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Missouri Health and Wellness dispensary open for recreational marijuana sales

By Marty Bachman
Daily Express

Missouri Health and Wellness, located at 215 E. Charles Street, received approval Friday morning, Feb. 3, of their license application to sell recreational marijuana and they opened for business at 10 a.m..

On Thursday, Feb. 2, the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS) made the decision to begin approving licenses on Friday though they had until Monday, Feb. 6 to begin notification.

“Nearly all of Missouri’s licensed medical dispensaries requested to convert their medical license to a comprehensive license (adult-use + medical), and approximately 90% of those dispensary facilities who have submitted the request did so on Dec. 8,



The first recreational marijuana sale in Kirksville at Missouri Health and Wellness, Friday, Feb. 3.

2022, the first day they were able to submit such request,” DHSS officials wrote in a press release. “DHSS has 60 days from receipt to review and approve these requests, per Article XIV, meaning most dispensaries must be approved (or denied) by Feb. 6. In order to ensure all systems and

processes are working as planned ahead of the Feb. 6 constitutional deadline, the Division of Cannabis Regulation within DHSS will begin approving conversion requests on Friday, Feb. 3.”

As of Thursday, management at the Heya Dispensary, 120 S. Main Street, stated that adult-

use cannabis sales to the general public will begin Monday at 10 a.m.

A third Kirksville dispensary, Bloc, located at 400 N Baltimore Street, said that due to a paperwork snafu, general public sales are not expected to begin at their location until late February or early March.

Kirksville SBDC counselor wins state awards

By KREDI – SBDC – MREIC

Anastasia Tiedemann, Small Business Counselor with the Missouri Small Business Development Center in Kirksville, attended the Missouri Business Development Program Professional Development Conference on Wednesday, Jan. 25, in Columbia. At the event, members of the University of Missouri Extension Business & Communities (B&C) programs were recognized for their performance and accomplishments during the annu-

al professional development conference, which awards individual and team performance from the last year.

During the conference, Tiedemann won an award for Top 5 Greatest Impact Generation: Business starts. This is the fifth year she has received this award.

“I am so grateful to be in a position to assist entrepreneurs in their efforts,” Tiedemann said. “The people of Northeast Missouri are amazing and resourceful and it is a pleasure to get to talk with them about bringing their ideas to fruition.”



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The programs included in the MU Extension Business Development Program (BDP) are the Missouri Small Business Development Center (SBDC), Missouri Pro-

urement Technical Assistance Center (PTAC), and Mid-America Trade Adjustment Assistance Center (TAAC).

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DOT grant to fund transportation improvements around planned Roy Blunt Reservoir

By Missouri Department of Transportation

The Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT) is administering a U.S. DOT Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development (BUILD) grant project for the construction of transportation improvements around the planned Roy Blunt Reservoir (formerly known as East Locust Creek Reservoir). MoDOT is not involved with the

building of the reservoir. The reservoir construction project is a cooperative effort between Sullivan County, North Central Missouri Regional Water Commission (NCMRWC) and the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS).

The North Central Missouri Regional Water Commission (NCMRWC) is comprised of the city of Green City, the city of Milan, Public Water Supply District #1 of

Sullivan County and the city of Green Castle. The NCMRWC is the local sponsor of the Roy Blunt Reservoir (RBR) project.

As part of the RBR project, Sullivan County applied for and was awarded a U.S. DOT Better Utilizing Investments to Leverage Development (BUILD) grant. Later, a recipient change was approved for the Missouri Department of Transportation (MoDOT) to administer

the project. The BUILD grant project will construct transportation improvements around the proposed RBR, which is being built as part of a separate project without MoDOT’s involvement.

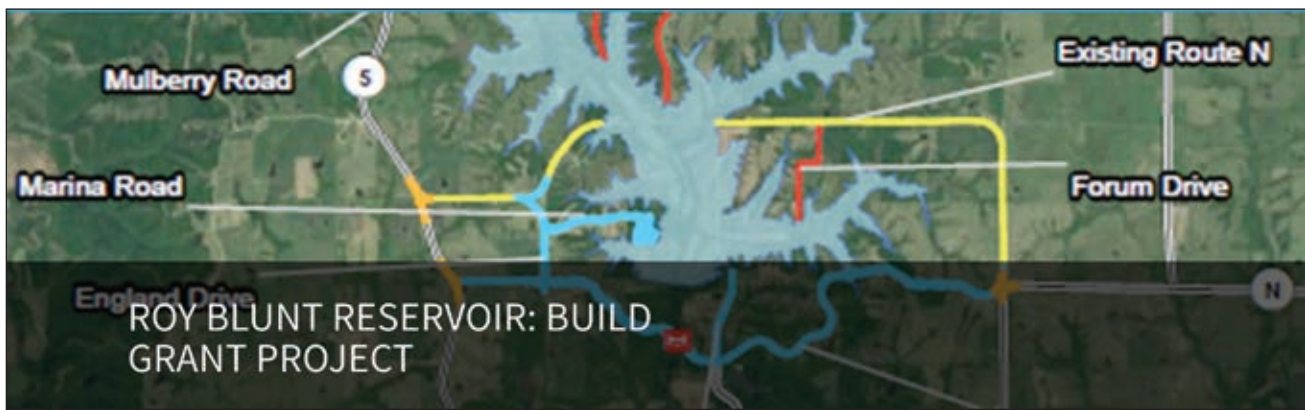
The BUILD grant project, while separate, is dependent on the schedule and timeline of the RBR project. The following pieces are included in the MoDOT-administered BUILD grant transportation improvements:

- Building and/or improving four intersections:
- Add a northbound right-turn lane onto Missouri Route 5 and join Missouri Route 5 to a new road, Mid-Lake Road (artist’s rendering)
- Intersection improvements along Missouri Route 5 at Route N (artist’s rendering)
- Intersection improvements along State Highway 5 at Mayapple Road to reconfigure driveways and add a northbound

right-turn lane and southbound left-turn lane (rendering)

- Reconfigure the intersection of Route Y and Route N and connect to Mayapple Road (artist’s rendering)
- Construct four new bridges: Three on the alignment of what will be the new Mid-Lake Road and one bridge on the alignment of what will be the new Mayapple Road.

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KIRKSVILLE AREA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Truman State
SAB Presents
Comedian Asif Ali

Comedian and actor Asif Ali will perform at 7 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 4 in Student Union Building Georgian Room. Ali has starred in Disney's "The Mandalorian," Marvel's "WandaVision," Netflix's "Bojack Horseman," "Don't Worry Darling" and much more. His stand-up has been featured on Comedy Central, Netflix and FOX. Ty Clay will perform as the opening act. The event is free and no tickets are required. The doors will open at 6:30 p.m. and all bags will be checked.

Cub Scout Pack 404
annual Pack
Pinewood Derby

Cub Scout Pack 404 will hold its annual Pack Pinewood Derby at 1 p.m., Feb. 11, in the Fellowship Hall at First United Methodist Church. They will have races for Cub Scouts, Den Chiefs, Ladies, and an outlaw division.

Vivian Scott
Recital with Wind
Symphony I & II

Vivian Scott Recital with Wind Symphony I & II will be held on Feb. 5 at 2 p.m. at the Baldwin Hall Auditorium 100 E. Normal Avenue, Kirksville.

Kirksville Tourism
Advisory Board meeting

The city of Kirksville's Tourism Advisory Board will hold a meeting at 8 a.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 7, in the Small Conference Room at the EDA Building, 315 S. Franklin Street.

Kirksville Airport &
Transportation
Commission

The city of Kirksville's Airport & Transportation Commission will hold a meeting at noon on Tuesday, Feb. 7, in the City Council Chambers at City Hall, 201 S. Franklin Street.

The Kohlenberg
Lyceum Series -
Susana Mendoza

Alumna Susana Mendoza will take the stage as the Holman Family Speaker, Feb. 7 at 7:30 p.m. at the Baldwin Auditorium, 100 E. Normal Avenue, Kirksville. Mendoza ('94) was the first Hispanic independently elected to statewide office in Illinois when she was elected as comptroller in 2016. Admission for Lyceum events is free but tickets



are required and can be reserved approximately two weeks before the performance at the Sue Ross Arts Center in downtown Kirksville, the Advancement Office in McClain Hall 205 and the SAB window in the Student Union Building. For additional information, visit lyceum.truman.edu, call 660-785-4133 or email lyceum-series@truman.edu.

Black Diamond District
Cub Scouts will host
District Pinewood Derby

Black Diamond District Cub Scouts will host District Pinewood Derby at 9 a.m., March 11, at Lovegreen Ford. The Black Diamond District invites Cub Scouts from all over the area to come compete. Lovegreen Ford has been a long time sponsor of the District Pinewood Derby and Scouting in general.

NEMO Fairgrounds
Community Yard Sale

NEMO Fair is excited to offer the multipurpose building for a community yard sale on Feb. 11 from 8 a.m. — 4 p.m. If you are interested in cleaning out the closet and shed and would like to set up, complete this form <https://docs.google.com/.../1FAIpQLSelf-LaE7cw.../viewform...> Fee is \$20 payable on set up, which will be Feb. 10, between 5 and 8 p.m. Fee includes advertising, roughly 20 square feet of space, and two tables. Additional tables can be rented for \$2 per table, first come first serve, as supply allows. Vendors are responsible for managing their own tables, accepting payment, and providing change. NEMO Fairgrounds is not responsible for lost, damage, or stolen items or accidents. Breakfast concession will be available. Contact them at: nemofair-vendor@gmail.com

Local Shopping Expo

Local Shopping Expo of vendors, crafters, home-made items, and much more, Saturday, Feb. 11 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Loyal Order of Moose Lodge, 2405 E. Illinois Street in Kirksville. Vendor applications can be found on our website at <https://exposhopping.wordpress.com/vendor-event-application/>

Annual Schuyler County
Rotary Soup & Pie Supper

The Annual Schuyler County Rotary Soup & Pie Supper will be held on Feb. 11 at the Schuyler R1 multipurpose room (around back of building). Doors open at 5 p.m.; Serving at 5:30 p.m.; Auction will start at 6:30 p.m. Free will offering.

24th Annual National
Project Linus 'Make A
Blanket Day' Sew-In

The 24th Annual National Project Linus "Make A Blanket Day" Sew-In event will be held on Saturday, Feb. 18, at the Kirksville Moose Lodge. The mission of Project Linus is to provide a sense of security and comfort to children who are seriously ill, traumatized, or otherwise in need, through the gifts of new, handmade blankets and afghan, created by volunteer "Blanketeers". Blankets for children in need will be assembled at the Moose Lodge, located at 2405 E. Illinois Street, in Kirksville. The community is invited to attend. No sewing experience is needed and anyone who can learn to tie a square knot is invited to participate in the event anytime between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. Volunteers may bring a completed blanket or bring their own sewing machine and complete one of the precut kits available during the event. Donations of new cotton fabric, acrylic yarn, fleece and other blanket-making supplies will be accepted during the event. For more information or to learn more about Project Linus, contact Conni Douvier at 660-947-4315, douvier@nemr.net, or visit their website at <http://www.projectlinus.org>

Faculty Recital:
Elaine AuBuchon
& Julianna Moore

A faculty recital featuring Elaine AuBuchon and Julianna Moore will be held on Feb. 19 at 4 p.m., at the Ophelia Parrish Performance Hall, 100 E. Normal Ave., Kirksville.

United Way Annual
Campaign Celebration
set for Feb. 23

You are invited to the United Way of Northeast Missouri 2023 Campaign Celebration on Feb. 23 from 5:30-7 p.m. at the Dukum Inn. See information on the United Way of Northeast Missouri Facebook Page. RSVPs requested, but not necessarily required. Join them as they reveal a new record in their recent fundraising campaigns.

Special Olympics
Missouri Polar Plunge

Special Olympics Missouri Polar Plunge will be held at

Thousand Hills State Park—Forest Lake Swimming Beach in Kirksville, Feb. 25 from 1-3 p.m. This amazing event is a unique opportunity to show your bravery as you support local Special Olympics Missouri athletes by walking, running or crawling into the frigid winter waters. In 2022, the Kirksville Plunge had 100 plungers and raised more than \$26,380! This one-of-a-kind event promises a fun atmosphere complete with music, funny costumes and lasting memories for everyone. All participants must raise a minimum of \$75 by event day. Your \$10 registration fee will apply towards your \$75 minimum. For kids ages 9 and under: All participants must raise a minimum of \$25 by event day. There is no registration fee.

54th Annual Phi Mu
Alpha Jazz Festival

The 54th Annual Phi Mu Alpha Alpha Jazz Festival evening concert will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Feb. 25 at the Baldwin Hall Auditorium, 100 E. Normal Ave., Kirksville.

Kohlenberg Lyceum
Series: Vanguard Jazz
Orchestra

The Kohlenberg Lyceum Series is bringing the Vanguard Jazz Orchestra to the Truman State University campus. This 16-piece jazz orchestra has won 11 "Best Big Band" awards in the DownBeat magazine Readers and Critics Polls. The show begins at 7:30 p.m. on Feb. 25 at the Baldwin Auditorium, 100 E. Norman Ave., Kirksville. All Lyceum Series events are open to the general public. Tickets are free. For additional information, visit lyceum.truman.edu or call 660.785.4133.

Mousetrap performed at
Truman State University

Mousetrap will be performed at Truman State University, March 1-3 at 7:30 p.m. and March 4 at 2 p.m. By Agatha Christie and directed by Randy Bame, the show will be held at the Black Box Theatre, Ophelia Parrish Building, 100 E. Normal Avenue in Kirksville. Appropriate for ages 10 and upAfter a local woman is murdered, the guests and staff at Monkswell Manor find themselves stranded during a snowstorm and it soon becomes clear that the killer is among them. A police detective, arriving on skis, interrogates the suspects. When a second murder takes place, tensions and fears escalate.

Kirksville Area Chamber
of Commerce Annual
Banquet

The Kirksville Area Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet will be held on Thursday, March 2, at the White Oaks Barn, 23255 State Hwy. 11, Kirksville. Among the evening activities will be the Kirksville Young Professionals "5 Under 40" Awards.



February Calendar

By Adair County SB40

February Activities at the Community Learning Center:
Coffee & Cards – Each Tuesday at 9:30 a.m., join them for coffee and cards or board games. They also have tea and hot chocolate if you would prefer.

Dance Aerobics – This is a new, fun activity for February. Come dance with Angela and get your workout in at the same time.

Game Time – Come play board games with your friends. They have a cabinet full of games with something for all. If the weather is good, they can also pull out the yard games.

Music Moves – Join Kaelie for their bi-monthly free music therapy group. This a fun activity for people of all ages to explore music and movement while having fun and making connections.

Exercise Your Mind – It's back! Join students from Truman State University for this fun theme based class that will challenge your mind and help build your memory skills.

Crafts – Each Wednesday you are invited to join them for a fun and simple craft at 10 a.m.

Get Fit – Have a new resolution of becoming more healthy in 2023? CLC has you covered! Join them on Wednesdays at 2 p.m. for some fun and easy exercises. Each week participants will have the opportunity to choose from several different types of exercise including walking, 'Sweating to the Oldies', or one of their other workout videos. If the weather is nice, they often go for walks.

Project STIR – This class is for self-advocates age 18+ and will help you learn to become your own best self-advocate, how to problem solve and negotiate, and what it means to be self-determined. Registration is required for this class.

BINGO – Join them each Friday at 10 a.m. to play BINGO and win BINGO Bucks to spend in our BINGO Store while having fun with your friends.

Other Activities and
Information to Know:

Parent-to-Parent Group – This group is for any parent/guardian of a child, birth-through the end of school, with a disability and meets the third Thursday of each month, 5:30-6:30 p.m. at the CLC. You do not need to be receiving services through Adair County SB40 Developmental Disability Board to participate. Childcare will be available during the meeting. Please email (clc@sb40life.org) or call (660-665-9400) the CLC by Wednesday, Feb. 15 if you will need this service.

Young Adults 20's/30's Something Neuro-Divers Social Group – The 1st event for a new social group for neuro-diverse and autistic adults in their 20s and 30s will be held Feb. 11 at the Community Learning Center, 5-7 p.m. Come meet new people while enjoying pizza, games and music in a relaxed and fun environment.

2023 Disability Rights Legislative Day – This year's Legislative Day is Wednesday, March 1 at the Capital in Jefferson City. If you are interested in attending visit <https://drdl.org/events/drld/>. There is also a virtual option available if you are not able to attend.

2023 MOAAIDD Conference – On Wednesday, March 8, the Missouri AAIDD Chapter will hold it's annual conference at Stoney Creek Inn in Columbia from 10 a.m.-3 p.m.. Registration for the conference is now open. This event is \$60 per person to attend and scholarships are currently available for self-advocates and family members. If you would like to apply for one contact Kyla Mundwiller at kylamundwiller@umkc.edu. Don't wait to contact Kyla as scholarships are limited.

