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Warren tops Pearl City in crossover NUIC matchup

By Trenten Scheidegger
CORRESPONDENT

On Monday, Jan. 16 the Warren Warriors girls basketball team was looking for a break. The new year had not gotten off to a hot start for the Warriors. After picking up a 42-30 victory over the Stockton Blackhawks on Jan. 4, the Warriors suffered a four-game losing streak. The streak included a heartbreaking double overtime loss to East Dubuque, blowout losses to Galena and Orangeville.

The Warriors would march forward, however. On the Jan. 16, it was the start of a new week, and the Warriors were ready to attack. That evening, they made the trip to face off with the Pearl City Wolves. The Wolves came into the game riding a three-game losing streak of their own, so something had to give in this crossover NUIC matchup. The first quarter belonged to Pearl city. The Wolves outscored the warriors 11-3 in the opening quarter as Warren's offense got off to a slow start. Warren's only first quarter

points came from a successful and-one opportunity by Adalynn Bohnsack.

After the rough first quarter and the possibility of a fifth consecutive loss on the horizon, the Warriors had to turn things around quickly. They did so in the second quarter, when the offense exploded for 18 points. Elaina Martin did most of the damage, hitting a three-pointer on her way to 10 second quarter points. Sydney Story, Lauren Williams, Janel Radaszewski, and Bohnsack each hit baskets of their own in the quarter.

While combining for 18 on offense, the Warren defense held Pearl City to just six points in the quarter. The turnaround was enough to give the Warriors a 21-17 halftime lead.

In the third quarter, the Warren offense remained consistent with another 10 points. A Sabinson three-pointer and a pair of baskets by Williams helped Warren take a 31-27 lead into the final quarter. In the fourth, the Pearl City defense began to foul to extend the game. Warren left plenty

of opportunities open as they hit just one of their seven free throw attempts in the final quarter. For the game, Warren was just six for 15 at the line.

A pair of late baskets from Katie Schneider and Bohnsack would prove to be crucial in this one. In fact, it was just enough to hold off the Pearl City comeback as the Wolves picked up the 40-37 victory. Martin and Williams led the way in scoring as they both finished with 10 points. Martin scored all of her points in the second quarter, but the Warriors needed every bit of help. Bohnsack was next up with seven, while Radaszewski finished with six.

The Warriors went on to pick up a 55-33 victory over West Carroll, just two days later. The victories improved Warren's overall record to 12-10 on the year. On Monday, Jan. 30 the Warriors have a home matchup against the Durand Bulldogs. Durand has struggled through the season as they are 0-16 on the year.



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Celebrating 100 years young

A lady who never wanted much fuss deserves recognition on her 100th birthday. Pauline (McKee) Feltmeyer was born the youngest of 12 children on Feb. 2, 1923 to Joe and Lottie McKee of Warren, IL. She graduated from Warren High School, married Nolan Feltmeyer of Stockton and raised three children, (2 sons, Jerry and Dale and a daughter, Penny (Feltmeyer) Oppold). With eight grandchildren, nine great grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren, her birthday will not go unnoticed. Join in celebrating her 100th birthday by sending a card or note to: Pauline Feltmeyer, 611 S. Ward Street, Stockton, IL 61085.



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Obituary

RONALD A. SCHRADER
Ronald "Ron" A. Schrader, 79, of Lena passed away with his family by his side on Monday Jan. 16, 2023, in Lena, IL. He was born to Walter and Alice (Edler) Schrader on Aug. 12, 1943, in Freeport, IL. Ron graduated from Lanark High School in 1962 where he excelled in football, basketball, and track and field.



Ron loved his animals, and he always had a 4-legged friend.

He has left behind his family who misses him and loved him dearly. Wife- Pam of Lena, IL; Children- Rod (Kim) Schrader of Long Grove, IL, Amy (Karl) Musser of Stockton, IL, Corey Schrader of Caledonia, WI, Troy (Laurie) Schrader of Oswego, IL, Macey Koehn of Monroe, WI, Shelley (Chase Miller) Koehn of Denver, CO, Tanya (Jeff) Knoup of Lena, IL.; 13 Grandchildren and 7 Great Grandchildren. Sister-in-law; Sandy Scuitto of Cedarville, IL and Lenore Schrader of Lanark, IL; Many nieces and nephews and his beloved dog Tia. He is preceded in death by his parents, brother Roger Schrader and Brother-in-law Tony Scuitto. The Family would like to extend a thanks to the staff on the 4th floor at FHN and at the Lena Living Center.

Funeral services were at 11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 21, at St. John's Lutheran Church in Lena, IL. Visitation was held prior to the service from 9 a.m. 11 a.m. at St. John's Lutheran Church in Lena, IL. A private family burial will be held at Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens. Memorial can be made out to the Ronald A. Schrader Memorial Fund. Condolences can be sent to the family on our website at www.leamonfh.com.

Upon graduating from high school, he helped on his family's farm. He then began to work at Kelly Springfield in Freeport, IL until his retirement, after 30 years of service. He married Pam Koehn on Sept. 1, 2006.

He continued to have a love for farming throughout his life and helped at Harbach Farms in Warren, IL. His passion and love for people kept him active throughout his community by helping with lawn maintenance at the Wolf Hollow Golf Course and doing seasonal work at Swiss Colony in Monroe, WI.

Ron had a love for various sports. He has been an avid Chicago Bears fan, but no love was matched for his Lena-Winslow Panthers. When he wasn't watching sports, he enjoyed riding his motorcycles, hot rods, and jet skis. His summers were filled with many boat and camping trips to Savanna. Ron loved having adventures or just hanging out with a special group of friends who always called him "Uncle Ron". He was like a fun Uncle that everyone dreams of having, but most of all he was a helpful friend to all.



