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County 4-H Shows To Begin Next Week

It's that time of the year when the Butler 4-H Park is filled with meowing, cock-a-doodling, mooing, baaing and oinking for the annual Montgomery County 4-H shows June 20-24.

The top felines and canines kick off the week-long program on Monday, June 20. The cat show begins at 5 p.m., followed by the dog show at 6 p.m.

The poultry show is set to begin at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday, June 21, followed by rabbits at 10:30 a.m. and beef at 1 p.m.

The sheep and goat shows will take place Wednesday, June 22,

and will be combined with the county fair shows. Sheep will take the arena at 9 a.m., followed by goats at noon.

Wrapping up the week of events is the swine show, which will be held at 8:30 a.m. Friday, June 24, with the county fair show.

The food and clothing shows will take place on Monday, July 11, at the Extension office, while the General Show is Saturday, July 16, at the Butler 4-H Park.

For more information on the Montgomery County 4-H Show, call the Extension office at 217-532-3941.



County Board Makes Changes At Meeting

by Mary (Galer) Herschelmann

Members of the Montgomery County Board accepted the resignation of two employees as part of their regular monthly meeting, held Tuesday morning, June 14, at the Historic Courthouse in downtown Hillsboro.

County Engineer Kevin Smith has accepted a new position, and will leave the county employment effective July 1. Road and Bridge Committee Chairman Gene Miles said he was not in favor of seeing Smith resign as he has done a good job for the county the past six years.

The board appointed Dustin Sefton, who serves as the assistant engineer, as acting engineer. Board member Chuck Graden asked if his salary would change, and Board Chairman Roy Hertel said he had been in talks with Smith about a stipend for the additional work. Although Smith was still thinking about final numbers, he recommended possibly \$200 a week, which would be \$5 an hour. Board member Heather Hampton-Knodel asked if Sefton met the qualifications as acting engineer and Miles said that the acting engineer did not have to be a fully licensed engineer. The board unanimously approved a resolution asking for consent from the Illinois Department of Transportation to appoint Sefton as acting engineer. Miles said he felt he would be readily approved and had the experience to fill in.

In addition, the board approved the submission of three names of applicants who are being considered for the job to IDOT as well. Each will have to take an examination and meet with IDOT officials. The board interviewed all three candidates on Wednesday evening, June 15.

Smith thanked the board and the county and said he appreciated the time he was able to work in Montgomery County.

In addition to Smith, the board also accepted the resignation of Diana Holmes, who serves as the emergency management director. She accepted the county's severance package, and her last day will be July 15.

EMA Committee Chairman

Glenn Savage said the county appreciated her years of service and praised her dedication and hard work.

The board unanimously voted to appoint Captain Greg Nimmo, who serves as the director of the county's 911 program, as the new EMA director. Board member Chuck Graden asked if Nimmo would get an increase in salary, and Hertel said no, other than the usual yearly raises. The sheriff's department will name an assistant to Nimmo.

Finance Committee Chairman Megan Beeler said they offered an increase in the travel budget of the sheriff's department to allow Nimmo to travel to EMA training meetings.

She added that the grant, which helps to fund the EMA budget, would also go to the sheriff's department to help offset cuts their office will face this year.

The board estimates this will save the county around \$50,000 in salary and other expenses. Board member Mike Plunkett asked about the EMA truck, and Hertel said it would go to Nimmo.

EMA Committee members also discussed ambulance billing, which was one of Holmes' responsibilities. They need a place to house the office, where employees will be supervised. Treasurer Ron Jenkins said he is unable to supervise the ambulance billing at this time. Hertel said they are currently in talks with the health department about housing that office there. Administrator Hugh Satterlee is interested in helping out, but it must be approved by their board of directors.

In other matters, the board heard a presentation from board member Joe Gasparich about the implementation of a public safety sales tax.

"If the coal mine hadn't closed, I wouldn't be standing in front of you today," Gasparich said.

Gasparich said he feels that at a local level, the fairest tax is a sales tax because it's something everyone pays. The proposed tax would not include vehicles or boats, prescription medicines or groceries. It would be an additional \$.05 on every \$100.

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Beating The Heat With A Splash

Local youngsters are finding a cool way to beat the heat this summer, as temperatures continue to rise. Central Park Pool in Hillsboro has been averaging between 80 to 100 swimmers each day, and broke last summer's one-day attendance record with 182 on Friday, June 10. Pictured above, eight-year-old Caiden Young of Sherman, slides into the pool on Wednesday afternoon, June 15. He was enjoying a visit to his grandma, Jan Wagner of Raymond. Central Park Pool in Hillsboro is open Monday through Friday from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. The pool's first family fun night will be held on Friday, July 1, from 7 to 9 p.m. with a glow-in-the-dark theme. It is being sponsored by the Hillsboro Presbyterian Church, and admission is free. For more information about pool parties or swimming lessons, call (217) 532-6314.

Journal-News/Mary Herschelmann

Hillsboro City Council Approves Annual Budget

by Ron Deabenderfer

The city of Hillsboro has what the state of Illinois hasn't had for nearly 18 months—a budget, which passed 4-0 (unanimously) Tuesday evening, June 14, after a series of compromises between the commissioners, according to Mayor Brian Sullivan. It will govern spending for the upcoming fiscal year.

Compiled and presented by Finance Commissioner Katie Duncan, the 43 page document shows expected revenues in the general fund of \$3,488,700, with expected expenses to be

\$3,485,269. That means a projected balance of a positive \$3,431. The current year's budget called for \$3,192,550 in general fund income and \$3,129,601 in expenses. Actual revenue was higher by \$520,521, while expenses were \$442,121 less.

Revenues were down \$130,729 last year because the mine's closure reduced the city's utility tax collections by that amount; corporate taxes were also down \$39,660. Full-time salaries for 2016-2017 are expected to be \$68,500 and part-time salaries are anticipated at \$17,000. Salaries for the mayor (\$3,700) and

each commissioner (\$3,300) did not change. The complete budget is available for public review at city hall.

In other financial matters, the council approved the June bills presented by Commissioner Duncan that totaled \$242,897.44. Not directly costing the city money was the mandatory approval of the prevailing wage rate; those hourly wages remain the same for 2016-2017 as they were for the year just concluding.

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White Tails Outfit Girl Scout Archery At Camp Soar

Girl Scouts spending the week at Camp Soar, at Honey Bend north of Litchfield, paused Monday morning on the camp's new archery range to thank members of Montgomery County White Tails for the new archery equipment.

"Most of these girls are first time shooters," camp staffer Jessica Yeager said while instructing the scouts on the range. Camp staff were trained by MJ Rogers of Carlinville, a member of the USA Archery paralympic team coaching staff.

About 30 Girl Scouts are spending five nights this week at the camp, and nearly every girl there chose to spend time each day learning archery.

Bows, arrows, repair kits and everything necessary to outfit the range were provided by Montgomery County Whitetails, according to President Rich Reincke, Treasurer Jim Brinkman, and board member John Eickhoff who were present for the first day on the range.

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Laura Mefford, a volunteer and troop leader from Carlinville, helps seven-year-old Hillsboro Brownie Hannah Laurent use new archery equipment at Camp Soar north of Litchfield. Journal-News/Mike Plunkett

Weather Report			
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June 13	91	83	----
June 14	92	68	.02
June 15	92	73	----
See the current weather and forecast on www.thejournal-news.net			



Birthday Party

This year's Birthday Party and Celebration of Life raised more than \$191,000 for the MCCA. See B1 for more.

Local Lifeguards

Meet the local lifeguards keeping kids safe at the pools this summer. See page 2B.



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George Harvel, 74 Federal Mine Inspector



George Andrew Harvel, 74, of Hillsboro died at 7:04 p.m. Monday, June 13, 2016, at Hillsboro Area Hospital in Hillsboro.

Visitation will be from 2 to 5 p.m. Friday, June 17, at Bass Patton Dean Funeral Home in Hillsboro with funeral services to follow at 5 p.m. with the Rev. Matt Ferguson, pastor of Hillsboro Presbyterian Church in Hillsboro, officiating.

A committal service will be held at noon Saturday, June 18, at Willowrest Cemetery in Cartersville with the Rev. Richard Reed, pastor of Grand Avenue Baptist Church in Cartersville, officiating.

Mr. Harvel was born in Colp on Nov. 16, 1941, the son of the late Dale and Elizabeth "Dolly" (Lezu) Harvel. He married Frances I. James on Dec. 30, 1960, in Herrin, and she survives in Hillsboro.

During his lifetime he lived in Cartersville, Hillsboro and Sparta before moving back to Hillsboro in 1975, then to Wyoming and Utah before returning to Hillsboro again in 1979. He was a 1959 graduate of Cartersville High School in Cartersville.



Mr. Harvel worked for 45 years in the coal industry, retiring as a federal mine inspector. He was also an electrician by trade and a member of the Hillsboro Presbyterian Church for 34 years.

He served in the United States Navy from 1959-1962 and was a jet mechanic on the USS Shangri-La Aircraft Carrier.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Harvel is survived by his children, Tara (husband Dan) Rozum of Kansas City, MO, Andrew Harvel of Price, UT, and Elizabeth "Buffy" (husband Warren) Pierce of Kansas City, MO; nine grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and brothers, Jim (wife Barb) Harvel of Johnston City, Dale Dean (wife Betty) Harvel of Seminary, MS, and Bruce Harvel of Peculiar, MO.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Ernie Harvel.

Memorials may be made to the Hillsboro Sports Association, Hillsboro Public Library and Montgomery County Cancer Association.

Send condolences online to basspattondeanfh.com.

Dempsey Sawyer, 85 Loved Playing Pinochle



Dempsey B. Sawyer, 85, of Gillespie died at Heritage Health in Gillespie on Friday, June 10, 2016, at 7:39 p.m.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, June 15, at Kravanya Funeral Home in Gillespie with the Rev. Christine Erdmann officiating. Burial was in Wayne Cemetery in Dorchester.

He was born on Jan. 8, 1931, in Wilsonville, the son of the late Leon G. and Effie P. (Bond) Sawyer. He married D. Joan Davis on July 12, 1952, in Dorchester, and she preceded him in death on Feb. 4, 1992. He then married Lois (Poi) Erspamer on May 15, 1993, in Gillespie, and she survives in Gillespie.

Mr. Dempsey created memorable moments with all who met him. He was a self-proclaimed "jack of all trades, master of none," and his occupations included auto mechanic and collision repair service manager, farmer, granite cutter and coal miner.

He was proud of his US Army Officers Candidate training and took pride in his woodworking creations designed by his wife, Lois. He loved to play pinochle, tell humorous stories and was a member of the Machinist Union.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Dempsey is survived by two sons,

Thomas Sawyer of Silva and John (Leanna) Sawyer of Gillespie; daughter, Suzanne Sawyer of Lansing, MI; three stepchildren, Ann (Timm) LaRoche of Gillespie, Joan (Paul) Alexander of Dorchester and Lynn Erspamer of Litchfield; grandchildren, Seth John Michael Barrett (birth name: Seth Thomas Sawyer), Jennifer Lynn Moser Sawyer, Emily Kay Sawyer, Amanda Lynn Sawyer, Wm. Dempsey Sawyer Burleson, Trevor Thomas Sawyer, Daniel Nathan Sawyer and Hannah Joan Sawyer Burleson; stepgrandchildren, Shannon (David) Wright, Suzanne (Nick) DeMartini, Taunja Gibson, Britini Bernardini, Marissa (Jake) Summers, Jared (Amanda) Johnson, Adam (Ashli) Alexander and Travis Mize; stepgreat-grandchildren, Isabel Wright, Brianna Johnson, Macie Wright, Alexander Wright, Joey DeMartini, Gino DeMartini, Lucas Bernardini, Jeffrey Bernardini, Fisher Crow, Brandon P. Clark and Bradley L. Clark.

Besides his parents and first wife, he was preceded in death by a sister, Leona June Root.

Memorials are suggested to Wayne Cemetery or Gillespie-Benld Area Ambulance Service.

Anyone wishing to send an online condolence may do so at www.kravanyafuneral.com.

Roger Morgason, 64 Granddaughter Lives In Hillsboro

Roger D. Morgason, 64, of Taylorville died Tuesday, June 14, 2016, at Memorial Medical Center in Springfield.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday, June 17, at Sutton Memorial Home in Taylorville. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, June 18, at the funeral home with the Rev. Dayle Badman officiating.

Burial will follow at Oak Hill Cemetery in Taylorville.

Mr. Morgason was born on Aug. 30, 1951, in Pana, the son of the late Alfred Dale and Jo Ann (Durbin) Morgason. He worked for the city of Taylorville water and sewer department for many years.

Mr. Morgason is survived by his sons, Tim (Melody) Morgason and Christopher (Melissa) Morgason, both of Taylorville; daughter, Kimberly Morgason



(companion James Buss) of Taylorville; grandchildren, Zachery Morgason, Brady Dale Morgason, Peyton Morgason, Parker Morgason, Lealand Buss, Neissa Sanders and Alicia Rivers, all of Taylorville, and Laura Oller of Hillsboro; brothers, Wayne Rex Morgason of Winchester, Samuel

Brian Morgason of Bethany, Daniel Bruce Morgason of Taylorville and Darryl Gene Morgason of Taylorville; sisters, Phyllis Townsley of Danville, Sarah Crabtree of Burlington, IA, and Wanda Morgason of Taylorville; and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister, Linda Morgason.

Memorials may be made to the wishes of the family. Sign the online guestbook at www.suttonmemorialhome.com.

Michael William Schafer, 53 Owned Central Core In Carlinville

Michael William Schafer, 53, of Carlinville died Monday morning, June 13, 2016, at his residence.

Visitation will be held Monday, June 20, from 9 to 11 a.m. at Davis-Anderson Funeral Home in Carlinville, followed by funeral services at 11 a.m. Burial will follow in Bethel Ridge Cemetery in Atwater.

Mr. Schafer was born on Aug. 25, 1962, in Biloxi, MS, the son of the late Harold Eugene and Ann (Goodwin) Schafer. He married Jennifer Beiderwieden on July 22, 2009, in Carlinville, and she survives in Carlinville.

He was the owner and operator of Central Core in Carlinville for ten years. He loved to hunt, fish and bow hunt.



In addition to his wife, Mr. Schafer is survived by his sons, Michael Schafer II, Mark Schafer and Mason Schafer, all of Carlinville; brothers, Harold Schafer of Kentucky, Daniel (Vanessa) Schafer and Dennis Schafer, both of Florida; sister, Laurie Schafer of Florida and Ariminda Ferguson of North Carolina; brother, Martin (Cassie) Schafer of North Carolina; and several nieces and nephews.

Besides his parents, he was preceded in death by a brother, Mark Schafer.

Memorials may be made to Carlinville Public School Foundation. Visit www.davisandersonfuneralhome.com to leave condolences or light a candle in his memory.

Dr. Harold Hammond, 82 Hillsboro Grad, Top Oral Pathologist

Dr. Harold Hammond, 82, died Saturday, June 11, at his home in Coralville, IA. A celebration of life will be announced at a later date.

Dr. Hammond was born in Hillsboro on March 18, 1934 to Harold Thomas and Lillian (Carlson) Hammond. He graduated from Hillsboro High School in 1952.

After completing his undergraduate studies at Milliken University in Decatur and Roosevelt University in Chicago, Dr. Hammond earned his doctorate of dental surgery from Loyola University in 1962. He continued post-doctoral studies and residency, receiving a master of science degree in pathology from the University of Chicago in 1967.

Dr. Hammond would have a long and successful career in oral pathology, teaching and conducting research at the University of Iowa Dental School from 1967 until his retirement in 2004. During his long career, he earned a reputation as one of the top oral pathologists in the world.

At the time of his death, he



held the title of Professor Emeritus, Oral Pathology, Radiology and Medicine and Director Emeritus, Surgical Oral Pathology at the University of Iowa.

Dr. Hammond is survived by his wife, Pat J. Palmer; a daughter, Connie Hammond Saunders (Steve Saunders) of Washington, D.C.; a sister, Martha Hammond (Marty Kissane) of Cookeville, TN; and three grandchildren, Heather Saunders Fox (Alex) of Omaha, NE, Jeffrey Joseph Saunders of Minneapolis, MN, and Katherine Saunders Grohs (Todd) of Sioux City, IA. He is also survived by three great-grandchildren, Makenzie Fox, Ethan Fox and Jasper Grohs.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his first wife, Sharon Bunton Hammond; his sister, Carol Jean Hammond; and his stepmother, Charlotte Ames Hammond.

Memorial donations may be given to Camp Courageous of Iowa, P.O. Box 418, 12007 190th Street, Monticello, IA 52310-0418 or at www.campcourageous.org. Online condolences may be left for the family at www.lensingfuneral.com.

Louis B. Hannig, 87 Father of Former State Legislator

Louis B. Hannig, 87, of Springfield, died on Sunday, June 12, 2016, at St. John's Hospital in Springfield.

Cremation care was accorded by Lincoln Land Cremation Society. A celebration of life will be held at a future date.

Mr. Hannig was born Aug. 7, 1928, the son of the late Louis J. Hannig and Mary (Schwab) Hannig. He graduated from White City Grade School, then Mt. Olive Community High School in 1946. He married LaWanda Hensley on Aug. 4, 1951 and she survives.

Mr. Hannig worked for the Illinois Central Railroad, and ran several small businesses over his lifetime in the insurance, real



estate, restaurant, commodities, agriculture and car industries.

In his younger years, he was active in the Knights of Columbus, Macoupin County Democratic politics, the Staunton Country Club and coached youth baseball. Mr. Hannig also loved to hunt and fish, and always had an optimistic attitude.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by five sons, Gary (wife Betsy) of Litchfield, Terry (wife Kathi), Randy, Gregory and Louis J. (wife Julie). Mr. Hannig also had six grandchildren, Randy Jr., Elliott, Olivia, Jessica, Sam and Nicholas Hannig, and one great-grandson, Max Hannig.

Geneva Whitten, 90 Arrangements Are Incomplete

Geneva Whitten, 90, of Coffeen, died at 8:35 a.m. Tuesday, June 14, 2016, at Montgomery Nursing and Rehab Center in Taylor Springs.

Mrs. Whitten was born on Sept. 27, 1925, in rural Fillmore. Funer-

al arrangements are incomplete at Toberman-Dean Funeral Home in Coffeen. A complete obituary will be posted on the newspaper website when available and printed in the next edition.

Litchfield School Board Will Meet Tonight At High School

Members of the Litchfield School Board will meet for their regular monthly meeting on Thursday evening, July 16, beginning at 7 p.m. in the Radius Room at Litchfield High School.

The meeting will start with a public hearing to waive the limitation for fiscal year 2016 due to the district being ranked in the lowest quartile for administrative costs per pupil.

Under old business, they will discuss the issuing of \$2 million

in general bonds for the purpose of increasing the working cash fund and fire prevention and safety. They will also award a contract for the high school track resurfacing and weight room repairs.

During new business, the board will discuss student handbooks, student fees, insurance renewals, fuel bids and preventative maintenance.

Board members will also hear an update on summer work projects.

Journalisms

News About People and Events
of Interest Throughout The County

It's time to set sail for the second annual Cardboard Boat Regatta! This year's event, sponsored by Imagine Hillsboro, will be held on Monday, July 1, beginning at 11 a.m. at the Hillsboro Beach House. Two-person teams are encouraged to build their own cardboard boat for this year's race. The entry fee for those who sign up by July 1 is just \$25. Prizes will be awarded for the boat with the fastest time, the most creative and the best Titanic (boat that sinks).

Pre-registration is recommended and is now available online at www.imaginehillsboro.org or forms can be obtained at Hillsboro City Hall, Montgomery County Realty and *The Journal-News*. A list of rules and regulations can also be found on the Imagine Hillsboro website. Proceeds from the event will enable the Imagine Hillsboro group to purchase canoes and boats to be used for rentals on Hillsboro lakes. For more information on the regatta contact, Lesley Pollard 217-816-6802 or Zach Wygal at 217-556-4246.

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Calling all kids! J.P.'s Landing and Grill at the Glenn Shoals South Marina in Hillsboro is hosting a free fishing tournament on Sunday, June 19. Registration is from 8:30 to 8:55 a.m., and the fishing tournament will be held from 9 to 11 a.m. Trophies and ribbons will be awarded in three age groups, including three to five, six to eight and nine to 12.

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Get grilling! It's time for the third annual BBQ rib cook-off as part of this year's Raymond Independence Day celebration on Saturday, June 25. This year's contest will be held on the grounds of the Raymond American Legion, located at 109 S. South Street. The entry fee is \$50, and there will be a meeting for all participants on Tuesday, June 21, at the Raymond American Legion at 7 p.m.

On the day of the cook-off, ribs will be passed out at 7 a.m. with judging at 2:30 p.m. Rib plates will be available for purchase at 3 p.m., and awards will be handed out at 5 p.m. Cash prizes will be awarded to first, second and third places. For more information, contact Dennis Matli at (217) 710-3787.



Kaden Brown uses a 3-D pen to freehand draw an object at the Maker Kid workshop.

Area Youth Attend Maker Kid 3-D Printing Workshop

University of Illinois Extension and Montgomery County 4-H hosted "Maker Kid" workshops in Hillsboro on Monday, June 6. Kids ages 7-10 from throughout Montgomery County attended the programs and experimented with design programs and 3-D printers.

Maker Kid is designed to excite and inspire children in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) through 3-D printing sessions. Participants worked with

the Tinkercad design program and 3-D printed their creations. Youth were also able to get hands on experience using a 3-D pen.

For more information about this program or 4-H, please contact Elisha Hughes, Montgomery County 4-H program coordinator, at the Extension office in Hillsboro by phone 217-532-3941 or email at ehugh2@illinois.edu, or online at: <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/cjmm/montgomery4h/>.

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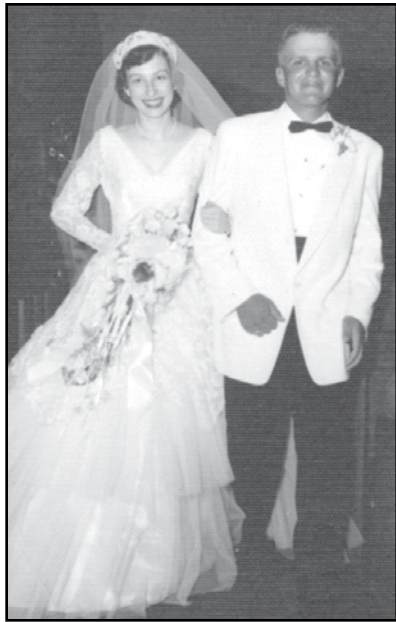
Ed and Sue Helgen of Litchfield will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on June 17.

Mr. Helgen and the former Sue Simpson were united in marriage at the United Methodist Church in Litchfield on June 17, 1956.

Their parents were Otto and Hulda Helgen and Harold and Ida Simpson. Attendants for the ceremony were Bud and Shirley Helgen of Litchfield.

The couple were high school sweethearts, and are both 1955 graduates of Litchfield High School. Mr. Helgen joined his father and brother, Bud Helgen in farming north of Litchfield. Today, Mr. Helgen still farms with his son Dan Helgen. Mrs. Helgen worked for her father at Simpson Shoes in Litchfield, and also ran the gift shop at St. Francis Hospital in Litchfield for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Helgen have four children, Marci (husband Lloyd "Peanut") Johnson, Nancy (husband Earl) Flack, Dan (wife JoAnn) Helgen and Tricia (husband Craig) Rogers. They also have twelve grandchildren, including Kyle (wife Angie) Johnson, Kasey (husband Tyler) VanderMeersch, Ryan Stitt, Emily Stitt, Kelsey Flack, Zachary Helgen, Amanda (husband Alex) Hampton, Lindsay Helgen, Rachel



The Helgens in 1956

Helgen, Caitlan Rogers, Brianna Rogers and Alec Rogers; and four great-grandchildren, Kyra, Korbin, Ariya and Eleanor.

Mr. and Mrs. Helgen will be celebrating this special occasion with their family. To help the couple celebrate, cards may be sent to them at Ed and Sue Helgen 1504 N. State, Litchfield, IL 62056.

Birth

The Rev. Scott and Megan (Sievers) Busacker of Harvel announce the birth of their daughter, Claire Noelle Busacker, born at 5:49 a.m. Sunday, May 1, 2016, at Anderson Hospital in Maryville. She weighed 8 lbs., 9 ozs. and was 21 ins. long.

Claire joins big brother, Max Busacker, age two. She was baptized by her father on May 29 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Harvel.

Maternal grandparents are Ed and Cherie Sievers of Staunton. Paternal grandparents are Dale and Janel Busacker of Lake Elmo, MN.



Yard Sale On Saturday Will Benefit Cerutti

A benefit bake sale/yard sale for Jill Cerutti and her family will be held Saturday, June 18, starting at 8 a.m. at 2101 Miller Ave. in Schram City.

Cerutti had surgery in April for what they thought was ovarian cancer, but it turned out to be stage four cancer (gastrointestinal stromal tumors). She has been unable to work since this date and her bills are starting to overwhelm her.

To donate baked goods or items, please contact Vickie Boyd at 217-532-9336. There will be lots of great food and items such as Fenton glassware, Mische purses, 31 purses, name brand jeans, shorts, etc.

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Craig Reunion Held At Vandalia Ponderosa



Never waste an opportunity to tell someone you love them.

Linda Yount and Harvey visited Janice Kirk and told about their Route 66 vacation. Harry and Janice Kirk visited Sunday evening.

Arno, Berta and Molly McDowell spent the weekend at Shorewood with the Salerno family.

Carolyn McDowell's company was Randy and Terria, Ronnie McDowell, Irene Pope and Shirley Stokes.

Chuck and I attended the 60th wedding anniversary for Clarence and Beverly Ricks on Saturday evening. Wishing them many more happy, healthy years.

Magnolia Red Hats are to meet at Magnolia Restaurant in Carlinville June 21 at 11:45 a.m.

Visitors here have been Arno, Berta, Molly, Alan, Nancy, Tom and Marilyn McDowell, Evelyn Livingston, Harry and Janice Kirk, Bonnie Jo Mayer, John, David and Westey, Andrew and Alex McDowell and Janice Knodle.

The Magnolia Red Hats met at the Spring Garden in Pana. Beverly Greenwood said the blessing for the food. She mentioned several interesting facts about Abraham Lincoln. Gerry Rhoades, Janet Beard and Kathy Hargrave had May birthdays. Betty Ellington won the door prize.