2023 Community Engagement Conference – The Community Engagement Conference is only 52 days away. Be sure you have marked your calendar for Saturday, March 25, and submit your registration form by Wednesday, March 1. You won't want to miss this year's conference. The event will be held at William Matthew Middle School from 8A-4P and will offer amazing keynote speakers, five tracks with 15 breakout sessions, free lunch for participants who pre-register, an indoor and outdoor exhibitor area, and more. For more information, visit <https://sb40life.org>.

Music Jams Group Music Therapy for Kids with Special Needs – Kaelie Gerber, MT-BC, (who teaches our Music Moves class) is offering a class for children, Pre-K through 2nd grade on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month at 4:15 p.m. This 45 minute group held at the Crossing Church in Kirksville offers age-appropriate music activities to address social skills while playing instruments, singing, moving, and having fun. For more information, cost, or to sign up, visit <https://musicmovesalbia.weebly.com/music-jams.html>.

Finally, don't forget that the Sensory Room at the Community Learning Center is open, warm, and ready for you to explore.

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ARREST REPORTS

Jan. 26-27
No Valid License-2nd Offense (M), Jimmie Dean Head, La Plata

Jan. 27-30
Animals Running at Large, Darien Cole Smith, Kirksville
Drugs/Possession (F) of a Controlled Substance (F D), Elijah Dee Baker, Green Castle
Forgery (F D), Morgan Laine Steele, Kirksville
No Valid License-3rd and Subsequent Offense (F), Yvonne Evette Hampton, Kirksville
Warrant-Macon County (FTA), Matthew Ryan Payton, Greentop

Jan. 30-31
Warrant-Parking, Cora M. Stimpson, Kirksville

Jan. 31-Feb. 1
Warrant-Adair County, Clarissa N. McFarland, Kirksville

INCIDENT REPORTS

Jan. 25
9:04 a.m., Check the Well Being, 713 W. Cottonwood Street
10:26 a.m., Trespass, 215 N. Elson Street
11:08 a.m., Prisoner Transport, 215 N. Franklin Street
12:29 p.m., Traffic Stop, 311 N. Baltimore Street
2:10 p.m., Trespass, Suspicious-Person, Activity, Vehicle, 311 S. Baltimore Street
2:07 p.m., MVA/Minor, 2504 N. Industrial Road
4:50 p.m., Harassment, 119 E. McPherson Street
4:48 p.m., Weapons Offense/Not in Progress, Firearms Discharging, 31 Rose-
lene, Drive, Juvenile Detained
7:35 p.m., Traffic Stop, Friedman Street, Samuel Ratliff, 60
8:09 p.m., Traffic Stop, Pfeiffer Avenue
8:41 p.m., Suspicious/Activity, Civil Dispute, 207 E. Porter
11:05 p.m., Traffic Stop, 2214 N. Baltimore Street, Kelsey Bridges, 30
10:33 p.m., Traffic Stop, West Patterson Street, Peyton Diehl, 18
11:05 p.m., Traffic Stop, Failure to Register Motor Vehicle/Trailer, 2214 N. Baltimore Street, Kelsey Bridges, 30
11:28 p.m., Traffic Stop, Michigan Street, Melanie Hawkins, 47
11:38 p.m., Traffic Stop, Osteopathy Street, Jack Pulis, 61

Jan. 26
12:41 a.m. Traffic Stop, Suspicious-Person, Activity, Vehicle, Salter Place, Arrestee: Jimmie Head, 51
1:09 p.m., Property/Damage Vandalism (M), 2nd Degree, 1301 Queens Court
2:38 a.m., Motor Assist, 315 S. Osteopathy Street
7:21 a.m., Traffic Stop, Failure to Register Vehicle/Trailer, East Normal Avenue, Alexis Huitron, 22
7:37 a.m., Property/Damage Vehicle (M) 2nd Degree, 703 W. Smith Street
7:51 a.m., Property/Damage Vehicle (M) 2nd Degree, 215 E. Illinois Street
8:50 a.m., Traffic Stop, Crown Drive
9:41 a.m., Check the Well Being, 2101 Bartlett Street
11:15 a.m., MVA/Minor, 2100 N. Baltimore Street
10:28 a.m., Assisting Other Agency, 906 E. Orchard Street
9:54 a.m., Dead Body, 1105 E. Harrison Street
11:18 a.m., Burglary/Not in Progress, Stealing From Building (M), 905 Rigger Street
12:34 p.m., Property/Damage Vehicle, 2115 E. Normal Avenue
1:44 p.m., Property/Damage Vandalism, Suspicious-Person, Activity, Vehicle, 418 Dodson Street
3:01 p.m., Animal/Complain, 29 Devlin Place
3:37 p.m. Theft/Not in Progress, Stealing-Catalytic Converter (F E), 2210 S. Marion Street
4:11 p.m., MVA/Minor, 1312 N. Baltimore Street
4:42 p.m., Fraud (F), Use of Credit Device Over \$750, 201 S. Baltimore Street
6:13 p.m., Harassment, 119 E. McPherson Street
6:28 p.m., Traffic Stop, East Jefferson Street, John Boyer, 47
6:57 p.m., Traffic Stop, 315 S. Osteopathy Street, Laura Perry, 25
7:03 p.m. Traffic Stop, Elizabeth Street, Fred Saner, 64
7:16 p.m., Osteopathy Street, Mary Helm, 59
7:32 p.m., Sex Offense, ICAC-Cybertip, 119 E. McPherson Street
7:53 p.m., Burglary/Not in Progress, Suspicious-Person, Activity, Vehicle, 1109 E. Orchard Street
9:41 p.m., Traffic Stop, East Northtown Road, No Valid License-3rd and Subsequent Offense (F), Mayra Moran, 35
10:39 p.m., Traffic Stop, West Porter Street, Hector Hernandez Espinal, 21
10:53 p.m., Traffic Stop, North Marion Street, Callie Eldridge, 18
11:12 p.m., Traffic Stop, West Illinois Street, Linda Jordan, 49
11:15 p.m., Filed Contact, 2710 Novinger Street
11:22 p.m., Traffic Stop, North New Street, Alyssa Hines, 24
11:20 p.m., Check the Well Being, Kidnapping 2nd Degree (Felonious Restraint) (F), Assault/Domestic 4th Degree, 1st/2nd Offense (1) (5)(M A), 1016 Don Street

Jan. 27
6:01 a.m., 12:29 a.m., Traffic Stop, 1200 N. Walnut Street, Amber Elliot, 27
7:58 a.m., MVA/Injury, Minor, Traffic Control/Steady Signal, East LaHarpe Street
9:06 a.m., Check the Well Being, 2607 Woodwind Court
11:08 p.m., Traffic Stop, Failure to Register Motor Vehicle/Trailer, Owner Operating Motor Vehicle Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility (Motor Vehicle Required to be Registered)-1st Offense (M), 600 S. Baltimores Street, Matthew Simmons, 2411:52 a.m., MVA/Hit and Run, Leaving the Scene of Accident, 115 E. Buchanan Street
12:02 p.m., MVA/Minor, Distance from Other Vehicles, 501 N. Baltimore Street
1:57 p.m., Fraud, Forgery (F)-Checks, 3309 N. Baltimore Street
1:48 p.m., Suspicious/Activity, Suspicious-Person, Activity, Vehicle, 1200 N. Walnut Street
3:04 p.m., Warrant-Domestic Assault 3rd Degree, Drugs/Possession (F) of Controlled Substance (F D), 210 E. Jefferson Street, Arrestee: Elijah Baker, 18
7:12 p.m., Traffic Stop, Missouri Street, David Baez, 42
8:27 p.m., 1023 E. Jefferson Street, Tamatha Treasure, 53
9:03 p.m., Domestic Disturbance/Verbal, 502 E. Film-ore Street
9:38 p.m., MV/Minor, Owner Operating Motor Vehicle Without Maintaining Financial Responsibility (Motor Vehicle Required to be Registered)-1st Offense (M), 520 N. Baltimore Street
10:23 p.m., Traffic Stop, Baltimore Street, Gabriele Adrian, 21
10:25 p.m., Warrant-Macon County (FTA), Arrestee: Matthew Payton, 21
10:33 p.m., Peace Disturbance, 112 W. McPherson Street
10:52 p.m., Traffic Stop, U.S. Hwy. 63, Ruth Doyle, 59
11:08 p.m., Traffic Stop, 600 S. Baltimore Street, Matthew Simmons, 24

Jan. 28
12:36 a.m., Assisting Other Agency, 406 E. Jefferson Street,
1:02 a.m., Traffic Stop, Kings Road, Charles LaCost, 37
1:56 a.m. Field Contact, 813 N. Elson Street
4:55 p.m., Fraud, Forgery (F D), 110 E. Jefferson Street, Arrestee: Morgan Steele, 33
8:01 p.m., Traffic Stop, No Valid License-3rd and Subsequent Offense (F), 909 W. Gardner Street, Arrestee: Yvonne Hampton, 39
9:02 p.m., Traffic Stop, Eric Jackson, 35
9:58 p.m., Traffic Stop, 2206 N. Baltimore Street, Jeffrey Hanlin, 53
10:32 p.m., Traffic Stop,, West Ewing Street, Luis Vazquez, 36
11:17 p.m., Traffic Stop, 701 S. Baltimore Street, Tiffany Triplett, 28

Jan. 29
7:45 a.m., Property/Damage Vandalism, Suspicious-Person, Activity, Vehicle, 1703 W. Potter Avenue
10:30 a.m., Abandoned Vehicle, 613 E. Missouri /Street
11:30 a.m., Animal/Complaint, Animals Running at Large, 1301 E. Harrison Street
5:56 p.m., Traffic top, West Illinois Street, Merlin Masevo, 43
6:22 p.m., Domestic Disturbance/Verbal, 602 S. Elson street
6:49 p.m., Traffic Stop, North Green Street, Gabrielle Lohman, 25
7:02 p.m., Traffic Stop, 1901 N. Baltimore Street, Diamond Robinson, 21
7:32 p.m., Traffic Stop, Osteopathy Street, Dalton Baker, 32
7:39 p.m., Suspicious/Activity, Civil Dispute, 1401 E. Washington Street
8:07 p.m., Suspicious/Activity, Suspicious-Person, Activity, Vehicle, 1222 N. Main Street
8:21 p.m., Traffic Stop, Driving While Suspended/Revoked-2nd or 3rd (M A), Baltimore Street, Arrestee: Daniel Strong, 49
8:23 p.m., Traffic Stop, Library Lane, Lexi Kimber, 22
9:33 p.m., Traffic Stop, Osteopathy Street, Kelsey Ruggles, 30
9:35 p.m., MVA/Minor, U.S. Hwy. 63
10:19 p.m., Traffic Stop, No Valid License-1st Offense (M), 1404 N. Baltimore Street, Arrestee: Mary Wood, 68
10:45 p.m., Traffic Stop, Driving While Revoked/Suspended 1st Offense (M D), Baltimore Street, Jameka L. Johnson, 25

KIRKSVILLE AREA NEWS BRIEFS

Installation of new traffic lights, crosswalk controls along North Baltimore through Feb. 10

On Feb. 2, Meyer Electric will begin installing new traffic lights and crosswalk controls along North Baltimore Street at the intersections of Northtown Road, Potter Avenue and Rosewood Drive. This might result in traffic delays during working hours of 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. for those areas. The work is estimated to be completed by Feb. 10. Please use caution at these locations during these dates and times. For more information, contact the Engineering Department at 660-627-1272.

Paint the Ville at the Aquatic Center

The city of Kirksville Parks & Recreation Department hosts Paint the Ville on Feb. 28 from 5:30-7:30 p.m., March 30, 5:30-7:30 p.m. and April 25, from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at the Kirksville Aquatic Center, located at 801 E. Mill St. Register your first through eighth grade artist for one or all of the monthly Kid's Club events. Artists will create a masterpiece under the direction of Paint the Ville instructor, Rachel Messer. All participants must pre-register, and class size is very limited. To register, visit the Kirksville Parks and Recreation Office at the Kirksville Aquatic Center, or online at <https://parks.kirksvillecity.com/>! Each class is \$20 and all supplies are included. For more information, please contact Luke Callaghan with the Parks and Recreation Department at 660-627-1485.

Catch-and-keep trout season begins at Spur Pond

Feb. 1, marked the first day of catch-and-keep trout season at Spur Pond in Kirksville. Anglers have been allowed to fish for trout at Spur Pond since Nov. 1, however, Feb. 1 marked the first day anglers can keep trout and removes the artificial bait only restriction. The catch-and-keep season lasts until Oct. 31. The Kirksville Police Department would like to remind citizens that even though there are ice-covered portions of Spur Pond, it may not be safe to venture out on the ice. According to the Missouri Department of Conservation, only ice that is four inches thick or more is safe to walk and fish on. For more information on ice safety and fishing regulations, visit the Missouri

Department of Conservation webpage at <https://mdc.mo.gov/>.

Truman State University affiliated organization offers free help with tax preparation

Beta Alpha Psi will host Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program (VITA) sessions from 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Feb. 11, Feb. 25 and March 25 in Violette Hall 1424. Clients who come to VITA should bring: social security cards for spouses and dependents; bank routing numbers and bank account numbers for direct deposit; wage and earnings statements such as W-2, 1098T and 1099; and a copy of last year's federal and state tax returns if available. VITA services will be completed by IRS-certified volunteers and will also offer free electronic filing to receive a faster return. Appointments are required. Call 660.785.6064 to schedule. For more information, visit bap.truman.edu/vita.

Free Testing for Covid-19, RSV and Influenza

A drive-through clinic will be sponsored by the Department of Health and Human Services in the parking lot at the corner of S. First and W. Randolph streets from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. on Feb. 10, 17 and 24.

Truman State University Art Gallery Exhibits

Through March 3 exhibitions Exercises in Letting Go – Nirmal RajaExercises in Letting Go explores loss through Nirmal Raja's expansive practice, including painting, fibers, ceramics, photography, installation, and video. In part, Raja instrumentalizes objects and clothing left behind by loved ones to make work about burden, grieving, caregiving, memory, and the mystery of death and other types of loss. Raja is an interdisciplinary artist and curator based in Milwaukee. Home/Body – Madeleine Le-Mieux – in the Charlyn Gallery-Home/Body is a series of works that combine fibers, sculpture, and painting to explore the relationship between embodied experiences and the domestic environment that often contain them. Madeleine LeMieux is Art on the Move Coordinator and Instructor at the The University Art Gallery is in the renovated gymnasium

in Ophelia Parrish Hall located on Truman State University's campus near the intersection of East Normal Street and South Mulanix Street. Exhibitions are free and open to the public. Gallery Hours are: Monday – Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 7 p.m.; Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.; Saturday Noon – 4:30 p.m. The University Art Gallery is closed between exhibitions and during all Truman State University breaks.

Food Bank Adopt a Buddy Pack program

The Food Bank for Central & Northeast Missouri invites you to Adopt a Buddy Pack. 1,928 children in Adair County qualify for free or reduced-price meals at school. Many of these children do not have access to nutritious meals during the weekend. The Food Bank's Buddy Pack program aims to fill that gap by providing Buddy Packs full of nutritious food for children to take over the weekend. You can help fed a child with Buddy Packs. A gift of \$270 allows them to provide a Buddy Pack to a child in Adair County for an entire school year. Donate at sharefoodbringinghope.org/give-help or in-person at Alliant Bank, 201 S. Baltimore Street in Kirksville. Check by Mail: Make payable to "The Food Bank" with "Adair County Buddy Pack" in the memo to: The Food Bank, 2101 Vandiver Drive, Columbia, Mo. 65202. All funds stay in the county. Participating schools include Kirksville Primary, Ray Miller, Brashear and Novinger. Sponsored by Alliant Bank and Kirksville Daily Express.

Join the Kirksville Young Professionals Committee

The Kirksville Area Chamber of Commerce encourages businesses and their employees (ages 21-40) to become involved in the Kirksville Young Professionals Committee, which focuses on retaining and engaging young professionals in the area through lunch & learn opportunities, professional development, and other various events. KVYP is here to help them connect with the community. They meet on the second Tuesday of the month at 9 a.m., in the Hampton Inn Truman Room or via zoom. Feel free to reach out to KirksvilleYP@gmail.com for more information about KVYP or to get the Zoom Link for meetings. You are also more than welcome to join them at future events.

Kirksville Arts Association Art Exhibit: 'Regional Artists'

Kirksville Arts Association Art Exhibit 'Regional Artists' exhibit will be held through Feb. 24. The event is sponsored by Lovegreen. The art center is open Monday through Friday from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. There is no charge to visit the exhibit and children are welcome. For more information, go to kirksvillearts.org or call 660-665-0500.