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Rural communities across the nation will soon benefit from increased funding and changes in the Rural Energy for America Program, U.S. Agriculture Secretary Tom Vilsack recently announced.

Illinois Rural Development poised for 'historic investment'

By Kay Shipman
FARMWEEK

Rural Illinois stands to benefit from increased funding and changes in the Rural Energy for America Program (REAP). U.S. Agriculture Secretary Tom Vilsack recently announced that \$300 million, including \$250 million from the Inflation Reduction Act, is available nationwide.

"This is an historic investment," said Betsy Dirksen Londrigan, Illinois State Rural Development director. "The amount being made available this year compounds our capabilities. It's a program that in Illinois is consistently over-subscribed. It means we're going to be able to help more people."

REAP provides farmers and small rural businesses with grants and guaranteed loans to develop renewable energy systems and to improve ener-

gy efficiency. The application deadline for Fiscal Year 2023 is March 31.

Callie Heidbreder, Illinois Rural Development business programs specialist and rural energy coordinator, explained that REAP applicants previously could apply for up to 25 percent of total eligible project costs, but that has increased to up to 40 percent of those costs thanks to the additional funding.

In addition, maximum grant amounts have also doubled, Heidbreder said, from \$250,000 to \$500,000 for energy efficiency improvements. Likewise, the maximum for a renewable energy system request has increased from \$500,000 to \$1 million.

"There are definitely greater thresholds available and an ability to take more dollars out to the applicants in Illinois," Heidbreder said.

The rural energy coordinator anticipates Illinois Rural Development may receive more project applications sparked by the amount of available funding. Heidbreder related she was speaking with a farmer

focused on an energy efficient grain dryer. Although he also had been considering a solar project, the farmer wasn't aware of the additional funding available.

"He said, 'Does it make sense to look at solar?'" she recalled. "I think we will see more examples like that as people, who have been thinking about these types of projects, needed an extra nudge to pull the trigger and make those possible for their operations."

Dirksen Londrigan pointed out important REAP changes now apply to cooperatives.

Electric and telephone cooperatives may now receive direct payment in lieu of federal tax credits for installation of certain renewable energy projects, the state director said. For example, if a cooperative is installing a solar project, it may apply for REAP and potentially receive a direct payment, reducing the overall payback of the system.

"Typically, they (cooperatives) don't have a tax liability. This is an incentive because they can receive a direct payment. That's an important

change," Dirksen Londrigan said.

Heidbreder offered three examples of Illinois REAP projects funded in fiscal year 2022.

The Lacon Rehab and Nursing LLC in Lacon operates a skilled nursing and sub-acute rehabilitation facility. It received funding to buy and install a 556-kilowatt solar array to help power the business and save more than \$41,300 annually.

A Bureau County farmer received funding to buy and install an energy efficient electric irrigation motor. The farmer anticipates saving more than \$4,300 each year and replacing 110,898 kilowatt hours or 59 percent annually.

A McHenry County farmer received funding to buy and install an energy efficient grain dryer and will save more than \$52,300 per year in energy costs and replace 1.113 million kilowatt hours or 39 percent annually.

Heidbreder encouraged interested applicants to email her at Callie.Heidbreder@usda.gov to ensure they and the project they are considering are both eligible "before they get too far down the road." Information also is available online.

In addition, state and local governments, federally recognized tribes, land-grant universities or other higher education institutions, rural electric cooperatives, public power entities and Resource Conservation and Development Councils may apply for grants to conduct energy audits and provide development assistance.

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Church news

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

All are invited to worship at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 118 E. Mason St. Lena, IL. on Sunday, Jan. 29 at 9:30 a.m. for Fourth Sunday after Epiphany Service. The reading will be from Matthew 5:1-12.

On Wednesday, Feb. 8 Peace Corps Quilting Group will meet from 8 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. No quilting experience necessary and all are welcome to attend.

Please contact the church office at 815-369-5552 with any questions. The CDC guidelines will be followed for gathering. For the safety of everyone, it is encouraged to wear masks and practice social distancing inside the building.

St. John's Lutheran Church

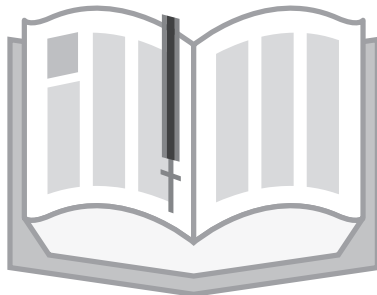
Join St. John's Lutheran Church in Pearl City every Sunday, at 9 a.m. for Worship, Sunday School and Communion. Worship is led by Pastor Shellie Knight. Join the fun for monthly dominoes and card games, Men's Breakfast, and Women's gatherings.

St. John's Lutheran Church is located at 229 S First St., Pearl City, IL.

Cedarville Baptist Church

At 9:30 a.m. Sunday School Pastor Jason Pankonin currently leads the adult class on the topic of personal Sanctification. In the 10:30 a.m. worship service, Pastor Pankonin is expository preaching through II Corinthians.

The 6 p.m. evening service is about "Jacob's Dozen". The upcoming message will be on the tribe of Asher. For the 6 p.m. Bible lesson and prayer time on Wednesdays, Pastor Pankonin continues to go through the Book of Proverbs.



News briefs

Lena American Legion Auxiliary

The Lena American Legion Auxiliary will honor female veterans with a brunch on Saturday, Feb. 25, at 9:30 a.m. This will be held at the Lena American Legion Home at 316 W. Main St., Lena.