Those from the group who at-

tended were Greenwood, Betty Ellington, Marjorie Simmons, Rhoades, Maxine Milanos, Elleta Hamby, Janet Chaplin, Phyllis Holloway, Wilda Pfeiffer, Roberta Buttol and Mary Dietl.

The group is to meet at the Magnolia Restaurant, 531 SW St. in Carlinville June 21 at 11:45 a.m. Those wanting to meet in Hillsboro should be at the parking lot behind the Salvation Army at 10:45 a.m.

The descendants of Morgan and Rebecca Craig met at Vandalia Ponderosa for their annual Craig reunion. Evelyn Vincent said the blessing. Those attending were Roy Ramsey of Naperville, Vaughn Vincent of Roach, MO, David and Branden Casey of Clarksville, TN, Debbie McClure of Newton, Kristen McClure of Champaign, Kimberly Casey of Champaign, Sharon Veach of Willow Hill, Keith and Terry Casey, Gerald and Larna Casey of Bingham, Bryan, Dana, Caden and Eli Hart of Albion, Larry and Jane Casey of Newton, Diana Casey of Coffeen, Todd, Debbie, Jacob, Vincent and friend Jordan Barnhart of Martinsville, Evelyn Vincent, Mary and Lydia Mutchler of Hillsboro, Eula Tate of Vandalia and Velma Rose Fesser of Hillsboro. Everyone enjoyed the visiting and hope to meet on the first Sunday in June 2017.

Fillmore readers like to read about Fillmore folks. Please give Priscilla McDowell (538-2360) a call if you have news to report. Your neighbors will thank you for it.



Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sorrells

Sorrells Couple To Celebrate 68th Anniversary On June 20

Earl and Doris Sorrells will celebrate their 68th wedding anniversary with an open house at Sorrells Farm Supply in Raymond on Monday, June 20, from 1 to 5 p.m.

Earl and the former Doris Pock were married at the United

Methodist Church in Nokomis on June 20, 1948. They are parents of Mark (Nancy) of Ithaca, NY, Jean (David) Fuchs of Raymond, Brenda (Blake) Cloyd of Springfield and Kent (Sandy) of Raymond. They also have ten grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.



Nokomis Library Names Bookmark Contest Winners

The Nokomis Public Library had a tie in the Summer Reading Program bookmark contest, and the winners were Jaydah Casey and Nolan Himes. Children decorated bookmarks, wrote their name and phone number on the back, then turned them in to be voted on. There is still time to sign up and read in the program, which is open to children in pre-K for one program and another program for children in kindergarten through 12th grade. The library is open Monday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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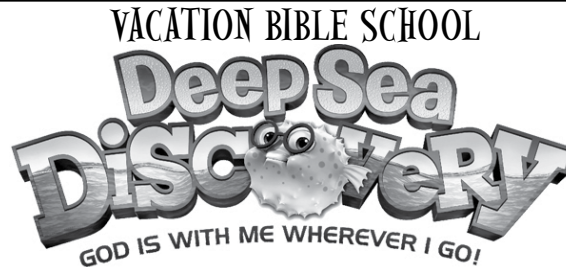
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Sky View Drive-In Celebrates 66 Years On Route 66

The Litchfield Chamber of Commerce hosted a ribbon cutting at Sky View Drive-In in Litchfield on Thursday afternoon, June 9, to celebrate the business's 66th anniversary on Route 66. This year, the drive-in movie theater is under new ownership, including Mike and Debbie Pastrovich and Nick and Mindy Pastrovich, all of Litchfield. The ribbon cutting was part of a weekend-long celebration at the drive-in, which included the Blue Carpet Corridor in Litchfield. On the big screen for the weekend were classic favorites "Grease" and "American Graffiti." They also held a raffle for a Route 66 Sky View themed pedal car, gave commemorative patches and offered visitors the chance to mail special postcards with a commemorative postmark. Pictured above, in front, from the left, are Roberta Meyer, Cheryl Nickerson, Maria Eilers, Nick, Chloe, Mindy and Alex Pastrovich, Debbie and Mike Pastrovich, Carol Stuttle, Jeremy Pattillo and Litchfield Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Dawn Pezold. In back are Todd Iverson, Litchfield Mayor Steve Dougherty, Jennifer Baugher, Brenda Masters-Stout, Jen Bitter, Ron Norris, Russ Campbell, Diane Skeldon and Beth Allen.

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Pictured above, Fallon Knodle, at left, and Aubrey Reineke, at right, get help from an instructor at the Maker Girl 3-D printing workshop.

Extension Hosts Maker Girl Printing Workshop

City Hall in Hillsboro served as the venue for two Maker Girl workshops held Friday, June 3. University of Illinois Extension and Montgomery County 4-H hosted Maker Girl Mobile, a non-profit organization founded by students at the University of Illinois in Champaign. The group traveled to Hillsboro to implement the 3-D printing workshops.

Girls ages 7-10 from throughout Montgomery County attended the programs and were able to experiment with design programs and 3-D printers. Students worked with the Tinkercad design program and Cura was the printing software used during this event. Youth engaged in the three step learning process of brainstorming, designing and printing.

Maker Girl Mobile is designed to excite and inspire young girls in STEM (Science, Technology,

Engineering and Math) through 3-D printing sessions. Maker Girl will be traveling all summer to rural and underserved communities across the country. Their goal is to spark an interest in this under-represented area at an early age by providing an environment for girls to learn, create, experiment and engage in STEM activities.

Montgomery County is also hosting a 3-D design and printing entrepreneur camp July 26-28 in Litchfield. The "Maker Monkeys" camp is open to any youth grades sixth through ninth. For more information about this program or 4-H, contact Elisha Hughes, Montgomery County 4-H program coordinator, at the Extension office in Hillsboro at 217-532-3941 or email ehugh2@illinois.edu or online at <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/cjmm/montgomery4h/>.

St. Francis Recognized For Clean Patient Rooms

Becker's Hospital Review has announced that HSHS St. Francis Hospital in Litchfield has been named as one of 43 US hospitals with the cleanest patient rooms, as reported by patients.

The data was pulled from Hospital Compare, which includes information about the quality of care at over 4,000 Medicare-certified hospitals around the country. Becker's Hospital Review is a leading source of business and legal information for healthcare industry leaders.

The data was reported from patients' HCAHPS surveys from April 2014 to March 2015, the most recent data available. Patients rated HSHS St. Francis Hospital's rooms and bathrooms as "always" clean at an 89 percent rating. This is above the national average rating of 74 percent. HCAHPS (Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems) is a national, standardized, publicly reported survey of patients' perspectives of hospital care.

John Irwin is the hospital's

director of environmental services. Commenting on the recent announcement from Becker's, he said, "This is only possible through the work of a dedicated group of colleagues who take a lot of pride in their work. Each morning a housekeeping colleague goes into each empty patient room to inspect it and make sure everything is clean and set according to our picture perfect room set up. This ensures each room is set up exactly the same."

He added that EVS colleagues are constantly looking for ways to make a patient's stay as pleasant as possible. "We provide small towels shaped as animals to patients and fresh carnations are delivered to every patient. I have a very dedicated group of colleagues who are passionate about the work they do. They are very patient oriented and want to make sure that they are providing a clean, healthy healing environment for our patients.

More information on the Becker's Hospital Review report is available at www.beckershospitalreview.com.

Montgomery County Fair Hosts Horse Show June 26

The horse show at the Montgomery County Fair will be held Sunday, June 26, starting at 10 a.m. Superintendent will once again be Bonnie Branum, who can be reached at 618-267-2398 with questions. Dan Hutchcraft will be announcer and timer.

This year's show will be a jackpot show with an 80 percent payout on entry fees. Classes include trainer barrels and poles; open 3-D poles for all ages; pony barrels for participants 12 and under with ponies at 56 inches and under; IBRA open 4-H barrels; youth 3-D barrels ages 18 and under; adult 3-D barrels ages

19-39; masters 3-D barrels ages 40 and over; and additional classes for flags and plug races.

Entry fees vary per class, and all IBRA classes will include a \$2 IBRA fee. IBRA classes, flag and plug races have had donations for added money along with the jackpot payout. The number of placings will depend on the number of entries and will be announced prior to the start of each class. Exhibitor fees of \$5 per horse will be collected.

Viewing is free, but bringing seating is recommended. For more information, contact Branum or visit www.montgomeryfair.org.

Raymond, Farmersville Host Community Drives

Community blood drives will be held in Raymond and Farmersville two days next week.

The Raymond blood drive will be held Tuesday, June 21, from 3 to 7 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 510 East Sparks. The Farmersville blood drive will take place Wednesday, June 22, from 2 to 6 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 104 South East St.

To donate, please contact the Community Blood Center at (217) 241-7550 or visit www.bloodcenterimpact.org and use code 60041

to locate the drive.

Potential donors must be at least 17 years of age (16 with parental permission form available through www.bloodcenter.org) and weigh more than 110 pounds. A photo I.D. is required to donate.

For questions about eligibility, please call the Central Illinois Community Blood Center at (800)747-5401. Donors who last gave blood on or before April 26, 2016, are eligible to give at this drive.

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 4TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
MONTGOMERY COUNTY – HILLSBORO, ILLINOIS**
VANDERBILT MORTGAGE AND FINANCE, INC.,
Plaintiff,

v.
LISA G. TYRRELL, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD
CLAIMANTS

Defendant.
MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE
No. 15 CH 51
NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered by the Court in the above-entitled cause the property hereinafter described or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said judgment, will be sold to the highest bidder.

(A) The name, address and telephone number of the person to contact for information regarding the real estate is: Rachele Tucker at Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance, Inc., 500 Alcoa Trail, Maryville, TN 37804, 1-865-380-3000 ext. 7180.

(B) **The real estate is commonly known and numbered as 1026 Seneca St., Litchfield, IL 62056.**

(C) The legal description of the real estate is: LOT SEVEN (7) IN BLOCK FIFTEEN (5) IN ARCO PARK ADDITION TO THE CITY OF LITCHFIELD, TOGETHER WITH A PERPETUAL EASEMENT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE, REPAIR AND OPERATION OF A WATER LINE FOR THE BENEFIT OF SAID LOT SEVEN (7) OVER AND ACROSS THE NORTH TEN (10) FEET OF LOT THREE (3) IN BLOCK FIFTEEN (15) OF ARCO PARK ADDITION TO LITCHFIELD, COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY, STATE OF ILLINOIS' EXCEPTING, HOWEVER, TITLE TO THE COAL, OIL, GAS AND OTHER MINERALS UNDERLYING SAID LOT AS THE SAME HERETOFORE HAVE BEEN RESERVED AND/OR CONVEYED.

PIN: 16-001-273-10

(D) The time and place of the sale are: Public sale at 10:00 a.m., on July 13, 2016, in the Montgomery County Courthouse, 120 North Main St. Hillsboro, Illinois 62049.

The property will NOT be open for inspection.

(E) The terms of the sale are: Cash or certified check or the equivalent thereof.

(F) Title will be conveyed without warranties, subject to all general real estate taxes which are a lien upon the real estate, but have not yet become due and payable; special assessments, if any; other exceptions, if any, set forth in the title insurance company and easements, covenants and restrictions of record.

(G) **IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701 (c) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.**

(H) Pursuant to 735 ILCS 5/15-1507.1, entitled "Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund," upon and at the sale of residential real estate under Section 15-1507, the purchaser shall pay to the person conducting the sale pursuant to Section 15-1507 a fee for deposit into the Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, a special fund created in the State treasury. The fee shall be calculated at the rate of \$1.00 for each \$1,000.00 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser to the person conducting the sale, as reflected in the receipt of sale issued to the purchaser, provided that in no event shall the fee exceed \$300.00. 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. Upon confirmation of the sale under Section 15-1508, the person conducting the sale shall remit the fee to the clerk of the court in which the foreclosure case is pending. The clerk shall remit the fee to the State Treasurer as provided in this Section, to be expended for the purposes set forth in Section 7.31 of the Illinois Housing Development Act.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned, Attorney for Plaintiff certifies that copies of the foregoing were mailed via the United States Postal Service with all postage prepaid this 7th day of June, 2016, to:

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Recent Mailings Sent By Voter Participation Center

Montgomery County Clerk Sandy Leitheiser informs county residents that they may have recently received a mailing from the Voter Participation Center (VPA) in Chicago to all residents in Illinois whom this organization believes are not registered to vote.

She said that this mailing contains a letter from the VPA and a personalized voter registration form which includes the name and address of each applicable election authority for their reference.

Leitheiser informs residents who may be receiving these mailings that they are not originating from the Montgomery County Clerk's office but rather from an outside organization and there may be a possibility that some may be mailed to those who are already registered to vote, those who are underage to vote, those who have moved, as well as those who are deceased.

"We want to let all Montgomery County residents who may receive

this mailing know that our offices will process all such voter registration forms properly completed and forwarded to our office," said Leitheiser. "We have been advised by the State Board of Elections that this is a legitimate company operating as a non-government, nonprofit and nonpartisan 501(c)(3) organization."

Leitheiser stated that if voters wish to confirm their voter registration they may do so at the Montgomery County Clerk's election page of the county website at www.montgomeryco.com or by contacting the clerk's office at 217-532-9530 during business hours of Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Questions about this mailing should be directed to the VPA's office at 27 N. Wacker Dr., #710, Chicago, IL, 60606, or at 877-255-6750. If anyone wants to be removed from VPA mailing lists, contact them at info@thetvoterparticipationcenter.org.



County Board Cuts Ribbon At Simpson Bridge

After months of demolition and renovation, members of the Montgomery County Board hosted a ribbon cutting on the Simpson Bridge in Walshville on Thursday morning, June 9. The \$1.68 million project is the largest financial bridge project the county has ever done. Former County Engineer Reuben Boehler applied for state funding to replace the bridge several years ago, and those funds paid for 80 percent of the project. It was started in September, and the bridge officially opened to traffic on Friday, June 10. County Engineer Kevin Smith said the old bridge was 127-feet long and 24-feet wide and built in 1941. The new bridge is 212-feet long and 30-feet wide. Kinney Contractors of Raymond was the general contractor for the project, and County Board Chairman Roy Hertel said he was pleased how much local labor was used for the project, including operating engineers, carpenters, iron workers and laborers, who unfortunately were unable to be present for the ribbon cutting. Pictured above, from the left are Bill Kinney of Kinney Contractors, County Board members Connie Beck, Earlene Robinson and Gene Miles (Road and Bridge Committee Chairman), County Engineer Kevin Smith, Highway Department Shop Foreman Karl Murzynski, Assistant County Engineer Dustin Sefton and County Board Chairman Roy Hertel.

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Local businesses, volunteers and families are making generous donations toward Doyle Library's Summer Reading Rewards promoting community literacy. More than 45 participants shared fun activities during last Wednesday's event.

Doyle Library Kicks Off Summer Reading Program

To encourage reading and community involvement, Doyle Public Library in Raymond would like to invite and encourage all young people, ages 0 to 18, to pick up a Reading Log Book to earn prizes and rewards during its Summer Reading Program.

"We want to thank all our volunteers, businesses and people in the community who have donated to the program, helping to make this event so successful," said library director Deb Young. "We have received many donations of craft and office supplies and our local Subway in Raymond provided us with scores of lunch bags and book bags to give away to the young people. We really appreciate this community support!"

Doyle Library's kick-off of the Summer Reading Program has been outstanding, with more than 45 participants of all ages last Wednesday from 1 to 2 p.m. with a theme of Painting Magic, Colors and Marble Paint Box Art, including many science and learning activities.

"We have seven volunteers at this time, which really helped in grouping the children into age-appropriate activities which added to the fun, excitement and overall enjoyment. We even had a room and session set aside for parents and babies to enjoy sharing and spending time together," said Young.

Doyle Library's next event on June 15 featured Amanda Cole, Montgomery County agriculture literacy director, who presented an introduction to food and agriculture and read the wacky book *11*

Experiments That Failed by Jenny Offill and Nancy Carpenter, as well as hands-on science stations with fun food and facts.

Doyle Library has expanded its offerings of science and nonfiction books and resources for young people, including graphic classics, biographies, as well as science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) offerings.

"In fact our theme for the program is 'Read for the Win with STEM.' We are encouraging all types of reading and rewarding all participation in our summer series of events every Wednesday from 1 to 2 p.m.," according to Young. "Please sign up ahead of time so we can plan enough materials."

"At our last event, a little five year old girl learned about gravity and stated, 'Gravity is what keeps us from falling off the planet!' When you hear that kind of excitement and involvement from our young people, you realize the importance of these types of community events," stated Young.

On June 22, Doyle Library features the circulatory system, with theme-based science experiments and fun activities, such as seeing the circulatory system of plants, flowers and other organisms.

Young encourages all individuals and businesses to help promote and support Doyle's efforts toward community literacy. Check out the library's website at www.DoylePublicLibrary.org or like their page on Facebook at "Doyle Public Library."

"We all benefit from a literate, active and involved community," said Young.



Litchfield Chamber Celebrates Todd's Pub Donegal

Members of the Litchfield Chamber of Commerce were on hand for the ribbon cutting for Todd's Pub Donegal on Wednesday, June 8. The bar and grill, located at 308 N. State St. is open Mondays from 5-10 p.m. for "Mad Monday" \$1 cheeseburgers and drink specials, Tuesday and Thursday from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m., on Friday and Saturday from 11 a.m. to 1 a.m. The kitchen closes at 9 p.m. on weekdays, 10 p.m. on weekends and 2 p.m. on Sunday. Pickup orders and local business deliveries are available by calling 217-324-2337. Pictured above, from the left, are Kelly Taylor, Tiffany Jarman, LeAnne Williams, Marty Steffens, Cheryl Nickerson, John Winans, Roberta Meyer, Mike Fleming, Mayor Steve Dougherty, owner Todd Iverson, Mike Sherer, Tiffany Cerentano, Laura Poole, Brenda Masters-Stout, Darlene Walden, Jennifer Reid Baugher, Shane Walden, Jeremy Patillo and Litchfield Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Dawn Pezold.

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Pictured above, in front, from the left, are Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Lesley Pollard, Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce President Mary Brown and Debbie Bugg and Holly Leefer of CNB Bank and Trust. In back are chamber board members Kyle Herschelman, Ken Meade and Jason Miller, CNB Bank and Trust employees Melissa Caldwell, Branch Manager Karen Draper, Tabatha Hamilton, Shari Hutchins, Mike Brokaaw, Kendra Lane and Jordan Ruppert and chamber board member Greg Holcomb.

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CNB Bank and Trust Recognized By Hillsboro Chamber

Members of the Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce gathered at CNB Bank and Trust in downtown Hillsboro on Monday afternoon, June 6, to recognize the bank as the chamber's Member of the Quarter.

Located at 549 S. Main Street in Hillsboro, the branch is part of the CNB Bank and Trust family, which has a total of 13 locations throughout Illinois. In addition to Hillsboro, they have branch offices

in Alton, Brighton, Carlinville, Carrollton, Clayton, MO, Jacksonville, Jerseyville, Oak Forest, Palos Heights, Pittsfield, Shipman and Taylorville.

Established in Carrollton in 1854, CNB Bank and Trust is the oldest continuously active bank headquartered in Illinois.

They offer a wide variety of financial services, including personal and business savings and checking accounts, loans, IRAs,

CDs and much more. In addition, they have a wide variety of electronic and mobile services available online at www.cnbl.com.

The Hillsboro branch also plays an active role in the local community. Each summer, they host a school supply drive for the local school district, and they also honor one high school senior each month as the Student of the Month and provide a Student of the Year scholarship.

Throughout the summer and fall, the bank's parking lot is home to all kinds of pork patty sales and other fundraisers, loaning its space to others for community service projects.

The Hillsboro Chamber of Commerce currently has more than 100 members in the local area. For more information about becoming a member, contact Executive Director Lesley Pollard at 532-3711.

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County Board

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Gasparich estimates it would bring in around \$1 million each year to the county. He suggested using one-third of the funding on maintenance at the jail, one-third at the sheriff's department and the final one-third in a fund to help public sector organizations (like police and fire departments) with the purchase of new vehicles or other equipment. He added that the EMA Committee would add two public board members to help decide how the money would be dispersed.

The board is looking into putting the referendum on the ballot in April 2017, and the public would have to approve the tax increase.

"If you want services, then you're going to have to pay for it," Gasparich said.

Beeler reminded the board that this funding would not be an addition to the sheriff's department budget, but rather a replacement for funding that will be cut over the next few years. Hertel said the sheriff's department budget was cut \$94,000 this year, and will be cut another \$217,000 in the coming year.

"We don't have a choice folks," Gasparich said.

Plunkett said the board had tried this once before in 2004, and it failed. However, shortly thereafter, the county sold its coal rights, which helped bridge the financial gap for awhile.

Savage said he was gravely concerned about how the fund would be dispersed, suggesting the board use a formula to award each public entity some funding every year. He felt it should go back to those

groups based on the proportion of the citizens they serve and the needs of that department.

Gasparich said the problem with that is that it would take one department several years to save enough money to purchase a new vehicle, and costs would continue to rise as well.

"I think we're talking about money we don't have yet," said board member Ron Deabenderfer. "This will be a tough sell."

He added that the four county school districts are also looking at a sales tax, which would help them maintain their buildings.

No one on the board voiced any opposition to adding the referendum to the April ballot, and they will continue to make preparations for that effort.

Consent Agenda

Board members Tim Hopper, Jay Martin and Mike Webb were all absent from Tuesday's meeting. After roll call, Hertel asked outgoing engineer Kevin Smith to lead the "Pledge of Allegiance."

Hertel also asked for a moment of silence to remember those who lost their lives in the shootings in Orlando, FL.

"Even in our county, we must be vigilant," Hertel said.

Under the consent agenda, Hertel noted that rock had been moved to the communications tower on Cress Hill.

Veterans Assistant Commission Superintendent Dave Strowmatt reported that the bill he spoke to the board about last month had passed both the House and Senate and was awaiting a signature from the governor. It would allow for operational changes to the VAC. The board

unanimously voted to send a letter of support for this bill to Governor Bruce Rauner.

In addition, Strowmatt said a bill to name parts of Illinois Route 127 and Illinois Route 16 in memory of Hillsboro soldiers Larry Claybrook and Charles Irby had also passed both houses and was awaiting a signature from the governor.

Strowmatt reported that John Mizer brought the mobile vet center to town and reached out to 20 to 25 veterans and their families. He plans to make a return trip in the near future.

Liaison Reports

Hampton+Knodle said she had a conference call with CIEDA, and they have a project in process with more information forthcoming.

In Water Company news, Deabenderfer reported that the company was losing money and would have to bring a rate increase to rural water customers. They are still discussing how much to raise the rates, but the company loses about 8 percent per customer.

Board member Nikki Bishop reported that the Senior Center in Hillsboro was in need of a new roof, but they would be working on it.

In UCCI news, Miles said they had been discussing the state budget or lack thereof, and would be meeting again next month in Galena.

Coordinating

In addition to the discussion about a public safety sales tax, the board talked about the possibility of billing the phone company for 911.

Hertel said that as of July 1, if there isn't a state budget, the county will not receive its 911 funding, motor fuel tax dollars or salaries for the state's attorney, public defender or supervisor of assessors. Last year, the county sued the state to get reimbursed for the salaries.

In terms of funding for 911, Montgomery County citizens approved a \$2 fee per landline phone to pay for 911 expenses in 1992. Not all counties in Illinois collect \$2, and fees range from \$.65 per landline to \$4.

Last year, the state passed legislation to collect \$.87 per landline and cell phone, and they told counties that collected more than \$.87 that the state would make up the difference. Currently, the county does not receive enough to pay for 911 services, and may not receive any without a state budget.

Deabenderfer asked about how many calls 911 receives each month. Undersheriff Rick Robbins said it varies drastically, but averages around 1,900 calls per month.

Hertel reminded residents that the county would continue to offer 911 services without disruption, and would most likely use the coal reserve money to pay for the salaries at this time.

The Coordinating Committee had an idea to bill the phone company. After the state legislation was passed, the phone company stopped both collecting and sending the \$2 landline fee, instead collecting the \$.87 state fee. Hertel said the county never rescinded its contract, and felt the county contract could usurp the state one. Gasparich said he felt the state didn't have the authority to overtake local legislation.

"Unfortunately, the phone company is stuck in the middle," Gasparich said. "The state has no authority to do this. It's time for local government to stand up to the state of Illinois."

Plunkett said he agreed with the discussion, but not with the idea to bill the phone company, when it's the state's fault.

Hertel asked State's Attorney Chris Matoush about the legality of both contracts, and he said he could look into it.

Board member Evan Young said he thought they should still look into billing the phone company, and Hertel said he would let Matoush do some research first.

"911 is still going to answer the phone, even if we aren't getting paid for it," Hertel said.

In a few final notes, Hertel said the county may see the state au-

thorize a property tax freeze during budget negotiations. He also said he met with county mayors about the addition of a \$1 fee on each water bill throughout the county, but many were reluctant in light of raising water rates.

"It was a good idea, but it's not going to work," Hertel said. "We're going to pursue other avenues and keep working on it."

Road and Bridge

In addition to making the changes for a transition to a new county engineer, the board approved several local projects.

Since Smith will be leaving the county July 1, the board unanimously approved a contract for \$1,750 with McDonough Whitlow for inspecting five bridges. The fee includes a program manager and all bridge inspections.

Road and Bridge Committee Chairman Gene Miles said they are still working on an intergovernmental agreement with the village of Farmersville about the culvert work.

He said the county held a ribbon cutting on Thursday, June 9, the day before Simpson Bridge was officially opened for traffic in Walshville.

In cleaning the shed at the highway department, staff members found a few items that are no longer needed and will be put up for silent auction. Among the items are an old highway grader and an 11-foot snow plow.

Board members unanimously approved appropriating funds for a road project on N. 24th Avenue in Rountree Township. The total cost of the project is \$42,000, and will be split in half between Montgomery and Christian counties. Work for the project includes replacing two pipes.

Smith said the multi-phase project of the Dakota Access Pipeline is starting to come through the county, and so far, there has been very little damage to county roads.

Miles said his committee is starting paperwork to replace the Walshville Trail Bridge, just outside Hillsboro, using state funds. The state approved \$1.44 million for the project, which is expected to start in 2021. Hertel said he would like to straighten that road out, but that the county could not pay for that.

The board unanimously approved a PE agreement with McDonough Whitlow for \$136,266 for engineering work for the White Town Bridge, one mile north of Mt. Moriah Baptist Church on the Red Ball Trail. Smith said federal funds will be used to pay for the project, and expects it will take at least a year and a half before the work will begin.