2023 Indoor Triathlon Challenge continues

Join Kirksville Parks and Recreation and the Adair County Family YMCA for the 2023 Indoor Triathlon Challenge. The event will run through March 15, 2023. During this eight-week challenge, participants will complete either a full triathlon, half triathlon, or ultra triathlon. Participants will have full access to the YMCA and the Aquatic Center, as well as all classes offered at those facilities. Those who complete the mileage goals will receive the 2023 Indoor Triathlon sweatshirt. Biking mileage can be earned through the use of a rowing machine, recumbent or spin bike, outdoor cycling, or participation in group aerobic classes. Swim distance can be accumulated by lap swimming, water walking, or water aerobics classes. Running mileage can be tallied while on the treadmill, elliptical machine, running outside, or participating in group aerobic classes. Registration is \$40 for members of either

facility, or \$80 for non-members. If you have an active membership at the YMCA or the Aquatic Center, register at that facility. Non-members may register at either facility or online at parks.kirksvillecity.com. For more information about this program contact the Kirksville Parks and Recreation Department at 660-627-1485.

NEMO Gun Show

NEMO Gun Show will be held Feb.17-19 at the NEMO Fairgrounds in Kirksville. A huge selection of guns and related items such as ammo, rifles, handguns, shotguns, magazines, grips, scopes, knives, military surplus and much more. The NEMO Gun Show is a 135+ table show. Admission is \$10 (Good all weekend). Show Times are Friday from 4-8 p.m., Saturday from 9-5 p.m., and Sunday from 9-3 p.m. Show Contact Info: 610-GUN-SHOW

Hospice of Northeast Missouri to facilitate ongoing support group around the grief of aging

An ongoing support group around the grief of aging will explore dealing with getting older and experiencing the reality of "life is NOT what I thought it would be when I got to this point." All are welcome to attend this monthly support group that will meet from 1-2 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month at the First United Methodist Church on 300 E. Washington St. in Kirksville. Attendees are asked to enter through the south door. The ongoing support

group is sponsored by Hospice of Northeast Missouri, a partner agency of the United Way of Northeast Missouri. For more information, call 660-627-9711.

Adair County Public Library Book Club is Back

Join the Adair County Public Library for their 2022-23 Friends of the Library Book Discussion group. Meetings will be held in the Special Collections Room at 5:30 p.m. Talk to the front desk staff if you would like to purchase these books through the library. Cost for an entire set of the books is \$72. Feb. 14: Has It Come to This? By Kimberly Tilley; March 14: Booth by Karen Joy Fowler; April 11: Tied Up in Knotts: My Dad and Me by Karen Knotts.

OATS Transit President's Day changes

OATS Transit offers regular transportation services for the rural general public of any age, seniors, and individuals with disabilities. Please call the local OATS Transit office at 660-415-0901 or 800-654-6287 to schedule a ride or find out about services in your area. You can also visit our website at oatstransit.org to view local schedules under "Bus Schedules", then click on the county you live in. The offices will be closed, and regular routes will not be running on Monday, Feb. 20, for the Presidents' Day holidays. Keep this in mind as you schedule trips near these holidays. Truman State University Art Gallery Exhibit.



COLUMN

Feeding the body and soul

I was enjoying a slice of pie, skimming the headlines in the paper, when my mouth fell open in astonishment: “Your Waistline May Reveal How Religious You Are”

The headline was followed by data, surveys, and supporting material. There was no disputing the fact: We who love the Lord love food.

Duh. I could have saved them thousands in research money if they had just asked me. Every good churchgoer knows that pie and piety go hand in hand. I’m convinced that fellowship and food begin with the same first letter through Divine design.

My childhood was peppered with church dinners and Sunday afternoon church picnics.

An excitement arrived at church along with the covered dishes. Everyone had a specialty and we knew the menu by heart. Fried chicken. Baked chicken. Ham and beans. Green beans. Three-bean salad. Potato salad. Lumpy mashed potatoes in great big pots.

Toward the end of the sermon, women all over the auditorium stood. They gathered up their giant purses and worn Bibles, pressed the wrinkles from their dresses with practiced hands, and ceremoniously headed toward the basement kitchen.

Before long the aroma of dinner wafted throughout the church like a breathy prayer.

The invitation was sung just a little faster, it seemed, and the AMEN at the end of the closing prayer acted as a

starting pistol in the race to the fellowship hall.

The long tables downstairs were set end to end and covered with white tissue paper that came off giant rolls.

Women strutted self-assuredly from task to task; slicing tomatoes, making coffee, carrying casserole dishes to the tables. Each woman had her own style of working. The cheery new mother flitted anxiously from job to job, eager to have her help accepted by the more seasoned women.

The slower-paced grandmas, who had bustled around the same church kitchen for decades, delegated duties with military sternness. They could serve up a frown more caustic than the worst tasting vegetable; there was no way to sneak a lick or fingertip of food when the grandmas were around.

When it seemed the tables would collapse from the weight of Pyrex and Crock-pots, the preacher would finally acknowledge the starving stares sent his way.

“Let’s pray,” echoed from his lips and we sighed happily.

The preacher was always first in the buffet-style line, then the old folks; walkers and canes clattered along the concrete floor like teeth chattering. Moms and babies lined up next, balancing plates in one hand and diapered bottoms in the other in a deftness that could only be learned in church supper lines.

Finally, children who could feed themselves were allowed to fix a plate. We scanned the feast to see

what was left and plotted our strategy as to which pot we’d scoop into first.

Vegetables we hated blurred in our vision; we scurried toward chicken drumsticks and hot dogs and red, fruit-filled Jell-O that adults insisted was “salad”.

The air around us echoed with chatter, chewing and Christianity. Recipes were revealed, sometimes grudgingly, but never rudely. Praises flowed from practiced lips as forks and knives clinked out coded approval.

Food and love filled the soul, in that building of Bibles and revivals. Loaves and fishes, manna from Heaven, the feast given for the prodigal son’s return—it was all there, just as the sermons said. We found comfort and acceptance in “breaking bread” with our church family.

And we broke a lot of it.

Our love of the Lord, would be forever connected to the warmth of the church suppers that showed His love made visible.

And, yes. Our waistlines expanded. Just like the research discovered.

I licked the last crumbs of piecrust from my fork and walked to the sink with my plate and hummed a verse of “Do Lord” as I began washing dishes.



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COLUMN

Jenkin’s lost cabin

We all know someone will find Jenkins’s cabin.

Someday. Oh, it’s up there in those hills somewhere. We all know that.

It’s become a friendly object of conjecture and speculation. No one living has seen it, as far as we know. Jenkins himself died quietly when he was on one of his infrequent trips to town for supplies. Funny guy, that Jenkins.

He worked in the city for years, mostly as a night watchman in a factory that made diapers. Didn’t really enjoy people much, and told us many times how nice it was to just be in the huge factory when it was quiet.

Then one day he decided to move to the mountains and make pretty things out of leather. Once in a while he’d have his coffee at the counter at the Mule Barn, but often as not, he’d camp out on the edge of town for the two or three days it took him to sell his crafts and buy supplies. He’d smile and wave from his campsite, then he’d be gone one morning. We wouldn’t see him again for months.

Now and then someone would ask him where his cabin was, and he’d just point toward the mountains and say, “Up there.” How far up there? “A ways.” What was his cabin like? “Not too big.”

And so we came to regard the little cabin as an intriguing mystery, an object of



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local legend. After he died, several of the fellows tried to backtrack him to find the place, but Jenkins evidently didn’t take the same trail each time, as though he wanted his quiet times protected from even a friendly visit from one of us. During his lifetime, we respected his wishes. In this country, a man has a perfect right to be a little strange. And, truth be known, we hold a certain admiration for those of us who hear different instructions. But there is something in the human spirit, also, that begs to have its mysteries solved. So now, several times each year, one or two of us will use the mystery of the lost cabin as an excuse to poke our noses into the nuances and seclusions of these hills. We play off our curiosity against our wishes to respect a man’s privacy, even when he’s gone.

We have yet to discover Jenkins’s lost cabin. Maybe we never will. Maybe that wouldn’t be such a bad thing, either.

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LETTER

Grateful for local donations

I am writing to thank Kirksville-area residents for sharing the true meaning of Christmas with children in need this past holiday season.

Generosity throughout contributed to a successful shoebox gift collection season at drop-off locations for the Samaritan’s Purse project Operation Christmas Child. Across the U.S., the project collected over 9.3 million shoebox gifts in 2022. Combined with those collected from partnering countries in 2022, the ministry is now sending nearly 10.6 million shoebox gifts to children worldwide.

Through shoeboxes—packed with fun toys, school supplies, and hygiene items—Kirksville-area volunteers brought joy to children in need around the world. Each gift-filled shoebox is a tangible expression of God’s love, and it is often the first gift these children have ever received. Through the continued generosity of donors since 1993, Operation Christmas Child has collected and delivered more than 209 million gift-filled shoeboxes to children in more than 170 countries and territories. This year, Samaritan’s Purse delivered its milestone 200 millionth shoebox, which was packed on a country-wide tour and then hand-delivered to a young girl in Ukraine.

Across Missouri, shoebox packers often shop for deals on shoebox items throughout the year, and many serve at a deeper level by becoming a year-round volunteer. Information about ways area participants can get involved year-round can also be found at samaritanspurse.org/occ or by calling 630-474-9478.

Although local drop-off locations for gifts are closed until Nov. 13–20, anyone can still be a part of this life-changing project by conveniently packing a shoebox gift online in just a few simple clicks at samaritanspurse.org/buildonline.

These simple gifts, packed with love, send a message to children worldwide that they are loved and not forgotten.

— **Lizette Miller**
SAMARITAN’S PURSE

LETTER

Mobility Matters in Missouri

As the Missouri Legislature returns to session, lawmakers have an opportunity to positively impact our economic growth by investing in public transportation. Missouri is set to receive billions from the federal Infrastructure Bill, but non-federal or local match funds will be required. It is essential that the state increases its investment in transit so we can take advantage of federal funds to deliver much needed mobility access in both rural and urban areas and keep the economy moving.

For FY 2023, Missouri’s General Assembly appropriated \$8.7 million for transit — a sum split amongst the state’s 34 transit providers. This included \$1,710,875 in State Transportation Funds and an additional \$7 million from General Revenue, which raised Missouri’s per capita spending on transit from 28 cents to \$1.41. While this is a win, more is needed.

According to the 2022 Missouri Transit Needs Assessment Study there are unmet transit trip needs in every corner of the state.

To help meet demand, the Missouri Highway and Transportation Commission has requested a total state investment of \$17,160,875 — \$15.45 million from the General Revenue and \$1.7 million from the State Transportation Fund. If secured, Missouri would, for the first time, align with its peer states with regards to transit funding.

Mobility matters. Missourians need to be able to get where they need to go. We encourage elected representatives to stand in support of this request. It is desperately needed.

— **Kimberly M. Cella**
Executive Director of
Citizens for Modern Transit
and the Missouri Public
Transit Association

OPINION

The real housewives of rural Missouri

By Caleb Jones

A couple nights ago, Lindsey and I got the kids to bed and we sat down on the couch to watch some TV. I started to flip through the channels trying to find something we could agree on. On the screen was a show called “The Real Housewives from Somewhere or the Other.” I watched a few minutes and figured out pretty quick whoever made this show has a different idea of what “real” means.

That’s when it hit me — I am going to start my own show called “The Real Housewives of Rural Missouri.” After hearing my pitch, Lindsey was sold. She even offered to run the camera for me. She didn’t think I would find a cameraman who would be willing to put on Muck boots and get up before the roosters to film women out feeding cattle with one child on their hip and another toddling behind.

We started talking about everything we would have to film to show what being a wife in rural Missouri means. It could be bottle-feeding a lamb that needs a head start or going to school to deliver that clarinet one of the kids forgot.

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OBITUARIES

Charlotte ‘Chockie’ Forsythe Simons

Oct 27, 1942 – Jan 18, 2023

Charlotte “Chockie” Forsythe Simons passed away peacefully on January 18, 2023, in Prescott, Arizona with family by her side.

She was born Charlotte Tennie Burk on October 27, 1942, in Alexandria, VA to Samuel and Vera (Faurot) Burk. The family moved to Kirksville, MO in 1947 when Chockie was 4 years old. She attended Kirksville High School and studied accounting at Northeast Missouri State University (Truman State University).



It was while growing up that she loved Daddy Po’s breakfast tradition of fresh baked bread for toast and handmade strawberry jam. Her mother, Vera, took over this tradition and Chockie continued the family specialty as a special treat for family that was visiting.

United in marriage to David Mitchell Forsythe on May 28, 1959, the couple lived in Memphis, MO, where they raised their family of four kids, David, Burk, Kris, and Jim. Chockie and David owned and operated the Memphis Democrat for several years, where they took pride producing the town’s newspaper and contributing to the community.

In 1985, David and Chockie moved to Scottsdale, AZ, where she worked as a controller for local businesses until her retirement in 2011. In 1999, after almost 40 years of marriage, David passed away.

In January 2001, Chockie married Allan Simons in Tempe, AZ. They had a home in the Green Valley area for a number of years before moving to Prescott Valley where they lived for the past nine years.

Chockie was a passionate woman who was involved in the community and her family. She was a member of P.E.O, devoted time and energy to piecing together the family genealogy (where she was able to verify over 760 family members), she maintained the 39th Squadron’s website that chronicled her uncle’s heroism in the Pacific Theater during World War II, and built an entire office devoted to her creative side where she handmade birthday, holiday, and greeting cards for family and friends.

As the family baker and aspiring chef, family and friends would never be disappointed when dining and visiting with Chockie She will be remembered fondly for her infectious laugh, her passion for family and friends, her magnanimous spirit, her fried chicken, her ability to make you laugh no matter your mood, her caring and comforting soul, her unwavering support when times were tough, her warm hugs, her smile that would light up the room, and her lipstick kisses.

Chockie was preceded in death by her parents and first husband. She is survived by Allan; two sisters, Stephanie (late Harry) Willett of Tucson, AZ, and Mary (Stephen) Laird of Kirksville, MO; four children, David (Lori) Forsythe of Pella, IA, Burk (Polly) Forsythe of Phoenix, AZ, Kris (Chris) Howlett of Pueblo, CO, and Jim Forsythe of Phoenix, AZ; six grandchildren, and nine great-grandchildren. There will be a family Celebration of Life this summer in Prescott Valley. Memorials may be made to the Samuel A. Burk Scholarship Fund at Truman State University.

Lane Campbell Novinger

May 29, 1956 – Jan 25, 2023

Lane Campbell Novinger, 66, of Holts Summit, Mo died unexpectedly at his home Wednesday 1/25/23.

Lane was born in Kirksville, MO on 05/29/1956, to Orville Wayne and Mary Ellen Novinger. Growing up he and his brother Terry moved to various towns in N.E. Mo attending different schools, then Lane graduated from Madison High School where his father was superintendent. Lane followed in his father’s footsteps moving into education where he enjoyed his years as an educator and in administration, in Buchanan R-IV, Southern Boone and Know County High School. He greatly enjoyed all the friends he made along the way, but he always said, “being there with the kids meant the very most to me.” Lane was a helper, soft spoken yet firm, defusing situations and helping to build bridges to work towards a better tomorrow.



Lane was preceded in death by his parents Wayne and Mary, his brother, Terry Novinger.

On August 3, 1997, Lane and Mary (Stoner/Snelling), joined in marriage in Edina, MO. bringing together their two families into a close family circle. He is survived by his wife, Mary, of the home and their pup, Scruffy, where they settled in Holts Summit, MO. Four children, Jason (Cindy) Novinger of Kyle, Tx., Chad Snelling of Columbia, Lori Snelling Bemis of Columbia, and Matthew (Elle) Novinger of Columbia, MO. Eight precious grandchildren; Hannah, Leah, Kirsten all of Tx. Wyatt, Trevor, Alex, Elijah and Danika all of Columbia, Mo. He is also survived by his sister-in-law. Louanne Novinger, Aunt; Ann Badders and multiple cousins, nieces and nephews.

Lane never met a stranger; he loved telling stories and was always ready and willing to help anyone in need. His greatest joy in life was his family and his happiest times were spent when the house was bursting with kids and grandkids gathered around for holidays and time together. He and Mary talked often about their wonderful life together, the memories they made and they cherished their years together.

A celebration of Life will be with family and friends from 1-2pm followed by an informal family/friends gathering for remembrance from 2-3pm at Davis-Playle-Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home in Kirksville, MO. Sunday, January 29, 2023.