There will be no charge for this brunch. Please come and join for fellowship and entertainment. Please call 815-369-4684 or contact jamcps54@yahoo.com with questions or to make reservations. Reservations are requested by Feb. 20.

Cupcakes and Cocktails fundraiser

CONTACT of Northern Illinois will be hosting the 10th Annual Cupcakes and Cocktails Fundraiser. The event will be held on Wednesday March 29, from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at This is it Eatery, 16 N. Chicago Ave. Freeport, IL.

Try four of six cupcake combinations for \$15 or upgrade for \$2 more to try all six. Silent auction baskets will be available for bidding. Tickets can be purchased at This is it Eatery starting on Jan. 16 or at the door during the event.

Please call CONTACT of Northern Illinois at 815-233-4402 with any questions. This is it Eatery will be donating 10% of food sales during the event.

Solar energy panel discussion

The Northwest Illinois Forestry Association (NIFA) will host a discussion of solar energy options for homeowners and businesses on Tuesday, Feb. 7, at 7 p.m. at the Stockton Public Library.

NIFA has invited three vendors to provide information on installation logistics and needs as well as available financial assistance including grants. In addition, several homeowners will discuss their experiences with solar energy collection systems.

Audience questions will be entertained following the discussion.

The Stockton Public Library is located at 140 W. Benton Ave. This meeting is free and open to the public.

Veterans Pantry requests

The Veterans Pantry in Freeport is very low on paper towels and toilet paper

(4 packs preferred). Items for donation may be brought to the Lena American Legion Home on Saturdays from 10 to 12 p.m. at 314 W Main St. Please call 815-369-4684 with any questions.

Beef Association scholarship

The Jo Daviess Beef Association is excited to announce the release of their 2023 scholarship for students in Jo Daviess County seeking education in the agricultural industry. To obtain an application contact your high school counselor, FFA Advisor, the Farm Bureau office, or the Jo Daviess Extension office.

Please contact Karen Koester at 815-275-3083 for further information. Applications must be received by the

association scholarship committee by April 1, 2023.

Genealogy group discussion

Green County Genealogical Society (GCGS) will hold its monthly meeting Saturday, Feb. 4 at the Monroe Public Library at 10 a.m. The group discussion and program are "Who, what, where are you in your genealogy?"

A short business meeting will be held preceding the program. The meeting will be held in the second-floor meeting room of the Monroe Public Library at 10 a.m., Saturday, Feb. 4. Visitors are always welcome and there is no cost to attend. Call Donna at 608-921-1537 or Ginny at 608-426-1796 with any questions.

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OPINION



Slices of life

The birthday party without an invite



By **JILL PERTLER**
Columnist

I went to many birthday parties when I was a kid. I don't remember most of them. One I do remember, vividly, however, is the party to which I didn't receive an invitation.

It was in celebration of one of my good friend's 10th birthdays. I was unaware of the occurrence of such a mega event, which happened on a Sunday afternoon, until Monday morning, when it was the talk of the entire fifth grade.

My friend Elizabeth had been to my house many times, and I to hers. I thought we were very close. Turns out there were at least a dozen or so girls she deemed closer.

I was devastated.

This was mid-January. Elizabeth was now 11. I was still 10 because my birthday was in the upcoming month of February.

Yep. Are you thinking what I'm thinking?

The tables had turned. It was my turn to plan the party and invite the guests.

I'd discussed my angst at the non-invitation with my mom and she acknowledged my right to feel slighted. And then she made a suggestion about my upcoming party.

"I think you should invite

Elizabeth," she said. "She may not have invited you, but leaving her out won't change that. If you see her as a friend, show her and maybe she will come to understand how true friends treat each other."

I, of course, counter-argued, "But she didn't invite me!"

To that, my mom explained that meeting a perceived wrong with a similar action doesn't help anyone.

"You felt bad when you found out about her party," my mom said. "How will she feel if you do the same to her for your party? And, just as importantly, how will that make you feel?"

My 10-year-old brain contemplated that thought and I realized, rather quickly (to my surprise) that inviting Elizabeth was right in a number of ways, while not inviting her was wrong.

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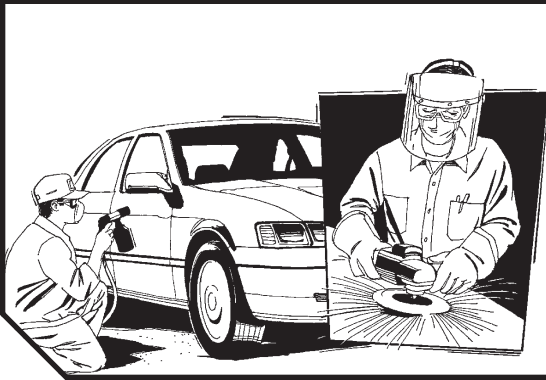
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Illinois named top soybean producing state for 2022 growing season

The Illinois Soybean Association (ISA) is proud to announce that Illinois produced the most soybeans in the nation again in 2022.

After a slow start to the planting season due to cool and wet weather, followed by a hot and dry summer for many of the state's farmers, the National Agricultural Statistics Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture estimates Illinois soybean farmers raised 677.25 million bushels on 10.75 million harvested acres with an average yield of 63 bushels per acre.

"I'm proud to be able to congratulate my 43,000 colleagues across the state on this announcement," said Steve Pitstick, a Maple Park farmer and Chairman of ISA. "Illinois soybean farmers have gotten really good at making the best of whatever growing challenges confront them, making smart management decisions, and maximizing production opportunities, and 2022 was no different."

"We have proven once again that we know how to

roll up our sleeves and put the sweat equity into producing a high-quality product and raising a record-breaking crop."