Building and Grounds

Building and Grounds Committee Chairman Bob Sneed said they are still working on maintenance issues with the HVAC system at the new courthouse. Johnson Controls is replacing all the faulty coils, which are still under warranty. He said the county currently contracts with Johnson Controls for 32 hours of maintenance each year, but that might have to be increased.

Sneed said that Maintenance Supervisor Lloyd Meyer had also taken the severance package, and his last day will be Aug. 31. The committee is currently in the process of re-classifying his job as maintenance technician.

Chimney work on the Historic Courthouse is nearly complete, and they are very pleased with the work. Sneed is still in hopes the project will come in under budget.

The committee also discussed its budget for the coming year, and was able to make \$13,000 in cuts.

Sneed said he drove around a representative from the insurance company's risk management team, which is done every five to six years to look at all the county buildings. Tom Franzen of Scheller Insurance said it's a great service that allows for proper insurance of the county's liabilities. He added that it's included in the county's premium payments each year.

Before concluding, Hertel thanked Sneed for his service as chairman. Hertel said he asks all board members to keep track of their county business on a per diem basis, even though they are only reimbursed for meetings. If

Sneed were paid mileage and per diem for his work, he would have earned \$3,200.

Economic Development

Economic Development Committee Chairman Heather Hampton+Knodle reported the Montgomery County Economic Development Council is having great success with its mobile fabrication lab, and they hope to bring it to the county board meeting in July. She added that the MCEDC has contracted with Lori Saathoff-Huber to do some grant writing for the organization.

Hampton+Knodle said the revolving loan fund loans are being paid, and MCEDC Executive Director Will Shalter has had a few inquiries into the program, but nothing solid.

The county is just about ready to begin the assimilation process to apply for Enterprise Zone with the state. She noted that statewide they are seeing a delinquency in businesses reporting, so they are keeping an eye on that.

Hampton+Knodle reported the next Planning Commission meeting would be July 20.

In infrastructure news, she said Coffeen will soon get better broadband fiber, due in part to a partnership with the Hillsboro School District.

Hampton+Knodle has also been in touch with Congressman Rodney Davis's office about a lien on the Eagle Zinc property. Phase two of the clean-up is expected to begin in August.

In tourism news, she said they appointed the MCEDC executive director to the Tourism South board, and are working on a representative from Litchfield, possibly the tourism coordinator as the second appointee.

In workforce development, Hampton+Knodle said she is working on two letters to the West Central Development Council on how to improve its services and membership. The county has not yet paid its \$5,969 membership.

In a final note, Hampton+Knodle said she attended the national trade show for the CEO (Creating Entrepreneurial Opportunities) program in Effingham, and that recent Hillsboro High School graduate Lucas Secrist represented Montgomery County. She said they held orientation for this year's incoming seniors in June, and that the investors meeting will be held on Aug. 15 at National Bank in Hillsboro.

EMA

In addition to the discussion about the director's position, Savage said that ambulance collections continue in a routine fashion.

He also noted that the radios had been inspected, and some were repaired.

The committee also voted to spend \$250 to renew its membership in IPWMAN, which is the Illinois Public Works Mutual Assistant Network. It helps to provide mutual aid in the event of a major disaster.

Finance

Finance Committee Chairman Megan Beeler said her committee met with Gene Stuard of the Forrestal Group for help with an assessment at the Coffeen Power Plant. The county is at the end of a ten-year agreement, and is looking for help to fairly assess the property. The Forrestal Group did the work the last time, and submitted a proposal for \$83,000. Beeler said they are looking into the possibility of splitting the bill with other taxing bodies who receive funding from the power plant.

In the monthly coal revenue report, Beeler noted that the reserves continue to be spent down. She expects more payments to be made from there in the next few months.

Budget hearings will be held July 18, 19 and 21. Beeler said her committee has met with office holders and superintendents and set a goal to cut \$500,000 from the general fund budget. Taking into account salary raises and insurance costs, Beeler said they will have to cut \$625,000 to have a net decrease of \$500,000.

They asked each office to cut around 11 percent, but she noted not all offices would be able to do that, so they were leaning on some to cut a little bit more.

"It's gonna hurt across the board," Beeler said. "And we still won't have a balanced budget next year unless there is an increase in revenue somewhere."

With two no votes, the board approved the annual prevailing wage ordinance. Hertel said it's exactly the same as last year. Hampton+Knodle said in reading the statute, the county can come up with its own schedule for prevailing wage, which might be better served in this area.

Hertel said it has to be approved every year in June, but if the board wanted to look at something like that, they could do so for the following year. Both Hampton+Knodle and Young voted against the measure.

The board unanimously approved \$9,500 plus \$130 in mileage to Bellwether to perform a cost study for the sheriff's office, court security and county clerk's office. In order to increase some county fees, a cost study must be completed first. Beeler said they were pleased with the negotiated bid from this vendor.

In a final note, she provided a draft copy of a mineral severance tax resolution, and said the board would discuss it at the July meeting. Hertel said he felt like it should include all minerals and not just one specific item.

HWE

In Health, Welfare and Elections Committee news, Chairman Connie Beck said they received a five-year contract from the EPA for landfill and dump inspections. It now also includes inspection at tire facilities. Beck said the state has not yet paid for Gonet's salary this year, but that he is being paid by the county.

Beeler asked what would happen if they didn't sign the contract. Hertel said the state would come in to inspect the landfill, but that it would only be done quarterly instead of the weekly inspections Gonet provides. Graden said Gonet also does other things for the county.

"It's worth it if the state pays for it," Plunkett said.

The board unanimously approved the contract.

In insurance news, Beck said workers compensation should not increase in the coming year, and that they may look into cyber security as well.

In recycling news, Beck said they received two repair quotes for damage done at the Hillsboro Recycling Facility by DC Waste, who will be liable for the expenses.

Beck said they are finally finished with the animal control ordinance, which is based mainly on state statute. It will be available for review soon.

She said they also approved adding a carport/shed at the Animal Control Facility, with funding from the Vanek estate. Beck said they need the room for storage of crates, cat litter and dog food.

In a final note, the board appointed the HWE Committee Chairman as Animal Control Administrator. That position was formerly filled by Assistant State's Attorney Betsy Wilson, and when she resigned, they temporarily appointed County Coordinator Chris Daniels.

Personnel

Personnel Committee Chairman Mary Bathurst said they are moving along in discussion about employee insurance, and will be meeting with Vault at their next monthly meeting. She hopes to have things in place by Aug. 1.

Hertel said that several employees have taken advantage of the severance package offered by the county.

In a final note, Bathurst said she and county employee Liz Holcomb were finishing training on the human resource model for the Zobrio software, and that it was going well.

Announcements

The board unanimously appointed Amy Patton of Hillsboro to the Montgomery County Housing Authority Board.

With no public comments, the board adjourned around 11 a.m. They will meet again on Tuesday morning, July 12, beginning at 8:30 a.m. at the Historic Courthouse in Hillsboro.



Yaeger Place Residents Honor Vets On Flag Day

Residents of Yaeger Place Condominiums in Litchfield celebrated the 96th anniversary of Flag Day on Tuesday, June 14, with a flag dedication. Members of the Litchfield VFW 3912 Color Guard were on hand to dedicate the flag and also presented residents with a Prisoners of War flag. Pictured above, Ed Wujek and Larry Hartke, both residents of Yaeger Place and veterans, raise the flag while members of the VFW salute it.

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Hard Road Theatre Shows *Beauty And The Beast, Jr.* In June

Hard Road Theatre Productions, in association with the Highland Arts Council and sponsored by Bradford National Bank, invite the public to join them in an evening of magic and enchantment as they present *Disney's Beauty and the Beast, Jr.*

Adapted from a French fairy tale and based upon the Disney movie and stage show of the same name, *Disney's Beauty and the Beast, Jr.* is a fantastic adaptation of a story of transfor-

mation and tolerance. The classic story tells of Belle, a young woman in a provincial town, and the Beast, who is really a young prince trapped under the spell of an enchantress.

If the Beast can learn to love and be loved, the curse will end and he will be transformed to his former self. But time is running out. If the Beast does not learn his lesson soon, he and his household will be doomed for all eternity.

Disney's Beauty and the

Beast, Jr. features some of the most popular songs ever written by Alan Menken and the late Howard Ashman, including "Be Our Guest" and "Beauty and the Beast." The show also features new songs by Mr. Menken and Tim Rice that were written for the Broadway stage show.

Directed by Gentry Nessel, the cast for *Disney's Beauty and the Beast, Jr.* includes over 50 students from several different communities including Highland, Greenville, Troy,

Marine, St. Jacob, Hillsboro and Collinsville. Performances for *Disney's Beauty and the Beast, Jr.* are June 23-25 at 7 p.m. and on June 26 at 2 p.m. at the Highland Elementary Auditorium, located at 1800 Lindenthal Ave. in Highland. Tickets are \$10.

For more information about *Disney's Beauty and the Beast, Jr.* or Hard Road Theatre, visit the Hard Road website at www.hardroad.org, send an email to tom@hardroad.org or call 618-409-6286.

Hillsboro Council

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Campground management changes took up three agenda item spaces. First, the resignation of camp co-hosts Thad and Kelly Cady was accepted; the letter of resignation, read by Public Properties Daniel Robbins, stated no reason for the action. Robbins stated he believed it was a health issue that prevented the couple from completing their contractual duties. Though it was dated May 28, 2016, he said they had left the campground a month or so ago.

In their absence, co-hosts Joe and Dena Millburg assumed all hosting duties, even painting the campground office. Robbins moved and the council approved giving them \$428.57, the amount the Cady couple would have received, for stepping up in the emergency.

Finally, the council agreed to amend the contract under which the Millburgs work as they hired Robert and Heather Miller to be co-hosts. The pay, once split 50/50 between the co-hosts, will now be 75 percent for the Millburgs and 25 percent for the Millers as the two couples divided the work load in that proportion.

Four citizens, two civilians and two employees addressed the council in the public comment part of the agenda. Zach Wygal appealed for ideas to solve a rather nice problem; the Imagine Hillsboro group he represents expects big crowds but limited parking for the cardboard boat regatta and the public concert to be held at Lake Hillsboro on Monday, July 4. A shuttle service from a designated parking spot would be ideal, but both are hard to find on the Fourth.

"We need help," Wygal said. "The concert and the Fourth activities draw people from as far away as Peoria, but many who would like to come can't walk more than a mile to the venue. We'd like suggestions. We expect the Johnny Cash/Tom Petty tribute to really draw well."

Police Chief Gary Satterlee said a lady who is a client of the Probst Vet Clinic on Springfield Road asked if handrails could be installed on the steps on the sidewalk adjacent to the business. "She's afraid a dog will run toward the highway, causing whoever is holding the leash to tumble onto the often busy highway."

Street Commissioner Don Downs felt it is a good idea; he hopes to recycle railing from a proposed demolition site in town.

The third speaker asked to be placed on the agenda for the June 28 meeting. The fourth, John Stretch, spoke on behalf of the local ham radio club, of which he is president, as he invited the

council and all other members of the public to an open house/field day demonstration the club is hosting at noon on Saturday, June 25. The show begins at noon in Hillsboro's Challacombe Park.

During the time set aside for commissioners' reports, Robbins said mowing and weed-whacking is ongoing in the Public Properties Department.

"The campground is full most weekends," said Robbins, and he publicly thanked camper Barry Kelley for rock work done near the campground stage. The pool in Central Park is open and functioning smoothly; the highest daily attendance thus far was 182.

Public Safety Commissioner Michael Murphy thanked Chief Satterlee for the extra work he's assumed while monitoring the pink vested community service lads who've been assigned painting jobs around town as their penance for a paint ball spree in late March. He also thanked summer workers Caleb Keiser and Gage Barnes for their work thus far taking care of weeds on derelict properties.

"They both show initiative," Murphy said. "They were good hires."

Mrs. Duncan asked area residents not to dump used tires on lots or in ditches.

"We (the city) have to pay for the disposal of these tires, though they aren't our direct responsibility. There are businesses in town that will dispose of used tires from consumers for a minimum fee; that's more fair to the city."

Street Commissioner Don Downs said East Tremont Street in front of St. Agnes Catholic Church continues to be problematic.

"We had to call city workers out over Memorial Day weekend because the street surface was breaking up; it's the second time this spring/summer we've had to spread extra rock there."

Downs suspects it's caused by heavy trucks.

Mayor Sullivan said he's spoken with the Illinois State Police, who said they would no longer use East Tremont as a testing area for suspected overloads. Sullivan also thanked all the commissioners for their willingness to snip away at the budget.

The council took no formal action except adjournment after a half hour executive session that ended at 8:01 p.m.

The next Hillsboro City Council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, June 28, at 7 p.m. at city hall. The Hillsboro Planning Commission meets this Thursday, June 16, at 12:30 p.m. Both are in city hall chambers, and the public is welcome to attend.

Kelly Schmidt Earns Degree In Biological Science In May

Kelly Schmidt, daughter of Scott and Shelley Schmidt of Litchfield, graduated *summa cum laude* from Southern Illinois University Carbondale on May 14.

She earned a bachelors of science in biological sciences, a minor in chemistry and an honors certificate. During her time at SIU, Schmidt remained on the Dean's List all four years. She was a member of Delta Epsilon Iota Honors Society, Golden Key Honors Society and Sigma Alpha Lambda Honors Society.

She was also a founder of the Gamma Chi Chapter of Delta Phi Epsilon Sorority, and she served as their vice president of academic affairs. In addition, she was involved in St. Jude Up 'til Dawn, Saluki Science Ambassadors and was a resident assistant on campus.

Schmidt was involved in research on campus, winning first place in the St. Louis Undergraduate Research Forum and the SIU Undergraduate Research Forum in 2014. She also was a



Kelly Schmidt

recipient of the REACH grant for undergraduate research in 2015 and presented her research at the 2016 National Endocrine Society's conference in Boston.

In the fall, she will be attending SIU School of Medicine to pursue her dream of becoming a physician.



Girls Scouts from all over pause at the new archery range at Camp Soar north of Litchfield to thank three members of Montgomery County White Tails, John Eickhoff, Rich Riencke and Jim Brinkman near the center of the photo, for new archery equipment. **Journal-News Photo**

Camp Soar Archery

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At \$2,345 it was no small investment, but it's just a small portion of what the local White Tails chapter has donated for youth events in recent years,



Brooks Moreland Earns His Degree In Communication

Brooks Moreland graduated from the University of Illinois in Springfield on May 14 with his bachelor's degree in communication. Moreland also earned his associates degree from UIS in agriculture business.

A 2011 graduate of Nokomis High School, Moreland was active in FFA and 4-H during his high school career. While in college, he held internships with Ogle Genetics, Brandt and the First Baptist Church of Nokomis.

RHS Class Of 1956 Reunion Will Be June 24

Members of the Raymond High School class of 1956 will hold their 60th class reunion on Friday, June 24, at the Magnuson Hotel off the Carlinville exit.

An invitation is being extended to the classes of 1955 and 1957 to come by and visit and get reacquainted with former schoolmates. Arrival time is 7:30 p.m.

Crocks Earns Dental Degree

Sara Crocks of Litchfield received her doctor of dental medicine degree from Southern Illinois University School of Dental Medicine.

She received her doctoral hood during the SIU SDM commencement ceremony held Saturday, June 4, in SIUE's Morris University Center's Meridian Ballroom.

Anne Weitekamp Earns Dean's List Honors At Cornell

Anne Weitekamp of Raymond was one of 180 Cornell College students named to the Dean's List for the spring 2016 semester. She earned honors.

Honors signifies a semester grade point average of 3.6 to 3.79; High Honors signifies an average of 3.8 to 3.99; and Highest Honors signifies a 4.0 grade point average.

Brinkman said. Since 2002, Montgomery County White Tails have spent \$39,588 on local youth, including \$15,520 to provide archery equipment for students at Hillsboro High School, Litchfield High School and Nokomis High

School.

Another \$6,891 went to FFA trap shooting, \$6,400 to Cranie Mack youth programs and \$3,261 for 4-H archery and gun safety programs. White Tails also donated money for scholarship

shoots and a handicap accessible ramp at Walton Park in Litchfield.

Montgomery County White Tails generates funding through its annual banquet every November.

'Heroes' Benefit From Simmermaker Donations

Several area groups are benefiting from a campaign by Farmers Insurance to reach out to "heroes" in the community.

Roy Simmermaker of Farmers Insurance in Litchfield recently made \$100 donations to the Litchfield Police Department, Litchfield Fire Department, Madison Park Elementary School and Zion Lutheran School for use on special purchases that otherwise may not be possible.

Zion Lutheran will be using the funds for video equipment, while Madison Park is planning to use the donation to assist in funding their awards program at the school. The police and fire departments have larger budget items in mind, a harness camera for the K9 unit and a thermal imaging camera for the fire department, but the donation brings them closer to their goal.

The funds come from Farmers Insurance's Affinity program which aims to show community support for groups such as educators, medical professionals, police and fire fighters.

Simmermaker said that his agency is eligible for up to \$500 in requests per month and he is currently speaking with several groups about next month's donations, which will include funds going to Coffeen Elementary



Madison Park Elementary School was the recipient of a \$100 donation from the Roy Simmermaker Farmers Insurance Agency on Monday, June 13. From the left are Lillie Blevins of Farmers Insurance, Madison Park Principal Adam Favre, Roy Simmermaker of Farmers Insurance and Amanda Parish of Farmers Insurance. **Journal-News Photo**

School library and Colt School in Litchfield.

Other educators, medical professionals, police departments and fire departments can contact

Simmermaker's office at 217-324-2700 for more information on the donation program and other discounts and grants made available through Farmers Insurance.



Roy Simmermaker of Farmers Insurance in Litchfield, right, presents Zion Lutheran School Principal Wesley Jones with a donation of \$100 through Farmers Insurance's Affinity program. The program focuses on supporting the community through donations to educators, medical professionals, police and firefighters.

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Out & About

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'Brother Jim' Celebrating 50 Years In Ministry

by Mike Plunkett

A man who has served God as a monk, priest, US Navy chaplain and Lutheran pastor is celebrating 50 years of ordination in Nokomis this Sunday.

The Rev. James Vargo will celebrate his jubilee on Sunday, June 19, with worship and a reception at the United Methodist Church on West Union in Nokomis.

"I guess the underlying theme is following your heart," Pastor Vargo said of his ministry since ordination on June 11, 1966, when he was 26 years old.

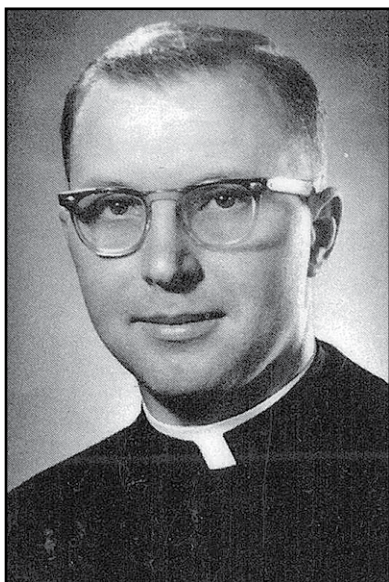
Brother Jim, as he refers to himself with a smile that has broadened as his years in the ministry have increased, grew up in New Jersey and New York City. He recalled a pivotal moment in his walk with the Lord when he was a fourth grader shining shoes on Broadway for nickels and dimes. One day as he was working his craft, an old lady idled up and pressed some money into his hand and said, "I give you this in the name of Jesus." He shoved it into his pocket and later realized she had given him 87 cents.

"That started my path toward the ministry," Pastor Vargo said.

He set his feet on that path at age 13, when he left home for educa-



The Rev. James Vargo now, on the left, and on his ordination day on June 11, 1966.



tion at a monastery. While he was in junior high, a Carmelite monk came to his school on what was in essence a recruiting trip. Vargo felt a tug toward the monastic life, and went upstate to continue his high school education at a Carmelite monastery school and earned a bachelors degree from St. Bonaventure in New York in 1962.

After taking his vows of poverty, chastity and obedience, he was ordained in 1966 and sent to teach in Pennsylvania.

Again, though, his heart was tugging him to a missionary life in Rhodesia. He did that until the political climate forced him to leave and return to New York to teach. He also worked as a rehab counselor in New York City and

later as a hospital chaplain.

He joined the United States Navy in 1984 and served as a chaplain in Okinawa, Pensacola, FL, and Naples, Italy. While serving there, he went back to visit Rhodesia—now Zimbabwe—for closure, and when he returned to Italy in 1988, he went to a workshop presented by a Lutheran chaplain who was in the U.S. Navy Reserves. Her name was Jean Wollmann.

"She was a sharp young woman, he remembered, 'very, very sharp.'"

After that, the two dined with friends and later traveled together to a Jewish retreat in Florence, Italy. After she returned home, the two began to write to each other.

"When she came back to Italy, I proposed to her," he said, "and we were married on Nov. 19, 1989."

She was pastoring in Minnesota at the time and chose to go to active duty in the United States Air Force. A few months later, the U.S. went to war with Iraq and she was sent to Operation Desert Storm.

While she was deployed, "I was worshipping at a Lutheran Church in Las Vegas and it felt so familiar," the Rev. Vargo said.

After training in Lutheran theology, the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America accepted his ordination.

The husband and wife Lutheran pastors have ministered all over the country. In retirement, he accepted an interim call to Montgomery County to St. Matthew in Fillmore, Mt. Zion in Nokomis, and St. Mark's in Nokomis before it closed in December.



Classic cars were lined up behind First National Bank in Litchfield as part of the monthly Pickers Market and Blue Carpet Corridor in downtown Litchfield on Sunday, June 12.

Litchfield Hosts Blue Carpet Corridor Event

The hot weather didn't keep visitors from Litchfield this weekend as part of the Blue Carpet Corridor and Pickers Market events.

Tourism Coordinator Sarah Waggoner said the events drew visitors from 21 different states.

The Blue Carpet Corridor event was held Saturday, June 11 and Sunday, June 12, and Litchfield was one of 13 cities from Collinsville to Chatham, participating in the Route 66 festivities.

In Litchfield, visitors could get their passport stamped at the Litchfield Museum and Route 66 Welcome Center, and could also mail a commemorative postcard from Sky View Drive-In, which was celebrating its 66th anniversary on Route 66 this year.

Other festivities throughout the weekend included a double feature at Sky View Drive-In, showing two classic hits, *Grease* and *American Graffiti*. Walton Park hosted its first Concert in the Park of the summer featuring live entertainment by *The Strugglers*.

Sunday's events included the

Raymond-Harvel Home Arts Club Meets Monday

The Raymond-Harvel Home Arts Club will meet at 11 a.m. Monday, June 20, at Tosi's in Raymond.

Visitors are welcome.



Litchfield Tourism Coordinator Sarah Waggoner stamped postcards with a commemorative Blue Carpet Corridor postmark at Sky View Drive-In on Saturday afternoon.

monthly Pickers Market in downtown Litchfield, featuring more than 300 vendors, as well as live music. Classic cars were encouraged as part of the festivities, and were lined up behind First National Bank of Litchfield. That

evening, the Litchfield Rotary Club also hosted a free family movie night.

For more information about upcoming events in Litchfield, visit www.VisitLitchfield.com/events.