Kirksville Thousand Hills Rotary Club completes monthly service project

By Kirksville Thousand Hills Rotary Club

The Kirksville Thousand Hills Rotary Club recently completed a monthly service project putting together valentines for individuals served locally by the Chariton Valley Association (CVA). CVA supports individuals with intellectual and/or developmental disabilities through a variety of programs. CVA was founded in 1982 to meet an unmet need in

the community. On Jan. 1, CVA became a proud partner of Center for Human Services, which will assist each organization in expanding services and spreading their missions to people who need services in Missouri. The Kirksville-Thousand Hills Rotary Club meets on Thursdays at 7 a.m. at the Aquatic Center at 801 E. Mill Street. Anyone who would like to learn more about the club and Rotary is welcome to attend.

SCOUTS

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Lovegreen is an Eagle Scout, having earned the rank in 1973. He is also a member of the Order of the Arrow. In 2017, he received the District Champion Award for his service to the Black Diamond District. In 2019, he received the District Award of Merit for his continued, outstanding service to the Black Diamond District.

Outside of Scouting, Lovegreen is very involved with his community. He serves on the Board of Directors for the Kirksville Housing Authority and the Kirksville Salvation Army. He is a member of the Kirksville Noon Rotary Club, where he serves as the Youth Exchange Program Chairman. He has received the Paul Harris Fellow Award from the Rotary Club in recognition of his service to exchange students. In 2022, Lovegreen joined Truman State University’s Board of Governors. In addition, Lovegreen is very active in supporting the local school districts, United Way, YMCA, Kiwanis Club, El Kadir Shriners, Edina

Corn Festival, La Plata Soybean Festival, Northeast Missouri Fair, Forest Lake Area Trail System, and Ducks Unlimited. He is a member of the Kirksville First United Methodist Church.

Professionally, Lovegreen is the owner and CEO of Lovegreen Ford. He has received the the 25 Year Dealer Award from Ford Motor Company & Chrysler Corporation. He is on the Missouri Auto Dealers Statewide Association, where he has served in numerous capacities over the years including Chairman of the Board, President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Underwriting Committee Chair, Safety Committee Chair, and Insurance Trust Board Member.

Lovegreen is the proud father of an Eagle Scout, Jonathan. He also has two daughters, Courtney and Katie. He is married to Carol.

“My favorite event in Scouting was competing in the “greased watermelon” event during summer camp at Thunderbird,” Lovegreen said. “One year, I was successful in pulling the greased watermelon out of the lake. I about drowned, however our Troop feasted on the prize. Waterfront activities were the greatest.”

GRANT

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There were four ADD Alternates associated with this project on which contractors could submit bids. Because the funding for the project has a fixed ceiling, these items will only be completed if the budget allows. These optional pieces

are prioritized by the reservoir team as:

- Asphalt overlay of Routes N and VV
- Various gravel road improvements on several routes near the reservoir
- Pave three Marina roads
- Pave four main reservoir access roads

The project was part of MoDOT’s Nov. 18, 2022 bid

opening. At their December 2022 meeting, the Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission awarded a \$15,498,029.44 contract to Capital Paving & Construction, LLC to complete the base project and the first ADD Alternate. MoDOT is working with the contractor and the NCMRWC to determine the schedule of work.

OPINION

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Meanwhile they are keeping the books for the farm, picking up parts for a combine and trying to figure out how to pay for a new set of tires for the pickup. Or they could be making sure they keep their Century Farm in the family by commuting to a job in St. Louis or Kansas City.

Lindsey told me I may have trouble picking a cast for my Real Housewives series given the many hats rural women wear. They are mothers — and sometimes fathers as well. They are nurses, teachers and veterans. They own their own small business or sit on boards of large corporations.

Just about every one of them makes a real impact in their community, leading everything from Sunday school to the rural fire department. Come to think of it, without these real housewives many rural people would still be living in the dark. I’ve been told that most of the \$5 membership fees that got electric co-ops off the ground came from egg money dug out of an apron pocket.

These days, rural women like Barry Electric’s Jennifer McBroom and Howard Electric’s Amber Overfelt are CEOs of electric cooperatives. Others, like Boone Electric’s Kim Ponder, serve on their local electric co-op board. After thinking this

through, I may have to put my show on the back burner. If some fancy Hollywood pro-

ducer comes calling, I’m not sure if I could fit everything that rural women accomplish into

one season. Be on the lookout for a casting call, if I manage to lock in a multi-season deal.

Caleb is the executive vice president and CEO of the Association of Missouri Electric Cooperatives and a member of Boone Electric Cooperative.

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EMBRACING LOCAL HISTORY PART 36

THE DEATH AND BURIAL OF DAVID SLOAN

By Blytha Ellis, President
Adair County Historical Society and Museum

There was one special event which happened in David Sloan's life that was very significant to him and occurred shortly after he came to Kirksville in 1840. One day as he was out working on his farm near the south end of his property which was a timbered area, he suddenly saw a glowing fireball of light streak through the sky toward earth. He knew it was a meteorite or a shooting star. He was amazed and shaken as he watched the burning object strike the ground on his property! He hurried to inspect, and it left a great impression upon his life.

That day, David told his family about the experience and took them to see the location. He said he thought this was a sign from God. He told them he wanted to be buried in the exact location where this fiery rock had fallen from the heavens. David did not know that his death would actually come very soon!

David Sloan, the first resident of the town of Kirksville, sadly died at the early age of 48. He spent only two years and seven months living on the property he purchased, starting at 119 N. Main (the present address) in Kirksville. He had moved to this property on April 23, 1840, and built a log cabin for his family. His farmland extended at least as far south as what is now Wall Street (off of Osteopathy Street). And, he lived in Kirksville only six months after the town was given the name of Kirksville on May 18, 1842. David died on November 23, 1842. The cause of his death is unknown.

In accordance with David's request, his family buried him on the location where he saw the meteorite land in the south part of his property. A thin slab tombstone was placed at his grave which read: "David E. Sloan, Born May 4, 1794, Died Nov 23, 1842."

After David's burial, a few other Sloan relatives and friends were also buried around David's grave in this field, and this started a small burial ground which people called Sloan's Cemetery. Family have said that it was not David's intention to start a cemetery, but this just happened. However, much later after this land was sold, tradition has it that all the other graves were moved elsewhere, except that of David Sloan. Family believed that David's remains should stay in this original location which he had personally chosen, and so his grave has remained there.

It should be noted here that there was once a small town in Adair County named Sloan's Point. The following is from the book "Rural Schools in the Heartland, Adair County, Missouri" by Larry Evans and Vivian Vice Wright: "Sloan's Point village was nestled in the curve of the Chariton River about six miles west of Kirksville. It was named for the Sloan family." All that is left now of Sloan's Point is the cemetery by the same name. But, in the early days of Adair County, this village boasted a general store, a post office and a mill. Later, there was a Sloan's Point rural school near the cemetery.

Originally, the village was located on the west side of a curve in the Chariton River. However, when the Chariton River was straightened many years later, this curve was eliminated, making Sloan's Point on the east side of the river! The location of this former town is described as having been down a hill from the cemetery. This location is now near the dam which was constructed



in 1951 to create Forest Lake in Thousand Hills State Park.

So far as can be determined, there are only four members of the Sloan family buried at Sloan's Point Cemetery, and they are Columbus James Sloan (1816-1883), son of David Sloan; Columbus'

wife, Rebecca; their son, Erbin East Sloan (1860-1930); and Erbin's wife, Flora Belle. This branch of the Sloan family is likely the ones who originated the town of Sloan's Point.

David Sloan's wife, Mary Polly (East) Sloan lived 44 years as a widow after David died in 1842. Upon her death in 1886 at the age of 89, only four of their 14 children survived her. She was buried in the well-established Forest-Llewellyn Cemetery in Kirksville, at first simply called the City Cemetery, rather than beside her husband on their farm. In the Sloan plot at Forest-Llewellyn, only one other family member is known to be buried beside Mary Polly, and that is their son, Harve Sloan (1829-1891). It was written in Mary Polly's obituary that "she was a member of the church 73 years, and her life was filled with good works."

David's grave is still in its original location 180 years later. It can still be seen today. It is a lone grave located directly across the street east from 1208 S. Osteopathy St., in the second block south of Michigan St. in Kirksville. It is between Smith St. and Wall St. on the east side of Osteopathy St. This was once a timbered area when it was owned by the Sloans, but it is now a vacant lot with a few trees, surrounded by various businesses. It seems quite fortunate that this grave has been respected in a small way in that it has not been built over. However, some historians and David's descendants would like to see this burial spot designated an official historical site for the City of Kirksville. To date, their efforts have not been successful.

This Sloan grave site was at one time just a short distance west of the shoe factory, one of our town's major industries for many years. This was a 4- story, 60 x 300 foot brick building constructed in 1908 under the original name of Friedman-Shelby Shoe Co. It has now been torn down.

Also, the Wabash Railroad ran on the east side of the shoe factory. This railway through Kirksville was built as the North Missouri Railroad in the summer of 1868. The name was later changed to the Wabash Railroad. It also no longer exists, and the tracks have been removed. Amazingly, both of these major constructions escaped harming David Sloan's grave, but only by yards.

It is the hope of the Sloan descendants and the Adair County Historical Society that the current owners of the land on which David Sloan's grave rests will understand the importance of this small location and allow it to become an historic site.

(Next time: Memorializing David Sloan)

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TURNING THE PAGE



This Week in Local History

By Larry Evans

115 Years Ago, January 29, 1908

With the temperatures in Kirksville hovering well below zero, a very fine crop of ice was on the ponds and streams in the area. The local ice dealers were ready to fill their ice houses with the fine quality of natural ice. Several parties were out on the ice recently checking its thickness. They reported it was six inches thick. Meanwhile a group of individuals in Kirksville subscribed their capital to build a completely equipped icehouse for the manufacture and storage of ice. The location of the icehouse was not announced, but it was speculated that it would be constructed at the "Y" of the O.K and Wabash Railroads because of the shipping facilities there.

110 Years Ago, February 4, 1913

Word was received in Kirksville from Congressman James T. Lloyd that the \$40,000 appropriation for an annex and remodeling of the Kirksville Post Office was expected to be approved by Congress. The plan was to build a new structure east of the existing building and remodel the old post office so that the two buildings became one.

105 Years Ago, February 2, 1918

The D. F. Hayden family of Kirksville were busy knitting sweaters for the boys of Company C who were preparing for departure to fight in World War I. The family consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Hadyen and their son. Mrs. Hayden knit a sweater in two days. She spent every spare minute knitting when she wasn't cooking and tending her household duties. Her husband and son were also busy knitting. The Haydens were working as volunteers to assist the local Red Cross as it was gathering items to send to the men of Company C before they left for service in World War I.

100 Years Ago, January 31, 1923

The Rev. J. A. Hudson, minister of the Church of Christ in Kirksville, put out a plea to the Daily Express asking for help for a Green City woman and her child. The woman, Mrs. Esther Johnson and her husband, Ernest Johnson, and child had been living in Aurora, Illinois. He deserted her, and she had made her way back to Kirksville but was destitute. Reverend Hudson brought the mother and child to his home where she was staying. He asked the citizens of Kirksville to provide assistance in caring for her. He reported that she was about to become a mother again.

90 Years Ago, February 1, 1933

The body of a man who died some time ago in the Missouri Penitentiary at Jefferson City was reclaimed from the vats at the dissecting room at the Kirksville College of Osteopathy and Surgery (now ATSU) and taken to Slater, Missouri, for burial. The deceased man's father knew of his son's death in the penitentiary but lacked the money to provide a burial. A son of the deceased man, upon learning of his father's death and disposition of the body by the state, sent a Slater undertaker to Kirksville to remove the body and return it to Slater for burial.

90 Years Ago, February 5, 1933

"A Farewell to Arms," starring Gary Cooper, Adolph Menjou, and Helen Hayes, opened at Kirksville's Fox Kennedy The-

ater. Admission was 25 cents. The movie was the screen adaptation of Ernest Hemingway's widely acclaimed novel on the stark realism of war and was hailed by critics as a "movie that rises to the full scope and power that is possible in screen story telling."

85 Years Ago, January 30, 1938

The Adair County Circuit Court docket was set for the month of February. It contained 191 cases, and of these, 52 were divorce cases and 18 were criminal cases.

85 Years Ago, January 30, 1938

A \$300,000 building program was slated to begin at the Teachers College (now TSU). The new Baldwin Hall, a 160x200 foot administration-art building to replace the structure destroyed by fire in 1924, was to be constructed on a design that would allow for a three-way future expansion. The building was to sit on the northwest corner of campus. The plan called for the construction of two wings—one on the north and one on the south—to extend westward. The space between the two wings would be the location of an auditorium. This is present day Baldwin Hall Auditorium.

85 Years Ago, January 31, 1938

Neal Allen Noe, the four-month-old son of Paul and Neta Noe, of Novinger, died at the family home from whooping cough. The child's mother and five other children in the family were also ill with whooping cough. The year before another Noe child fell on the ice and suffered internal injuries which caused his death. Whooping cough or pertussis is a highly contagious bacterial disease. The initial symptoms are similar to those of a common cold with a runny nose, fever, and mild cough, but is followed by two to three months of severe high-pitched coughing fits that include gasping for air. The disease may be fatal for infants who do not typically cough, but simply cannot breathe. A whooping cough vaccine was developed in 1914, but did not come into general use until the late 1940s.

80 Years Ago, January 29, 1943

Twenty-one local men who were selected for service in the U. S. Army during World War II left Kirksville for Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, for examinations. The draftees were given supper at the Travelers Hotel and then left by special bus. This was the second group of draftees to leave Kirksville in a week.

80 Years Ago, February 3, 1943

Mr. and Mrs. Atlee Jones of Kirksville received a telegram telling them that their son, John W. (Bud) Jones, a soldier in the U.S. Marine Corp was killed "in the line of duty" at an undisclosed location. Burial was to be made where he was killed. Jones enlisted in the marines in July 1942 and was stationed in San Diego before sailing in October 1942. The Jones family had no indication of their son's location.

25 Years Ago, January 30, 1998

John McConnell, Kirksville sportscaster for more than 25 years, was named to the Kirksville Chamber of Commerce Hall of Fame at their annual banquet. McConnell was well known in northeast Missouri for his hosting of the annual cerebral palsy benefit telethon for many years.

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Free film screening and discussion of 1939 Sharecropper Strike in Missouri at State Historical Society of Missouri

By State Historical Society of Missouri

COLUMBIA — The public is invited to a free film screening and discussion on the 1939 Sharecropper Strike in Missouri, Feb. 14, noon, at the State Historical Society of Missouri as part of the History on Elm series. "Oh Freedom after While" is a 58-minute documentary narrated by Julian Bond, co-founder of the Southern Poverty Law Center and former chairperson of the NAACP, and includes rare footage of the sharecropper's protest in Missouri's booth-eel. The film's writer and co-producer, Candace O'Connor, will be at the screening to answer audience questions after the film.

The film is in conjunction with Black Resistance in the Depression Era: The Missouri Sharecroppers' Strike of 1939 exhibition at the

University of Missouri Ellis Library as part of Black History Month events. Beginning Feb. 7, Ellis Library will exhibit selected photos from SHSMO's collection of sharecropper images by Arthur Witman, an award-winning photographer at the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. On Feb. 22, 2:30 p.m., SHSMO Art Curator Joan Stack will present a lecture on the exhibition at Ellis Library, room 114A.

In January 1939, Witman documented the strike along Highways 60 and 61 in Southeast Missouri. The local landowners were given funds by the Depression era Agriculture Adjustment Administration to leave their farmlands fallow, and many of these property holders chose to keep the money for themselves and evict the workers who had farmed their land. Reverend Owen Whitfield, a Black labor leader, organized

a strike to protest these evictions, bringing about 1,500 of the farm workers together in roadside shantytowns to call public attention to their plight. The photo exhibition and film documentary features images of the strike as well as Witman's later photos of nearby Cropperville, a village created after the protest where multiple displaced sharecroppers came to live and work communally.

The History on Elm series explores a variety of topics on the second Tuesday at noon, each month, ranging from Missouri art and authors to unique collections at the State Historical Society. Registration is not required, and the series is free to the public. The programs begin promptly at noon at the State Historical Society of Missouri Center for Missouri Studies, 605 Elm St., Columbia. For more information, visit shsmo.org

Rotary Club of Scotland County hosts KTVO officials

By Rotary Club of Scotland County

Officials from KTVO-Channel 3, Kirksville, presented a program to the members of the Rotary Club of Scotland County on Feb. 1. Station Manager Carol Kellum along with Station Engineer Brett Hoskinson (a

Scotland County native) reported that the new antenna expands the KTVO signal coverage and some households that could not previously get the KTVO signal or could get the signal and it was pixel-like, are now able to get a clear signal due to the new tower. They reported the signal is now more reliable



than ever. News Director Dan Magruder and News Anchor Aaron Abeytia, discussed the interest the station has in the communities in the area and reporting the facts, while

supporting the viewers and their interests. Pictured left to right: Brett Hoskinson, Carol Kellum, Dan Magruder, Aaron Abeytia and local Rotarian, Alisa Kigar.

