dancing, bowling and raising and showing dairy goats for 26 years. He taught Sunday school in his early years at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Freeport and later at Salem United Church of Christ in Lena.

He is survived by his wife Arlene of Lena; two sisters- Gwen Hanson of Myrtle Beach, SC and Leona Condit of

Saylorsburg, PA; two brothers- Ronald (Pat) Loewe of Austin, TX and Wesley (Margaret) Loewe of Ridott, IL; many nieces and nephews; special grandchildren- Christopher, Jessica, Deverick and Kerrigan Sander, Chesley (Jan) Booker and Kenzie (Andrew) Heath-erwick.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brothers Wilbur, Emmerson (POW), Kenneth, Lew, Delbert and sister Evedene.

Funeral services were held on Saturday Oct. 19, at Salem United Church of Christ with at visitation until time of service.

Burial will be Salem United Church of Christ Cemetery.

Officiating will be Pastor Randy Nicholas.

A memorial has been established in his name.

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

MARVIN WOESSNER

Marvin Woessner, age 91 of Lena, Illinois formerly of Mount Carroll, Illinois, died on Monday, Oct. 14, 2019 at the Lena Living Center. A funeral service was held Saturday, Oct. 19, 2019 at the Law-Jones Funeral Home, Mount Carroll with Reverend Kim Chapman officiating. Burial will take place in Oak Hill Cemetery, Mount Carroll. A visitation was held prior to the service at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be given to the United Methodist Church, Mount Carroll or Unity Hospice in Marvin's memory.

Marvin was born on a farm near Shannon, Illinois, on Dec. 22, 1927,

VIOLETTE CHARLINE TESSENDORF

Violette Charline Tessendorf age 99, passed away on Saturday Oct. 12, 2019 at Lena Living Center. She was born on Nov. 15, 1919 at home near Argyle, WI. She attended school at the Mud Branch School and Argyle High School. She attended nurses training at St. Francis School of Nursing in Freeport and received her RN on graduation. She worked at St. Claire Hospital at Monroe which was only two years old at the time. She later was employed by Dr. Melvin Stuessy of Brodhead as an office nurse for two years. Violette then worked with the Boy Scouts for 59 years and Warren Community School for 10 years as a school nurse and the resource room. She was married by Rev. S. C. Benson in Blanchardville, WI to Frank A. Tessendorf on Nov. 15, 1947 and they made their home

in Warren.

She is survived by one son Gary Tessendorf of Warren and grandson Jeremy of Normal, IL, many nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her husband Frank in 1989 and son Donald (Judy) in 2016, twin sister Viola (Delbert) Martin and sister Mabel (Clarence) Saalsaa, four brothers, Jesse, Clarence, Glenn and Cecil.

Funeral services were held Monday, Oct. 21, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Warren, IL.

Visitation was until time of services at the church.

Burial will be in Elmwood Cemetery.

Vicar Michelle Knight performed the services.

A memorial has been established in her name.

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

the son of Clarence and Martha (Moring) Woessner. He graduated from the Shannon High School with the Class of 1945. On June 22, 1947, Marvin married Mary Kearnaghan in Mount Carroll. They raised four children and celebrated 64 years of marriage. They renewed their vows in Feb. of 2012. Mary passed away April 2, 2012.

Marvin farmed north of Mount Carroll and also had a successful real estate and title insurance business until retiring in 1992.

Mary and Marvin loved taking their children on the Mississippi River and camping at Timberlake. They enjoyed traveling and spending

winters together in Bonita Springs, Florida. Marvin had a great sense of humor and enjoyed playing tricks on friends. Marvin was a member of the United Methodist Church, Mt. Carroll Rotary Club, Cyrus Masonic Lodge and the Scottish Rite.

Marvin will be dearly missed by one son Brian (Cynthia) Woessner of Mount Carroll; three daughters, Deborah (Herman Wild) Polhill of Hanover, Illinois, Teresa (Randy) Criddle of Byron, Illinois and Kristina (Dick) Mazzie of West Bloomfield, Michigan; eight grandchildren; and sixteen great grandchildren. Marvin was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, Mary, and a brother, Wendell.