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*SATURDAY, JULY 2: 5K FREEDOM FUN RUN/WALK
RACE STARTS AT 7:30 AM.
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THURSDAY EVENING

JUNE 16, 2016

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST	ABC Kimmel	NBA Count NBA Count	2016 NBA Finals: "Game #6": Golden State vs Cleveland	Local	Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Local	Nightline
CBS	Big Bang	Pieces	Mom	Odd Couple	Code Black (TV14)	Local	Late Show (TV14)	Late Late	Local	Late Late
NBC	Dateline NBC (N)	Aquarius: "I'm So Tired; Happiness" (N)	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs
FOX	Bones (TV14) (N)	Home Free (N)	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs
ION	Blue Bloods (TV14)	Blue Bloods (TV14)	Blue Bloods (TV14)	Blue Bloods (TV14)	Blue Bloods (TV14)	Blue Bloods (TV14)	Blue Bloods (TV14)	Blue Bloods (TV14)	Blue Bloods (TV14)	Blue Bloods (TV14)
CABLE	A&E Streets of Compton: "Parts 1 & 2" (TVPG)	Streets of Compton (N)	The First 48: "M.I.A."	Streets of Compton (N)	The First 48: "M.I.A."	Streets of Compton (N)	The First 48: "M.I.A."	Streets of Compton (N)	The First 48: "M.I.A."	Streets of Compton (N)
AMC	Jaws 2 (78, PG) Roy Scheider. (N)	Jaws 3 (83, PG) ★½ Dennis Quaid. (N)	Jaws: The Revenge (87, PG-13)	Jaws: The Revenge (87, PG-13)	Jaws: The Revenge (87, PG-13)	Jaws: The Revenge (87, PG-13)	Jaws: The Revenge (87, PG-13)	Jaws: The Revenge (87, PG-13)	Jaws: The Revenge (87, PG-13)	Jaws: The Revenge (87, PG-13)
ANIMAL	Alaskans Remote (N)	North Woods Law (N)	Lone Star Law (N)	North Woods Law (N)	Lone Star Law (N)	Lone Star Law (N)	Lone Star Law (N)	Lone Star Law (N)	Lone Star Law (N)	Lone Star Law (N)
BET	Bet Awards 2013 (TVPG)	ComicView	ComicView	ComicView	ComicView	ComicView	ComicView	ComicView	ComicView	ComicView
BRAVO	New York (TVPG)	Million Dollar Listing (N)	Housewives (TV14)	Housewives (TV14)	Housewives (TV14)	Housewives (TV14)	Housewives (TV14)	Housewives (TV14)	Housewives (TV14)	Housewives (TV14)
CARTOON	King of Hill	Bob's Brgrs	Bob's Brgrs	Cleve. Show	Am. Dad	Am. Dad	Family Guy	Family Guy	Tyson	Squidbillies
CMT	Last Man	Last Man	Dude (N)	Bassmaster	King	King	Dude	Dude	Reba	Reba
CNN	Anderson Cooper 360	The Eighties (N)	CNN Tonight (N)	CNN Tonight (N)	CNN Tonight (N)	CNN Tonight (N)	CNN Tonight (N)	CNN Tonight (N)	CNN Tonight (N)	CNN Tonight (N)
COMEDY	Kevin Hart (TV14)	Kevin Hart (TV14)	Schumer	Not Safe	Daily Show	Nightly (N)	midnight	Schumer	midnight	Schumer
DISCOVERY	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid	Naked and Afraid
DISNEY	Wizards of Waverly Place	Liv Maddie	Undercover	Girl World	Stuck Mid.	Best Friends	Christmas Present ('00)	Christmas Present ('00)	Christmas Present ('00)	Christmas Present ('00)
E!	Kardashians (TV14)	Kardashians: "Fake It"	Kardashians (TV14)	Kardashians (TV14)	Kardashians (TV14)	Kardashians (TV14)	Kardashians (TV14)	Kardashians (TV14)	Kardashians (TV14)	Kardashians (TV14)
ESPN	Sports HD	O.J.: Made in America: "Part 3" (N)	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England
ESPN2	O.J.: Made in America	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group B": Wales at England
FOOD	Chopped (TV G)	Chopped (TV G)	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Beat Bobby	Chopped (TV G)	Chopped (TV G)	Chopped (TV G)	Chopped (TV G)
FREEFORM	Charlie and the Chocolate Factory ('05, PG)	Guilt: "Pilot" (TV14)	The 700 Club (TV G)	The 700 Club (TV G)	The 700 Club (TV G)	The 700 Club (TV G)	The 700 Club (TV G)	The 700 Club (TV G)	The 700 Club (TV G)	The 700 Club (TV G)
FX	Anchorman 2: The Legend	Continues ('13, PG-13) ★★	Anchorman 2: The Legend	Continues ('13, PG-13) ★★	Anchorman 2: The Legend	Continues ('13, PG-13) ★★	Anchorman 2: The Legend	Continues ('13, PG-13) ★★	Anchorman 2: The Legend	Continues ('13, PG-13) ★★
HGTV	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop	Flip or Flop
HISTORY	Alone: A Deeper Cut	Alone: "The Ascent" (N)	Mountain Men (N)	Join or Die	Pawn Stars	Alone: A Deeper Cut	Alone: A Deeper Cut	Alone: A Deeper Cut	Alone: A Deeper Cut	Alone: A Deeper Cut
LIFETIME	Deadly Wives	Deadly Wives	(02) Deadly Wives	(02) Deadly Wives	(02) Deadly Wives	(02) Deadly Wives	(02) Deadly Wives	(02) Deadly Wives	(02) Deadly Wives	(02) Deadly Wives
MTV	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous	Ridiculous
NICK	Open Season 3 ('11, PG)	Full House	Full House	Full House	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE	Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Lip Sync	Lip Sync
SYFY	The Lone Ranger ('13)	Deep Impact ('98, PG-13)	★½ Tea Leoni, Morgan Freeman.	Swamp Volcano ('12) ★	Swamp Volcano ('12) ★	Swamp Volcano ('12) ★	Swamp Volcano ('12) ★	Swamp Volcano ('12) ★	Swamp Volcano ('12) ★	Swamp Volcano ('12) ★
TBS	2 Broke Girls	2 Broke Girls	Big Bang	Big Bang	2 Broke Girls	2 Broke Girls	Conan (TV14) (N)	2 Broke Girls	Conan (TV14) (N)	2 Broke Girls
TCM	Gypsy ('62, NR)	★★★ Rosalind Russell, Natalie Wood.	Funny Girl ('68, G)	★★★ Barbra Streisand, Omar Sharif.	Funny Girl ('68, G)	★★★ Barbra Streisand, Omar Sharif.	Funny Girl ('68, G)	★★★ Barbra Streisand, Omar Sharif.	Funny Girl ('68, G)	★★★ Barbra Streisand, Omar Sharif.
TLC	My 600-lb Life	Extreme Weight Loss	Fat Chance: "Denik" (N)	My Big Fat: "A Brush"	Fat Chance: "Denik" (N)	My Big Fat: "A Brush"	Fat Chance: "Denik" (N)	My Big Fat: "A Brush"	Fat Chance: "Denik" (N)	My Big Fat: "A Brush"
TNT	The Lincoln Lawyer ('11, R)	★★★	(15) Ocean's Twelve ('04, PG-13)	★★★ George Clooney, Brad Pitt.	(15) Ocean's Twelve ('04, PG-13)	★★★ George Clooney, Brad Pitt.	(15) Ocean's Twelve ('04, PG-13)	★★★ George Clooney, Brad Pitt.	(15) Ocean's Twelve ('04, PG-13)	★★★ George Clooney, Brad Pitt.
TRAVEL	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (N)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)
TV LAND	Loves Ray.	Loves Ray.	Loves Ray.	Loves Ray.	Lopez	Lopez	Queens	Queens	Queens	Queens
USA	WWE SmackDown (Live)	G.I. Joe: Retaliation ('13, PG-13)	★★★ Dwayne Johnson.	G.I. Joe	G.I. Joe	G.I. Joe	G.I. Joe	G.I. Joe	G.I. Joe	G.I. Joe
VH1	Above the Rim ('94, R)	Duane Martin, Leon.	Purple Rain ('84, R)	★★★ Prince, Apollonia Kotero.	Graffiti ★½	Graffiti ★½	Graffiti ★½	Graffiti ★½	Graffiti ★½	Graffiti ★½
WGN	Elementary (TV14)	Elementary (TV14)	Elementary (TV14)	How I Met	How I Met	How I Met	How I Met	How I Met	How I Met	How I Met
PREM	HBO	Everest ('15, PG-13)	★★★ Jason Clarke.	Veep	Silicon Valley	Game of Thrones	(M-15) ('15, R)	★★★	Game of Thrones	(M-15) ('15, R)
MAX	The Pyramid ('14)	★★★	Borat ('06, R)	Sacha Baron Cohen.	Dumb and Dumber To ('14, PG-13)	Jim Carrey.	Submission	House Lies	Submission	(TVMA)
SHOW	(55) Shooter ('07, R)	★★★ Mark Wahlberg.	Penny Dreadful	Penny Dreadful	Submission	House Lies	Submission	House Lies	Submission	(TVMA)

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	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST	ABC Shark Tank (TVPG)	What Would You Do?	20/20 (N)	Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Nightline	Local	Jimmy Kimmel Live	Local	Nightline
CBS	NCIS: Los Angeles	Hawaii Five-0	Blue Bloods (TV14)	Local	Late Show (TV14)	Late Late	Local	Late Show (TV14)	Local	Late Late
NBC	America's Got Talent: "Auditions" (TVPG)	Dateline NBC (N)	Local	(35) Tonight Show	Late Night	Local	(35) Tonight Show	Late Night	Local	Late Night
FOX	Rosewood (TV14)	MasterChef (TV14)	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs
ION	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Criminal Minds	Saving Hope (TV14)	Saving Hope (TV14)	Saving Hope (TV14)	Saving Hope (TV14)	Saving Hope (TV14)	Saving Hope (TV14)	Saving Hope (TV14)
CABLE	A&E The First 48 (TV14)	Murder in Enchanted Hills ('13, NR)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48 (TV14)
AMC	Black Hawk Down ('02, R)	★★★ Josh Hartnett. (N)	Gran Torino ('09, R)	Clint Eastwood, Christopher Carley. (N)	Gran Torino ('09, R)	Clint Eastwood, Christopher Carley. (N)	Gran Torino ('09, R)	Clint Eastwood, Christopher Carley. (N)	Gran Torino ('09, R)	Clint Eastwood, Christopher Carley. (N)
ANIMAL	Tanked: "Imaginarium"	Tanked: Scoop (N)	Tanked: "Bellagio" (N)	(03) Tanked: Scoop	Tanked: "Bellagio" (N)	(03) Tanked: Scoop	Tanked: "Bellagio" (N)	(03) Tanked: Scoop	Tanked: "Bellagio" (N)	(03) Tanked: Scoop
BET	Hustle & Flow ('05)	National Security ('03, PG-13)	★★★ Martin Lawrence, Steve Zahn. (N)	Wendy Williams	National Security ('03, PG-13)	★★★ Martin Lawrence, Steve Zahn. (N)	Wendy Williams	National Security ('03, PG-13)	★★★ Martin Lawrence, Steve Zahn. (N)	Wendy Williams
BRAVO	Shahs of Sunset	Friday ('95, R)	★★★ Ice Cube, Chris Tucker.	Friday ('95, R)	★★★ Ice Cube, Chris Tucker.	Friday ('95, R)	★★★ Ice Cube, Chris Tucker.	Friday ('95, R)	★★★ Ice Cube, Chris Tucker.	Friday ('95, R)
CARTOON	King of Hill	Cleve. Show / Am. Dad	Family Guy	Family Guy	Bob's Brgrs	Bob's Brgrs	Check It	Squidbillies	Bob's Brgrs	Bob's Brgrs
CMT	King	King	Old Dogs ('09, PG)	★★ John Travolta. (N)	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba	Reba
CNN	Anderson Cooper 360	CNN Tonight (N)	Inside Man (N)	The Hunt	The Hunt	The Hunt	The Hunt	The Hunt	The Hunt	The Hunt
COMEDY	Kevin Hart (TV14)	Kevin Hart ('11, R)	Kevin Hart (TV14)	Kevin Hart ('11, R)	Big Jay (TVMA)	Big Jay (TVMA)	Big Jay (TVMA)	Big Jay (TVMA)	Big Jay (TVMA)	Big Jay (TVMA)
DISCOVERY	Alaskan Bush (N)	Alaskan Bush People	Homestead Rescue (N)	Alaskan Bush People	Homestead Rescue (N)	Alaskan Bush People	Homestead Rescue (N)	Alaskan Bush People	Homestead Rescue (N)	Alaskan Bush People
DISNEY	Stuck Mid.	Girl World	Walk Prank	Backstage	Stuck Mid.	Girl World	Walk Prank	Backstage	Stuck Mid.	Girl World
E!	My Best Friend's Wedding ('97, PG-13)	★★★	#RichKids (TV14)	E! News (N)	My Best Friend's Wedding ('97, PG-13)	★★★	#RichKids (TV14)	E! News (N)	My Best Friend's Wedding ('97, PG-13)	★★★
ESPN	O.J.: Made in America	O.J.: Made in America: "Part 4" (N)	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	O.J.: Made in America	O.J.: Made in America: "Part 4" (N)	SportsCenter	SportsCenter	O.J.: Made in America	O.J.: Made in America: "Part 4" (N)
ESPN2	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group E": Sweden at Italy	Arena Football League: Philadelphia vs Arizona (Live)	Jalen	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group E": Sweden at Italy	Arena Football League: Philadelphia vs Arizona (Live)	Jalen	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group E": Sweden at Italy	Arena Football League: Philadelphia vs Arizona (Live)	UEFA Euro 2016: "Group E": Sweden at Italy	Arena Football League: Philadelphia vs Arizona (Live)
FOOD	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners	Diners
FREEFORM	(15) Jumanji ('95, PG)	★★★ Robin Williams, Kirsten Dunst. (N)	The 700 Club (TV G)	Read It and Weep ('06)	(15) Jumanji ('95, PG)	★★★ Robin Williams, Kirsten Dunst. (N)	The 700 Club (TV G)	Read It and Weep ('06)	(15) Jumanji ('95, PG)	★★★ Robin Williams, Kirsten Dunst. (N)
FX	The Heat ('13, R)	★★★ Sandra Bullock, Melissa McCarthy.	The Heat ('13, R)	★★★ Sandra Bullock.	The Heat ('13, R)	★★★ Sandra Bullock.	The Heat ('13, R)	★★★ Sandra Bullock.	The Heat ('13, R)	★★★ Sandra Bullock.
HGTV	Love It or List It	Love It or List It	Hunters	Hunters	Love It or List It	Love It or List It	Hunters	Hunters	Love It or List It	Love It or List It
HISTORY	Ancient Aliens	Ancient Aliens (N)	(03) Ancient Aliens	(17) Ancient Aliens	(03) Ancient Aliens	(17) Ancient Aliens	(03) Ancient Aliens	(17) Ancient Aliens	(03) Ancient Aliens	(17) Ancient Aliens
LIFETIME	Taken ('09, PG-13)	★★★ Liam Neeson. (N)	(02) Gone ('12, PG-13)	★★★ Amanda Seyfried. (N)	Taken ('09, PG-13)	★★★ Liam Neeson. (N)	(02) Gone ('12, PG-13)	★★★ Amanda Seyfried. (N)	Taken ('09, PG-13)	★★★ Liam Neeson. (N)
MTV	Zombieland ('09, R)	★★★ Woody Harrelson. (N)	Project X ('12, R)	★★★ Thomas Mann.	Zombieland ('09, R)	★★★ Woody Harrelson. (N)	Project X ('12, R)	★★★ Thomas Mann.	Zombieland ('09, R)	★★★ Woody Harrelson. (N)
NICK	All in (N)	HALO (N)	Full House	Full House	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends	Friends
SPIKE	Cops	Cops	Bellator MMA Live: "Galvao vs. Dantas 2" (N)	Rampage Returns (N)	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops
SYFY	WWE Raw	Celebrities serve as guest hosts.	Wynonna Earp (N)	Lake Placid 3 ('10, R)	★★ Colin Ferguson. (N)	Wynonna Earp (N)	Lake Placid 3 ('10, R)	★★ Colin Ferguson. (N)	Wynonna Earp (N)	Lake Placid 3 ('10, R)
TBS	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	E!League: "Week 4: Group Play of Valve's Counter-Strike" (N)	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang	Big Bang
TCM	Sabrina ('54, NR)	★★★ Humphrey Bogart. (N)	Love in the Afternoon ('57, NR)	★★★ Gary Cooper. (N)	Sabrina ('54, NR)	★★★ Humphrey Bogart. (N)	Love in the Afternoon ('57, NR)	★★★ Gary Cooper. (N)	Sabrina ('54, NR)	★★★ Humphrey Bogart. (N)
TLC	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes (TVPG)	N	Say Yes	Say Yes	Say Yes (TVPG)	N	Say Yes	Say Yes
TNT	Wanted ('08, R)	★★★ James McAvoy, Morgan Freeman. (N)	Animal Kingdom	Animal Kingdom	Wanted ('08, R)	★★★ James McAvoy, Morgan Freeman. (N)	Animal Kingdom	Animal Kingdom	Wanted ('08, R)	★★★ James McAvoy, Morgan Freeman. (N)
TRAVEL	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)	Mysteries (TVPG)
TV LAND	My Cousin Vinny ('92, R)	★★★ Joe Pesci, Marisa Tomei. (N)	Queens	Queens	My Cousin Vinny ('92, R)	★★★ Joe Pesci, Marisa Tomei. (N)	Queens	Queens	My Cousin Vinny ('92, R)	★★★ Joe Pesci, Marisa Tomei. (N)
USA	Mod Family	Mod Family	Mod Family	Mod Family	Mod Family	Mod Family	Mod Family	Mod Family	Mod Family	Mod Family
VH1	Purple	CrazySexyCool: The TLC Story ('13)	Keke Palmer. (N)	Amber Rose	Purple	CrazySexyCool: The TLC Story ('13)	Keke Palmer. (N)	Amber Rose	Purple	CrazySexyCool: The TLC Story ('13)
WGN	Person of Interest	Person of Interest	Person of Interest	Person of Interest	Person of Interest	Person of Interest	Person of Interest	Person of Interest	Person of Interest	Person of Interest
PREM	HBO	Game of Thrones	Game of Thrones	Real Time Maher (N)	VICE (N)	Real Time Maher (N)	VICE (N)	Real Time Maher (N)	VICE (N)	Real Time Maher (N)
MAX	(20) Sinister 2 ('15, R)	★★★ James Ransone. (N)	Outcast (TVMA)	Outcast (TVMA)	(20) Sinister 2 ('15, R)	★★★ James Ransone. (N)	Outcast (TVMA)	Outcast (TVMA)	(20) Sinister 2 ('15, R)	★★★ James Ransone. (N)
SHOW	Big Eyes ('14, PG-13)	★★★ Amy Adams. (N)	Woman in Gold ('15, PG-13)	Helen Mirren. (N)	Big Eyes ('14, PG-13)	★★★ Amy Adams. (N)	Woman in Gold ('15, PG-13)	Helen Mirren. (N)	Big Eyes ('14, PG-13)	★★★ Amy Adams. (N)

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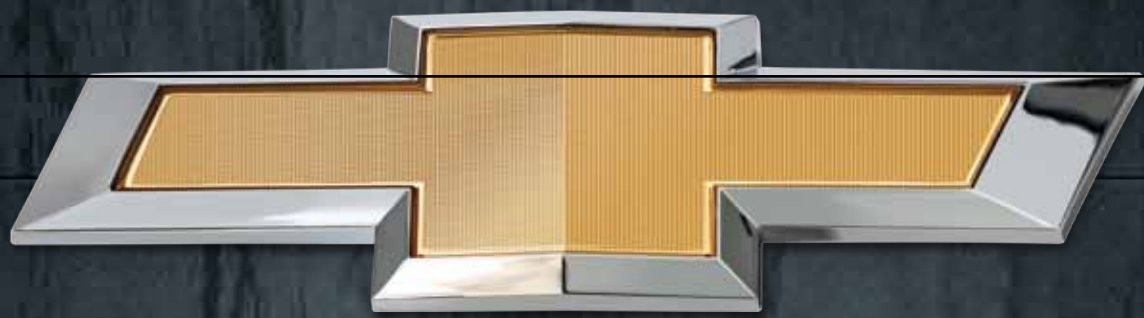
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
BROADCAST	ABC People's List (N)	20/20: In an Instant: "Maternity Ward" (N)	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs
CBS	NCIS: New Orleans	NCIS: Los Angeles	48 Hours (TV14)	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs	Local Programs
NBC	Caught on	Premier Boxing Champions: "Fonfara vs. Smith Jr." (Live)	Local	(29) Saturday Night Live (TV14)	Local	(29) Saturday Night Live (TV14)	Local	(29) Saturday Night Live (TV14)	Local	(29) Saturday Night Live (TV14)
FOX	MLB Baseball: "Regional Coverage-Teams TBA" (Live)	Party	Grinder	Local Programs	Party	Grinder	Local Programs	Party	Grinder	Local Programs
ION	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU	Law & Order: SVU
CABLE	A&E The First 48 (TV14)	The First 48: (N)	The First 48: (N)	The First 48: (N)	The First 48: (N)	The First 48: (N)	The First 48: (N)	The First 48: (N)	The First 48: (N)	The First 48: (N)
AMC	Unforgiven ('92, R)	Hell on Wheels (N)	American West (N)	Hell on Wheels (N)	American West (N)	Hell on Wheels (N)	American West (N)	Hell on Wheels (N)	American West (N)	Hell on Wheels (N)
ANIMAL	Dr. Jeff: Extra Dose (N)	Dr. Jeff: Rocky (N)	(02) The Vet Life (N)	(03) Dr. Jeff: Rocky	The Vet Life (TVPG)	(03) Dr. Jeff: Rocky	The Vet Life (TVPG)	(03) Dr. Jeff: Rocky	The Vet Life (TVPG)	(03) Dr. Jeff: Rocky
BET	Obsessed ('09, PG-13)	★★ Idris Elba, Beyonce. (N)	Madame's Family Reunion ('06, PG-13)	★★ Tyler Perry. (N)	Obsessed ('09, PG-13)	★★ Idris Elba, Beyonce. (N)	Madame's Family Reunion ('06, PG-13)	★★ Tyler Perry. (N)	Obsessed ('09, PG-13)	★★ Idris Elba, Beyonce. (N)
BRAVO	Housewives (TV14)	What Women Want ('00, PG-13)	★★½ Mel Gibson, Helen Hunt.	What Women Want	Housewives (TV14)	What Women Want ('00, PG-13)	★★½ Mel Gibson, Helen Hunt.	What Women Want	Housewives (TV14)	What Women Want ('00, PG-13)
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CMT	Sister Act ('92, PG)	Sister Act 2: Back in the Habit ('93, PG)	★★ Whoopi Goldberg.	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops	Cops
CNN	The Hunt: "Innocence"	The Hunt	The Hunt	The Hunt	The Hunt	The Hunt	The Hunt	The Hunt	The Hunt	The Hunt
COMEDY	You Don't Mess with the	Zohan ('08, PG-13)	Adam Sandler.	The Longest Yard ('05, PG-13)	★★★ Adam Sandler.	The Longest Yard ('05, PG-13)	★★★ Adam Sandler.	The Longest Yard ('05, PG-13)	★★★ Adam Sandler.	The Longest Yard ('05, PG-13)
DISCOVERY	The Last Alaskans	The Last Alaskans	The Last Alaskans	The Last Alaskans	The Last Alaskans	The Last Alaskans	The Last Alaskans	The Last Alaskans	The Last Alaskans	The Last Alaskans
DISNEY	Descendants ('15, NR)	★★★ Dove Cameron. (N)	Lab Rats	Kirby Buck	Undercover	Johnny Kapahala ('07)	Johnny Kapahala ('07)	Johnny Kapahala ('07)	Johnny Kapahala ('07)	Johnny Kapahala ('07)
E!	Sex and the City ('08)	Sex and the City ('08, R)	★★ Sarah Jessica Parker, Kim Cattrall. (N)	#RichKids (TV14)	Sex and the City ('08)	★★ Sarah Jessica Parker, Kim Cattrall. (N)	#RichKids (TV14)	Sex and the City ('08)	★★ Sarah Jessica Parker, Kim Cattrall. (N)	#RichKids (TV14)
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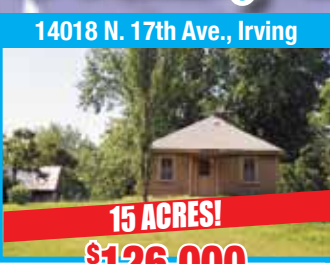
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Sports



Father And Son Complete Spartan Race In Richmond

The father-son duo of Brad Young of Hillsboro, at right, and his son, Garrett Young, participated in the Spartan Race on Saturday, June 11, in Richmond on Garrett's 28th birthday. The Spartan course includes an 8.5-mile run with 29 obstacles challenges. This was Garrett's third Spartan Race and Brad's first. Brad finished ninth out of 44 participants in the 55-59 age group. Garrett finished in the top third overall. A total of more than 4,000 people participated that day.



Purple Panther Campers Keep Their Eyes On The Ball

Forty-plus young basketball players invaded Simmons Gym at Litchfield High School on Monday, June 13, for the opening day of this year's LHS boys basketball camp. The camp, which continues through June 17, focused on the fundamentals of the sport, including dribbling, shooting and other team concepts. Above, Coach Drew Logan, left, watches as this year's campers work on a dribbling drill utilizing their left hands.

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Coast To Coast Baseball Hosts Tryouts July 8

Coast to Coast Baseball would like to invite local players ages 14-18 to an upcoming tryout event at 10 a.m. on Friday, July 8, at Litchfield Sports.

At the tryout, staff will evaluate players' skills in four areas: hitting, fielding, arm strength

and speed.

Since the summer of 2001, over 3,500 athletes from 46 different states have participated in the Coast to Coast Baseball program. Alumni now compete at every level of collegiate baseball, even professionally.

Players accepted to the program will join college coaches and pro scouts at the \$28 million Roger Dean Complex in Jupiter, FL, for games and instruction.

In addition to the tryout, an instructional hitting camp will be held the same day. The goal of the

camp is to help players improve hitting fundamentals as well as their mental approach at the plate.

For more information, players and parents may visit www.CoasttoCoastAthletics.com. Register for an event either on the website or by calling 740-236-8390.

Fifty Years Of Pool Fun In Litchfield

by Kyle Herschelmann

It took more than 20 years to become a reality, but once it did, the Litchfield Memorial Pool has continued to be a favorite cooling off spot for a half century.

This year marks the 50th anniversary of the pool, which finally opened in May 1966 after attempts to build a public pool in Litchfield came and went since the mid-40s.

"It was more than \$60,000 to build and it took 25 years to raise that kind of money," said Jeff Bates, the manager at the Litchfield Memorial Pool. "They accidentally dug one part a couple feet deeper than what it should have been, which cost a couple extra thousand dollars. Back then, that was a lot of money."

Since then the pool has undergone some transformations. In 1997, it underwent a \$300,000 renovation that saw the baby pool closed and a new children's area built on. In 2013, a new liner was installed and bench seat guttering was added at a cost of \$175,000.

But what hasn't changed is the fun. Any day of the week the pool may be filled with young families, party-goers and Sharks... as in the Montgomery County Sharks Swim Team, which calls the pool home during their season.

"When you have warm weather, people are going to come. The last few years, whether it has been us or Central Park or any other water park, it hasn't been very good," Bates said. "This year it has just really taken off. We're averaging 174 people per day right now."

Part of that popularity is due to the creativity of Bates and his



Sixteen young men and women will be in charge of making sure that the 50th year of the Litchfield Memorial Pool is a safe one as lifeguards at the pool. In front, from the left, are Concession Manager Trinity Renner, Keelie Hollo, Makenzy Sorsen, Sarah Adams and Diana Lienemann. In the back row are Austin Marburger, Ben Polo, Head Lifeguard/Swim Instructor Abby Eccles, Head Lifeguard Brittany Uehling, Assistant Manager Natalie Elliott, Dakota Westbrook and Blake Uehling. Not present for the photo were Tori Birkenkamp, Chris Storm, Isaac Shade and Ben Shade.

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team. The pool has hosted several special events each year, including midnight swims that draw a great deal of people to the facility.

With 2016 being an Olympic year, Bates is planning on having a special obstacle course at the pool later this year to tie in with the games and a "Dive-In Movie" is also in the works.

"We have a 12-foot inflatable screen, so the kids can watch the movie while they're swimming. It should be a fun time," Bates said.

Wednesdays are also a big day for the pool, thanks to one local

car dealership.

"Steve Schmidt Brubaker has been one of our biggest sponsors, along with Pepsi Refreshment Services. Every Wednesday, starting June 15, they are having free swims from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and that has been very popular," Bates said.

While Bates is looking forward to the free swims, the movie and the night swims, his biggest event of the year is this Saturday, June 18, when they host their 50th anniversary party.

"We're going to do rollback

prices to 1966, so the admission fee will be \$.50," said Bates, who said concession prices will also be reduced for the party. "We're going to have music from Sound Force Music Services. We're also going to give away 150 pairs of sunglasses."

Ultimately the day will be the prime example of what the pool has done for the last 50 years - provide a great place to take a dip.

"You get good exercise. You get some sun. The staff here is really professional at what they do," Bates said. "It's a perfect spot."

Hillsboro Lifeguards Ready For Summer

Central Park Pool in Hillsboro has been open since Memorial Day weekend, and local swimmers are finding it's a great place to beat the heat.

Pool hours this summer are Monday through Friday from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Daily admission is \$3 per day and \$2 per day after five p.m. Monday through Friday. A single season pass is \$75, and a family pass is \$160 for up to five people.