Alumna to serve as Truman State Holman Speaker

By Truman State University

Truman State University graduate Susana Mendoza ('94) will speak at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 7 in Ophelia Parrish Performance Hall as part of the Holman Family Distinguished Speaker Series.

After graduating from Bolingbrook High School, Mendoza attended the University on a soccer and academic scholarship, earning all-midwest honors in soccer and a Bachelor of Arts degree in business administration. In 2000, she was elected as the youngest member of the 92nd Illinois General Assembly. Mendoza served six terms as a member of the Illinois House of Representatives from 2001 to 2011. As a state representative, she was recognized for her leadership and legislation on social services, education, law enforce-



Susana Mendoza

ment, job creation and animal welfare.

Mendoza made history as the first woman ever elected as Chicago city clerk. She was elected Illinois comptroller in 2016 and is the first Hispanic independently elected to statewide office in the state of Illinois.

No tickets are required for this event. For additional information, visit lyceum.truman.edu, call 660-785-4133 or email lyceumseries@truman.edu.

Locals earn student achievement honors

Staff Reports

Olivia Spurlin Named to Southeast's Fall 2022 Dean's List

Olivia Spurlin of Brashear has been named to the Southeast Missouri State University Dean's List for academic achievement during the fall 2022 semester. Students named to the list earned at least a 3.75 grade point average on a 4.0 scale, completed at least 12 hours of standard graded credit, achieved no grade below a B and received no failing grades in enrolled, credit/no credit or pass/fail courses.

State Tech announces Fall 2022 Dean's List

State Technical College of Missouri announced their December 2022 students who achieved the Dean's List during the 2022 fall semester. Ian Salter of Brashear; Preston Dawson of Callao; Nicolas Hamlin and Zyan Triplett of Edina; Brody Parrish of Green Castle; Bret Jennings and Aden Robinson of La Plata and Michael Pipes of Milan. From Unionville: Lance Fowler, Lane Noland and Carter Quint. From Kirksville are the following students: Samuel Amerman, Austin Baker, Brett Jackson, Cole Kelsall, Quentin Lee, Grant McHenry, Colin Pyles, Hayden Tarr and Matthew Ward. To be placed on the Dean's List, a full-time student must earn a semester grade point average between 3.5 and 4.0 on a 4-point scale.

SNHU Announces Fall 2022 President's List

Rachael Murray and Shelby Eagen of Kirksville, were both named to the Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) Fall 2022 President's List. The fall terms run from September to December. Full-time undergraduate students who have earned a minimum grade-point average of 3.700 and above for the reporting term are named to the President's List. Full-time status is achieved by earning 12 credits over each 16-week term or paired 8-week terms grouped in fall, winter/spring, and summer.

Local students named to Missouri State University's fall 2022 dean's list

Kirksville students Zachary Caraway, Allie Elsea, Jared Grgurich, Analiese Novinger, Rhea Rechav, Joshua Reuschel and Jaden Melnick were among students at Missouri State University are named to the dean's list. From Greentop, students Garrett Nichting and Josephina Nichting were named to the list. Also named was Kelsee Corbin of New Boston. For undergraduate students, criteria include enrollment in at least 12 credit hours during the fall semester and at least a 3.50

grade point average (on a 4.00 scale).

Iowa State University announces fall 2022 Dean's List

More than 10,200 Iowa State University students have been recognized for outstanding academic achievement by being named to the fall semester 2022 Dean's List. Students include Molly Ann Haman, 4, Veterinary Medicine

And Clayton Harry Stoskopf, 2, Animal Science, both of Kirksville. From Lancaster, Emma Joyce Frederick, 2, Horticulture. Students named to the Dean's List must have earned a grade point average of at least 3.50 on a 4.00 scale while carrying a minimum of 12 credit hours of graded course work.

Alexa Higgins named to Avila University Fall 2022 Dean's List

Alexa Higgins of Greentop, earned dean's list distinction for the Fall 2022 semester, one of more than 330 undergraduate students to be recognized. The dean's list comprises undergraduate students who meet requirements in the Colleges of Arts and Science and Professional Schools. All full-time admitted undergraduate students are eligible for the dean's list. To be included on the dean's list, students must have successfully completed at least 12 credit hours with at least a 3.5-grade point average for the semester.

Edina Resident Receives Academic Honor from Benedictine College

Benedictine College has recognized those students

who have distinguished themselves academically during the last semester. Natalie Clark of Edina, was recently named to the Dean's List for the fall semester, which ended Dec. 12, 2022. Any full-time student carrying a minimum of 12 hours and a perfect 4.0 grade point average through the spring term is named to the President's list. Full time students with 12 hours and a grade point average of 3.5 are named to the Dean's List. Of the 2,135 students on campus for 2022-2023 academic year, 171 made the President's List and 794 made the Dean's List.

Central Methodist University Fall 2022 Dean's List

The office of Central Methodist University Provost Rita Gulstad announced recently the students included on the Fall 2022 Dean's List. Included were Emma Grace Bushnell and Danika Joy Elgin, both of Kirksville, and Ryan Daniel Green of La Plata. More than 900 students across all campuses and online learning met the requirements for placement, including a grade point average of 3.50 or higher for the semester.

Quincy University Fall Dean's List

Quincy University released its Dean's List for the Fall 2022 semester. Included in the list were Noah Hall and Jazzlynn Holman, both of Edina. Honorees must earn a semester grade point average of at least 3.5 (on a 4.0 scale) to be included in the biannual Dean's List. In total, 400 students received the honor during

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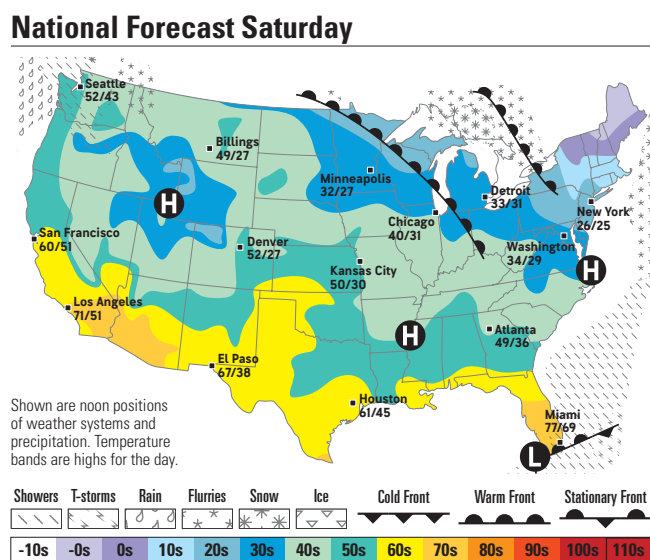
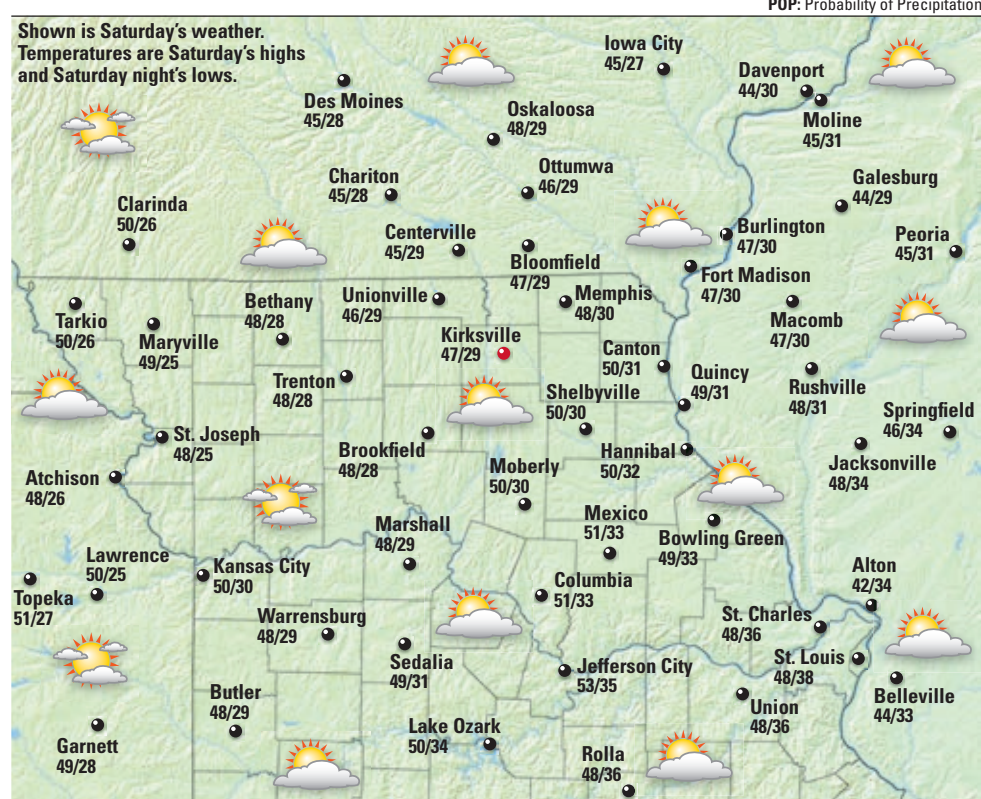
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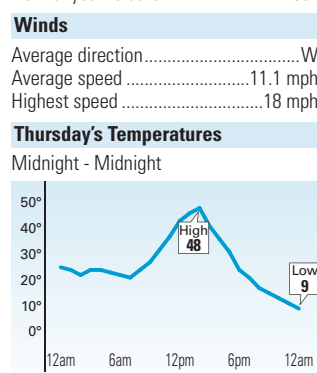
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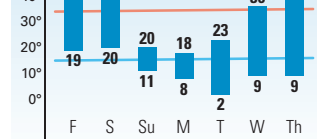
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Kirkville through Thursday	
Temperature	
High/low.....	48/9
Normal high/low.....	35/15
Record high.....	66 in 1992
Record low.....	-22 in 1905
Precipitation	
Thursday.....	0.00"
Past week's total.....	Trace
Month to date.....	0.00"
Normal month to date.....	0.11"
Year to date.....	2.09"
Normal year to date.....	1.50"



Category	Percentage
Yes	45
No	39
Don't know	36
Yes	48



Sunrise/Sunset

Sunrise today	7:16 a.m.
Sunset tonight.....	5:32 p.m.
Sunrise Sunday	7:15 a.m.
Sunset Sunday	5:33 p.m.

Full
Feb 5  **Last**
Feb 13 

New Feb 20		First Feb 27	
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	Hi/Low	Hi/Low
Branson	48/37/pc	58/37/s
Burlington, IA	47/30/pc	44/27/s
Cape Girardeau	41/34/s	54/32/s
Carbondale	40/35/pc	55/28/s
Cedar Rapids	41/25/pc	37/23/pc
Champaign	42/31/pc	48/26/pc
Chicago	40/31/pc	40/27/pc
Columbia	51/33/pc	56/35/s
Danville	43/34/pc	48/29/c
Davenport	44/30/pc	38/24/c
Decatur	43/33/pc	51/27/s
Des Moines	45/28/pc	40/28/pc
Evansville	42/37/pc	51/28/s
Galesburg	44/29/pc	42/24/s
Green Bay	31/25/pc	34/13/c
Indianapolis	39/35/s	45/29/pc
Iowa City	45/27/pc	40/26/pc
Jefferson City	53/35/pc	57/34/s
Joliet	41/33/pc	39/27/pc
Kansas City	50/30/pc	57/37/s
Lafayette, IN	41/35/pc	47/27/pc
Lincoln	45/33/pc	48/28/s
Madison	51/31/pc	52/32/s
Milwaukee	38/33/pc	38/23/c
Omaha	46/28/pc	45/34/s
Ottumwa	46/29/pc	43/28/s
Peoria	45/31/pc	47/28/s
Rockford	37/29/pc	38/21/pc
St. Louis	48/38/pc	57/32/s
Springfield, IL	46/34/pc	52/29/s
Springfield, MO	47/35/pc	55/39/s
Topeka	51/27/s	59/37/s
Wichita	56/28/pc	58/41/s

River Stages			
(in feet)	Flood Stage	Thu. 7 a.m.	24-hr +/-
Chariton River			
Chariton	19.5	3.40	none
Rathbun Tail	--	3.30	-0.10
Moulton	36	18.50	-0.10
Novinger	20	0.43	+0.16
Prairie Hill	15	1.88	none
South Fork Chariton River			
Promise City	25	3.00	none
Mississippi River			
Keokuk	16	4.69	+1.73
Quincy	19	11.88	+0.38
Quincy Lock & Dam	18	3.95	+1.30

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City	Sat.	Sun.
	Hi/Low	Hi/Low
Albany, NY	15/11/pc	44/34/c
Albuquerque	58/30/s	59/35/s
Anchorage	24/16/c	27/23/sn
Atlanta	49/36/s	60/39/pc
Baltimore	31/27/s	49/35/pc
Billings	49/27/pc	42/32/c
Birmingham	55/39/s	63/39/pc
Boise	45/34/c	41/29/c
Boston	18/15/s	45/39/c
Buffalo	29/25/sn	42/31/sf
Charleston, SC	49/38/s	65/42/c
Charleston, WV	44/32/s	52/34/pc
Charlotte	44/30/s	54/34/pc
Cleveland	38/34/c	44/30/c
Columbia	46/32/s	57/35/c
Columbus	39/35/s	45/30/pc
Dallas	56/42/pc	65/50/s
Denver	52/27/pc	45/28/pc
Detroit	33/31/c	41/25/c
Fargo	34/13/c	23/21/pc
Grand Rapids	32/30/c	37/19/sf
Hartford	17/14/pc	42/32/c
Honolulu	79/73/sh	81/69/sh
Houston	61/45/pc	71/53/s
Jackson, MS	56/37/s	65/39/pc
Jacksonville	61/47/pc	70/48/pc
Las Vegas	63/45/s	65/45/pc
Little Rock	49/37/pc	62/40/c
Los Angeles	71/51/pc	64/47/pc
Louisville	47/41/s	51/35/s
Memphis	49/39/s	58/41/s
Miami	77/69/sh	79/67/pc
Minneapolis	32/27/c	31/20/pc
Nashville	51/41/s	59/36/pc
New Orleans	60/50/s	66/51/pc
New York City	28/25/pc	46/40/pc
Norfolk	55/30/pc	56/41/pc
Oklahoma City	57/31/pc	61/45/s
Orlando	72/60/c	76/57/sh
Philadelphia	26/25/pc	48/36/pc
Phoenix	78/46/s	75/46/pc
Pittsburgh	33/29/pc	46/32/c
Portland, ME	8/6/s	38/33/c
Portland, OR	51/43/c	51/40/sh
Rapid City	52/24/s	46/29/c
Sacramento	59/46/c	58/40/c
Salt Lake City	42/32/pc	44/30/sh
San Diego	66/49/s	63/51/c
San Francisco	60/51/r	56/46/t
Seattle	52/43/sh	50/40/sh
Shreveport	58/40/pc	68/47/pc
Tampa	74/59/pc	77/62/sh
Tucson	77/44/s	78/44/s
Tulsa	55/34/pc	61/46/s
Washington, DC	34/29/s	51/38/pc

DEAR ABBY: During a trip to Las Vegas, I kind of had a one-night stand. I'm in a relationship. I felt bad afterward. Problem is, I started having feelings for this guy, "Leo." We would message back and forth, more on my end than his. I guess you could say I was hung up on him. I have since mended my relationship with my partner.



all adults, we are not in high school and can be in the same room with each other. It's not fair to me. Are my feelings justified? Any advice?
-- *FEELING SHUNNED ON THE WEST COAST*
DEAR FEELING: This isn't all about YOUR feelings. You stated that

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That Rule Doesn't Apply to Me

A dump truck driver in Contra Costa County, California, either couldn't read or didn't care when he barreled through a road closure barricade on Jan. 23, KTVU-TV reported, and ended up with his front left wheel in a sinkhole. The "road closed" sign was found beneath his vehicle, and the driver escaped without injury. Excessive rains have caused "flooding, mudslides, sinkholes and other issues" in the area, county officials noted.