Pitstick says ISA's three-pronged approach to supporting a thriving soybean industry - agronomy, domestic and global market development, and local, state and national government relations - are the key ingredients when it comes to the recipe for raising a record soybean crop.

"ISA remains committed to helping farmers improve return on investment (ROI) by providing tools such as sharing the latest innovations, technology, and research that boosts profitability," says Pitstick. "We are proud to provide year-round, actionable agronomic advice and insights that focus on improving soybean productivity and quality."

The ISA checkoff program funds ILSoyAdvisor as a go-to toolbox for expert agronomic and management advice, including renewed efforts in funding research and conservation agronomy

programming to help farmers be more successful on their soybean acres.

ILSoyAdvisor and the expansion of the ISA agronomy team provide the latest educational resources, agronomic insights, webinars, success stories, events, and more for soybean farmers to maximize their operation year-round. To learn more about upcoming ILSoyAdvisor events near you or to read the latest in agronomic advice, visit www.ilsoyadvisor.com.

"This announcement is more than a newsworthy headline; it represents the lineage, hard work, and contributions of 43,000 farmers," said Pitstick. "This celebration belongs to every soy grower- and every soy family- across Illinois. Congratulations on a job well done!"

The Illinois Soybean Association (ISA) checkoff and membership programs represent more than 43,000 soybean farmers in Illinois. The checkoff funds market development and utilization efforts while the membership program supports the gov-

ernment relations interests of Illinois soybean farmers at the local, state, and national level, through the Illinois Soybean Growers (ISG).

ISA upholds the interests of Illinois soybean producers through promotion, advocacy, and education with the vision of becoming a market

leader in sustainable soybean production and profitability. For more information, visit the website www.ilsoy.org and www.ilsoygrowers.com.

• Slices (Continued from page 4)

Offering the proverbial olive branch made my heart happy, while thoughts of excluding my friend were only coming from a dark place. Even at 10 years old I understood that.

When I brought my party invitations to school a few days later I handed one to Elizabeth. Her eye widened and I could see she was surprised.

"You're inviting me to your party?" She asked. "I didn't invite you to mine."

"I know," I said. "I want you to come. I didn't want to leave you out."

She smiled and I smiled, and with that one exchange the discomfort of her party

was put behind us. She did come to my party and we remained friends through age 11 and maybe even through age 12.

We were kids. Learning and growing from our mistakes. Sometimes the hard way, sometimes through the grace and insight of a wise mother.

But, here's the real lesson in all of this. It's one I just realized, decades later:

I never would have thought twice about inviting Elizabeth had she not invited me. I never would have confided in my mom and she, in turn, never would have had the chance to teach me this truth had I not been excluded in

the first place.

Sometimes valuable insight and knowledge comes from the least likely of places—from darkness or at least the shadows.

Without shadows, we might not appreciate the light.

Elizabeth, in leaving me out, gave me a chance to embrace the light. Find your lessons from the most unlikely of places and darkest corners. That where they most often can be found.

Jill Pertler is an award-winning syndicated columnist, published playwright and author. Don't miss a slice; follow the Slices of Life page on Facebook.

Northwest Illinois F-4 Jet Combat Memorial

The Lena community and Northwest Illinois region have been working hard since 2018 to build a veteran's memorial park to honor those who often risked their lives in aerial combat as well as aerial support crew veterans.

Since the project's inception, over \$100,000 has been raised through generous donations and memorial brick pledges. The F-4 Phantom jet has been transported to the ground just west of Rafter's. Site work across from the American Legion has been completed, and paint-

ing is underway. Approximately \$40,000 is still needed for the movement and final placing of the jet at the park site.

A fundraising event will be held to raise funds to support the project's completion. The Memorial Committee will host a radio-a-thon on Saturday, Feb. 11 from 8 to 11 a.m. at Lena Winslow High School. It will be live on WCCI 100.3 FM. The event will feature music along with many interviews with veterans, business owners, and project supporters. During the show

the phone lines will be open to accept pledges. The call-in number is 815-668-0821, and community members can also pledge in advance in-person at the school or by mail.

The goal is to raise \$20,000 which will cover approximately half of the funds needed to complete the project. To pledge before the event, please send donations to The Northwest Illinois F-4 Jet Committee, PO Box 290, Lena, IL 61048.

Please contact Denny Luke at 815-985-5552 with any questions.

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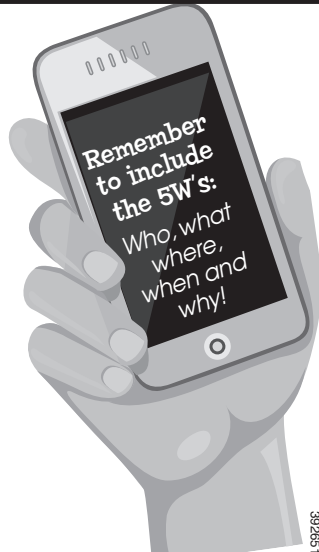
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Blackhawks fall to Scales Mound in NUIC matchup

By Trenten Scheidegger
CORRESPONDENT

Last week, the Stockton boys basketball team was riding a two-game winning streak. On Wednesday, Jan. 11 the Blackhawks picked up an impressive 38-37 victory over a Northwest Upstate Illini-West Conference opponent in the East Dubuque Warriors. Their confidence carried over into their next matchup, when the Blackhawks traveled to face off with the Amboy Clippers. At just 3-15, the Clippers would still be a good test for the Blackhawks. At half-time, the Blackhawks found themselves trailing 22-21.