Pool Manager Amy Hacke said she and the lifeguard crew are planning several special events and fundraisers this summer, including a day to honor the late Arin Sanford and raise money for



Lifeguards at Central Park Pool in Hillsboro are ready for summer. Pictured above from the left are Aliese Greenwood, Jordan Tuetken, Macey Eddington, Caleb Jackson, Phoebe Wilson, Fallon Sellers, Steven Fenske, Bailey Durbin, Tyten Nalley and Garrett Stritzel.

suicide prevention. More information about the special events will

be available at a later date.

The first family fun night will be held on Friday, July 1, from 7 to 9 p.m., sponsored by the Hillsboro Presbyterian Church. Admission to the "Walk in the Light" glow-in-the-dark themed party is free and all kids, ages pre-Kindergarten through fifth grade and their families are invited to attend.

Swimming lessons will be held Monday through Friday June 20-24 and July 18-22, from 10 to 10:45 a.m. Registration is \$30 for the first child and \$15 for each additional sibling. Private lessons are

also available for \$50 per person.

The pool will also be available to rent for parties and other special events. Evening parties from 7 to 9 p.m. will have a \$100 rental fee plus \$50 for two lifeguards. Weekend parties from 5 to 7 p.m. include a \$70 rental fee plus \$50 for two lifeguards.

All pool passes must be purchased at Hillsboro City Hall on Main Street, and swimming lessons may be set up at City Hall or at Central Park Pool.

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Sharks Win Nine Events In Opener

The summer swim season is off to a great start for the Montgomery County Sharks Swim Team, who had their opening meet Thursday evening June 9, at Panther Creek Country Club in Springfield. Team coaches Mary Beth Seher, Phoebe Wilson and Elli Holan led the Sharks to nine first place finishes

Two days later, the team hosted the Columbian Aquatics Center Sea Cats Swim Club from Springfield at their first home meet at Memorial Pool in Litchfield.

The overall team results gave the Sea Cats a slight advantage, 2119 to 2081 points, but the morning's success brought the Sharks 29 first place finishes and saw one new Montgomery County Swim Team record time.

Shark Spencer Hoehl broke the record for the 11-12 year-old 50 fly. The old record was set in 1996 with a time of 33.79 and the new record time is 32.71, over a second faster. Only time will tell if this record will stand for 20 years, like the previous one.

The week starting June 13 is a very busy one for the team. The Sharks will travel to Colony West in Springfield Tuesday evening June 14, and to Greenville Wednesday evening June 15, before hosting Petersburg on Saturday morning.

The Saturday home meet will start at 9 a.m. and will finish by 11:30 a.m. The public is encouraged to come out to Memorial Pool in Litchfield and see the Sharks in action. The swim meets are a great way to learn more about the sport. The team has swimmers ranging in age from six to 18 years of age and represent many of the towns in Montgomery County.

Montgomery County Sharks June 11 at Litchfield

Team Results: Columbian Aquatics Center Sea Cats Swim Club 2119; Montgomery County Sharks Swim Team 2081.

Sharks Individual Results

Mixed 8 & Under 100 Yard Medley Relay - 1st (Mila Ruppert, Natalie Kuhns, Isiah Bilyeu, Conner Favre - 2:17.29)

Mixed 9-10 100 Yard Medley Relay - 1st (Chloe Martincic, Allie Kuhns, Annabelle Wright, Deklan Riggs - 1:27.90)

Mixed 11-12 200 Yard Medley Relay - 1st (Audrey Fischer, Emma Evans, Spencer Hoehl, Allen Schneider - 2:34.29)

Mixed 13-14 200 Yard Medley Relay - 1st (Griffin Wright, Maggie Kalaher, Pacey Collins, Shaw Riggs - 2:25.42), 3rd (Faith Lipe, Rebecca Painter, Rylee Morford, Ella Pfeifer - 3:17.10)

Mixed 15-18 200 Yard Medley Relay - 2nd (Sydney Rudolph, Rhees Hancock, Sydney Hoehl, Levi Calvert - 2:26.41)

Girls 8 & Under 25 Yard Free - 2nd Abigail Plummer (30.55), 4th Mila Ruppert (49.73)

Boys 8 & Under 25 Yard Free - 2nd Conner Favre (34.20)

Girls 9-10 25 Yard Free - 1st Annabelle Wright (19.02), 2nd Allie Kuhns (19.51), 4th Keely Tabor (24.21)

Boys 9-10 25 Yard Free - 1st Deklan Riggs (16.03), 3rd Spencer Nance (32.64)

Girls 11-12 50 Yard Free - 1st Emma Evans (35.62), 2nd Audrey Fischer (36.53), 5th Claryce Robinson (51.95)

Boys 11-12 50 Yard Free - 2nd Reese



Seven-year-old Natalie Kuhns from Irving swims the breaststroke during the Montgomery County Sharks Swim Team's home opening meet on Saturday, June 11.

Morford (42.06)

Girls 13-14 50 Yard Free - 2nd Maria Hernandez (36.38), 3rd Rylee Morford (40.38), 4th Faith Lipe (46.74)

Boys 13-14 50 Yard Free - 1st Griffin Wright (28.48), 4th Dawson Loafman (42.70)

Boys 15-18 50 Yard Free - 3rd Rhees Hancock (30.42)

Girls 13-14 100 Yard Free - 2nd Rebecca Painter (1:23.64), 3rd Pacey Collins (1:24.22), 4th Ella Pfeifer (1:26.11)

Boys 13-14 100 Yard Free - 1st Shaw Riggs (1:05.08)

Girls 15-18 100 Yard Free - 1st Sydney Hoehl (1:07.23)

Boys 15-18 100 Yard Free - 3rd Rhees Hancock (1:17.17)

Girls 8 & Under 25 Yard Back - 4th Abigail Plummer (40.57), 5th Natalie Kuhns (42.38), 6th Mila Ruppert (48.10)

Boys 8 & Under 25 Yard Back - 2nd Isiah Bilyeu (34.05), 3rd Conner Favre (36.96)

Girls 9-10 25 Yard Back - 2nd Chloe Martincic (25.50), 3rd Carly Favre (28.68), 4th Keeley Tabor (38.48)

Boys 9-10 25 Yard Back - 1st Deklan Riggs (19.66), 2nd Elijah Bilyeu (26.92), 4th Spencer Nance (1:05.30)

Girls 11-12 50 Yard Free - 3rd Claryce Robinson (56.71)

Boys 11-12 50 Yard Back - 1st Allen Schneider (44.96) 2nd Reese Morford (55.77)

Girls 13-14 50 Yard Back - 1st Rebecca Painter (43.36) 3rd Ella Pfeifer (47.48)

Boys 13-14 50 Yard Back - 2nd Dawson Loafman (58.17)

Girls 15-18 50 Yard Back - 2nd Sydney Rudolph (43.57)

Boys 15-18 50 Yard Back - 1st Levi Calvert

Girls 8 & Under 50 Yard Free - 4th Natalie Kuhns (1:43.90)

Boys 8 & Under 50 Yard Free - 4th Isiah Bilyeu (1:27.10)

Girls 9-10 50 Yard Free - 1st Allie Kuhns (43.62), 3rd Chloe Martincic (44.10), 4th Keeley Tabor (1:00.40)

Boys 9-10 50 Yard Free - 1st Deklan Riggs (39.27), 2nd Garrett Comerford (41.04), 4th Elijah Bilyeu

Girls 11-12 100 Yard IM - 3rd Audrey Fischer (1:42.98)

Boys 11-12 100 Yard IM - 1st Spencer Hoehl (1:16.04)

Girls 13-14 100 Yard IM - 2nd Rylee Morford (1:46.18) 3rd Faith Lipe (2:06.26)

Boys 13-14 100 Yard IM - 1st Griffin Wright (1:18.12)

Boys 15-18 100 Yard IM - 2nd Levi Calvert (1:23.83)

Girls 8 & Under 25 Yard Breast - 3rd Mila Ruppert (45.59), 4th Natalie Kuhns (53.51)

Boys 8 & Under 25 Yard Breast - 2nd Conner Favre (39.69)

Girls 9-10 25 Yard Breast - 1st Allie Kuhns (24.13), 2nd Carly Favre (27.03), 3rd Annabelle Wright (31.31)

Boys 9-10 25 Yard Breast - 2nd Garrett Comerford (25.64), 3rd Elijah Bilyeu (30.10), 4th Spencer Nance (50.36)

Girls 11-12 50 Yard Breast - 1st Emma Evans (44.42), 4th Claryce Robinson (55.91), Audrey Fischer (59.68)

Boys 11-12 50 Yard Breast - 1st Spencer Hoehl (39.60), 2nd Allen Schneider (46.51), 3rd Reese Morford (1:04.08)

Girls 13-14 50 Yard Breast - 1st Pacey Collins (48.19), 2nd Ella Pfeifer (49.13), Rebecca Painter (51.02)

Boys 13-14 50 Yard Breast - 2nd Shaw Riggs (43.57), 3rd Griffin Wright (45.27)

Girls 15-18 50 Yard Breast - 2nd Sydney Hoehl (39.46), 4th Sydney Rudolph (57.75)

Boys 15-18 50 Yard Breast - 3rd Rhees Hancock (47.85)

Boys 8 & Under 25 Yard Fly - 2nd Isiah Bilyeu (34.17)

Girls 9-10 25 Yard Fly - 1st Annabelle Wright (22.21), 2nd Chloe Martincic (24.21), 5th Carly Favre (36.59)

Boys 9-10 25 Yard Fly - 1st Garrett Comerford (22.85)

Girls 11-12 50 Yard Fly - 1st Emma Evans (43.82)

Boys 11-12 50 Yard Fly - 1st Spencer Hoehl (32.71), 2nd Allen Schneider (40.05)

Girls 13-14 50 Yard Fly - 2nd Rylee Morford (49.77), 3rd Pacey Collins (50.10)

Boys 13-14 50 Yard Fly - 1st Shaw Riggs (33.45)

Girls 15-18 50 Yard Fly - 2nd Sydney Hoehl (34.57), 4th Sydney Rudolph (48.75)

Boys 15-18 50 Yard Fly - 3rd Levi Calvert (32.76)

Mixed 8 & Under 100 Yard Free Relay - 2nd (Mila Ruppert, Abigail Plummer, Isiah Bilyeu, Conner Favre - 2:27.73)

Mixed 9-10 100 Yard Free Relay - 1st (Chloe Martincic, Allie Kuhns, Annabelle Wright, Deklan Riggs - 1:15.83), 2nd (Elijah Bilyeu, Garrett Comerford, Carly Favre, Keeley Tabor - 1:25.08)

Mixed 11-12 200 Yard Free Relay - 1st (Audrey Fischer, Emma Evans, Spencer Hoehl, Allen Schneider - 2:22.74)

Mixed 13-14 200 Yard Free Relay - 2nd (Griffin Wright, Maggie Kalaher, Ella Pfeifer, Shaw Riggs - 2:13.32), 3rd (Faith Lipe, Rebecca Painter, Rylee Morford, Pacey Collins - 2:37.58)

Mixed 15-18 200 Yard Free Relay - 2nd (Sydney Rudolph, Rhees Hancock, Sydney Hoehl, Levi Calvert - 2:06.63)



Campers Catching On To Softball Skills

Thirty-two future Lady Panthers turned out for the opening day of the Litchfield High School Softball camp on Monday, June 13. The camp, which is split into two sessions for first through fifth graders and sixth through eighth graders, focuses on the fundamentals for the younger players and more refined techniques for the older group. Above, Emma Estell makes sure to use two hands to catch a pop-up thrown to her by Coach Jessica Ball, right, on the opening day of the camp.

Journal-News/Kyle Herschelmann



Lady Lancers Hold Year End Banquet

The Lincolnwood High School softball team held their awards banquet for the 2016 season on Tuesday, May 31, in recognition of this year's accomplishments by the Lady Lancers. Award winners, from the left, were Jenna Sale (RBI Award with 21), Alyssa Fesser (Lancer Orange Heart Award), Rachael Gorman (RBI Award with 21), Abby Brockmeyer (RBI Award with 21), Skylar Krager (Most Valuable Player and Leadership Award) and Karly Bruntjen (Offensive MVP). Taylor Pope, not pictured, won Most Improved Player honors.



Lincolnwood Baseball Hands Out Awards

The Lincolnwood High School baseball team held their awards banquet for the 2016 season on Tuesday, May 31, in recognition of this year's accomplishments by the Lancers. Award winners, from the left, were Connor Wagahoff (Most Improved Player), Josh Bormida (Pitching Award, First Team All-MSM), Dade Pitchford (Rookie of the Year), Reese Snyder (Most Valuable Player, Highest Batting Average at .371, First Team All-MSM), Bryan Graham (Second Team All-MSM), Kyle Thomas (Second Team All-MSM) and KJ Wolf (TEAM Award). Alex Tischkau, not pictured, won the RBI Award with 23 on the season.

Panhandle Board Meets In Closed Session Monday

The Panhandle School Board held a special meeting Monday, June 13, in order to meet in closed session. The following actions were unanimously passed unless otherwise noted:

- To employ Sydney Schmidt as JH/HS science teacher and Montgomery Elvidge as agriculture teacher and FFA advisor pending successful completion of all ROE, state and local employment requirements beginning with the 2016-2017 school year.
- To employ David Hamby as a bus driver pending successful completion of all state and local employment requirements beginning with the 2016-2017 school year.

- To employ Joshua Stone as JH baseball coach beginning with the 2016-2017 school year; motion carried 5-2.

- To employ Shawn Andrews as JH Scholastic Bowl sponsor beginning with the 2016-2017 school year.

Martha Reed Wins Crazy Cash

Martha Reed of Nokomis is this week's winner of \$175 in the Crazy Cash drawing at St. Louis School in Nokomis.

Tickets are \$25 each or five for \$100. They are available at the school office or by calling 563-2721.

Boltz Members Swim To New Best Times

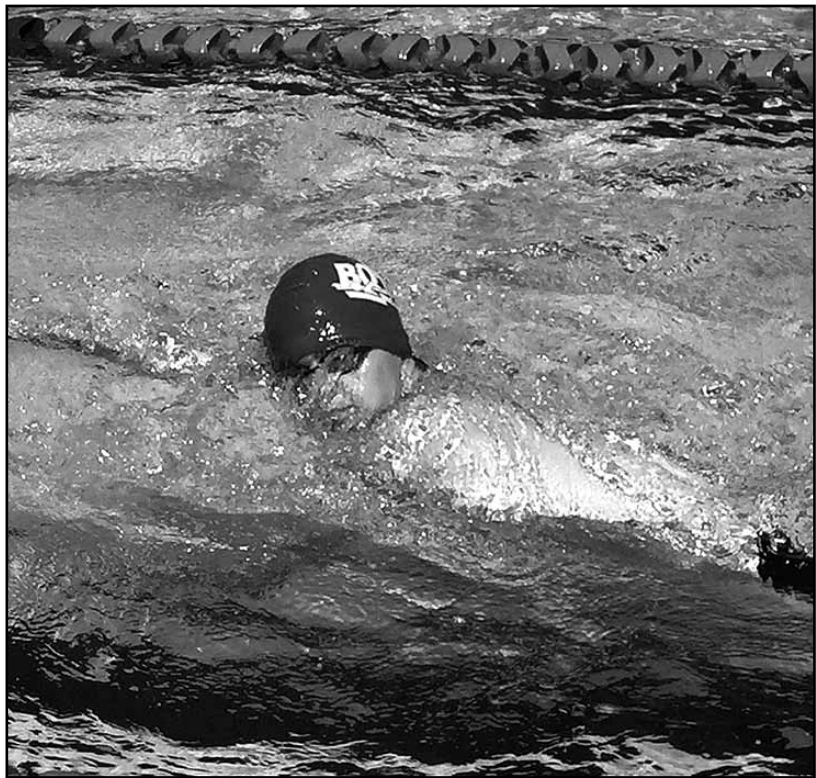
The Fusion Fitness & Aquatics Boltz swim team traveled to Springfield for a USA sanctioned swim meet hosted by the Academy Bullets June 3-5. This meet was held at Nelson Center, an outdoor 50 meter pool in Lincoln Park near the Illinois State Fairgrounds.

Overall, the Boltz swimmers did a terrific job. The weekend started Friday evening with Annabelle Wright, nine, of Hillsboro swimming a 200 m IM. She did a great job competing in this difficult event and earned a new top time of 4:58.77. Just after she finished, her brother, Griffin Wright, 13, swam what is known as the most challenging event in swimming, the 400 m IM, for the first time. This IM or Individual Medley event utilizes all four strokes: the butterfly, the backstroke, the breaststroke and finishes with the freestyle. Sydney Hoehl, 15, of Litchfield also competed in the 200 IM on Sunday.

Swimming both Saturday and Sunday morning Ruby Stevens, ten, of Waggoner competed in eight events. She shaved 1.5 seconds off her 50 m free time (46.3) as well as reduced her 50 m fly time by almost two seconds (56.93). Annabelle Wright also swam to many new best times over the weekend. She cut five seconds off her 100 m breast time (2:46.31), 4.5 seconds off the 100 m freestyle (2:01.32), 1.5 seconds off her 50 m breaststroke (1:14.57) and six seconds off the 100 m fly (2:20.74).

Spencer Hoehl, 12, of Litchfield has managed to swim his way into the USA Swim LCM regionals that will take place this July. During this meet and the Saluki meet in late April, he has secured a regional spot in the 100 m free, 50 m free, 50 m back, 50 m breast and 50 m fly. Additionally, he swam to new best times over the weekend in the 50 m free, 100 m breast, 50 m fly, 50 m back and the 50 m back. To date he is the only Boltz swimmer to qualify for regionals during this long course meter (LCM) season.

Shaw Riggs, 13, of Butler swam Saturday to new best times in the 200 free (2:54.22) and 200



Pictured above, Griffin Wright of Hillsboro swims the 100 meter freestyle at a meet held June 3-5 in Springfield.

back (3:24.07). Eli Borwick, 13, of Greenville swam to new best times in the 100 m fly (1:37.08), 100 m breast (1:55.24) and 50 m free (35.56).

Griffin Wright shaved 13 seconds off his 100 m free time, earning him another B time in his new 13-14 age group and he also earned a new best time in the 200 fly (4:05.53). Sydney Hoehl also swam to new cuts in her older 15-16 age group, a BB time in 50 m free (33.91) and B times in 100 m breast (1:37.97) and 100 m free (1:17.05). She also earned a new top time in the 200 m IM (3:14.06).

Swimmers are the only kids that don't want to get older, the time standards and cuts are drastically reduced in each age bracket jump.

The Boltz team has one more meet coming up in early July and that will complete the shorter LCM season. In August they will begin practice for their SCY season that runs October through February. If you are interested in finding out more about the

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Court

• Betty M. Burdell, 40, Nokomis, was charged with possession of drug paraphernalia at 1:10 a.m. June 7 at the intersection of State and Spruce streets in Nokomis.

• Javier Cornejo, 22, Kankakee, was charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of cannabis at 12:21 a.m. June 5 on I-55 in North Litchfield Township.

• Edgar Cornejo, 25, Maywood, was charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of cannabis at 12:21 a.m. June 5 on I-55 in North Litchfield Township.

• Stephen K. Peacock, 42, Fitchburg, WI, was charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of cannabis at 10:25 p.m. June 5 on I-55 in North Litchfield Township.

• William G. Davee Jr., 61, Litchfield, was charged with aggravated battery at 10:58 a.m. June 8 at 46 Smoketree Ln. in Hillsboro.

• A possession of cannabis sativa plants was filed June 9 against Jackie M. Fleming, 59, Walshville. The alleged offense occurred at 9:32 a.m. Sept. 17 at 118 DutchmansAve. in Walshville.

• Charges of escape and driving while license revoked were filed June 10 against Mitchell R. Hancock, 30, Litchfield. The alleged escape offense occurred at 7 p.m. June 3 at 140 N. Main St. in Hillsboro and the alleged driving offense occurred at 9:55 a.m. April 4 on Main Street in Hillsboro.

• Steven A. Kroll, 24, Litchfield, was charged with two counts of battery and one count of resisting a peace officer at 2:13 a.m. June 9 at 629 N. Illinois Ave. in Litchfield.

• Andrew C. Tronfeld, 41, Manakin Sabot, VA, was charged with disorderly conduct at 5:28 p.m. June 12 at 22293 N. 11th Ave. in Fillmore.

• Jeffrey R. Kamer, 34, Ohlman, was charged with unlawful possession of a controlled substance at 2:30 p.m. June 6 at the intersection of Western and W. Main streets in Coffeen.

• A driving while license revoked charge was filed June 14 against Dennis W. Feeny, 64, Raymond. The alleged offense occurred at 12:30 a.m. May 31 at the intersection of Broad and Brailley streets in Hillsboro.

• A driving while license revoked charge was filed June 14 against Lanny T. Wehrle, 43, Greenville. The alleged offense occurred at 10:30 p.m. May 24 at the intersection of IL Rt. 66 and

Ferdon Avenue in Litchfield.

• Aggravated battery and possession of cannabis charges were filed June 8 against Deandre K. Moore, 28, St. Louis. The alleged battery offense occurred at 8:44 a.m. June 7 at 4 Corvette Dr. in Litchfield and the alleged cannabis charge occurred at 12:09 p.m. May 21 at 506 S. Main St. in Hillsboro.

• Two unlawful delivery of methamphetamine charges were filed June 9 against Brandi N. Satterlee, 35, Mt. Olive. The alleged offenses occurred at 3:06 p.m. Dec. 7 and at 12:27 p.m. Dec. 8, both at 318 S. Old Rt. 66 in Litchfield.

• Joshua K. Stauffer, 31, Litchfield, negotiated a plea of guilty June 14 to forgery. Stauffer was sentenced to 66 days in jail, two years probation, ordered to pay a \$400 fine, court costs, \$150 restitution, \$50 Litchfield Anti-Crime fund and a \$25 per month probation fee.

• Doris M. Householder, 49, Witt, negotiated a plea of guilty June 6 to battery. Householder was sentenced to eight days in jail, 18 months probation, ordered to pay a \$400 fine, court costs, \$25 Crime Stopper fee and a \$25 per month probation fee. A disorderly conduct charge was dismissed at the same time.

• Two obstructing justice charges against Marrio D. Williams, 29, Chicago, were dismissed June 10.

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Community Calendar

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Thursday, June 16

6 p.m. - MOPS meeting, Hillsboro Free Methodist Church
6:30 p.m. - Litchfield City Council meeting, Corwin Hall
7 p.m. - Litchfield School Board, Conference Room
7 p.m. - VFW Post 1306 raffle games, Taylor Springs
7 p.m. - Litchfield Eagles Aerie #4499
7 p.m. - Raymond-Harvel Kiwanis
7:30 p.m. - Mt. Moriah AF&AM, Hillsboro Masonic Hall
8 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous, First Baptist Church, Litchfield

Friday, June 17

4 to 8 p.m. - Fish and Chicken Dinner, Hillsboro Moose Lodge

Saturday, June 18

8:30 to 10:30 a.m. - Coffeen Food Pantry, Coffeen UMC
10 a.m. - Litchfield Cowboy Action Shoot, Litchfield Sportsman's Club
1 p.m. - Sensory Friendly Film, Orpheum Theatre

Sunday, June 19

1 p.m. - Crabtree Ringers Horseshoe Club, Old Crabtree School, Litchfield
1 to 4 p.m. - Irving Museum

Monday, June 20

11 a.m. - Raymond-Harvel Home Arts Club, Tosi's
5:30 p.m. - Breaking Bread, First Baptist Church, Litchfield
7 p.m. - Coffeen City Council
7 p.m. - Panhandle Board of Education, Lincolnwood Library
7 p.m. - Raymond Village Board
7:30 p.m. - Litchfield American Legion
7:30 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous meeting, Zion Lutheran Church, Litchfield

Tuesday, June 21

7 a.m. - Hillsboro Sertoma Club, Hillsboro Moose Lodge
3 to 7 p.m. - Blood Drive, Raymond K of C Hall
6:15 p.m. - Hillsboro Public Library Board
6:30 p.m. - Litchfield City Council, Corwin Hall
6:30 p.m. - Community Bingo, Heritage Manor, Litchfield
6:35 p.m. - IL TOPS #1708, Southside Church, weigh-in 6 to 6:30 p.m.
7 p.m. - Taylor Springs Village Board
7 p.m. - Nokomis School Board
7 p.m. - Panama Village Board
7 p.m. - ACTS Substance Abuse Program, Cornerstone Apostolic Fellowship of Litchfield (324-2030)
7 p.m. - Al-Anon Meeting, St. Francis Hospital, Litchfield
7 p.m. - Montgomery County Democratic Central Committee, County Board Room, Hillsboro Historic Courthouse
7:30 p.m. - Litchfield Moose Lodge #1634
7:30 p.m. - Narcotics Anonymous, 325 N. Madison, Litchfield
7:30 p.m. - Litchfield Masons #236
7:30 p.m. - Zonta Club, Evergreen Place, Litchfield
8 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous meeting, St. Agnes Catholic Church, Hillsboro

Wednesday, June 22

7 a.m. - Litchfield Rotary Club, Maverick Steaks & Spirits
8:15 a.m. - TOPS Chapter #IL 2468 weigh-in, Litchfield Comm. Center
Noon - Hillsboro Rotary Club, Hillsboro Moose Lodge
2 to 6 p.m. - Blood Drive, Farmersville K of C Hall
7 p.m. - Bingo, Litchfield Moose Lodge

TCBA Honor Roll Students Named

The following area students were named to the Tri-County Beauty Academy Honor Roll for their Trimester I academic work from January through April of 2016:

Sydney Major of Nokomis, Ana McCario of Panama and Skyler Young of Litchfield.

Tri-County Beauty Academy congratulates these students for their outstanding academic performance during the spring trimester.

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Divorces Field

Donald H. Williamson, Hillsboro, vs Bernadine J. Williamson, Hillsboro

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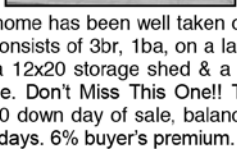
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Litchfield Rotary Club member Erik Hyam, at left, helps six-year-old Justice Lee of Greenville with a ring toss game. *Journal-News Photo*

About 200 Local Residents Enjoy Rotary Movie Night

The Litchfield Rotary Club hosted a special free family fun night at Sky View Drive-In in Litchfield on Sunday evening, June 12. This is the second year they have offered the event.

Admission was free, and about 200 were in attendance to see the animated hit, Minions. Prior to the start of the movie, Rotary Club members helped with a variety of free carnival-type games and prizes. They also offered free popcorn and orange drink for the kids.