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on the American Heart Association guidelines.

The course will be held from 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 9 at FHN Memorial Hospital in Freeport. The cost is \$60, which includes a student workbook and a CPR certification card that is valid for two years. Registration is required. For more information and to register, visit www.fhn.org/communityeducation or call FHN's Center of Innovative Learning at 815-599-6707.

Alzheimer's and Dementia Workshop

The annual Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia Workshop is scheduled to take place Nov. 6, at United Methodist Church, 2227 4th Street, in Monroe, WI. Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. and the final session concludes at 3:30 p.m. This resource for family members, direct care workers and professionals is sponsored by the Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC), the Alzheimer's & Dementia Alliance of Wisconsin and Monroe Clinic.

This year's speaker is Dr. Nathaniel Chin, a board-certified internist, geriatrician and Assistant Professor of Geriatric Medicine at the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health. Dr. Chin's father was diagnosed with early onset Alzheimer's Disease, which influenced his career path to become a geriatrician and scientist focused on

dementia. His presentation is entitled, "Healthy Living for Your Brain and Body" and will touch on how lifestyle choices have significant impacts on brain health.

The day-long event will also feature sessions on music and memory, resident advocacy, proactive approaches to behavioral expressions and caring for the caregiver. Break-out sessions will cover topics such as caregiver resources, caregivers sharing experiences and palliative, home and hospice care.

Family caregivers may attend courtesy of the ADRC, while there is a \$30 fee for professionals and direct caregivers. Lunch is included. Register by calling the ADRC at 608-328-9499. Onsite respite care is available at no cost through the Hand in Hand Adult Day center. Please call for respite care arrangements by Friday, Nov. 1.

LEGALS

ASSUMED NAME PUBLICATION

Public Notice is hereby given that on **September 27, 2019** 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: **Wild Roots Salon** located: **222 W. Exchange St. Suite #7, Freeport, IL. 61032.**

VICIR. OTTE
Stephenson County Clerk
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HEATING, LTD., an
Illinois corporation,
Plaintiff,

vs

CORTNEY J.
CHADWICK, BARCLAY
CONSTRUCTION, INC. an
Illinois corporation, FIFTH
THIRD MORTGAGE
COMPANY, ILLINOIS
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT
AUTHORITY, JESSIE
M. CHADWICK, and
UNKNOWN OWNERS, and
NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS
Defendants,

CASE NO. 2019 CH 12
NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on June 3, 2019, the Stephenson County Sheriff will at 9:30 p.m. on November 8, 2019, at the Stephenson County Courthouse, 15 N. Galena Avenue, Freeport, Illinois, 61032, sell at a public sale to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

Commonly known as 3840 East Winneshiek, Freeport, Illinois, 61032 and legally described, to wit:

Beginning at the Southeast corner of the Southeast Quarter (1/4) of said Section 11, Township and Range aforesaid; thence West along the south line of said Southeast Quarter (1/4) 150 feet to a point; thence North 183 feet to a point; thence East 150 feet to the East line of said Southeast Quarter (1/4); thence South on the East line of said Southeast Quarter (1/4) 183 feet to the place of beginning; EX-

CEPTING that part thereof dedicated for highway purposes; situated in the Town of Lancaster, County of Stephenson and the State of Illinois.

Property Tax Identification Number (P.I.N.): 07-14-11-400-002

Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Stephenson County Sheriff. No third party checks will be accepted. The balance, including the judicial sale fee for the Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, which is calculated on residential real estate at the rate of \$1 for each \$1,000 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser not to exceed \$300, in certified funds/ or wire transfer, is due within twenty-four (24) hours. No fee shall be paid by the mortgagee acquiring the residential real estate pursuant to its credit bid at the sale or by any mortgagee, judgment creditor, or other lienor acquiring the residential real estate whose rights in and to the residential real estate arose prior to the sale. The subject property is subject to general real estate taxes, special assessments, or special taxes levied against said real estate and is offered for sale without any representation as to quality or quantity of title and without recourse to Plaintiff and in "AS IS" condition. The sale is further subject to confirmation by the court.