The Blackhawks would come out strong in the second half, however, as they outscored the Clippers 12-1 in the third quarter. Eventually,

the Blackhawks were able to avoid the upset with a 49-34 victory over Amboy. The win improved Stockton's overall record to 7-12 on the season. While Stockton hoped to increase their winning streak to three games, things would only get more challenging in their next matchup.

On Tuesday, Jan. 17 the Blackhawks were set to face off with one of the top Class 1A teams in all of Illinois in the Scales Mound Hornets. Scales Mound came into the matchup with a record of 17-3. The Hornets had just picked up a win over an impressive Pecatonica team the night before. On their home court, the Blackhawks were hoping to pull off an upset in conference play. The first quarter was tight. Things

went back and forth but the Hornets, eventually, took a 9-8 lead into the second quarter. That's where things got bumpy for the Blackhawks.

The Scales Mound offense caught fire in the second quarter, combining for 16 points. Meanwhile, Stockton put up nine points in an attempt to keep pace. Still, Scales Mound would take a 25-17 lead into the halftime break. Stockton came out of the break with a chip on their shoulders. The Blackhawks would outscore the Hornets for the first time all night, 14-12. The big third quarter was enough to cut into the Scales Mound lead, but the Blackhawks still trailed 37-31.

It was Charlie Wiegel's night, as the senior point guard helped lead the Hornets to vic-

tory with 16 points. Wiegel's offensive performance helped Scales Mound outscore the Blackhawks 13-7 in the final quarter, preserving their lead. Next up for the Hornets were a pair of juniors in Thomas Hereau and Seth Birkett, who both finished with nine. Hereau would also finish the game with a team-leading eight rebounds. Jacob Deurr, a senior center, finished with eight points in the victory.

Stockton had a solid team performance, but no one was able to go above and beyond to pull off the upset. The Blackhawks were led by Ryley Schultz and Luke Parker, who both finished with nine points. Stockton had three scorers finish with six points in Bennett Graves, Colby Tucker, and Alex Altfillisch. With eight rebounds, Altfillisch also led the team in boards. Dustin Oppold led Stockton in assists with three.

On Wednesday, Jan. 25 the Blackhawks will travel to face off with the Warren Warriors. Two days later, Stockton will travel to play against a tough Galena Pirates squad on Friday, Jan. 27. That same Friday night, the Hornets will play host to the Warren Warriors.

Around the Northern Hills

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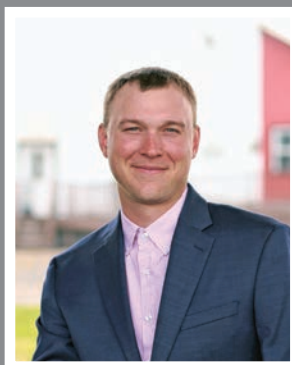
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This week's Little Blackhawks

Congratulations to these Stockton Elementary and Middle School students who were recognized for following the Blackhawk Way!

SSM Health at Home offers Walking Through Grief support group

The journey through grief can be difficult. Many people find it comforting to face grief with others experiencing similar challenges. Join SSM Health at Home for "Walking Through Grief," an education and support group providing resources and encouragement for people grieving the death of a loved one.

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2022 FC 8
NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on September 8, 2022, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 1:30 PM on February 17, 2023, at the office of Vincent Roth Toepfer & Leinen PC, 11406 U.S. Route 20 W, Galena, IL, 61036, sell at a public sale to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

LOT NUMBER SIXTY-SEVEN (67) ON GRATIOT STREET, ON THE WEST SIDE OF GALENA RIVER, IN THE CITY OF GALENA, JO DAVIESS COUNTY, ILLINOIS. THE NORTH 24.43 FEET OF LOT SIXTY-SIX (66) ON GRATIOT STREET, ON THE WEST SIDE OF GALENA RIVER, IN THE CITY OF GALENA, JO DAVIESS COUNTY, ILLINOIS, WHICH PORTION OF LOT SIXTY-SIX (66) FRONTS 24.43 FEET ON GRATIOT STREET, NOW KNOWN AS DEWEY AVENUE AND EXTENDS WESTERLY 217.8 FEET

MORE OR LESS TO THE WESTERLY LINE OF SAID LOT SIXTY-SIX (66). TOGETHER WITH THE FOLLOWING PORTION OF VACATED DODGE STREET DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 68 BETWEEN GRATIOT AND HARRISON STREETS, IN THE CITY OF GALENA, ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE GALENA RIVER, JO DAVIESS COUNTY, ILLINOIS; THENCE SOUTH 00 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST, ALONG THE EASTERLY LINE OF SAID LOT 68 EXTENDED SOUTHERLY, A DISTANCE OF 25.02 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUING SOUTH 00 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST, ALONG SAID EXTENDED LINE, A DISTANCE OF 25.02 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF LOT 67 BETWEEN GRATIOT AND HARRISON STREET IN SAID CITY OF GALENA; THENCE NORTH 87 DEGREES 59 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST, 70.00 FEET; THENCE NORTH 00 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST, 25.02 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 87 DEGREES 59 MINUTES 40 SECONDS EAST, PARALLEL WITH THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 68, A DISTANCE OF 70.00 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING,

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FROM LENA'S KITCHEN



The not so skinny cook

Winter came back with some ice and snow. We have been lucky so far because the temperatures, other than Christmas when everyone wanted to go somewhere, have been fairly mild. This week's columns do feature some winter recipes. Happy cooking!