In addition to the movie and games, they held a lottery-type drawing, which raised \$100, and also collected donations as participants came through the gates. Proceeds from this year's event will be split between INAD research at Washington University in St. Louis in honor of Grace Herschelmann and the Montgomery County Cancer Association in honor of Alicia Strieker and Bethany Gasperson.



Cooper Favre tries his hand at the bubble station before the movie started Sunday night.

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Fire Calls

Carbon Monoxide Call

A call because of a carbon monoxide alarm sounding at 7:57 a.m. on Saturday, June 11, at 321 White Street in Hillsboro sent three Hillsboro firefighters to the site; no problem was found, and the volunteers were back in quarters by 8:30.

Car/Tree Crash

A one vehicle accident (a car banged into a tree) on Montgomery Trail at the entrance to Montgomery Cemetery at 10:04 p.m. Saturday evening, June 11, meant a call to the Hillsboro Fire Department; the 19 who responded had to pry open a door, and they were back in service by 11 p.m.

House Fire

An early morning alarm (4:57 a.m.) on Friday, June 10, called 15 Litchfield firefighters to 828 South Franklin St.; smoke was visible coming from the structure, but the family was out of the residence. The flames were quickly extinguished and the house ventilated; the last unit cleared the scene at 5:59 a.m.

SUV Rollover

Five Shoal Creek firefighters prepared a landing zone for an

Arch Helicopter near a single SUV roll-over accident on Elevator Road south of Kirkland Trail on Saturday, June 11; the call for help came at 3:12 p.m. The accident victim was flown to Barnes-Jewish Hospital in St. Louis with leg and possibly internal injuries. The responders were back in quarters at 4:30 p.m.

Electrical Smell

The Litchfield Fire Department was called to a hot electrical smell in a kitchen at 5:50 p.m. Monday, June 13. They found the cause of the smell to be wiring at the base of the fridge, which they then cut power to and advised the homeowner not to reenergize the appliance until it is serviced. Ten firefighters responded and cleared the scene at 6:35 p.m.

Car Fire

Six Litchfield firefighters responded to a car fire at 11 a.m. Wednesday, June 15. They extinguished the fire with a small blast of water, and returned to quarters at 11:16 a.m.

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SAT., JUN. 18 - 10 a.m. Lg. coin auction located at Indian Springs Golf Club, 21347 IL Rt. 185, 6 mi. E. of Coffeen, Fillmore. Coins consist of gold, silver, key dates, complete sets, paper, etc. For complete list go to www.auctionzip.com ID#1376. Eric White, auctioneer, 217-556-2135.

SAT., JUN. 18 - 10 a.m. at 710 E. Union St., Nokomis for the estate of Lyle Kroenlein. 2006 Tracker fishing boat, guns & gun related items, ammo, bows, hunting clothes, household, fishing, garage items. Bailey Auction Service, Earl Bailey & Todd Bailey, auctioneers, www.auctionzip.com ID#24833.

SAT., JUN. 18 - 10 a.m. in the old Walmar building, Rt. 108 W., across from high school, Carlinville. Goebel Hummels, Goebel plates, Longaberger baskets & pottery, stoneware, china, collectibles, cookware, household, snowblower. Gary & Lesa Sanson, sellers. Mike Crabtree, auctioneer.

SAT., JUN. 18 - 10 a.m. at Pope Auction & Ag Center, 823 N. O'Bannon St., Raymond. Feat. lg. selection of household, antiques & collectibles, tools, outdoor & misc. items. Gavin Pope, CAI auctioneer, www.gdpope.com.

SUN., JUN. 19 - Noon. Bidding ends for Bogner, Leftwich farm toys & 1/64th online only auction. See website for complete details, photos & bidding, www.aumannauctions.com, Aumann Auctions, Inc., 888-282-8648.

SAT., JUN. 25 - Muller Old-timer Traktor Auktion. Europe's largest antique tractor auction. The Raimond & Jorg Müller collection in Uhlhingen-Mühlhofen, Germany. Over 165 antique tractors selling absolute. See website for complete details, photos & bidding, www.aumannauctions.com, Aumann Auctions, Inc., 888-282-8648.

SAT., JUN. 25 - 10 a.m. at 13682 Jeep Rd., Litchfield. "Jeep" Niehaus family auction feat. household, antiques & collectibles, outdoor, misc. & farm items. Ron Niehaus, Gary Niehaus, Dennis Niehaus and Brenda Cline, owners. Gavin Pope, CAI auctioneer, www.gdpope.com.

SUN., JUN. 26 - 11 a.m. Rare coin auction at Palmyra Municipal Bldg. Viewing at 9 a.m. Over 400 lots incl. gold, silver, type coins, currency, etc. JT Coins, Jean Thomas, auctioneer.

SUN., JUN. 26 - Noon at 311 E. Union Ave., Litchfield. RE & personal property of the Virgin family feat. a 2 story home with 3 lots, household, antiques/collectibles, outdoor & misc. items. RE sells at noon. Gavin Pope, CAI auctioneer, www.gdpope.com.

THURS., JUN. 30 - 5 p.m. at 610 E. 1st St., Carlinville. **Open house Sun., Jun. 26 12-2 p.m.** 3BR/1BA w/12x20 shed & 20x20 garage. Adam's Auction, www.adamsauctions.com.

SAT., JUL. 2 - 6 p.m. at Pope Auction & Ag Center, 823 N. O'Bannon, Raymond. Saturday Night Special feat. estates, general antiques/collectibles, furniture, toys & more. Gavin Pope, CAI auctioneer, www.gdpope.com.

FRI., JUL. 8 - 10 a.m. at Aumann Auction Center, Nokomis. Ron Payne coin & currency auction #1. **Preview Thurs., Jul. 7 1-4:30 p.m. & Fri. 8 a.m. until auction starts.** See website for complete details, photos & bidding, www.aumannauctions.com, Aumann Auctions, Inc., 888-282-8648.

SAT., JUL. 9 - 10 a.m. at Aumann Auction Center, Nokomis. Johnson-Schaffer toy auction. **Preview at 8 a.m.** See website for complete details, photos & bidding, www.aumannauctions.com, Aumann Auctions, Inc., 888-282-8648.

THURS., JUL. 14 - Absolute comm. property w/3 bldgs. online only auction. 8.42+/- acres w/bldgs. at 33256 Old Rt. 4, Virden. **Open house Tues., Jul. 5 1-3 p.m.** Lawrence Jabusch, Mid-America Machinery. See website for complete details, photos & bidding, www.aumannauctions.com, Aumann Auctions, Inc., 888-282-8648.

SAT., JUL. 16 - 10 a.m. at 923 E. Oak St., Taylorville for Nina D. Blackburn, owner. 2BR home, antiques, collectibles, furniture, household items, outdoor, yard, tools, misc. Bailey Auction Service, Earl Bailey & Todd Bailey, auctioneers, www.auctionzip.com ID#24833.

SAT., AUG. 6 - 6 p.m. at Pope Auction & Ag Center, 823 N. O'Bannon, Raymond. Saturday Night Special feat. estates, general antiques/collectibles, furniture, toys & more. Gavin Pope, CAI auctioneer, www.gdpope.com.

SAT., SEPT. 3 - 6 p.m. at Pope Auction & Ag Center, 823 N. O'Bannon, Raymond. Saturday Night Special feat. estates, general antiques/collectibles, furniture, toys & more. Gavin Pope, CAI auctioneer, www.gdpope.com.

SAT., OCT. 1 - 6 p.m. at Pope Auction & Ag Center, 823 N. O'Bannon, Raymond. Saturday Night Special feat. estates, general antiques/collectibles, furniture, toys & more. Gavin Pope, CAI auctioneer, www.gdpope.com.

SAT., NOV. 5 - 6 p.m. at Pope Auction & Ag Center, 823 N. O'Bannon, Raymond. Saturday Night Special feat. estates, general antiques/collectibles, furniture, toys & more. Gavin Pope, CAI auctioneer, www.gdpope.com.

SAT., DEC. 3 - 6 p.m. at Pope Auction & Ag Center, 823 N. O'Bannon, Raymond. Saturday Night Special feat. estates, general antiques/collectibles, furniture, toys & more. Gavin Pope, CAI auctioneer, www.gdpope.com.

Medical

RN/ NURSE Trainer: Be part of a nursing team to meet medication administration needs and to monitor health issues for adults with disabilities. Selected individual will: Pass medications, complete annual nursing assessments and train agency staff regarding medication administration and health and safety issues. Minimum qualifications: 1) have and maintain a current IL RN license with necessary malpractice insurance, 2) be at least 21 years of age, 3) have a valid driver's license, 4) have a demonstrated ability to relate to individuals with developmental disabilities. Full-time employment, 40+ hrs. per week. Typically M-F with shared on-call duties. Excellent benefit package. Equal Opportunity Employer.. Complete application at 1313 Sunset Drive, Vandalia or send resume with 3 references to

Medical

FAYCO Enterprises, Inc., Attention: HR, P.O. Box 277, Vandalia, IL 62471 by July 1, 2016.
Office Help
HELP WANTED: Part time secretarial position in Hillsboro area. Computer skills necessary, friendly, and able to work with the public in a Christian environment. Send application or resume to Dept. M, P.O. Box 100, Hillsboro, IL 62049
General Help
NEUHAUS HEATING & Air, Inc. is looking for a motivated service technician. Please fill out an application at 10235 S. Old Rte. 66, Litchfield, IL 62056 or send resume to 2heatcool@gmail.com
WANTED: House cleaning Team. Must be trustworthy and have references. Attention to details is a must. Good pay. Call/text 217-556-6890.

General Help

HELP WANTED on local hog farm. 217-827-6070

(2) ASPHALT paver/skid steer operator needed. Must have experience and can already operate a paver and operate a skid steer, lute/ roll. Starting base pay \$15. per hour with room for advancements. Performance based pay. Must be drug free, willing, able to work hard. Great attitude. 401k. Call or text only if you have 5 years experience. 217-710-2860

OPEN CUSTODIAN position for coming school year. Zion Lutheran School is looking for a custodian to be responsible for the cleanliness and upkeep of the school building. This is a part time position. Job descriptions are available in the office. If interested contact Mr. Jones 217-324-3166

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HELP WANTED

CF Industries, global leader in the manufacturing and distribution of nitrogen products, is now seeking a part-time Safety Guard at our Cowden Terminal. You will have responsibilities that include inspecting the facility, monitoring equipment, notifying appropriate personnel, as well as light maintenance, cleaning, etc. You will be scheduled to work evening and midnight shifts, Saturdays, Sundays and some holidays. This position is ideal for retirees or students. Candidates are eligible for some benefits. We are an equal opportunity employer, drug-free environment. To apply, go to: <http://bit.do/cowden>

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Full Time Assistant Manager
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Individuals who are self-motivated and possess good communications skills with an emphasis on customer service should apply in person at Ace Hardware, 300 Springfield Road, Hillsboro. We are looking for qualified individuals with retail management experience. Need to have a customer friendly attitude and possess good communication skills. We offer a fun place to work, flexible scheduling, employee discount, on-the-job training, advancement opportunities, paid vacation & sick leave, health & life insurance.
Apply in person at:
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Immediate, full time opening available in our insurance department. Candidates must be detail oriented, comfortable with computers, have excellent math skills and enjoy working with the public. To qualify, you will need 2 or more years' experience in medical office billing/coding and a strong command of medical terminology. We offer a competitive benefits package including health, dental, vision, and life insurance, plus a 401(k) plan. To apply, fill out an application at our office or download one at www.LFPC.net and send to:
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Attn: H/R Administrator
1285 Franciscan Drive
Litchfield, IL 62056


www.LFPC.net

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General Help

DEMOULIN BROTHERS & Company is accepting full time sewing and non-sewing positions. Will train. Apply in person at 1025 S. 4th St., Greenville, IL 62246 EOE
Drivers
(2) CDL DRIVER/ laborer needed. Must have experience driving. Drug free, willing and able to work. Base pay \$10.50 per hour, took 4 advancement. Performance base pay, 401k. Call or text Bill 217-710-2860

Regular Advertising Sells

Drivers

DRIVERS NEEDED for growing company: CDL-A, 2 yrs. exp., clean record, good work ethic. Home weekly, paid vacation, run IL, MO, NE, FL, pull 53' van trailer. White Line Trucking Co., Inc. Taylorville. 217-824-0526

FLAT BED DRIVER wanted: CDL with 1 yr. driving experience, driver will be paid a % of loads hauled, home weekly, paid weekly. For more information call 618-781-3156
For Rent
2 & 3 BEDROOM homes also commercial building, 3 apartments upstairs. No-komis. 217-563-7777, 217-556-9731

Houses For Rent

4 BEDROOM, 4 bath, 2 car garage plus shop, best neighborhood in Hillsboro. 533 Summer and St. Louis. No pets. \$800 per month. 949-244-8128

GILLESPIE: Beautiful 3 bedroom home for rent, newly remodeled from top to bottom, inside and out, \$650 rent \$650 deposit. Call 217-710-0742 or 217-710-1875
Storage
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JOB OPENING

Montgomery County has a full-time position for a Maintenance/Custodian worker that will report to the Building and Grounds Committee. Work hours are Monday thru Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and on call for emergencies. Position requires a valid Illinois driver's license. For a complete job description and application, come to the County Board Administration Office on the 2nd floor of the Historic Courthouse in Hillsboro. Applications must be returned to the Administration Office by 3:00 p.m. on July 1st, 2016. Qualified individuals will be called for an interview. Candidate cannot have a criminal history. Person selected for the position must agree to a background check and pass a physical.



Hillsboro Area Hospital is currently seeking qualified individuals dedicated to providing the highest quality of care for the following positions.
RN - Full time night position in our Monitored/Med/Surg unit. IL RN license required. Must be competent and comfortable in leadership and management of a patient care team. Able to delegate effectively and work closely with our physicians. Must be willing to continue self-development of skills, continued education and assist in meeting patient satisfaction scores and customer expectations.
HIM SUPERVISOR - Previous HIM experience and CCS, PHIA or RHIT required. Must be able to supervise in addition to other HIM duties and have the ability to code IP and OP accounts.
CLINICAL SUPERVISOR/ED RN - Full and Part time positions. This is a leadership position with responsibility to assist with hiring, corrective actions and scheduling. ED experience preferred, but not required. Must be highly accountable with high quality care and positive customer focus skills.
PLANT OPERATION MANAGER - Full time position. Plans, organizes, directs, and controls the hospital's facilities management functions. Directs the maintenance of buildings, grounds, and equipment, and the procurement, generation and operations of all utilities and utility systems. Computer experience helpful. Experience in building maintenance is required.
REGISTRATION CLERK - Full and part time position available. Computer experience, great customer service skills and ability to work under pressure with a positive attitude required. Will include day and evening hours with weekend rotation.
CNA - Full time evening and night position in our MMS department. Must have the ability to provide appropriate nursing assistant care to patients of all ages and be self-motivated to complete job in a compassionate and timely manner. CNA certification and CPR required.
COOK - Full time position. Position will work in the Hospital's Nutritional Services and Tremont Ridge departments. Must be a self-starter with the ability to cook, follow recipes, and assist in all tasks in the kitchen. Schedule will include weekends and evenings. Food sanitation certification is a plus, or must be willing to obtain.
PRN Phlebotomy/Lab Assistants, Sleep Lab, Lab Tech, RT, and other clinical PRN positions available - flexible schedules.

For additional information, please visit our website at: www.hillsboroareahospital.org or contact
Human Resources
217-532-4323 • FAX 217-532-2726
email - sclark@hillsboroareahospital.org

EOE

Notices

HUMMINGBIRD FESTIVAL: June 25, from 2 til 5 p.m. at Stoecklin's Orchard, 1709 Ayers Rd., Donnellson. 217-537-3801
Want To Rent
WANTED: 2/ 3 bedroom rental home, Carlinville. 618-409-2403 or blakeferando@gmail.com
Electronics
FOR SALE: TV consoles, variety of colors and sizes. \$349 to \$390.70. Hendrick's Outlet, Virden. View on Facebook. Hendrick's Outlet.
Furniture
BED QUEEN pillow top mattress set, new, still in plastic. \$175. Can deliver. 618-772-2710
FOR SALE: Dining room table with 6 chairs and 2 leaves. Asking \$150. (nice set). Call 217-556-7238

Furniture

FOR SALE: Fusion sectional, gray with 4 accent pillows, was \$1499 now \$999. Hendrick's Outlet, Virden. 217-965-3331. View on Facebook Hendrick's Outlet.

FOR SALE: Fusion sofa and chair sectional, four accent pillows, was \$1199 now \$799. Hendrick's Outlet, Virden. View on Facebook Hendrick's Outlet.

FOR SALE: Storage benches, gray and blue. \$149 at Hendrick's Outlet, Virden. 217-965-3331.
OAK DINING set, 5 cane back chairs, table 68"Lx44"W, 2 leaves, 13" ea. \$150. Coffeen. 618-799-9142

Furniture

NICE, USED furniture, appliances, antiques. Brett's 217-563-7617
Miscellaneous
SALE: Theracyle. Stationary bike with motor and computer. Good for people with Parkinson's. 217-532-5786 or 851-4109
Want To Buy
DIABETIC TEST STRIPS wanted. Unexpired, any type, any brand. Will pay up to \$10 a box. Call Ron 217-556-3398. Please leave callback number. "Helping diabetics since 2009"
Houses For Sale
2 & 3 BEDROOM homes for sale in Nokomis. 217-563-7777, 217-556-9731
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Energy-efficient, open floor plans, full kitchen, 24-hour emergency on-call maintenance, residential neighborhoods, wood laminate and carpet flooring, ample parking, non-smoking. Refrigerator, stove, microwave, dishwasher, washer/dryer provided.
Call Montgomery County Housing Authority, 532-3672, ext. 229 for an application.

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Fast-paced automotive agency has immediate opening in the detail department. A positive attitude and attention to detail are required.
Apply in person; no phone calls.
Roger Jennings
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The All American Auto Dealer™
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Tremont Ridge Assisted Living is looking for individuals that would like to "Make a Difference" in the lives of others!

Companion - Full time and part time nights and evenings positions available Companions provide outstanding hands-on-care with an emphasis on satisfaction and service to our residents at Tremont Ridge Assisted Living. Certified Nursing Assistant certification or experience preferred.
Activity Coordinator - Looking for a compassionate and energetic person that will lead plan and direct activities that incorporate the assessed interest and capabilities of the all residents. Excellent organizational skills are required. Facility call rotation will be required.
LPN/Medication Coordinator - Part time position at our Assisted Living Facility. Will oversee the resident's medication program, complete resident's service assessments and provide educational training to staff. Must be resident focused.
Look at what our staff has to say about their work environment:
"Great place to work"
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If you would be interested in joining our Team, please stop by for a tour and find out more about the positions available at
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e-mail your ad to
advertisejn@consolidated.net

GARAGE SALE

YARD SALE: Sat. 8-12, 1306 E. Brailley by the housing.

3 FAMILY yard sale: Fri. 8-?, Sat. 8-2. June 17 & 18. 1615 Vandalia St., Hillsboro. Hospital bed, dishes, knick-knacks, crafts & doll clothes.

6/16, 3-6 P.M. Community building by Hillsboro housing. Newborn, kid clothing, toys, misc. decor.

721 W. FAIRGROUND, Sat., June 18, 7 a.m. Area rugs, furniture, books, clothes, miscellaneous household.

GARAGE SALE: Sat. 8-? Challacombe House. Lots of stuff, come see. Everett & Mehlberg

HUGE 4 FAMILY sale: Fri., June 17, only. TS Community Center, 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Name brand clothing and shoes, scrubs, kids, newborn to 10, junior/ womens S to XL, women's plus 1X to 4X Mens S to 4X (Big and Tall). Baby accessories, tons of housewares due to recent move, furniture, teaching supplies. Lots misc. Moroney

HUGE RUMMAGE Sale: The Underground, 402 E. Edwards, Litchfield. Sat., June 18, 7 til noon. Beach items, lawn and garden, power washer, power saw, gas grill, dorm refrig., sports equipment, clothing: young mens, childrens, adults, lot of misc. too much to list.

HUGE YARD Sale Coffeen. Sat., June 18, 8-? Sun., June 19, 12-4. Corner of S. Central & 6th Ave. Antique crocks, antique floor lamps, vintage lamp shades, Singer sewing machine legs, vintage ceiling lights, collectible pocket knives and swords, antique creamer separator, baby crib, glassware and collectibles movie posters and lots of misc.

YARD SALE SAT., JUNE 18, 8 to 12. Rt. 16 behind bowling alley, Litchfield. 2 sewing machines, old sewing case, full bedroom set, 2 end tables, floor lamp, crosses, many more items too numerous to mention.

Houses For Sale

832 ST. LOUIS, Hillsboro, IL 1st floor bedroom, dormer room on 2nd floor, 2 baths, large kitchen, utility room, living room, dining room, enclosed porch, full finished basement, garage with work shop, fenced in yard on corner lot. Open house: June 10, 12 to 5; June 11, 8 to 3. Call 217-246-5188 for more information.

Houses For Sale

HOUSE FOR sale: Possible contract for deed, 304 S. Broad, Hillsboro, 3 bedrooms. Serious inquiries only. 217-710-6833

Lots For Sale

FOR SALE: 1 acre in Irving city limits. 217-971-2582

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General Services

BDS TRUCKING & EXCAVATING: Selling rock & dirt. 217-556-3612

SEWING MACHINE Repair. John Compton. 217-563-2443

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NEW HOME FOR SALE

102 W. Water, Litchfield

—PRICE REDUCED—

- 3 bedroom, 2 bath
- Large lot
- Energy efficient
- Large garage

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(19), PIP-West, LLC.

To: John H. Bergman; Occupant of; Illinois Department of Revenue; Illinois Attorney General; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

The North 12 1/2 feet of Lot 2 and the South 37 1/2 feet of Lot 3 in Block 10 in "Hammond's First Addition to Witt." Situated in the City of Witt, County of Montgomery and the State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 13-06-252-004

On May 23, 2016, PIP-West, LLC filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's petition is to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificate No. 2012-00408 for the delinquent taxes on real estate described

above which was issued by the Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

PIP-West, LLC,

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(3), PIP-West, LLC.

To: Steven Crawford; Jennifer L. Crawford; Occupant of; Litchfield National Bank; Village of Panama; Montgomery County Trustee; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

Lots 187 and 188 in Block 10 in the "Original Plat of the Village of Panama." Situated in the Village of Panama County of Montgomery and the State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 20-22-356-023

On May 23, 2016, PIP-West, LLC filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's petition is to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificate No. 2012-00074 for the delinquent taxes on real estate described

above which was issued by the Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

PIP-West, LLC,

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ANNUAL TREASURER'S REPORT PITMAN-HARVEL-ZANESVILLE MULTI-TOWNSHIP ASSESSMENT DISTRICT FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 2016

Beginning Balance (as of April 1, 2015): \$12,908.95

MULTI-TOWNSHIP ASSESSMENT DISTRICT-REVENUE SUMMARY:

Property Taxes- \$8,002.56; Interest- \$14.12

TOTAL REVENUES: \$8,016.68

MULTI-TOWNSHIP ASSESSMENT DISTRICT-EXPENDITURE SUMMARY:

Assessor Salary- \$4,256.28; Trustee Salaries- \$763.44; Social Security/Federal Withholdings- \$2,034.28; IL State Withholding- \$260.19; Publishing- \$100.80; Insurance- \$500.00

TOTAL VENDORS: \$7,914.99

Ending Balance (as of March 31, 2016): \$13,010.64

Submitted by Randi Riemann, MTAD Treasurer

Dated: June 13, 2016
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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(11), ETC Darrell Hoover IRA #Z134239.

To: James Schnarre; Alma Schnarre; Occupant of; First National Bank of Nokomis; Montgomery County Trustee; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

The North 20 feet 6 inches of the East 62 feet of Lot 1 in Block 33 situated in the "Original Town, now City of Nokomis, Montgomery County, Illinois." EXCEPTING the West 1/2 of the 13 inches brick wall on the West line of said property. Situated in the City of Nokomis, County of Montgomery and the State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 08-23-158-010

On May 23, 2016, ETC Darrell Hoover IRA #Z134239 filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's peti-

tion is to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificate No. 2012-00206 for the delinquent taxes on real estate described above which was issued by the Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

ETC Darrell Hoover IRA #Z134239, Petitioner

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(12), ETC Darrell Hoover IRA #Z134239.

To: Constance R. Nash; Occupant of; Montgomery Nursing & Rehabilitation Center; Montgomery County Trustee; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

The South 1/2 of Lot 4 and the North 3/4 of Lot 5 in Block 31 in the "Original Town (now City) of Nokomis." Excepting the coal, oil, gas and other minerals underlying the premises. Situated in the County of Montgomery and the State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 08-23-160-025

On May 23, 2016, ETC Darrell Hoover IRA #Z134239 filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's petition is to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificate No. 2012-00208

for the delinquent taxes on real estate described above which was issued by the Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

ETC Darrell Hoover IRA #Z134239, Petitioner

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(7), PIP-West, LLC.

To: Frank Joseph Civitate; Susan Civitate Joshu, n/k/a Susan Civitate Hughson; Occupant of; National Bank; First Community Bank of Hillsboro; Montgomery County Trustee; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

The North 1/2 of the South 100 feet of Lots 17 and 18 in "Lakeview Addition to the City of Hillsboro (and subject to a previous reservation of a strip of land 15 feet wide, the center of which is the line separating Lots 24 and 25 and separating Lots 18 and 19, all in said Lakeview Addition to the City of Hillsboro, said strip of land having been reserved for a driveway). Excepting the coal and other minerals underlying said premises. Situated in the County of Montgomery and State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 16-12-111-006

On May 23, 2016, PIP-West,

LLC filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's petition is to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificate No. 2012-00139 for the delinquent taxes on real estate described above which was issued by the Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

PIP-West, LLC,

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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City of Hillsboro Facade Grant

The City of Hillsboro Facade Grant Program to assist businesses in renovating or restoring commercial building exteriors has been approved for the 2016 fiscal year. The program is intended to enhance Hillsboro businesses and achieve overall community beautification through the improvement of the physical appearances of businesses. The Facade Grant Program provides a matching grant for facades up to \$1,000 and will be awarded on a first come first serve basis as long as money is available. Applications can be picked up at Hillsboro City Hall, 447 S. Main St., Hillsboro or by sending an email request to cityhall@cillnet.com.

Brian Sullivan
Mayor, City of Hillsboro

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(2), ETC Darrell Hoover IRA #Z134239.