If you're looking for a crafty project for 2023, the online shop Savor has you covered, Slate reported. For the low, low price of \$46.95, you can put together your own "In Case I Go Missing" binder, which Savor says "makes it super easy for the true-crime obsessed to record their key stats for their loved ones." Those facts include medical and financial information, fingerprints and lists of "hangout spots." One woman said she added "a hair sample just in case they need it for DNA testing." Elizabeth Jeglic, a professor at the John Jay College of Criminal Justice, soothingly says, "The majority of adults will not go missing or be kidnapped." Her colleague Patrick McLaughlin offers some ideas for the kit, though: recent photos, the unlock code for your phone, pics of tattoos, scars or birthmarks, handwriting samples -- but he warns that such binders might not be admissible as evidence.

Dennis Garsjo, 73, of Glasgow, Montana, may not know your name when he greets you on the street, but he'll call out to you anyway, using your birthday. "Top of the morning to ya, April 11," he might say, according to KRTV. Garsjo has memorized more than 3,000 birthdays and says he came by the talent naturally. "My mother remembered all our relatives' birthdays before she started getting dementia," he said. "I don't think my talent is all that special. I'm more impressed by musicians who can play a song from memory on the piano." Still, residents of Prairie Ridge Village, where he works, enjoy The Birthday Guy, as he's known, and he loves surprising people with their special day.

Vanyar, one of the equine competitors in the Tokyo Stakes race on Jan. 22 in Nagoya, Japan, crossed the finish line first. However, Oddity Central reported, Vanyar was missing one thing, which led to his being disqualified: a rider. Vanyar's jockey fell off as soon as they left the gate, and the second-place horse's jockey couldn't catch up to the riderless horse (although they were the technical winners). After crossing the finish line, Vanyar coolly slowed down and sauntered off toward the exit.

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Kirkville seniors Jalen Kent and Camden Dempsay pose with their parents (all seated) and coaches (standing) in the Kirkville High School library on Feb. 1.

National Signing Day sees Dempsay, Kent commit to play college football

By Adam Tumino
Daily Express

Wednesday was an important day for a pair of Kirkville high schoolers. It was National Signing Day for football players all across the country, including Kirkville seniors Camden Dempsay and Jalen Kent.

The pair were joined by family, friends, classmates, teammates and coaches in the Kirkville High School library, where they posed for pictures and signed their letters, with Dempsay heading to the University of Central Missouri and Kent going to Missouri Valley College.

Dempsay, a lineman for the Kirkville football team, joins a group of 41 incoming freshmen at Central Missouri. He said that the opportunities to play college football started presenting themselves at the end of his junior year when he started hearing from schools. It unfolded from there.

“I attended a few camps over the summer, got even more interest, but I think once my senior season started to hit and I had more film, more highlights to show, that’s when things really started to hit the ground rolling,” he said.

He said that Central Missouri got involved in recruiting him later than some of the other schools, but stood out immediately.

“The coaches and players really took me in like I



Jalen Kent (left) and Camden Dempsay sign their letters of intent to play college football in the Kirkville High School library on Feb. 1. PHOTOS BY ADAM TUMINO

was already one of them,” he said. “It was like a family, a brotherhood, and to be a part of that something special, that’s what I look for in high school and I’m really interested in that for college as well.”

Dempsay signed on to play offensive line at Central Missouri, and is coming off a senior season where he was named All-Conference and Academic All-State while playing both offensive and defensive line.

He said that he felt prepared to take the step and play at the college level because of the coaching he received while in high school, in both football and basketball.

“Coach (Kevin) Kreitemeyer was a great coach for me for football and coach (Tyler) Martin and coach (Cody) Tate were great coaches for me in basketball, and they real-

ly showed me what hard work was,” Dempsay said. “You come in every day, you work your hardest, and good things will happen.”

Dempsay’s parents, Melissa and Lance Dempsay, were in attendance for the signing. It was not a new experience for the Dempsays, with Camden being their third son to play sports at the college level.

“We’ve been through this a couple times before, but it never gets old,” Lance Dempsay said. “You think it’s just routine, but even on the third time it’s still exciting. We’re very proud of him.”

Melissa Dempsay, who is also the varsity volleyball coach at Kirkville High School, said she was happy to see all of Camden’s hard work turn into something positive.

“As a coach, I know the time that he’s put in in the weight room and

in the offseason, and it’s just a proud moment as a parent to know that his hard work has finally paid off,” she said.

Central Missouri, located in Warrensburg, competes at the NCAA Division II level and is a member of the MIAA Conference. The Mules are coming off a 2022 season in which they went 4-7.

Like his teammate Dempsay, Kent is coming off a senior season where he received All-Conference honors. The process began relatively recently for Kent, who said that he started hearing from potential schools once the 2022 season was underway.

“A few weeks into the season, I started hearing from some teams,” he said. “Just this last week I made my decision of where I was going to go.”

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COLUMN

Will the 2023 Pro Bowl save the event from mediocrity?

The NFL Pro Bowl is evidently going to be played on Sunday. That means it is time to ask the question we ask every year. If an all-star football game happens in a stadium but no one is around to hear it, does it make a sound?

The Pro Bowl is perhaps the least exciting annual sporting event in America, where football players who clearly do not want to be playing football at this time of the year take the field and play glorified touch football for a few hours.

After years of Pro Bowls that were full contact, at least in theory, this year’s game will be a combination of skills competitions and seven-on-seven flag football games, which have the potential to be more entertaining than in previous years.

It is nice to see the NFL at least make an effort to fix the Pro Bowl, but it is hard to see a way in which the Pro Bowl will ever be watchable. Every year it is clear that many players do not necessarily care about the Pro Bowl, not that anybody could blame them.

These players have just finished playing an entire season of football, the most physically dangerous of the major sports, and most of them would rather rest than play in an exhibition game. Some of the league’s very best players are ineligible to play because they will be playing in the Super Bowl the following week.

Many other players have just been eliminated from the playoffs and opt out of the Pro Bowl. As a result, players who seem unqualified for all-star festivities end up being on Pro Bowl rosters because of the many opt outs.

In the AFC this year, Derek Carr and Tyler Huntley are two of the quarterbacks on the roster. Carr was benched late in the season. Huntley is the backup quarterback for the Baltimore Ravens. He started just four games this season for an injured Lamar Jackson, throwing two touchdowns and three interceptions in those games.

The rest of the AFC roster is full of very talented and deserving players, and the NFC roster is also very solid. Maybe the novelty of the new skills competitions and flag games will make the Pro Bowl entertaining at long last. If not, it may be time to reevaluate how an NFL all-star game should look.

The other major American sports have much more entertaining all-star festivities. Perhaps the NBA, NHL and MLB have this advantage over the NFL because their all-star events all take place midway through the season. The NFL cannot really do this because of how bye weeks are staggered and the relatively low number of games.

These other sports also have an advantage with entertaining events other than the games themselves. The MLB festivities have the Home Run Derby, which as of some rule changes in 2015, has become undeniably entertaining. Swapping the 10-out format that led to long, boring rounds for timed rounds has made the derby more dramatic and fast-paced.

The NBA has two marquee events on the night before the all-star game. The dunk contest has lost a bit of its luster over the years. A lack of star players willing to participate has hurt the contest, and it is hard for players to surpass some of the great dunks of past contests.

The three-point contest has probably become the most exciting event of the NBA all-star festivities, in part because of the caliber of players involved. Even the skills challenge, where players compete in an obstacle course featuring passing, ball-handling and shooting.

Even the game itself has an interesting twist, foregoing traditional timing and scoring in favor of starting each of the first three quarters with a 0-0 score and lasting 12 minutes. The teams compete to win each of those quarters. There is no clock in the fourth quarter, and a target score is set. The first team to reach that score wins.

I am less familiar with the NHL all-star events, but events that feature players racing through obstacles and attempting trick shots produce some entertaining highlights. Like the NBA, the NHL has tweaked the game itself. Instead of a traditional game played between two teams, the players are divided into four teams that play a three-on-three tournament.

The NFL will likely need to tweak the Pro Bowl further to make it as entertaining as other sports. Flag football certainly has the potential to be very fun to watch. Time will tell if it will be enough or if more changes need to be made.



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Kirkville’s Harvey signs to run track at Columbia College

By Adam Tumino
Daily Express

Last week was a busy one for Kirkville High School athletes looking to compete at the collegiate level. One day after Camden Dempsay and Jalen Kent signed on to play college football, their football teammate Ryan Harvey signed his letter of intent to attend Columbia College in Columbia, Missouri, as a member of their track

and field team.

The signing took place in the Kirkville High School library on Thursday morning, with some of Harvey’s family, friends, classmates and coaches in attendance. He said that he’s been going on college visits since the summer, and he made sure to take his time making a decision.

“I’ve gotten a lot of experiences, I’ve visited a lot of colleges, and a lot of thought went into this



Kirkville senior Ryan Harvey signs his letter of intent to become a member of the track and field team at Columbia College during a ceremony in the Kirkville High School library on Feb. 2. PHOTOS BY ADAM TUMINO

process,” he said.

Harvey said that several factors played into his decision to attend Columbia College, including

some amenities that are a result of the school’s proximity to the University of Missouri.

“The location of the facilities they use, they get to use Mizzou’s indoor track and they get to use another nearby track,” he said. “The recovery process is amazing too.”

Meaghan Rice, an assistant coach at Columbia College specializing in sprints, jumps and hurdles, was in attendance for the signing on Thursday. She said that Harvey stood out early on, and she feels he will make a good addition to their program.

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Kirkville senior Ryan Harvey sits next to his parents Laura (left) and Kerry Harvey with coaches standing behind them in the Kirkville High School library on Feb. 2.

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After going on several visits, having discussions with the prospective schools and checking out the campuses, Kent decided on Missouri Valley College. He said that the culture of the program stood out, and that the coaching staff made him feel welcome. The facilities also stood out.

Kent enjoyed a successful senior season playing wide receiver and defensive back at Kirksville, being the top target for quarterback Isaac Danielson throughout the season. Kent scored a touch-

down in the season opener for the Tigers, which was a sign of things to come. He had a record-setting performance on Oct. 7 against Mexico, grabbing a school-record 18 receptions. He had 246 receiving yards in the game and scored five touchdowns.

He said that the coaching at Kirksville helped him understand what was necessary to be able to continue playing after high school.

“Definitely the coaches coaching us harder in practice and during the offseason (helped),” Kent said.

His parents Barb and Nathan Kent, were on hand Thursday. Both

said that they were proud to see Jalen have this opportunity, and happy with the choice he made.

“It’s very exciting, and we’re excited for him,” Nathan Kent said. “I think he made the right decision. When we went and visited, he really liked the campus and coaches. It’s the first time we’ve been through this, he’s our oldest child, so it’s been fun.”

He added that football has been something Jalen has enjoyed and worked at for years.

“He’s worked hard, and he’s always loved football,” Nathan Kent said. “Football has always been pretty much his

favorite. He plays baseball and basketball too, but ever since he started playing tackle football he’s always just loved it.”

Missouri Valley College is located in Marshall. For football, the Vikings compete at the NAIA level and are a member of the KCAC Conference. They are coming off a 2022 season in which they went 3-8.

Kirksville varsity football coach Kevin Kriemeyer said that it is always nice when players have the chance to continue to play football after high school.

“It’s exciting, because they work so dang hard in the classroom, out of

the classroom, in the weight room, just in life in general they work extremely hard,” he said. “You get to see them do something they truly enjoy doing, a passion of theirs, it’s fun. It’s exciting. I’m happy for them and I hope they enjoy it.”

He said that football is unique among sports in that once it’s over, it’s over.

“You never get to line up and put helmets and shoulder pads on with 11 of your high school buddies and run into things, and have that success, and have those dreams crushed too,” Kriemeyer said. “Football is special. It’s different. You can always go out

there and play basketball with your buddies or go play softball with your buddies, but football you never get to do again.”

Both Dempsay and Kent have the physical talent needed to play football, but Kriemeyer said that the opportunity to play collegiately is something that comes to players that are willing and able to put in the work to get the most out of that ability.

“It’s hard work,” he said. “I can’t speak about their work ethic any more. They’re dudes and I’m proud of them. They’ve earned their right to be able to play the game of football somewhere else.”



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Truman forward Dylan Peeters drives for a layup against Indianapolis on Nov. 28.

Upset bid comes up short as Truman falls to No. 7 Indianapolis

By Adam Tumino
Daily Express

The Truman men’s basketball team had a second-straight match-up against a nationally ranked team on Thursday, and for the second-straight time, played a close game. While the Bulldogs were able to pick up an upset win over Missouri-St. Louis in the first game, they came up short against No. 7 Indianapolis on Thursday, losing 83-76.

The Bulldogs are now 5-9 in conference play while Indianapolis improved to 11-2, extending their lead in the GLVC standings.

Indianapolis opened the game on a 7-0 run, and led 19-6 just six minutes into the game. The Greyhounds extended their lead to a game-high 16 points, leading 36-20 with six minutes left in the half. Truman went on an 8-0 run at that point to make the game relatively close, and trailed by nine at halftime with the score 44-35 in favor of Indianapolis.

Both teams made 14 shots in the first half, including six three pointers for each team, but Indianapolis built its nine-point lead on the back of free throw shooting. The Greyhounds were 10-of-13 from the line in the first half while Truman was just 1-of-3.

Truman opened the second half on a 20-11 run to tie the score at 55-55 with 13:32 left in the game. Indianapolis pulled back ahead before Truman took its first lead of the game, going up 61-60 with 9:42 left, growing that into a 67-62 lead with 7:07 left.

Truman’s last lead was 69-67 with 5:19 left. The score was tied 69-69 and



Truman guard Elijah Hazekamp makes a move against an Indianapolis defender on Nov. 28. PHOTOS BY ADAM TUMINO

71-71 before Indianapolis closed out the game with a 12-5 run over the final three and a half minutes.

Truman actually out-shot Indianapolis from the field and from deep in the game. The Bulldogs shot 31-of-58 (53.4%) while Indianapolis was 26-of-56 (46.4%). Truman was 12-of-24 from three while Indianapolis shot 9-of-22.

It was free throw shooting that gave the Greyhounds their biggest advantage of the game. They were 22-of-29 from the line while the Bulldogs, who have excelled at free throw shooting this season, were just 2-of-6. Truman is the GLVC’s leading team in free throw percentage this season at 78.3%, averaging 12 makes on 15.3 attempts per game entering Thursday’s game.

Had they reached those averages, the Bulldogs would have been in position to pick up a second-straight upset win.

Truman was led offensively by Hunter Strait and Elijah Hazekamp, who scored 25 and 21 points respectively. Strait set a new season high in scoring in the game and has now scored in double figures a sea-

son-high six games in a row. He is averaging 12.5 points per game this season and is averaging 17.2 points over that six-game stretch.

Hazekamp led the team with seven rebounds. Forward Dylan Peeters scored 11 points off the bench. He is averaging 7.3 points per game but has scored in double figures four games in a row. Peeters has averaged 5.7 points per game in his 10 starts this season, but is averaging 8.6 points per game the 12 times he has come off the bench.

Indianapolis had four players scored in double figures, led by Kendrick Tchoua with 22 points. He also led all players with 10 rebounds in the game. Jesse Bingham scored 16 points while tying for the team lead with five assists.

Truman will have a chance to bounce back with a road matchup against McKendree on Saturday. The Bulldogs lost to the Bearcats 73-68 in the conference opener back on Nov. 26. McKendree is 6-7 in conference play this season and is two spots ahead of Truman in the standings in ninth place.

Truman women suffer closest loss of season Thursday

By Adam Tumino
Daily Express

The Truman State women’s basketball team suffered its closest loss of the season on Thursday, falling 75-72 on the road against Indianapolis in a GLVC matchup. The Bulldogs are now 11-3 in conference play while the Greyhounds moved to 8-5.

The game started strong for Truman, with the defense neutralizing the Indianapolis offense in the first quarter. Indianapolis scored just 11 points in the quarter on 5-of-13 shooting while Truman shot 7-of-14 and scored 17 points.

The Bulldogs did struggle from three-point range in the first, making just one shot on seven attempts from deep. They shot 1-of-7 from three in the second quarter as well, but they also struggled from the field in general, shooting 5-of-19 overall in the quarter.

Indianapolis was able to score much more effectively in the second quarter, shooting 10-of-22 and outscoring Truman 24-15 in the quarter. The Greyhounds held a 35-32 lead heading into halftime.

Both teams came out of the break firing on all cylinders, both scoring 26 points in the third quarter. Truman shot 10-of-15 in the third and also went 3-of-5 from three. Indianapolis went 11-of-19 from the field. Truman held its last lead of the game in the third quarter, leading 58-56 with 1:25 left in the quarter. Indianapolis was able to climb back ahead and lead 61-58 by the end of the third.



Truman forward Alex Fanning battles under the basket against Indianapolis on Nov. 28.