Cran-Raspberry Jell-O

In a recent discussion with cooks of my generation, we talked about Jell-O salads. Most of us agreed that we like Jell-O salads especially for special dinners. A lot of younger cooks can't be bothered with gelatin salads; they just want vegetable or green leafy salads. I have been featuring several gelatin salads the last few weeks mainly because I like them. That is why there is another one this week. I have concentrated on cranberry salads during the holidays and because there are still cranberries around. This salad is easy to make; you can do it in a mold (although many people have gotten rid of their molds—check the Thrift Shop if you need one), you can make this in a pretty glass dish also.

2 pkg. (3 oz. each) raspberry Jell-O C. boiling water
 1 can (14 oz.) whole berry cranberry sauce
 1 can (8 oz.) crushed pineapple, undrained
 1 C. orange juice

In a large bowl, dissolve Jell-O in boiling water. Stir in the cranberry sauce, pineapple, and orange juice. Pour into a 6-cup mold coated with cooking spray or a large glass bowl. Cover and refrigerate until set, about 4 hours. Unmold onto a serving platter. You can serve it as a molded salad or as a bowl salad. Garnish with sugared cranberries. To make sugared cranberries: boil 1 C. water and 1 C. sugar, stirring until sugar is dissolved. Cool completely. Drop cranberries into sugar water and let them dry on a rack to get excess moisture off. When they are dry, roll them in a shallow dish of sugar.

Snowflake Tomato Soup

I love tomato soup in the winter. It is a go-to meal for me when I am sitting there trying to figure out what I am hungry for. This is extra creamy and delicious. I love tomato basil soup,

so I would substitute basil for the oregano.

2 cans (28 oz. each) crushed tomatoes
 1 can (14.5 oz.) chicken broth
 2 t. dried oregano
 1 T. sugar
 1 C. heavy whipping cream
 Crackers and sliced white cheese

In a blender, process tomatoes, one can at a time, until smooth. Transfer to a large saucepan. Stir in broth; bring to a boil. Reduce heat; cover and simmer for 10 minutes. Stir in the oregano and sugar. Add a small amount of hot tomato mixture to whipping cream; return all to the saucepan. Cook until slightly thickened, do not boil. Are you still wondering about the Snowflake? If desired, cut snowflake shapes from sliced cheese using a small cutter; arrange on top of crackers. Place soup into serving bowl; top with crackers and cheese!

Texas Chicken Spaghetti

This casserole is an interesting combo of flavors. Most of the time we don't think of pairing spaghetti and chicken, but this one is pretty tasty. This casserole can be frozen. It also can be made a day ahead for an easy week-night dinner. Using rotisserie chicken makes this easier to assemble because it is cooked for you. You can use two cans of cream of mushroom instead of one can of cream of mushroom and one can of cream of chicken. I think the cream of chicken gives it good flavor. I have a friend who never uses cream of mushroom, she uses cream of celery instead. It is whatever tastes the best for your group. Enjoy this non-traditional spaghetti casserole.

1 pkg. (16 oz.) uncooked spaghetti
 ¼ C. butter, cubed
 1 large onion, chopped
 1 large green pepper, chopped
 1 can (14 oz.) stewed tomatoes
 1 can cream of mushroom soup
 1 can cream of chicken soup
 2 t. sugar (optional)
 16 oz. Velveeta cheese, cubed
 3 C. shredded cooked chicken
 Minced fresh parsley (optional)

Preheat the oven to 350. Cook the spaghetti according to package directions. In a Dutch oven, melt butter over medium heat, add onion and pepper. Cook and stir until tender, 5 to 7 minutes. Drain stewed tomatoes, reserving the liquid, and chop tomatoes. Stir in soups, tomatoes, and sugar if desired. Drain spa-

ghetti; add to sauce mixture with Velveeta and chicken. Add reserved liquid if mixture seems thick. Transfer to a greased 9 x 13 baking dish. Cover and bake 20 minutes. Uncover and bake until bubbly and cheese is melted, 5 to 10 minutes longer. Garnish with parsley.

Cabbage Roll Casserole

If you like stuffed cabbage rolls, you will like this recipe because it is a whole lot easier. You make it like lasagna by layering the meat, sauce, and cabbage. It is a great meal for a winter night.

2 lbs. ground beef
 1 large onion, chopped
 3 garlic cloves, minced
 2 cans (15 oz. each) tomato sauce, divided
 1 t. dried thyme
 ½ t. dill weed
 ½ t. rubbed sage
 ¼ t. salt
 ¼ t. pepper
 ¼ t. cayenne pepper

2 C. cooked rice
 4 bacon strips, cooked and crumbled
 1 medium cabbage, shredded
 1 C. shredded mozzarella cheese
 Preheat the oven to 375.

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Highland Community College announces fall 2022 dean's list

Highland Community College proudly announces the dean's list for the fall 2022 semester. Students who have completed 12 credit hours or more during the semester and have a minimum 3.25-grade point average (GPA), based on a 4.0 scale, are included on the dean's list. The highest Honors are awarded to students with a perfect 4.0 GPA. High Honors are given to students with a 3.50 to 3.99 GPA, and Honors students have earned a GPA between 3.25 and 3.49.