To: The Heirs and Devises of Margaret M. Boston; Occupant of; Sharon Bennett; Gary Boston; Richard Boston; Larry Boston; Montgomery County Trustee; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

The East 1/2 of Lots 2 and 3 in Block 5 in "Sedentop's Fourth Addition to the Village of Farmersville". Excepting the coal underlying the premises. Situated in the County of Montgomery and the State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 01-33-453-007

On May 23, 2016, ETC Darrell Hoover IRA #Z134239 filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's petition is to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificate No. 2012-00020

for the delinquent taxes on real estate described above which was issued by the Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

ETC Darrell Hoover IRA #Z134239, Petitioner

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(4), PIP-West, LLC.

To: Steven Crawford; Jennifer L. Crawford; Occupant of; Litchfield National Bank; Village of Panama; Montgomery County Trustee; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

Lot 247 in Block 14 in the "Original Town of Panama"; according to the Plat thereof filed June 22, 1905 and recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 15. Excepting the coal, oil, gas and other minerals underlying the premises. Situated in the Village of Panama County of Montgomery and State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 20-22-379-015

On May 23, 2016, PIP-West, LLC filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's petition is to foreclose

on the Tax Sale Certificate No. 2012-00076 for the delinquent taxes on real estate described above which was issued by the Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

PIP-West, LLC,

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(6), PIP-West, LLC.

To: Tammie L. Potts; Occupant of; Montgomery County Trustee; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

Lot 5 of "Pease's Addition, also known as Pease's Subdivision to the City of Hillsboro." Also, a perpetual easement for driveway for ingress and egress to and from said premises as an easement appurtenant to the premises hereby conveyed over and across the following described premises, to-wit: 10 feet parallel in width off the West side of that part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 11 Township 8 North Range 4 West of the 3rd Principal Meridian described as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of a tract of land sold by Boutwell and Davis to Linder; running thence West to Main Street; thence East to a point directly South of the plat of beginning and thence North to the place of beginning excepting therefrom a tract in the Southwest corner sold to Walter R. Miller and being 72 feet North and South by 122 1/2 feet East

and West. Situated in the City of Hillsboro, County of Montgomery and State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 16-11-431-021

On May 23, 2016, PIP-West, LLC filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's petition is to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificate No. 2012-00134 for the delinquent taxes on real estate described above which was issued by the Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

PIP-West, LLC,

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(1), ETC Darrell Hoover IRA #Z134239.

To: Brett E. Stokes; Occupant of; South Central Illinois Mortgage n/k/a CNB Bank & Trust; Internal Revenue Service; US Attorney General; P&N Properties; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

Part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 5 Township 10 North Range 1 West of the 3rd Principal Meridian, described as follows: Beginning at a point on the south line of First Street in the Village of Ohlman, Montgomery County, Illinois, 60 feet Southwesterly on the northwest corner of Block 6 in the "Original Town of Ohlman"; thence Southwesterly along the South line of First Street a distance of 401 feet; thence Southeasterly parallel to the East line of Block 6 aforesaid, a distance of 700 feet; thence Northeasterly 410 feet more or less to a point on the North line of Third Street in the Village of Ohlman; said point being situated 60 feet Southwesterly of the southwest corner of Lot 15 in Block 1 in "Herbord's Addition to the Village of Ohlman"; and thence Northwesterly 700 feet to the point of beginning. Excepting

the coal and other minerals underlying said premises. Situated in the Village of Ohlman, County of Montgomery and State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 09-05-252-004

On May 23, 2016, ETC Darrell Hoover IRA #Z134239 filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's petition is to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificate No. 2012-00002 for the delinquent taxes on real estate described above which was issued by the Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

ETC Darrell Hoover IRA #Z134239, Petitioner

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 4TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT MONTGOMERY COUNTY - HILLSBORO, ILLINOIS

VANDERBILT MORTGAGE AND FINANCE, INC., Plaintiff,

v. LISA G. TYRRELL, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS Defendant.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE No. 15 CH 51 NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered by the Court in the above-entitled cause the property hereinafter described or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy said judgment, will be sold to the highest bidder.

(A)The name, address and telephone number of the person to contact for information regarding the real estate is: Rachele Tucker at Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance, Inc., 500 Alcoa Trail, Maryville, TN 37804, 1-865-380-3000 ext. 7180.

(B)The real estate is commonly known and numbered as 1026 Seneca St., Litchfield, IL 62056.

(C)The legal description of the real estate is:

LOT SEVEN (7) IN BLOCK FIFTEEN (5) IN ARCO PARK ADDITION TO THE CITY OF LITCHFIELD, TOGETHER WITH A PERPETUAL EASEMENT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE, REPAIR AND OPERATION OF A WATER LINE FOR THE BENEFIT OF SAID LOT SEVEN (7) OVER AND ACROSS THE NORTH TEN (10) FEET OF LOT THREE (3) IN BLOCK FIFTEEN (15) OF ARCO PARK ADDITION TO LITCHFIELD, COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY, STATE OF ILLINOIS' EXCEPTING, HOWEVER, TITLE TO THE COAL, OIL, GAS AND OTHER MINERALS UNDERLYING SAID LOT AS THE SAME HERETOFORE HAVE BEEN RESERVED AND/OR CONVEYED.

PIN: 16-001-273-10 (D) The time and place of the sale are: Public sale at 10:00 a.m., on July 13, 2016, in the Montgomery County Courthouse, 120 North Main St. Hillsboro, Illinois 62049.

The property will NOT be open for inspection.

(E)The terms of the sale are: Cash or certified check or the equivalent thereof.

(F)Title will be conveyed without warranties, subject to all general real estate taxes which are a lien upon the real estate, but have not yet become due and payable; special assessments, if any; other ex-

ceptions, if any, set forth in the title insurance company and easements, covenants and restrictions of record.

(G) IF YOU ARE THE MORTGAGOR (HOMEOWNER), YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN IN POSSESSION FOR 30 DAYS AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER OF POSSESSION, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 15-1701 (c) OF THE ILLINOIS MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE LAW.

(H)Pursuant to 735 ILCS 5/15-1507.1, entitled "Judicial sale fee for Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund," upon and at the sale of residential real estate under Section 15-1507, the purchaser shall pay to the person conducting the sale pursuant to Section 15-1507 a fee for deposit into the Abandoned Residential Property Municipality Relief Fund, a special fund created in the State treasury. The fee shall be calculated at the rate of \$.00 for each \$1,000.00 or fraction thereof of the amount paid by the purchaser to the person conducting the sale, as reflected in the receipt of sale issued to the purchaser, provided that in no event shall the fee exceed \$300.00. 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. Upon confirmation of the sale under Section 15-1508, the person conducting the sale shall remit the fee to the clerk of the court in which the foreclosure case is pending. The clerk shall remit the fee to the State Treasurer as provided in this Section, to be expended for the purposes set forth in Section 7.31 of the Illinois Housing Development Act.

VANDERBILT MORTGAGE AND FINANCE, INC.,

By: Michael K. Daming, II Bar #6281714 S. Eric Westacott, II Bar #6278693

WASINGER DAMING, LC, Magna Place, Suite 875 1401 S. Brentwood Blvd. St. Louis, Missouri 63144 (314) 961-0400 (314) 961-2726 (Fax)

Attorney for Plaintiff

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned, Attorney for Plaintiff certifies that copies of the foregoing were mailed via the United States Postal Service with all postage prepaid this 7th day of June, 2016, to:

Lisa G. Tyrrell 1026 Seneca St. Litchfield, IL 62056

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PUBLIC NOTICE

STATE OF ILLINOIS IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Village of Ohlman, Plaintiff, And

VERNON WEBER, JR., RON JENKINS MONTGOMERY COUNTY TREASURER, AND JOSEPH MEYER MONTGOMERY COUNTY TRUSTEE, Defendants

16-MR-40 NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

The requisite affidavit for publication having been filed, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN YOU, Vernon Weber, Jr., defendant, that this case has been commenced

against you for the complaint of demolition and other relief.

UNLESS YOU file your answer or otherwise file your appearance in this case in the Office of the Clerk of this Court in the Montgomery County Courthouse, at 120 N. Main Street, Rm. 125; Hillsboro, Illinois, on or before July 11, 2016 A JUDGEMENT OR DECREE BY DEFAULT MAY BE TAKEN AGAINST YOU FOR THE RELIEF ASKED IN THE COMPLAINT.

WITNESS, June 6, 2016 Holly Lemons, Clerk of the Court Nikki Holtschulte, Deputy Clerk 8-3tT

PLEASE RECYCLE THIS NEWSPAPER

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(5), PIP-West, LLC.

To: Vada Spitz a/k/a Vada Carter, c/o James Oakley; Occupant of; Montgomery County Trustee; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

Lot 3 in "North Hillsboro, situated in the City of Hillsboro." Situated in the County of Montgomery and the State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 16-01-305-021

On May 23, 2016, PIP-West, LLC filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's petition is to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificate No. 2012-00104 for the delinquent taxes on real estate described above which was issued by the

Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

PIP-West, LLC, Petitioner

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(10), PIP-West, LLC.

To: Sherry L. Lassiter; Occupant of; Montgomery County Trustee; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

Lot 7 and 12 1/2 feet off of the southeast side of Lot 8 in Block 17 in the "Original Town, now Village of Irving." Excepting the coal underlying the premises. Situated in the Village of Irving, County of Montgomery and the State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 12-22-485-004

On May 23, 2016, PIP-West, LLC filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's petition is to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificate No. 2012-00189 for the delinquent

taxes on real estate described above which was issued by the Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

PIP-West, LLC, Petitioner

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Annual Treasurer's Report Zanesville Township and Road District Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 2015

TOWNSHIP SUMMARY (Includes the Town, General Assistance and Social Security Funds)

TOWNSHIP-REVENUE SUMMARY:

Property Taxes- \$59,841.10; Replacement Tax- \$2,633.96; Interest-\$70.06;

TOTAL REVENUES: \$62,545.12

TOWNSHIP-COMPENSATION SUMMARY:

Range- Under \$25,000: William Beeler, Linda Engelman, Jeff Hampton, James Littrell, Randi Riemann, Dennis Rosenthal, Melvin Wempen.

TOTAL COMPENSATION: \$26,409.33

TOWNSHIP-EXPENDITURE SUMMARY:

IMRF- \$6,710.80; United States Treasury \$8,483.99; All Other Disbursements Less Than Each (\$2500)- \$4,046.18

TOTAL VENDORS: \$ 19,240.97

TOTAL EXPENDITURES: \$45,650.30

ROAD DISTRICT SUMMARY (includes the Road & Bridge, Liability, Permanent Road, Equipment & Building, and Bridge Funds)

ROAD DISTRICT REVENUE SUMMARY:

Property Taxes- \$116,064.70; Replacement Tax- \$4,804.37; Interest- \$118.13; Misc.- \$933.99;

TOTAL REVENUES: \$121,921.20

ROAD DISTRICT COMPENSATION SUMMARY:

Range- Under \$25,000: Dennis Rosenthal, Darin Rosenthal

TOTAL COMPENSATION: \$4,606.77

ROAD DISTRICT EXPENDITURE SUMMARY:

Bergschneider Trucking- \$5,155.77; Contech Engineered Solutions- \$2,639.28; Falling Springs Rock Quarry- \$22,352.31; First National Bank- \$6,871.06; Home Oil Co.- \$2,812.41; Louis Marsch Inc.- \$17,648.62; Rt. 66 Truck Repair- \$3,337.75; Sorrells Farm Supply- \$10,172.34; TOIRMA- \$6,224.00; All Other Disbursements Less Than Each (\$2500)- \$4,728.85

TOTAL VENDORS: \$ 81,942.39

TOTAL EXPENDITURES: \$86,549.16

Submitted by Randi Riemann, Zanesville Township Supervisor

Dated April 14, 2015 5-1t

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(9), PIP-West, LLC.

To: The Heirs and Devises of Clarence Joel Lohr; Occupant of; Ron Wright; Rodna Stevenson; Joel W. Lohr; City of Hillsboro; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

Lots 89 and 90 in "Prairie Heights, a subdivision in the City of Hillsboro, Montgomery County, Illinois." Excepting the coal and other mineral underlying said premises. Situated in the County of Montgomery and the State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 16-12-253-029

On May 23, 2016, PIP-West, LLC filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's petition is to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificate No. 2012-00145 for the delinquent

taxes on real estate described above which was issued by the Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

PIP-West, LLC, Petitioner

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Case No. 13-TX-35(8), PIP-West, LLC.

To: Hope Stewart; Marco Antemate; Occupant of; Illinois Department of Revenue; Illinois Attorney General; Director of Employment Security, State of Illinois; Montgomery County Trustee; Montgomery County Clerk; and all other persons/entities UNKNOWN having or claiming any right, interest or title in the following described real estate:

Lot 5 and 10 feet off of the East side of Lot 6 in "Hillsboro Heights Addition to the City of Hillsboro." Excepting the coal and other minerals underlying the said premises. Situated in the County of Montgomery and the State of Illinois.

Permanent Index No. 16-12-132-007

On May 23, 2016, PIP-West, LLC filed a Petition for Order of Tax Deed. The object of the plaintiff's petition is to foreclose on the Tax Sale Certificate No.

2012-00141 for the delinquent taxes on real estate described above which was issued by the Montgomery County Treasurer on October 28, 2013. The taxes due under the certificate are for the 2012 tax year. The petition asks the court to direct the county clerk to issue a tax deed if the property is not redeemed from the sale on or before October 28, 2016, and that Petitioner, as grantee of tax deed be put in possession of said parcel of real estate.

The Petition for Order of Tax Deed will be brought before the Montgomery County Circuit Court on December 8, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. in Courtroom 2. If you fail to redeem, the court may enter a judgment for the relief demanded in the petition.

PIP-West, LLC, Petitioner

Stuart E. Morgenstern, #6275553 Attorney for Petitioner 1 W. Laurel Street Pinckneyville, Illinois 62274 (618)357-5315

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The Board of Education for Nokomis C.U.S.D. #22 will receive sealed bids at the District Office located at 511 Oberle Street, Nokomis, Illinois 62075 for:

ASBESTOS ABATEMENT WORK

For: South Middle School

316 East South Street Nokomis, Illinois 62075

Project Description: Provide all material, labor and equipment to remove and dispose of asbestos containing felts and waterproofing sealant located in the gymnasium at South Middle School.

All bids shall be delivered in a single sealed bid envelope to the District Office located at 511 Oberle Street, Nokomis, Illinois 62075, on or before 2:00 p.m., prevailing time, Thursday, June 30, 2016. No bids will be accepted after that date and time. Immediately after the closing time for receiving bids, they will be publicly opened and read aloud at the District Office.

A Pre-bid Meeting will be held on Thursday, June 23, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. at South Middle School, 316 East South Street, Nokomis, Illinois 62075. All bidders are requested to attend the meetings to participate in a walk thru of the facilities and project.

All bidders shall submit and enclose with their bid a signed certification that the contractor is not barred from bidding on the contract as a result of a violation of either Section 33 E-3 or 33 E-4 of article 33E, Public Act 85-1295 (Senate Bill 2002) effective January 1, 1989. Certification must be submitted on the form furnished by A/E located in the Proposal Form, Section 00 41 00, of the Project Manual.

The successful low bidder will be required to submit a Performance Bond and Labor and Material Payment Bond, each equal to 100% of the Contract cost on prescribed forms prior to the start of the project. Surety on Bond shall be by duly authorized company acceptable to Owner.

Any person contemplating submitting a bid for proposed contract, if in doubt as to the true meaning of any part of the drawings, specifications, or other pro-

posed contract documents, may submit to a written request to the Asbestos Project Designer for the interpretation thereof prior to 24 hours before bid opening. Any interpretation of the proposed documents will be made only by Addendum duly issued and a copy of such Addendum will be mailed, conveyed electronically (fax) or delivered to each person receiving a set of documents. The Asbestos Project Designer will not be responsible for any other explanation or interpretation of the proposed documents.

Contractors submitting proposals shall complete them in accordance with schedule in Instructions to Bidders.

All bidders are advised that all work of this Contract shall be subject to the provisions of the "Illinois Prevailing Wage Act" and will be required to comply with the monthly-certified payroll requirements. Prevailing wage rates have been determined and are on file at the Office of the State of Illinois, Department of Labor, Telephone: 217/782-6206.

During the performance of this contract, the Contractor shall not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment on the basis of race, color, creed, national origin, gender, age or any other basis in violation of any applicable law, rule, regulation or ordinance, and shall otherwise perform in accordance with all such laws, rules, regulations and ordinances.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and reserves the right to waive any and all informality on bidding and the right to reject any or all bids or any part thereof and to accept the bid(s) being most favorable to the Owner after all bids have been examined and evaluated.

The drawings and specifications for the subject project will be available at the office of Reliable Environmental Solutions, Inc., 4211 Westgate Drive, Springfield, Illinois 62711, phone 217/787-9800, fax 217/787-9801.

Board of Education Nokomis C.U.S.D. #22 Nokomis, Illinois 62075 Dr. Scott E. Doerr, Superintendent 8-1t

PUBLIC NOTICE

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
FOR THE FOURTH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
MONTGOMERY COUNTY,
ILLINOISLITCHFIELD COMMUNITY
SAVINGS, An Illinois banking
corporation,

Plaintiff,

vs.

DENNIS W. TACKABERRY,
SEARS ROEBUCK AND CO.,
UNKNOWN OWNERS, NON-RE-
CORD CLAIMANTS

Defendants.

Case No. 16-CH-20

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

NOTICE IS GIVEN YOU, NON-
RECORD CLAIMANTS and UN-
KNOWN OWNERS, Defendants,
that this case has been com-
menced in this Court against you
and other defendants, asking for
foreclosure of a certain mortgage
and other relief, as follows:1. Names of All Plaintiffs
and the Case Number: Litch-
field Community Savings;
Case No. 16-CH-202. The court in which said
action was brought is identi-
fied above.3. The name of the title
holder of record is Dennis W.
Tackaberry.4. A legal description of the
location(s) of the real estate
sufficient to identify it with rea-
sonable certainty is:

That part of the South-
east Quarter (SE 1/4) of
the Southwest Quarter (SW
1/4) of Section Twenty-
eight (28), Township Nine
(9) North, Range Five (5)
west of the Third Principal
Meridian, described as fol-
lows: Beginning at a point
Forty (40) rods West of the
Southeast corner of said
Quarter Quarter Section,
running thence west One
Hundred Fifteen and Five-
tenths (115.5) feet; thence
Northerly Two Hundred
Thirteen and Six-tenths
(213.6) feet, more or less;
thence Easterly to a point
Eighty (80) feet South of
the Southeast corner of

Lot seventeen (17) in North
Acres Subdivision; and
thence South Two Hundred
seventeen and Five- tenths
(217.5) feet more or less, to
the point of beginning, situ-
ated in the City of Litchfield,
in Montgomery County, Illi-
nois, EXCEPTING the title
to the coal underlying said
premises as the same here-
tofore has been conveyed.

5. A common address or
description of the location of
the real estate is:211 E. Sallee,
Litchfield, IL 62056

6. The Parcel Number is:

PIN: 11-100-702-02

7. Identification of the
Mortgage(s) sought to be
Foreclosed:(a) Names of Mortgag-
or: Dennis W. Tackaberry,
Charlene E. Tackaberry(b) Name of Mortgagee:
Litchfield Community Sav-
ings(c) Date of Mortgage:
July 16, 1997(d) Date of Recording:
July 17, 1997(e) County where record-
ed: Montgomery County(f) Recording Document
Identification: Book 350,
page 300, Document No.
363511UNLESS YOU file your answer
or otherwise file your appear-
ance in this case in the office of
the Clerk of this Court, Mont-
gomery County Courthouse, 120
North Main Street, Hillsboro, Il-
linois 62049, on or before July
31, 2016, A JUDGMENT OR
DECREE BY DEFAULT MAY BE
TAKEN AGAINST YOU FOR THE
RELIEF ASKED IN THE COM-
PLAINT.

Holly Lemons

Clerk of the Court

Thomas G. DeVore, Esq.

Silver Lake Group, Ltd.

Attorney for Plaintiff

118 N. 2nd St.

Greenville, IL 62246

618-664-9439

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ASSUMED NAME

PUBLICATION NOTICE

Public Notice is hereby given
that on June 15, 2016, a certi-
cate was filed in the Office of the
County Clerk of Montgomery
County, Illinois setting forth the
names and post-office address-
es of all of the persons owning,
conducting and transacting the
business known as: HEALING
HANDS THERAPEUTIC AND
MEDICAL MASSAGE located at
511 N. DOUGLAS in the city of
LITCHFIELD and state of IL.

Dated June 15, 2016

Sandy Leitheiser,
County Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE

Notice is given of the death
of Helen M. Bost, formerly a
resident of Raymond, Mont-
gomery County, Illinois, on May
27, 2016. Letters of Office were
issued out of the Office of the
Circuit Clerk of Montgomery
County, Illinois, on the 10th day
of June 2016 under case No.
2016-P-40 unto Deborah Jane
Kibler and Mary Ellen Davis, and
whose addresses are: Deborah
Jane Kibler, 109 Arrow Drive,
Divernon, Illinois 62530 and
Mary Ellen Davis, 915 W. Jeffer-
son, Auburn, Illinois 62516 and
whose attorney of record is Ste-
phen R. Cullison of 220 South
Main Street, P. O. Box 188, Hill-
sboro, Illinois 62049.

Claims may be filed within 6
months from the date of the first
publication of this notice and
any claim not filed within that
period is barred.

Deborah Jane Kibler and

Mary Ellen Davis

Personal Representatives of
the Decedent's Estate

By: Stephen R. Cullison

Cullison & Vandever Law Office

220 S. Main St., P. O. Box 188

Hillsboro, IL 62049

(217) 532-5432

Registration No. 00555592

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NOTICE

Village of Taylor Springs Annual Treasurer's Report
For Year Ended April 30, 2015

The following is a statement by the Treasurer of
the Village of Taylor Springs in the County of Mont-
gomery and State of Illinois, of the amount of pub-
lic funds received and disbursed by her during the
fiscal year ending on the 30th day of April, 2015,
showing the amount of public funds on hand at
the commencement of said fiscal year; the amount
of public funds received, and from what sources
received; the amount of funds expended; and for
what purposes expended, during said fiscal year
as foresaid.

The said treasurer, being duly sworn, doth de-
pose and say, that the following statement by her
subscribed is a correct statement of the amount
of public funds on hand at the commencement of
the fiscal year above stated, the amount of public
funds received, and the amount expended, and the
sources from which received, and the purpose for
which expended, as set forth in said statement.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th
day of June, 2016.

Tysha Mullen, Village Treasurer

Village of Taylor Springs

GENERAL FUND

Receipts

State Income Taxes	\$ 69,514.21
Sales Tax	171,328.38
Use Tax	13,941.10
Replacement Taxes	563.83
Property Taxes	48,162.28
Fines	7,342.98
Licenses & Permits	3,785.81
Cable Fee	328.19
Video Gaming Tax	9,387.07
Rent	2,285.00
Interest	941.05
Miscellaneous Receipts	18,196.35
	<u>\$345,776.25</u>

Salaries

\$0.00 to \$24,999.99
Beau Elam, Doug Fenton, James Holliday, Dennis
Jagodzinski, Brenda Laurent, Cindy Laurent, Lisa
McCarty, Eddie Neely, Patty Rufus, Elwin Saathoff,
Byron Witt, Tim Page
\$25,000 to 49,999.99
Warren Hall

Total Salaries

Disbursements

Payroll Taxes	\$ 5,567.65
AmerenIP	26,804.19
Blue Cross/Blue Shield	14,482.95
Brewer Construction	3,455.00
City of Hillsboro	3,869.79
Consolidated Communications	4,889.05
Hillsboro Area Hospital	2,789.10
Homefield Energy	2,506.44
Illinois Codification Services	2,600.00
Illinois Municipal League	18,528.98
IMRF	12,531.25

Lefevre, Oldfield, Myers, Apke & Payne Law Group, Ltd.	7,297.33
Nolan Roofing	11,801.31
Patton and Company	6,700.00
Ron Whiteside	4,261.00
US Bank	14,357.50
Disbursements less than \$2,500	42,612.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$185,053.54</u>

Account Summary

Balance May 1, 2014	\$297,775.84
Receipts	345,776.25
Disbursements & Salaries	253,375.95
Balance April 30, 2015	<u>\$390,176.14</u>

WATER & SEWER FUND

Receipts

Water & Sewer Collections	\$255,442.87
Transfer from General Fund	.00
Miscellaneous Receipts	417.56
Interest Received	739.42
	<u>\$256,599.85</u>

Salaries

\$0.00 to \$24,999.99
Brenda Laurent, Mark Laurent
\$25,000 to 49,999.99
Rick Laurent

Total Salaries

Disbursements

AmerenIP	\$ 7,352.47
Blue Cross/Blue Shield	7,331.30
City of Hillsboro	81,339.48
Illinois Codification Service	3,489.00
Lefevre, Oldfield, Myers, Apke & Payne, Law Group, Ltd.	8,274.51
Litchfield Pump & Motor	3,629.01
Disbursements less than \$2,500	20,108.01
Total Disbursements	<u>\$131,523.78</u>

Account Summary

Balance May 1, 2014	\$279,065.36
Receipts	256,599.85
Disbursements & Salaries	162,454.12
Balance April 30, 2015	<u>\$373,211.09</u>

MFT FUND

Receipts

MFT Allotments	\$ 21,641.16
Interest Received	30.98
	<u>\$ 21,672.14</u>

Disbursements

Lehigh Hanson	\$ 5,842.92
Litchfield Bituminous	19,711.72
Louis Marsch	3,144.20
Disbursements less than \$2,500	3,890.12
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 32,588.96</u>

Account Summary

Balance May 1, 2014	\$ 31,147.30
Receipts	21,672.14
Disbursements	32,588.96
Balance April 30, 2015	<u>\$ 20,230.48</u>

FIRE FUND

Receipts

Fees	\$ 1,100.00
Donations	965.00
Dance Receipts	24,840.00
Miscellaneous Receipts	526.32
Interest Received	114.01
Transfer to Other Funds	500.00
	<u>\$ 28,045.33</u>

Disbursements

Fema's	\$ 3,588.75
Disbursements less than \$2,500	21,542.20
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 25,130.95</u>

Account Summary

Balance May 1, 2014	\$ 40,351.31
Receipts	28,045.33
Disbursements	25,130.95
Balance April 30, 2015	<u>\$ 43,265.69</u>

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PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF HILLSBORO
MONTGOMERY COUNTY
BUDGET APPROPRIATION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given in compliance with the Illinois Municipal
Code, 65 ILCS 5/8-2-9.9 that the Mayor and City Council of the City
of Hillsboro will hold a public hearing on the City's tentative budget
for fiscal year 2015-16 on Tuesday, June 28, 2016 at 6:45 p.m. in the
Hillsboro City Hall, 447 S. Main, Hillsboro. Copies will be available at
City Hall.