The fourth quarter was even as well, although the offenses cooled off after the hot third quarter. Both teams scored 14 points in the fourth, each making just four shots from the field in the quarter. Truman once again went 1-of-7 from three in the quarter while Indianapolis did not make a three pointer in six attempts.

Truman was down 61-60 before Indianapolis went on a 6-0 run to grab a seven-point lead, tied for their largest advantage of the game. Truman was able to cut the lead to one point three more times in the fourth but was unable to take the lead back.

Hannah Belanger had another high-scoring game for the Bulldogs, leading the team with 25 points, surpassing 20 points for the 15th time this season. She shot 10-of-18 from the field.

Forward Alex Fanning had one of her strongest games of the season, scoring a season-high 24 points. She also posted game highs with nine rebounds, five assists and two steals. She shot 8-of-

12 from the field and 7-of-10 from the free throw line, setting season highs in free throws made and attempted. Ellie Weltha also scored in double figures with 12 points.

These three led the way, with the rest of the team combining for just 11 points. Claire Rake continued to be productive off the bench, scoring seven points and shooting 2-of-5 from three. Hannah Pinkston and Emma Bulman each had two points. Truman’s bench was out-scored by Indianapolis’ bench 27-9.

The Greyhounds were led by Idalis Ortiz with 16 points on 7-of-10 shooting. Lauren With added 11 and Jodi Mullins scored 15 points off the bench.

Truman will play on the road once again on Saturday, facing McKendree. The Bulldogs beat the Bearcats 79-72 in the conference opener back on Nov. 26. McKendree is 6-6 in conference play this season and has won two games in a row, the most recent of which was a 75-54 win over William Jewell on Thursday.



Truman women’s basketball coach Theo Dean addresses the team during a timeout against Indianapolis on Nov. 28. PHOTOS BY ADAM TUMINO

HARVEY

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“As soon as we saw his times, we knew he would fit in well with our team,” she said. “But as soon as we met him and he came on campus, he just has such a great character and a great energy about him, he will fit in so well with our team.”

Columbia College competes at the NAIA level and is a member of the American Midwest Conference. The Cougars are in the middle of their indoor season right now, but last season finished second in the conference at the indoor championships and won the out-

door conference championship for the fifth time in a row.

Harvey’s parents Kerry and Laura Harvey said that they are looking forward to Ryan taking the next step in his life and athletic career.

“We’re excited for him to have the decision made and getting to focus on what’s coming,” Laure Harvey said. “He was in contact with a lot of schools and coaches, and visited them, and just had to narrow it down to which place he thought was going to be the best for him.”

Kerry Harvey said that the process has led to a good outcome for Ryan.

“We went to a lot of great schools, met a lot of great people, and I think he made the best decision,” he said.

The 2023 season is still ahead for Ryan Harvey, with the first event of

the season scheduled for March 20. Looking back at his time in high school so far, Harvey said that there are several things he learned that he can apply going forward.

“Just battling adversi-

ty and learning how to take it and learning how to improve from it, and knowing that there’s going to be hard times but there will be good times eventually,” he said.

He also said that he is

looking forward to the opportunity to continue his athletic career beyond high school.

“I’m excited,” Harvey said. “I don’t know what to expect but I know it’s going to be amazing.”

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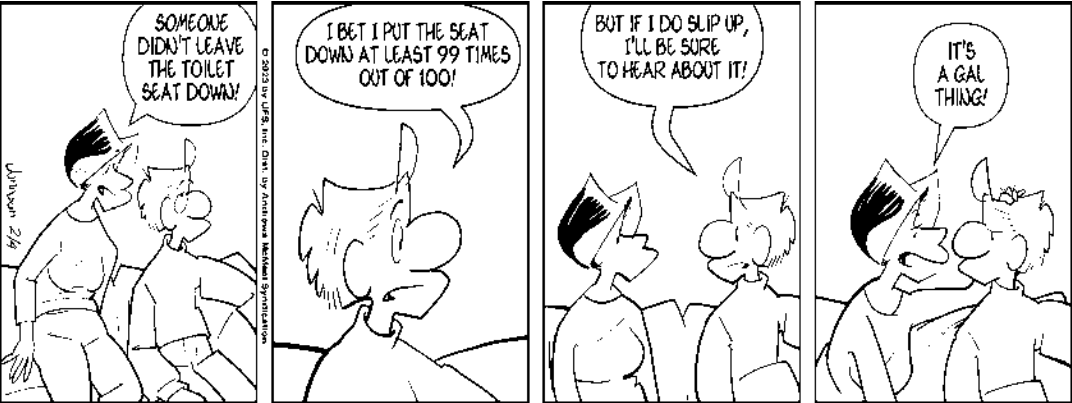
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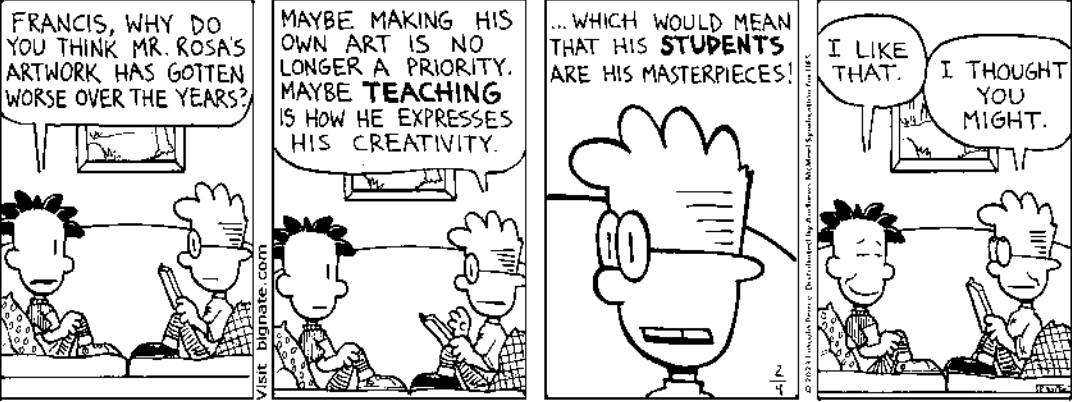
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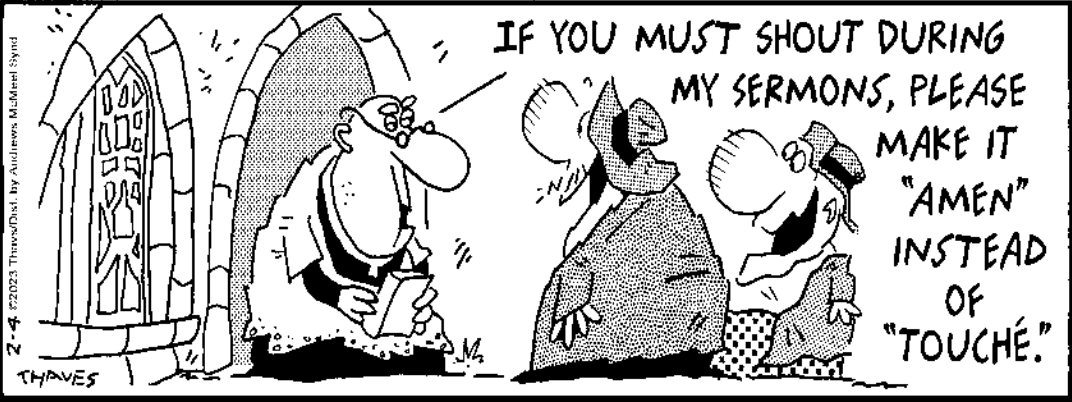
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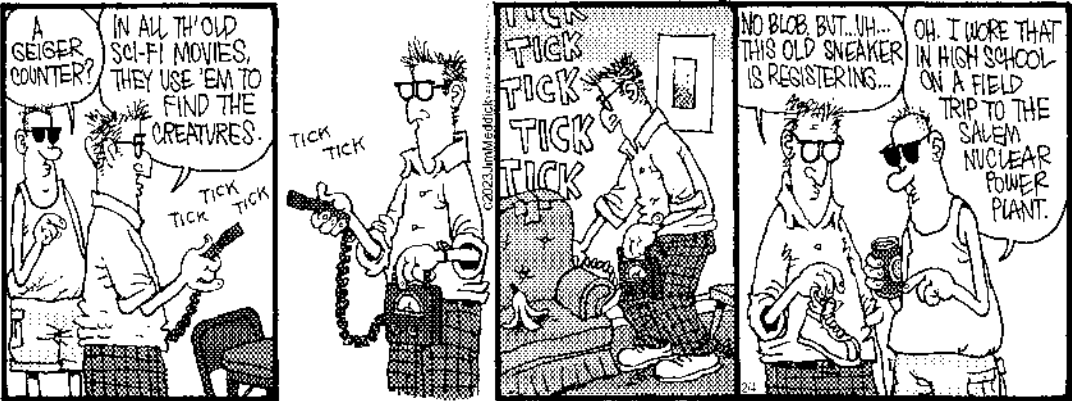
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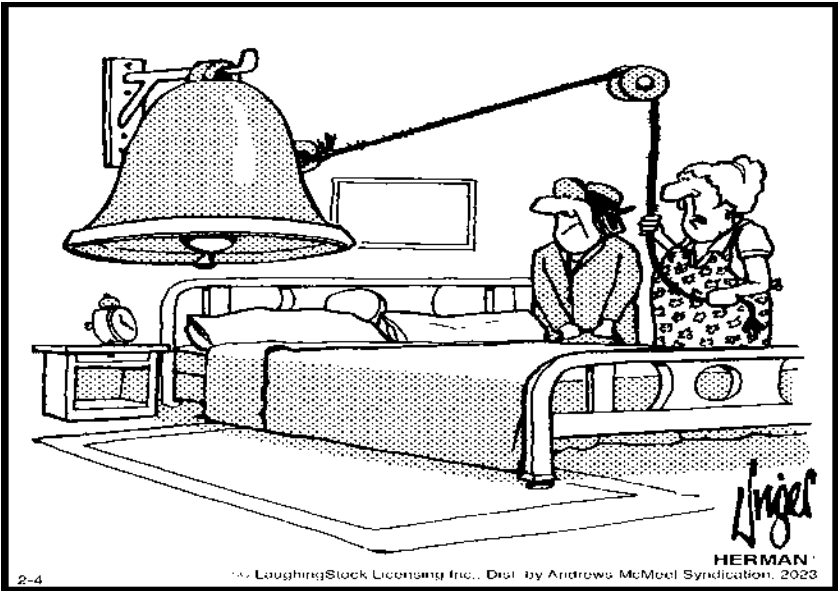
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HERMAN



ASTROGRAPH BY EUGENIA LAST

Stand up for your rights. Let go of the past, and head in a direction that offers a better future. Refuse to make questionable or unnecessary changes. Keep the peace, but not at the expense of taking on something that doesn't interest you. Pursue what will make you happy.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) -- Take note of what others do and how they act. Keep your thoughts to yourself, which will help you assess what's going on without making waves. Time is on your side, and patience will pay off.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) -- It's up to you to bring about change if that's what's required. Don't wait for someone to make a move when taking the helm and making things happen will bring higher returns.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) -- Watch, and you'll see a pattern form that will help you make up your mind. Call on someone who offers sound advice, and you'll come up with a plan that will put your mind at ease.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) -- Don't let uncertainty hold you back. Check off all the boxes and forge ahead with confidence. It's up to you to make things happen and turn your ideas into something substantial.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) -- Don't lose sight of your goal. Home in on your target and don't stop until you reach it. Steer clear of anyone who tends to meddle or entices you to be indulgent. Take your responsibilities seriously.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) -- Use your skills and knowledge to find a distinct way to get ahead. Team up with someone who has something to

contribute, or discuss your ideas with an expert who can help you focus.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) -- Consider indecisiveness a red flag. Spare yourself the worry and stress of getting involved in something that makes you feel uneasy. Protect what you have worked so hard to achieve.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) -- Live in the moment, observe what's going on around you and learn all you can to help you monetize your skills. If you socialize with like-minded people, promising opportunities will appear.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) -- Put a halt on joint ventures or shared expenses. Divvy up what's yours and what's not to protect against loss or do damage control. Go it alone if you want to get things done.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) -- You'll attract people who are disciplined and ready to take on additional responsibilities. Discussing your plans with a friend or relative will be enlightening.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) -- Do what suits your needs and helps you stay on course. Taking care of your responsibilities will also keep a meddler at arm's length. A serious approach to your finances is encouraged.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) -- Pay attention to detail, organize your thoughts and incorporate changes at home and to your schedule to ensure you reach your objective. A kind word will lift someone's spirits.

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Board of Trustees C/O
Adair County Health Department
1001 S. Jamison
Kirksville, MO 63501

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ADAIR COUNTY, MISSOURI AT PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF (Date File Stamp)
Morris Rutherford ESTATE NUMBER 17AR-PR00071
Protectee Now Deceased.

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION (Sec. 475.320, RSMo)

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF MORRIS RUTHERFORD, PROTECTEE NOW DECEASED.
Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property will be filed in the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri at Kirksville by the undersigned on February 28, 2023 or as continued by the court and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within twenty days after the filing of such settlement.

1-17-2023

Rhonda Noe, Administrator D.B.N
300 N Franklin St
Kirksville, MO 63501
660-785-3211

Sherry L. Darling Attorney Bar No. 51128
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Kirksville, MO 63501
660-488-5830
sherrydarlinglaw@gmail.com
PUBLICATION DATES: January 28, February 4, 11 and 18, 2023

IN THE 2ND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT, ADAIR COUNTY, MISSOURI

Case Number: 23AR-PR00010 (Date File Stamp)

Judge or Division:
KRISTIE JEAN SWAIM

In the Estate of ANNABEL CROW, Deceased.

Notice of Letters Testamentary Granted (Supervised Administration)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of ANNABEL CROW, Decedent:

On January 25, 2023, the last will of the decedent having been admitted to probate, the following individual was appointed personal representative of the estate of ANNABEL CROW, decedent by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri.

The name and address of the personal representative is:
RUDY RILEY, 2508 AUGUSTA, KIRKSVILLE, MO 63501

The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is:
C. DAVID ROUNER, 400 N. FRANKLIN, KIRKSVILLE, MO 63501, 660-665-7515

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or if a copy of this notice was mailed to, or served upon, such creditor by the personal representative, then within two months from the date it was mailed or served, whichever is later, or be forever barred to the fullest extent permissible by law. Such six-month period and such two-month period do not extend the limitation period that would bar claims one year after the decedent's death, as provided in Section 473.444, RSMo, or any other applicable limitation periods. Nothing in Section 473.033, RSMo, shall be construed to bar any action against a decedent's liability insurance carrier through a defendant ad litem pursuant to Section 537.021, RSMo.

Date of the decedent's death: November 21, 2022
Date of first publication: February 4, 2023
Martha Cole
Adair County Circuit Clerk
PUBLICATION DATES: 2-4-2023, 2-11-2023, 2-18-2023, 2-25-2023

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ADAIR COUNTY, MISSOURI PROBATE DIVISION

FILED 1/24/2023 MARTHA COLE ADAIR COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT

In Re the Estate of Annie Marie Epperson, Decedent, Barbara Dierling, Petitioner, And
Louisa Janie Magers, Michael Dierling, respondents. Case No. 22AR-PR00147

Notice of Hearing

TO THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF Annie Marie Epperson, Deceased.
You are hereby notified that Annie Marie Epperson died on December 17, 1997. A Second Amended Petition for Determination of Heirship was filed by Barbara Dierling in the Adair County Probate Court on January 23, 2023 to determine the Heirs of Annie Marie Epperson, deceased, and of their respective interests as such heirs in and with respect to the following described property owned by said Decedent at the time of death, to-wit: Real Property located in Adair County legally described as: All that part of the East Half (E1/2) of the Southwest Quarter (SW1/4) of Section three (3) of township sixty three (63) North of range Seventeen (17) and described as follows, to wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of said East Half (E1/2) of the southwest quarter (SW1/4) of Section three (3) Township sixty three (63) of range seventeen (17), and running thence north to the south line of Spring Creek running through said tract; thence in a south easterly direction along said Spring Creek to a point where said Spring Creek nearest intersects the public road running north and south through said tract, thence running southeasterly direction along said public road to the south line of said East Half (E1/2) of the southwest Quarter (SW1/4) of said Section three (3), thence west to the place of beginning and containing in all thirty three (33) acres more or less.

Petitioner's attorney is Jessica Marie Rooks, whose business address is 2424 S. Franklin St. Suite A, Kirksville, Missouri 63501.

The place of publication of this notice is Kirksville Daily Express, Kirksville, Missouri.

You are hereby required to appear to answer said Petition on the 14 day of March, 2023, at 10:00 o'clock am in the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri, at which time and place said petition will be heard. Should you fail therein, judgment may be entered in due course upon said petition.