Highest Honors

Elizabeth: Kara Conklin
Freeport: Kelli Bahr; Natalija Beleska; Elizabeth Boyer; Grayce Busker; Kendra

Elliott; Betina Faga Bergallo; Sarah Foster; Christian Gasmund; Demetrus Johnson; Owen Joseph; Xavier Las-sandro; Brooke Allison Parkinon; Sarah Paul; Yowendy Paulino Lopez; Morgan Penticoff; Bayley Pierce; Lane Pierson; Felix Polanco; Jeyson Polanco Ramos; Noah Redmore; Katelyn Schiffman; Mitchell Schneider; Matthew Tran; Olivia Wenzel; Elizabeth Wuebbels; Jeremiah Zuehlke

Lena: Stefany Arreola; Hannah Visel

Orangeville: Daniel Creuzer; Zacharey Green; Natalie Smith

Pearl City: Benjamin Bremmer; Madilyn Diddens; Cody Pitts; Brianna Stager

Stockton: Ashton Davis
Winslow: Marguerite Johnson

High Honors

Elizabeth: Maria Bender; Sarah Pratt

Freeport: Clara Bartels; Eli Barthel; Gonzalo Basterrechea; Kyley Cardoza; Noah Currier; Kayla Drosihn; Ashley Farrar; Cyrus Hug-gard-Noel; Kenton Johnson; Sara Johnson; Daniel Jose; Jacob Joseph; Ariadna Kuc; Kyrsten Kuhse-Appell; Elias Lassandro; Madison Lesko; Thalia Eden McDougal; Mason McIntyre; Kaitlyn Meyerhofer; Anna Morgan; Natalija Obradovic; Alayna Palmer; Lucia Pinto Martin; Stephen Roberson; Lucia Rodriguez;

Amanda Sawatzky; Nilaya Schulz; Chloe Smith; Sarah Webster; Olivia Wilhelms

Lena: Taylor Ditzler Amill; Kaytelynn Gable; Leah Goebel; Tanner Kalkbrenner; Ava Randecker; Addison Roberts; Jaydon Stouffer; Jennifer Swedlund; Kylie Zimmerman

Orangeville: Emily Tilbrook

Pearl City: Conor DeZell; Rachel Riley

Stockton: Morgan McPeek; Sara Miller

Warren: Christian Eaton; Sydney Ertmer; Hunter Kopp; Teila Thommen

Winslow: Payton O'Connor

Honors

Apple River: Diana Mon-

talvo
Freeport: Andrew Bowman; Gage Brewer; Tyler Brooks; Mikko Calingacion; Allison Coon; Ian Devers; Adam Engelkens; Zachary Fisher; Adam Hintz; Christine McDougal; Delia Pokoj; Erica Sanchez; Janelle Sarandi; Brady Schoch; Lieke Simons;

Shanitha Tillmon; Jessica Tomita; Gregory Yount
Lena: Aidan Cruz; Kalli Humphrey; Evan Peterson
Orangeville: Grace Edler
Pearl City: Addison Bremmer; Jase Sheffey
Stockton: Joseph Brudi; Avri Miller; Kassadie Sullivan; Eva Wampfler

REAL ESTATE NOTICES

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 15TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT JO DAVIESS COUNTY - GALENA, ILLINOIS

ROCKET MORTGAGE, LLC F/K/A QUICKEN LOANS, LLC F/K/A QUICKEN LOANS INC. Plaintiff,

-v.- JUSTIN KROHMER et al Defendant

2022 FC 8

NOTICE OF SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above cause on September 8, 2022, an agent for The Judicial Sales Corporation, will at 1:30 PM on February 17, 2023, at the office of Vincent Roth Toepfer & Leinen PC, 11406 U.S. Route 20 W, Galena, IL, 61036, sell at a public sale to the highest bidder, as set forth below, the following described real estate:

Commonly known as 614 DEWEY AVE, GALENA, IL 61036
Property Index No. 22-100-448-00

The real estate is improved with a residence.

Sale terms: 25% down of the highest bid by certified funds at the close of the sale payable to The Judicial Sales Corporation. No third party checks will be accepted. The balance, including the Judicial Sale fee for the Abandoned 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 or 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 con-

dition of the property. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information.

If this property is a condominium unit, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale, other than a mortgagee, shall pay the assessments and the legal fees required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/9(g)(1) and (g)(4). If this property is a condominium unit which is part of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit at the foreclosure sale other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by The Condominium Property Act, 765 ILCS 605/18.5(g-1).

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For information, examine the court file, CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. Plaintiff's Attorneys, 15W030 NORTH FRONTAGE ROAD, SUITE 100, BURR RIDGE, IL, 60527 (630) 794-9876 THE JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION

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E-Mail: pleadings@il.cslegal.com Attorney File No. 14-22-02112 Attorney ARDC No. 00468002 Case Number: 2022 FC 8 TJSC#: 42-3459

NOTE: Pursuant to the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act, you are advised that Plaintiff's attorney is deemed to be a debt collector attempting to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose. Case # 2022 FC 8 I3210821

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College news

Local students make Dean's List

Belmont University
Savanah Brandt

Iowa State

Ashley Carroll
Christopher Schnitzler
Julianna Kuzniar
Ella Wolfrom
Oliver Petta
Kendra Scace

Loras College

Mary Fellers
Hannah Hazzard
Timothy Harrington
Madyson Stephan

Northern Illinois University (graduate)

Haley Brudi

Southern New Hampshire University

Andrew Ford

University of Iowa

Grace Carr
Gennings Dunker
Bryce Fitzanko
Madalyn Fitzanko
Ellen Fox
Madeline Klippert
Daisy Timp
Padric Timp
Emma Zeller
Kyle Zimmerman

University of Wisconsin-Stout

Ryan Guy

•Kitchen

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In a large skillet, cook beef and onion over medium heat, crumbling beef, until meat is no longer pink. Add garlic; cook for 1 minute longer. Drain. Stir in 1 can tomato sauce and the thyme, dill weed, sage, salt, pepper, and cayenne pepper. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat; simmer, covered for 5 minutes; stir in rice and bacon; remove from heat.