Upon payment in full of the amount bid, the purchaser will receive a Certificate of sale that will entitle the purchaser to a deed to the real estate after confirmation of the sale.

The property will NOT be open for inspection and plaintiff makes no representation as to the condition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information.

IF YOU ARE THE HOMEOWNER, YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE 735 ILCS 5/15-1701(c).

Attorney Thomas G. Ruud
Thomas G. Ruud & Associates
Attorney for Plaintiff
318 North 1st Street
Rockford, Illinois 61107
(815) 961-9100

NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's tempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TOWNSHIP BUDGET

Notice is hereby given that a Tentative Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for Road Purposes of the West Point Township, in the County of Stephenson, State of Illinois, for the fiscal year beginning April 1, 2019, and ending March 31, 2020, will be on file and conveniently available to public inspection at the home of the Town Clerk, Bill Staton, from and after 7 o'clock a.m., on October 15, 2019.

Notice is further given hereby that a public hearing on said Budget and Appropriation Ordinance will be held at 7:00 o'clock p.m., on November 5, 2019, in the West Point Township Garage in this town and that final hearing and action on this ordinance will be taken at a meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the West Point Township Garage on November 5, 2019.

Karen Peight, Supervisor
Bill Staton, Clerk
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EPC Cub Scout Pack #27 Dessert Auction

EPC Cub Scout Pack #27 would like to invite the community to our annual Dessert Auction to be held on Nov. 25, at 6 p.m. in the Pearl City United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. Proceeds are used to purchase supplies for our holiday gift bags delivered by our scouts to community members in December. Girl Scouts will be selling hot cocoa! This is a fun way to get some goodies in time for Thanksgiving and support your community in the process! All treats are provided by the families of the EPC Cub Scout Pack #27.

Highland unveils use of force simulator

Highland Community College will unveil a new educational grade use of force simulation training system on Tuesday, Oct. 22 at 3:15 p.m. in the Marvin-Burt Liberal Arts Center, Building M, Room M-120 at Highland Community College, 2998 W. Pearl City Rd., Freeport, Ill.

The use of force simulator is a training system to help students achieve skills necessary to work in the field, which is a priority of the Criminal Justice program at Highland. This equipment also serves as a promotional and re-

cruitment tool, and supports field training opportunities for community law enforcement agencies.

Jennifer Roser, a Criminal Justice instructor, said the Use of Force simulator enhances the program and creates more hands-on learning opportunities for the students. Criminal justice instructors will utilize the simulator within their courses to gain the ability to have the equipment enhance the program, and create more hands-on learning opportunities for the students.

"The equipment enhances education in ethics, law, law enforcement, along with developing communication and critical thinking skills," Roser said. "Students have just started utilizing the equipment this semester and are practicing verbal communication and critical thinking skills. Students are learning how quickly situations can escalate and potentially become dangerous while working in various capacities in this field. As a class, we evaluate the scenarios and discuss if situations can be han-

dled differently."

The Highland Criminal Justice program prepares students for rewarding careers with local, county, state, or federal law enforcement agencies, correctional institutions, courtrooms, and other criminal justice agencies. The Criminal Justice field is service-oriented, and it is the program's responsibility to assure that qualified students receive proper education and readiness for the field.

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McConnell Historical Society Supper

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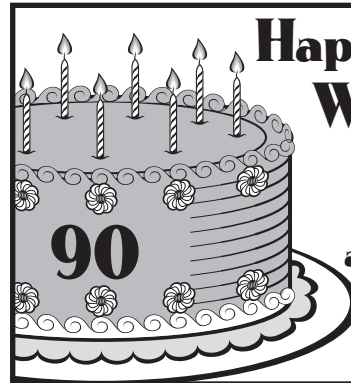
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