City Clerk,

Cory Davidson

City of Hillsboro

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PUBLIC NOTICE

ANNUAL TREASURER'S REPORT
WALSHVILLE TOWNSHIP & ROAD DISTRICT
FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 2016

TOWNSHIP--REVENUE SUMMARY:

Property Taxes - 24,441; Replacement Tax - 3,847; Interest - 151.

TOTAL REVENUES: \$28,439.

TOWNSHIP--EXPENDITURE SUMMARY:

All other disbursements less than (\$2,500) - 5,525.

TOTAL VENDORS: \$5,525.

TOWNSHIP COMPENSATION SUMMARY:

Range: Under \$25,000: Kenneth Pezold; Freddy Wesson; Sandra Pe-
zold; David Eilert; Charles Roche; Gary Sewing; Eric Barnsback.

TOTAL COMPENSATION: \$17,875.

ROAD DISTRICT--REVENUE SUMMARY:

Property Taxes - 61,538; Replacement Tax - 11,305; Interest - 394;
Misc.- 1,745; Dividend - 644.

TOTAL REVENUES: \$75,626.

ROAD DISTRICT--EXPENDITURE SUMMARY:

Louis Marsch - 9,867; Casper Stollee Quarry - 3,327; J. Cain - 3,248;
TOIRMA - 2,664; All other disbursements less than (\$2,500) - 6,779.

TOTAL VENDORS: \$25,885.

ROAD DISTRICT--COMPENSATION SUMMARY:

Range: Under \$25,000: Melvin Hoxsey, Jr.

TOTAL COMPENSATION: \$9,600.

I, Sandra Pezold, Clerk of Walshville Township, Montgomery County,
Illinois, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the Annual
Treasurer's Report for the fiscal year ending March 31, 2016.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

FARMERSVILLE, IL 1350200
ANNUAL DRINKING WATER QUALITY REPORT
for the period of January 1 to December 31, 2015

FARMERSVILLE	Source of Drinking Water	Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the EPA's safe drinking water Hotline at: (800) 426-4791.
IL1350200	The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.	In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.
Annual Water Quality Report for the period of January 1 to December 31, 2015	Contaminants that may be present in source water include: - Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife. - Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming. - Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff, and residential uses. - Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff, and septic systems. - Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.	Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer, undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).
This report is intended to provide you with important information about your drinking water and the efforts made by the water system to provide safe drinking water.	To view a summary version of the completed Source Water Assessment, including: Importance of Source Water; Susceptibility to Contamination Determination; and documentation/recommendation of Source Water Protection Efforts, you may access the Illinois EPA website at http://www.epa.state.il.us/cgi-bin/wq/swap-fact-sheets.pl .	If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. We cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead .
The source of drinking water used by FARMERSVILLE is Ground Water		
For more information regarding this report contact:		
Name	JERRY STIEREN	
Phone	217-227-4169	
Rate informe contiene información muy importante sobre el agua que usted bebe. Traducción a habla con alguien que lo entienda bien.		

Source Water Information	Source Water Name	Type of Water	Report Status	Location
WELL 1 (52090)	0.7MI W 1.25MI S OF TWH	GW	A	
WELL 2 (52091)	2700 FT NE OF WELL 1	GW	A	
WELL 3 (52092)	1300 FT SSW OF WELL 1	GW	A	
WELL 4 (52093)	4MI S 1.25MI W NGL 1 2MI	GW	A	
WELL 5 (52094)	0.75 MI S 1.0 MI W OF	GW	A	
WELL 6 (52095)	0.5 MI S 0.4 MI W OF WELL	GW	A	
WELL 7 (61340)	7700 FT S OF WEL 6	GW	Disconnected	
Source Water Assessment				
We want our valued customers to be informed about their water quality. If you would like to learn more, please feel welcome to attend any of our regularly scheduled meetings. The source water assessment for our supply has been completed by the Illinois EPA. If you would like a copy of this information, please stop by City Hall or call our water operator at 217-227-4169. To view a summary version of the completed Source Water Assessment, including: Importance of Source Water; Susceptibility to Contamination Determination; and documentation/recommendation of Source Water Protection Efforts, you may access the Illinois EPA website at http://www.epa.state.il.us/cgi-bin/wq/swap-fact-sheets.pl .				
Source of Water: FARMERSVILLE To determine Farmersville's susceptibility to groundwater contamination, the following document was reviewed: A Well Site Survey, published in 1989 by the Illinois EPA. Based on the information obtained in this document, there is 1 potential source of groundwater contamination that could pose a hazard to groundwater utilized by Farmersville's community water supply. It is a hog confinement. In addition, information provided by the Leaking Underground Storage Tank and Remedial Project Management Sections of the Illinois EPA indicated sites with on-going remediation that might be of concern. Based upon this information, the Illinois EPA has determined that the Farmersville Community Water Supply's water supply is susceptible to groundwater contamination. As such, the Illinois EPA has provided 5-year recharge area calculations for the wells. The land use within the recharge areas of the wells was analyzed as part of this susceptibility determination. This land use includes woodlands and agricultural properties.				
	2015	Regulated Contaminants Detected		

Lead and Copper

Definitions:								
Action Level Goal (ALG): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. ALGs allow for a margin of safety.								
Action Level: The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.								
Lead and Copper	Date Sampled	MCLG	Action Level (AL)	90th Percentile	# Sites Over AL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination
Copper	09/16/2013	1.3	1.3	0.124	0	ppm	N	Erosion of natural deposits; Leaching from wood preservatives; Corrosion of household plumbing systems.

Water Quality Test Results

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal or MCLG:	The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
Maximum Contaminant Level or MCL:	The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
Maximum residual disinfectant level goal or MRDLG:	The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.
Maximum residual disinfectant level or MRDL:	The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.
Definitions:	The following tables contain scientific terms and measures, some of which may require explanation.
ppb:	micrograms per liter or parts per billion - or one ounce in 7,350,000 gallons of water.
na:	not applicable.
Avq:	Regulatory compliance with some MCLs are based on running annual average of monthly samples.
ppm:	milligrams per liter or parts per million - or one ounce in 7,350 gallons of water.

Regulated Contaminants									
Disinfectants and Disinfection By-Products	Collection Date	Highest Level Detected	Range of Levels Detected	MCLG	MCL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination	
Chlorine	12/31/2015	0.5	0.2 - 0.7	MRDLG = 4	MRDL = 4	ppm	N	Water additive used to control microbes.	
Haloacetic Acids (HAAs)*	2015	6	5.5 - 5.5	No goal for the total	60	ppb	N	By-product of drinking water disinfection.	
Total Trihalomethanes (TTHM)	2015	27	27 - 27	No goal for the total	80	ppb	N	By-product of drinking water disinfection.	
Inorganic Contaminants	Collection Date	Highest Level Detected	Range of Levels Detected	MCLG	MCL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination	
Arsenic	2015	0.516	0 - 0.516	0	10	ppb	N	Erosion of natural deposits; Runoff from orchards; Runoff from glass and electronics production wastes.	
Barium	2015	0.0552	0.0552 - 0.0552	2	2	ppm	N	Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries; Erosion of natural deposits.	
Fluoride	2015	1.04	1.04 - 1.04	4	4.0	ppm	N	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.	
Nitrate (measured as Nitrogen)	2015	1	1.37 - 1.37	10	10	ppm	N	Runoff from fertilizer use; Leaching from septic tanks, sewage; Erosion of natural deposits.	
Sodium	2015	145	145 - 145			ppm	N	Erosion from naturally occurring deposits; Used in water softener regeneration.	
Radioactive Contaminants	Collection Date	Highest Level Detected	Range of Levels Detected	MCLG	MCL	Units	Violation	Likely Source of Contamination	
Combined Radium 226/228	03/20/2012	0.2	0.2 - 0.2	0	5	pCi/L	N	Erosion of natural deposits.	
Gross alpha excluding radon and uranium	03/20/2012	1.1	1.1 - 1.1	0	15	pCi/L	N	Erosion of natural deposits.	



Litchfield Preschool Story Hour Celebrates Summer

Summer was the theme for the latest preschool story hour, held Wednesday, June 8, at the Litchfield Public Library District. Children made a sun, complete with sunglasses and sunbeams, and added crepe paper streamers to a summer-themed plate. Librarian Sara Zumwalt read "Minnie's Summer Vacation" by Susan Ring and served ice-cream cone cookies for snack. In the photo at left are those attending the morning session, including Rylee Blevins, Gia Durbin, Hailey and Kerrigan Meyer, Jaylen Komor, Jase and Mason Cooper, Cooper Favre, Keilyn Lewey, Eli and Alyvia Hester and Grace Jenkins.. In the photo at right are those who attended the afternoon session, including Lexi Fortney, Maggie Schwab, Soriah Foster and Lily and KayLynn Barnes. Preschool story hour is held each Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. for children ages two to five and their parents.

Panhandle School Board Plans To Meet Monday

The Panhandle School Board will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, June 20, in the Lincolnwood library. A budget hearing will be held at 6:45 p.m.

Old business items include approval of the FY16 Panhandle CUSD 2 amended budget, building repair and maintenance update and approval of high school schedule for the 2016-2017 school year.

New business items are approval of FY17 student fees and approval of FY17 board of education meeting dates.



Amanda Steward of Raymond, owner of Glitter-N-Grit, recently purchased Quance Marketing from Travis and Amy Quance of Litchfield. Steward offers a full line of customized products, including shirts, banners, signs and much more.

Glitter-N-Grit Business Buys Quance Marketing

After 12 years serving customers in the Litchfield and Montgomery County area, Travis and Amy Quance of Quance Marketing in Litchfield have sold their business to Amanda Steward of Glitter-N-Grit in Raymond.

"I know she will treat my customers with the same care and creativity that they are used to with me, and I can move on knowing that she will do an amazing job," said Amy Quance, who will be moving out of state with her family.

Glitter-N-Grit is located just north of Litchfield on Illinois Route 108. They offer both silk and screen printing, as well as embroidery work, just like Quance Marketing. In addition, they offer full color prints, banners, signs, business cards and much more. Steward also has an Etsy shop,

where she sells her own designs, as well as work by other graphic artists.

One of the things Quance Marketing offered was trophies and medals, as well as engraving and glass etching. Glitter-N-Grit will also start to offer those services now as well.

Steward said the business is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and closed for lunch. She also offers deliveries in the local area.

"Travis and Amy have been really great to us, and we will certainly miss them," Steward said. "Wish them well on their new adventures, and let us help with all your marketing needs."

For more information, call Glitter-N-Grit at (217) 556-4722 or e-mail glitterngrit@yahoo.com.

Madigan Warns Business Owners Of Email Scammers

Attorney General Lisa Madigan recently alerted Illinois business owners to a scam in which scammers send emails, or in some cases social media messages, posing as representatives of the Attorney General's office in what is likely an attempt to con people into sending money or downloading malware.

Madigan's office has received several complaints from Illinois business owners who have received emails from scammers pretending to be officials representing the Illinois Attorney General with false claims that complaints have been filed against the recipients' businesses. Recipients are directed to a web link or attachment for more information about the alleged complaint. Madigan's office warned that clicking on this link could install malware or viruses, such as ransomware or keylogging software, on their computers or networks.

"When we contact businesses about consumer complaints, my office never sends messages via social media and never emails asking businesses to open a web link or attachment to obtain more information. Businesses should never click on such a link or attachment," said Madigan. "If you are unsure whether the email or social media message you have received is a scam, contact my office directly."

Madigan urged business owners who receive the emails not to click any links, immediately delete the message and contact her office to report the correspondence by visiting her website or by calling her Consumer Fraud Hotline: 1-800-386-5438 (Chicago); 1-800-243-0618 (Springfield); or 1-800-243-0607 (Carbondale).



Volunteers who helped at the Taylor Springs clean-up day on June 11, seated from the left, are Logan Jarman, Emma Miller, Jon Damm, Laura Moroney and Stacy Payne. In the back are Sally McCoy, Lisa Hamilton, Patty Rufus, Melinda Marsh, Paula Keeper and Randy Richardson. Not pictured are Mark Laurent and Nancy Richardson.

Bringing Back Taylor Springs Hold Clean-Up Day June 11

A small but dedicated group of volunteers braved the heat Saturday, June 11, to make Taylor Springs a cleaner place to live. Bringing Back Taylor Springs hosted the event, and Thrivent for Lutherans provided T-shirts, drinks, donuts, gloves and trash bags for the participants.

The group covered Hamilton Road, Prairie Street and Montgomery Street from Rt. 127 west to Spring Street; Old Bus Line Road, West Street from Main to Brown Street, Division Street and Main Street. Volunteers filled over a dozen bags of trash from the roads and ditches.

The village clean-up was the first event sponsored by Bringing Back Taylor Springs, an all volunteer group whose goal is beautifying the village and boosting civic pride.

Group members are currently selling raffle tickets for a \$400 gift certificate to Paris Frozen Foods. Tickets are \$5 each and only 500 will be sold. The winner will be drawn Friday, July 1, at 6 p.m. at Village Hall. You need not be present to win. Part of the funds are earmarked for some new tables for the Community Center. For more information, call 532-2384 or visit the Bringing Back Taylor Springs page on Facebook.



The Rollin' River Bluegrass Band will perform Friday, June 24, at the Raymond Independence Day Celebration.

Rollin' River Bluegrass Band To Play In Raymond Friday

The wonderful sounds of bluegrass will fill the air in Raymond on Friday evening, June 24, as Rollin' River Bluegrass Band takes the stage during the annual Raymond Independence Day Celebration.

The concert is sponsored by Bank & Trust.

Rollin' River Bluegrass Band is made up of Len Harden on guitar/vocals, Wes Bell on banjo/vocals, Ashton Burel on fiddle/vocals and Larry Lewman on bass.

Along with their date in Ray-

mond, the band has gigs set up in Kansas and Oklahoma according to their Facebook page, [facebook.com/rollinriverbluegrassband](https://www.facebook.com/rollinriverbluegrassband), which also features several videos of the group performing.

The 59th annual Raymond Independence Day Celebration will take place Thursday through Friday, June 23-25, in downtown Raymond with lots of family fun activities, food, queen pageants and more leading up to the fireworks at 10 p.m. on Saturday.



The four sisters who make up The Gibson Girls will perform Thursday, June 23, at the Raymond Independence Day Celebration.

The Gibson Girls To Sing In Raymond Thursday Night

The musical entertainment at this year's Raymond Independence Day Celebration will begin Thursday night, June 23, as The Gibson Girls will take the stage at 7:30 p.m.

The concert is sponsored by First National Bank.

The sister quartet of Alisha, Tiffany, Kabryn and Kathryn Gibson from Jerseyville started singing in church when they were very young.

"It has always been our heart's desire to travel around, singing for the Lord," the group says on their website. "In a world full of hurt and negativity, we want to bring fresh, uplifting music that will encourage and inspire all who hear. We pray that every song will

bring hope to the hearer, and show Christ's amazing love for us all."

The group has already released two albums, "Christmas" and "Every Moment," and has a full schedule of touring this summer with stops in Missouri, Oklahoma and all over Illinois.

For more on The Gibson Girls, log on to their webpage at www.thegibsongirlsmusic.com or find them on Facebook at [facebook.com/The-Gibson-Girls](https://www.facebook.com/The-Gibson-Girls).

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LMS Students Receive Awards At Ceremony

The Eighth Grade Recognition Ceremony at Litchfield Middle School was held Monday, May 23. Academic Award winners, pictured above front row from the left, were Trisha Seipp, reading; Blake Rentz, social studies; Hunter Niemann, social studies; and Bethany Seely, language arts. In the back are Eddy Guo, science; Raven Campbell, choir; Anna Baugher, science and band; and Grace Flannery, math. Awards were given by teachers for students excelling in their classroom.



Pictured at left are Presidential Scholar Award recipients, front row from the left, Blake Rentz, Anthony Boston and Eddy Guo. In the second row are Caroline Quarton, Summer Beckham and Ellen Fleming. In the third row are Colton Wall, Gracie Long, Becca Hollo and Anna Baugher. In the back row are Makenna Bolte, Jordan Morgan, Trisha Seipp and Dylan Maxwell. Not pictured is Jacob Malloy.



Participants in the Maker Monkeys Entrepreneur camp held June 7-9 at the Extension Office in Hill-sboro, along with their business ideas, seated from the left were Justine Seelbach, Color Block; Emily Maguire, Standaphone; Emma Hughes, Standaphone; Amanda Seelbach, Color Block; and Mia Sherer, Derf. In the second row are Addison Pollard, Cubs Holder; Reese Morfrod, Cubs Holder; Tucker Beesley, Quickholder; Connor Seelbach, 4-H Phone Bros; Micheal Quance, M & J; and Braden Eickhoff, Phone Friend. In the back are Chase Konrad, Plastic Sound; Bryton Hart, 4-H Phone Bros; Jordan Vancil, M & J; and teen teachers Gabe Dudeck, Alex Miller and Oliver Wright.

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First Maker Monkeys Camp Is A Success

The first Maker Monkeys 3-D Printing Fabrication and Entrepreneur Camp was held June 7-9 at the Extension Office in Hillsboro. Extension Program Coordinators Will Shalter and Elisha Hughes directed the camp.

The Maker Monkeys Entrepreneur camps are for youth in grades 6-9 and combine entrepre-

neurship and digital fabrication. Participants learned how to create a business, designed a product using Computer Aided Design (CAD), marketed their product and printed their idea using 3-D printers.

At the end of the camp on Thursday, June 9, students presented their business idea, includ-

ing their marketing base, slogan, start up cost, expenses, price, profit and showed a commercial for their product.

The next local camp will be held in Litchfield on July 26-28 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at a location yet to be determined. For more information, call the Extension office at 217-532-3941.



Coffeen School Staff Hold Reunion

Over 30 former and current staff of Coffeen Elementary School gathered Thursday, June 9, at the Hillsboro Country Club for a reunion. Staff in attendance included principals, teachers, aides, cooks, janitors, secretaries, co-ops and more. Those in attendance, pictured above in no particular order, were Bill States, Rita Williams, Elleta Hamby, Drew Eickhoff, Glen and Edwina Greenwood, Sharon Young, Barb Jones, Sonya Luckett, Francine Luckett, Diana Putnam, Ruth Storm, Lucille Gorsage, Jerilyn Miller, Alva Elmore, Bev Kenny, Ken Traylor, Sheila Macon, Rose Rappe, Pam DeLong, Sue Ranson, Lori Evans, Jeanne Winkler, Barb Ryan, Roy and Nanci Hertel, Sue Collins, Anita Swick, Jim Schutte, Lisa Isaak, Melinda Marsh, Betsy Homa, Laura Huber, Marci Gutierrez, Lamoine Reeves and Paige Farmer.

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In front, from the left are Fallon Knodle and Natalee Kuhns. In the second row are Konnor Reynolds, Kyle Reynolds, Bond Knodle, Alden Knodle, Allie Kuhns, Erin Kistner and Kolin Reynolds. In back are Leader Heather Hampton+Knodle, Cecilia Dudek, Monica Dudek, Kendall Knodle and Kaden Reynolds.

Starr Shooters Clean Up Butler 4-H Park

It will soon be time for the Montgomery County Fair, and members of the Starr Shooters 4-H Club helped to get the show area ready in June. Members cleaned shelving, tables and judging areas in preparation for the upcoming fair on June 3.

The first of this year's county 4-H shows will be held on Monday evening, June 20, with the cat show beginning at 5 p.m. and the dog show at 6 p.m. Other livestock shows will follow throughout the week, and the annual General Show will be held on Saturday, July 16.

For more information about Montgomery County 4-H, call (217) 532-3941.



Pictured above are Allie and Natalee Kuhns cleaning tables.

Frank Hollo Receives Degree From Augustana

Frank Hollo of Litchfield was recognized with a major in biology and business administration-management during Augustana

College's commencement ceremony held Sunday, May 22.

Actor Eric Christian Olsen and his father, Augustana professor

of English and head men's track and field and cross country coach, delivered the address.



FNB Raises Money For Cancer Survivors

Employees of First National Bank of Nokomis held a sausage, gravy and biscuit throw down on April 29, and on May 21 had a bake sale in front of the bank. Tracey Hubbard and Ed Chausse competed against each other in the throw down, with Hubbard winning. All items were purchased from the bake sale, and the combination of the two events raised \$600, which the bank matched with \$500. Proceeds were given to the cancer survivor benefit. Kneeling, from the left, are Jessica Bailey, Nina Casner and Katie Meyer. Standing in the back are Steve Johnson, Jim Keller, Sandy Smalley, Diane Miller, Vicki Beasley, Brad Arndt, Marcia Alexander, Karri Smith, Annie Stombaugh, Jacqueline Brookshire, Jean McCall, Joann Stauder, Tracy Dangbar, Clarann Hulbert, Tracey Hubbard, Ed Chausse, Kaitlynn Davidson and Ed Heck. Not present were Linda Zupanic, Rachel Hill, Brenda Bruder and Linda Barnes.

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Fusion Dance Center Hosts Zoo Camp

Fusion Dance Center in Hillsboro hosted a zoo camp on Wednesday morning, June 8. That morning, local youngsters made zoo masks, a lion face, played animal bingo, enjoyed snacks and learned a dance to "The Lion Sleeps Tonight." Pictured above, from the left are Adilyn Milanos, Dahlia Maass, Harper Fuller, Kenna Weiss, Kailey Weiss, Brylee Connor, Ainsley Pollard, Zian Ellis and Autumn Wildhaber. Fusion Dance Center is located on School Street in Hillsboro. This summer, they host camps on Mondays from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Wednesdays from 9 to 11:30 a.m. For more information, call (618) 960-6006 or visit www.fusiondancecenteril.com.

Hillsboro Senior Club Will Eat At Pizza Man June 28

The Hillsboro Community Senior Club will meet at noon Tuesday, June 28, at Pizza Man in Litchfield. Everyone is responsible for their own transportation. Call Dave at 532-3662 by Friday, June 17, to reserve.

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This year's scholarship recipients were honored as part of the dinner. Those in attendance, in front, from the left are Hannah Niemann, Brittany Uehling, Ann Whalen and Mackenzi Lawson. In the second row are Hannah Wiggins, Logan Wertin, Tatum Wertin, Haley Williams and Taylor Lohman. In back are Daniel Britton, Brakston Brummet, Jordan Harling and Ezekiel Cassidy.

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Some of the MCCA scholarship recipients and volunteers helped with a special song during the survivorship ceremony. Sandy Leitheiser led in the singing of "MCCA," set to the tune of "YMCA," and the students helped out with the dancing. In front, from the left are Brittany Uehling, Hannah Niemann and Logan Wertin. In back are Hannah Wiggins, McKenna Sanders, Mackenzi Lawson, Haley Williams and Jordan Harling.

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MCCA Birthday Party

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Todt shared his journey to Ohio for treatment of the rare mucous-based cancer with one of the top doctors in that field, Dr. Jeffrey Sussman.

He talked about the highs and the lows of his experience with special thanks to his wife, Brenda, for helping him with both his physical and emotional recovery.

About one month after he had surgery to remove the football-sized tumor, the Todts headed back to Raymond, and for Terry, there is just "no place like home."

Following his remarks, Joyce Lipe led the annual survivorship

ceremony. She said this year, 131 cancer survivors registered for the birthday party, representing more than 1,500 years of survivorship.

"These survivors are celebrating hope, survival and victory over cancer," Lipe said.

She recognized those survivors in attendance, and each received a brightly colored carnation. Sandy Leitheiser then sang the "MCCA Celebration" song to the tune of "YMCA," with some dancing help from the scholarship recipients.

The end of the evening included the conclusion of the silent auction and a live auction with auctioneers Zach Wygal and Don Downs of Hillsboro. Both

the live and silent auctions are coordinated each year by the "Our Gang" fundraising team.

Judy James of Hillsboro won the 50/50 raffle and donated her winnings of \$292 back to the MCCA. Other raffle winners included Julie Slimmick, who won an Apple iPad and Betty Sullivan, who won a \$200 steak package.

In concluding the night's event, Siltman thanked everyone for coming and for their continuous support of the MCCA.

"I'm so proud to be able to represent this group of people and all the things they do," he said. "We wouldn't have this group without the countless people who believe in what we do."



Pictured above are Raymond Miss Independence and Junior Miss Independence contestants. From the left are Savannah Lessman, Jasmine Vickery, Avery Pope, Hailey Mizera, Haelee Damm, Miss Independence 2015 Tori Bloome, Jr. Miss Independence 2015 Shelby Hattenbach, JoBeth Matli, Hanna Beam, Hailey Steward and Taylor Pope.

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Big Changes Come To Raymond Fourth

The Raymond Independence Day Association has made some sizeable changes to this year's celebration, which will take place June 23, 24 and 25.

Most noticeable will be the lack of a traditional carnival. In its place will be CJ's Inflatable Carnival, featuring bounce houses, obstacle courses, laser tag, golf and even a rock wall. This change sparked by the feedback from carnival goers in years gone by will give the local communities a chance to experience something different without traveling to the larger cities.

This many inflatable attractions in one spot is not an everyday occurrence and will serve a much larger age range than the carnival rides previously at the celebration. Arm bands are available for discounted presale

at Raymond businesses including Bank & Trust, First National Bank and Shell, as well as through any Association member. Pre-sale tickets are available for purchase until June 22 and are \$10 per arm band, per day.

The stage entertainment will also feature a new line up including *The Gibson Girls* gospel music group, *The Keenage Kitchen Band* which includes Cathy (Hough) Caraway and a baby contest. The crowd favorite eating contest, game shows and royalty pageants will return. A complete lineup can be found in program booklets at area businesses or on the Raymond Independence Day Celebration Facebook page.

Events away from the stage are growing as well. The fun run/walk event will be a Color Run this year, with possibly the largest

number of participants to date. The funds raised from this event will be used to give a scholarship to a Panhandle District student. Registrations will be taken until the day of the event on June 25.

Also, the newly revived beer tent will return with live entertainment each night, featuring Hunter Sharp, *Swamp Donkey* and *Second Chance Band*. Daytime and early evening events in the beer tent will include a rib cook-off and washers tournament.

The Raymond Independence Day Celebration crew is planning for a record year and even more growth in the future. Home town celebrations are a point of pride in our local communities and the support received from everyone attending will make them a continued success.

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