Layer a third of the cabbage in a greased 9 x 13 baking dish. Top with half the meat mixture. Repeat layers; top with remaining cabbage. Pour remaining tomato sauce over the top. Cover and bake 45 minutes. Uncover and sprinkle with cheese. Bake until cheese is melted, about 10 minutes. Let stand 5 minutes before serving.

Butterscotch Toffee Cookies

These cookies are really easy to make because they use a cake mix. You do have to find the butterscotch chips and milk chocolate English toffee bits to complete the cookies.

2 large eggs, room temperature
½ C. canola oil
1 pkg. butter pecan cake mix
1 pkg. (10 to 11 oz.) butterscotch chips

1 pkg. (8 oz.) milk chocolate English toffee bits

Preheat oven to 350. In a large bowl, beat eggs and oil until blended; gradually add cake mix and mix well. Fold in chips and toffee bits. Drop by tablespoonfuls 2 inches apart onto greased baking sheets. Bake until golden brown, 10 to 12 minutes. Cool 1 minute before removing to wire racks.

Peanut Butter Chocolate Cereal Bars

There are only a few ingredients in these cereal bars. They have a little crunch and are a perfect after school snack or something good to put in a sack lunch.

3 T. unsalted butter
¾ C. miniature marshmallows
2/3 C. crunchy peanut butter
3 C. Chocolate Cheerios
3 C. Capt. Crunch's Peanut Butter Crunch

Spray a 9 x 13 baking pan with cooking spray. In a large saucepan, melt butter over low heat. Stir in marshmallows and peanut butter; cook, stirring frequently, until melted, about 8 minutes. Stir in cereals until coated. Remove from heat. Using a spatula coated with cooking

spray, press mixture into prepared pan. Let cool for one hour. Cut into bars. Store in an airtight container up to 3 days.

Final Thoughts

I had computer adventure problems again last week. My monitor kept getting dimmer and dimmer. I finally had to break down and buy a new monitor. It wasn't as expensive as I thought it was going to be. I found out the old one was about ten years old. In this day and age I would say I got my money's worth out of that one. In our era of planned obsolescence, this one will be lucky to last half that time. I got a larger monitor for these older tired eyes. I was lucky that I could get my column done in between break down and replacement.

I had an adventure on a Saturday morning that I thought I would share. I had heard that in the old restaurant in Winslow (some might remember Davey's) on the corner when you turn off Rt. 73 to go across the bridge on the Winslow Blacktop, is a store. It is called Here and There Farms. It is open on Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays. They have canned salsa, pickled garlic, relish, jelly, and lots of other

good things. They serve a luncheon special and have homemade cinnamon rolls. Their maple syrup and honey are local and will have some fresh vegetables in the summer. It is worth the trip to check them out. If you want good water, a lot of people go to the artesian well at Paradise Cove too. Sometimes the best things are in our own backyards. Good luck to Luke and Andrew on this farming adventure.

It is hard to believe that the January is racing to a close. We will be looking for recipes for the "red" month. Valentine's Day and Cherry Day (George Washington, you know). If you have any recipes that you would like to share with us, you can contact us in person, by mail at From Lena's Kitchens, Shopper's Guide at 240 W. Main St. or email us at scoopshopper@rvpublishing.com.

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Magicians' Night Out fundraiser

The Eagle Nature Foundation and the Apple River State Bank will be co-sponsoring a two-hour family Magic Show at the Apple River Event Center as a fundraiser for the Eagle Nature Foundation. The event will be held on Feb. 23

at 7 p.m. Jo Daviess County's three magicians are donating their time and talent to help raise money for the research that is needed to save the bald eagle by finding out what is presently adversely affecting our bald eagle reproduction.

Hosting magicians are P.T. Murphy, Jim McCrea, and David Sigafus. Each magician will each be performing twice during the 2-hour show, both before and after the intermission, at which refreshments will be provided by the Apple River State Bank.

Tickets for the show are \$15 per person at the door or \$10 in advance. Advance tickets may be purchased from the Eagle Nature Foun-

ation, 300 East Hickory Street, Apple River, IL, or at any branch of the Apple River State Bank. Everyone who buys a ticket will be eligible for the door prizes to be awarded at the end of the show.

For more information contact Terrence N. Ingram, Exec. Director, Eagle Nature Foundation, 300 East Hickory St., Apple River, IL 61001 Phone 815-594-2306.

•Eggers (Continued from page 6)

Scholarships available

The Jo Daviess County Farm Bureau Foundation's scholarship program provides scholarship(s) to students who are majoring in agriculture, agribusiness, vocational or an agriculture related course of study. The scholarship(s) are awarded on the basis of exceptional scholastic ability.

All applicants must meet these eligibility guidelines:

1. Must be a Jo Daviess County Farm Bureau member, spouse of member or member's child.
2. Must be accepted for enrollment or be enrolled at an accredited college, university, community college or vocational/technical school.
3. Must be majoring in agriculture or an ag-related study.
4. Must exhibit potential

for successful completion of study

General scholarship applications must have successfully completed 12 college credits and be enrolled as a full-time student (up to two \$500 scholarships will be awarded). Highland Community College applicants do not have to have any college credits completed to apply for the scholarship (up to two \$500 scholarships will be awarded). A copy of the application can be found at www.jodaviescfb.com. Click on the yellow scholarship button.

Farm Fun Fact

For every \$100 of output created by livestock in Illinois, an additional \$80 of economic activity is created outside the industry.

•Honor roll (Continued from page 7)

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Havens, Jackson Ket- Weimerskirk, Joseph Win-
telsen, Maddox Knauer, ter, Bindilene Boop, Brook
Traighton McGovern, Zoe Chapbur, Devin Bradt, Zoe
Arianna Pedrin, Emma Wal- Chapbur, Joseph Dubord,
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