Martha Cole, Adair County Circuit Clerk Clerk, Probate Division Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri

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CROSSWORD PUZZLES

ACROSS

1 — Kong
5 Boxing's greatest
8 Smoke detector output
12 What hulks pump
13 Way to satori
14 Has regrets
15 Nursery word
16 Skosh
17 Where Tabriz is
18 Wane
20 Furtive whisper
21 This, in Latin
22 Forest grazer
23 Basked
26 Miniature maple, e.g.
29 Id companions
30 Antiquity
31 Union site
33 Aykroyd or Rather
34 Skyrocket
35 Oz canine
36 Returns the favor

38 Godzilla's land
39 Famous numero
40 Come out on top
41 Type of palm tree
43 Happen to
46 Klutz's cry
47 Sushi fish
48 Urge on
50 Too
51 Turner or Koppel
52 Poet's black
53 Glimpsed
54 Jr. naval officer
55 Ms. Ponselle

DOWN

1 That guy
2 Face-to-face exam
3 Iditarod terminus
4 Grinds one's teeth
5 Ancient Mexican
6 Rangy
7 Wabash loc.
8 Tall blooms

Answer to Previous Puzzle

TOOK TROT SAO
EIRE YOUR ORD
SLAT KYRA III
SETTEE DYLAN
RELY BEE
EERIE LPGA
HAW SOBS PROD
URAL VEEP EVE
ENYA EXTOLRE
KID TORE
JIBED OSCARS
ANY ACCT AJAR
DIT HOOT LAST
ETE ONTO SHEA

9 Not his and hers
10 Uncluttered
11 W-2 info
19 Piece of turf
20 Corncake
22 Student quarters
23 Guided
24 Culture medium
25 Region of disapproval
27 Up above
28 Wee bit
30 Toy on a string
32 Many millennia

34 Writer — Grey
35 Pretty songbird
37 Wears (2 wds.)
38 Skippy rival
40 Solders
41 Give out sparingly
42 Vaulted recess
43 "— here long?"
44 Timber wolf
45 Country in Asia
46 1948 treaty grp.
47 Paris season
49 Double helix

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ACROSS

1 Kan. neighbor
4 Average grades
8 Lively dances
12 — — roll (lucky)
13 Free from infirmity
14 Spread-sheet worker
15 Sad
17 Surrealist Salvador
18 Mike problems
19 Slump
21 Actress — Harper
22 Tropical lizard
26 Computer guru
30 Actress Merkel
31 Medieval weapon
34 Ump's cousin
35 Not much (2 wds.)
36 Almond-shaped
37 Hirt and Pacino

38 Strip of wood
39 None
40 Bring in from China
42 Wing it (hyph.)
44 Apiece
47 XXI times C
49 Attic
51 Indian ruler
54 Foreman
56 Goody-goody
57 Davidson or Buttigieg
58 Big flap
59 Silent performer
60 Mild rejoinder
61 Rocky Mountain hrs.

DOWN

1 "Nah"
2 Put into law
3 Hit the showers
4 Pizza topper
5 Has a meal
6 Yalie
7 Min. fractions

Answer to Previous Puzzle

HONG ALI IONS
IRON ZEN RUES
MAMA TAD IRAN
LESSEN PSST
HOC DOE
LAZED BONSAI
EGOS YORE TOE
DAN ZOOM TOTO
REPAYS JAPAN
UNO WIN
DATE BEFALL
OOPS EEL GOAD
ALSO TED EBON
SEEN ENS ROSA

8 Estimate
9 "My mind — — blank"
10 Salon supply
11 Hindu title
16 Cheap lodging
20 ID info
23 Caribbean island
24 Do socks
25 Word of honor
27 Study late
28 Pitch in
29 In that case (2 wds.)
31 "— Lisa"
32 Enthusias- tic

33 Stock option
35 Church tables
40 PC maker
41 Parented
43 Mind's picture
45 Off-white
46 Pays attention to
48 Rise to the occasion
49 "— — grip!"
50 Slow run
51 Tach reading
52 Onassis nickname
53 Henson or Carrey
55 — out (relax)

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SUDOKU

Here's How It Works:
Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

PREVIOUS ANSWER

2	9	7	5	8	1	6	3	4
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6	3	2	7	5	9	4	1	8
9	4	1	2	3	8	7	6	5
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PREVIOUS ANSWER

9	8	5	3	7	6	4	1	2
7	1	2	4	5	9	8	3	6
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5	3	1	7	9	2	6	8	4
4	9	7	5	6	8	3	2	1
2	6	8	1	4	3	9	5	7
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Missouri Heroes to Hives sign-up open through February

By University of Missouri Extension

COLUMBIA — University of Missouri Extension is taking applications from veterans for the third year of the Missouri Heroes to Hives program. The free program trains veterans in beekeeping while also addressing their mental and physical wellness, said MU Extension agronomist Travis Harper.

“Research has shown that the act of keeping bees can be very therapeutic, much like gardening and other outdoor activities,” Harper said. “We also incorporate Q.P.R. suicide prevention training, stress relief and tai chi into the Heroes to Hives curriculum.”

The program, which runs March to December, consists of three parts:

1. Online training modules from Michigan Food and Farming Systems that veterans work through at their own pace.
 2. Monthly Zoom webinars on topics specific to Missouri beekeeping.
 3. Hands-on training at an MU teaching apiary in Warrensburg, Mount Vernon or Poplar Bluff.
- “Our goal is to have in-person training sites located strategically across Missouri so that all Missouri veterans have access to training within a relatively short driving distance,” Harper said.
- Heroes to Hives (H2H) is also available for those needing adaptations, he said. “More than 60 percent of our participants have some sort of service-connected disability. Beekeeping is very

physically demanding, and we want to make sure all veterans who want to keep bees are able to keep bees. We work with them both in and outside the H2H curriculum to do this, sometimes utilizing other MU Extension programs such as AgrAbility.”

The program is free to all veterans — active-duty, reserve, National Guard, etc. — and their spouses or dependents.

Adam Ingrao, himself a veteran, started Heroes to Hives in Michigan in 2015 to address the personal and financial wellness of veterans through professional training and community development centered around beekeeping.

In Missouri, the program was piloted in 2021 with one training site. “The reception was overwhelming,” Harper said. “We



Travis Harper gives students a rundown of the day before they suit up and get to the hives at MU Southwest Center in Mount Vernon.

had 300 veterans participate in the program. We added a second training site for 2022 and are adding a third this year.”

Missouri is the first state chapter of the national Heroes to Hives program.

Sign up for the 2023 season by Feb. 28 at www.heroestohives.com. Registration is through Michigan Food and Farming Systems. Learn more about the national program at www.heroestohives.org.

NFPA urges added caution when using home heating equipment, the second-leading cause of U.S. home fires

By National Fire Protection Association

The National Fire Protection Association® (NFPA®) is urging the public to use added caution when heating their homes during the winter months, when nearly half (46 percent) of all U.S. home heating equipment fires occur. Home heating equipment is the second-leading cause of U.S. home fires and home fire injuries, and the third-leading cause of home fire deaths and direct property damage.

According to the latest Home Heating Fires report from NFPA, an average of 44,210 home heating fires occurred each year between 2016 and 2020, resulting in an estimated 480 civilian deaths, 1,370 civilian injuries, and \$1 billion in

direct property damage.

“During the coldest months of the year, home heating equipment kicks into high gear, so making sure it is in good working order and used properly is critical to reducing the likelihood of fire,” said Lorraine Carli, vice president of Outreach and Advocacy at NFPA. “By better understanding when and where home heating fires happen, people can take the steps to minimize associated risks and safely heat their homes.”

Home fires caused by heating equipment were less likely to occur in the overnight hours from midnight to 6 a.m. (13 percent), but they accounted for more than two out of five fatalities (43 percent), as well as disproportionate shares of

injuries (22 percent) and direct property damage (20 percent).

Space heaters are most often responsible for home heating equipment fires, accounting for one-third of the fires, as well as the vast majority of associated deaths (88 percent) and injuries (80 percent).

NFPA offers these tips and guidelines for safely heating your home during the winter months:

- Heating equipment and chimneys should be cleaned and inspected every year by a qualified professional.
- Keep anything that can burn at least three feet (one meter) away from all heating equipment, including furnaces, fireplaces, wood stoves, and space heaters.

- Always use the right kind of fuel, as specified by the manufacturer, for fuel-burning space heaters.
- Create a three-foot (one meter) “kid-free zone” around open fires and space heaters.
- Make sure space heaters are in good working order and used in accordance with the manufacturer’s instructions. Turn portable heaters off when leaving the room or going to bed.
- Fireplaces should have a sturdy screen to stop sparks from flying into the room. Ashes should be cool before putting them in a metal container, which should be placed outside at least 10 feet away from your home.
- All fuel-burning equipment should be vented to the outside

to avoid carbon monoxide (CO) poisoning.

- If you smell gas in your gas heater, do not light the appliance. Leave the home immediately and call your local fire department or gas company.
- Make sure smoke and carbon monoxide alarms are located throughout the home; test them monthly to ensure that they’re working properly.

NFPA offers a wealth of home heating safety tips, information, and resources to help better educate the public about ways to safely heat their homes. In addition, NFPA’s “Put a Freeze on Winter Fires” campaign with the U.S. Fire Administration works to promote a host of winter safety issues, including home heating.



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Faith Lutheran Church
1820 S. Baltimore, Baltimore & LaHarpe
David Lukelahr, Pastor
7:30 a.m. The Lutheran Hour KLTE
8:15 a.m. Worship Service Peace, Milan
9:00 a.m. Adult Bible Study Faith
9:00 a.m. Sunday School Faith
10:15 a.m. Worship Service Faith
10:00 p.m. Issues, Etc. 107.9 KLTE
www.faithkirksville.org

Hamilton Street Baptist Church
802 W. Hamilton
8:30 a.m. Worship Service
9:45 a.m. Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
www.hamiltonstreet.org

Rehoboth Baptist Church
100 Pfeiffer Rd.
Curtis Ferguson, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Fellowship
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
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First Presbyterian Church (USA)
201 S. High at McPherson
Communion 1st Sunday
9:30 a.m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a.m. Fellowship Time.
11:00 a.m. Church School/all ages
5:30 p.m. College Fellowship

Kirksville Church of Christ
110 Pfeiffer Ave.
Elders/Pastors: Dan Green, Dean Hansen
10:00 a.m. Bible Study
11 a.m. Worship
Weds 6:30p.m. Bible Study
www.kvccoc.org

First Baptist Church
207 E. Washington
Jason Marlin, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Bible Study for all ages
10:45 a.m. Worship & Kidz Worship
firstbaptistkirksville.com

Faith United Methodist Church
1602 E. Illinois
Pastor: Joshua Ritzheimer
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Worship
Southside Baptist Church
1010 W. Burton
Pastor: Aaron Rodgersson
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Preaching
6:30 p.m. Evening Service

First Church of God
2900 S. Halliburton
Chad Earhart
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship
www.kirksvillechurchofgod.com

Kirksville Nazarene Church
2302 N. Lincoln Road
Mark Czandema, Lead Pastor
9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
www.kvnazarene.org==

Central Church of Christ
2010 S. Halliburton
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Faith Baptist Church
502 N. Florence
Pastors: Brandon Rhea & Robert Price
10:00 a.m. Bible Study
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
12:00 p.m. Noon Lunch
1:30 p.m. Worship

The Crossing Church
810 E. Shepherd Ave.
9 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. Sunday Service
www.thecrossing.net

Grace Community Bible Church
1501 E. Northtown Rd.
Benjamin Jorden, Pastor
Affiliated with the Evangelical Free Church of America
9:30 a.m. Worship
11:00 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
12 p.m., 5 p.m., 6 p.m. Small groups
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First United Methodist Church
300 E. Washington
Pastors - Rev. Scott Beard & Rev. Jennifer Finley
9:30 a.m. Worship In Person & Online
kvumc.org

Pure Air Baptist Church
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
TBA Bible Study

Church of God of Prophecy
807 Benton Way
Pastor: Rob Linhart
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
6:30 p.m. Evening Service

Fellowship Baptist Church
1701 S. Jamison St., Kirksville
Larry Gibson, Pastor
9:00 a.m. Sunday Worship
10:30 a.m. Sunday Bible Study
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Yarrow Methodist Church
Highway N., Yarrow
Guest Pastors
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Mary Immaculate Catholic Church
Weekday Masses: Tuesday: 5:30 p.m.
Wed. & Friday: 7 a.m. Thursday: 8 a.m.
Weekend Masses: Saturday: 5:30 p.m.
Sunday: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.

Catholic Newman Center
11:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. Sunday
7:00 a.m. Monday
9:00 p.m. Wednesday

Union Temple Church Southwest of Kirksville
Alan Coonfield, Pastor
Every Sunday Evening
5-5:30 p.m. Bible Study
5:30-6:30 p.m. Church Service

Sugar Creek Baptist Church
5 mi South on Hwy 3
Pastor, Virgil K. Jones
10:00 a.m. Worship Service

Hazel Creek Primitive Baptist Church
2 mi. W. Greentop on Rt. K then 1/2 mi. S.
Elder Dillion Thurman, minister
Services on 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays
10:30 a.m. Song Service
11:00 a.m. Preaching

Meadow Brook Christian Church
602 E. Washington
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 Morning Worship

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church
Novinger, Mo.
7:30 a.m. Sunday

Life Church of Kirksville
112 W. Potter
Jeremy Pingle, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Service

Community Presbyterian Church
210 N. Owensby, LaPlata, Mo
Rev. John Becker, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:40 a.m. Worship Service

Cornerstone Church
1702 N Elson St Kirksville, MO
Jeremy Broach, Senior Pastor
Chad Slearmn, Associate Pastor
Sunday 10 am - Morning Worship
Wednesday 6:30 pm-8 pm Family Ministry Night
www.cornerstonechurch.faith

Countryside Christian Church
S. Boundary St. Rt. H, Troy Mills
Preacher, Harold R. Engel
8:30 - 9:45 a.m. Blended Worship
10:00 - 10:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. Worship
6:00 p.m. High School-College Youth meet
www.countrysidekv.com

Gifford Christian Church
Minister: Darren Potter
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship

Lake Road Chapel
22963 Potter Trail
Pastors: Andrew Turner, Andy Thompson, David Kelly
10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship Service
www.lakeroadchapel.org

Church of God (Holiness)
1601 N. Elson
Pastor Ralph E. Wheeler, Jr.
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. Evening Worship

New Hope Evangelical Church
620 Steer Creek Way
9:30 - 10:20 a.m. Bible Class
10:20 - 10:30 a.m. Fellowship time

10:30 a.m. Praise & Worship
7:00 p.m. Evening Worship
Darrell Draper, Pastor
660-341-0000
Jim Maxey, Calling Pastor
660-665-6949 or 660-216-4183

First Assembly of God
2401 S. High
Jeff Arp, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:40 a.m. Morning Worship
(Communion First Sunday of the Month)
6:30 p.m. Evening Praise
www.KirksvilleFirst.com

First Liberty Full Gospel
1302 E. Filmore
Rev. Fred Baker, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. Evening Worship

Novinger Baptist Church
Highway 6 & 149
Rev. Darrell Crooks, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
7:00 p.m. Evening Worship

First Christian Church
(Disciples of Christ)
High & Harrison
9:30 a.m. Worship Service
10:30 a.m. Sunday School

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
2000 E. Normal
Kirksville First Ward Bishop John Grider
11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Sunday Services
Kirksville Second Ward Bishop Isaac Ison
9 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Sunday Services

Trinity Episcopal Church
124 N. Mulanix
Rev. Amy L. Fallon, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Holy Eucharist

Seventh Day Adventist Church
1301 N. Elson
Curtis Denney, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sabbath School (Saturday)
11:00 a.m. Worship Service (Saturday)
Fellowship Dinner on 4th Saturday.

United Methodist Church
Brashear Charge, Brashear
Lay Minister, Nancy Douglas
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship
7:00 p.m. Singspiration - 1st Sunday

Willow Bend Association East Center Community Church
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Worship

Illinois Bend Community Church
Highway 3
Pastor Terry Hunsaker
8:30 a.m. Worship
9:30 a.m. Bible Study
660-349-0052

Baring Community Church
11:00 a.m. Worship.

Downing Christian Church
430 E. Prime Street
Minister Walker Franke
Associate Minister Larry Smith
9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship Service
6:00 pm Evening Service
660-379-2329

Willow Bend Church
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New Hope Methodist Reformed Church - Millard
9:15 a.m. Bible Study
10:00 a.m. Worship

Greentop Community Church
Highway K, Greentop, Mo.
Pastor: Lynae McFarland
10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Trinity United Fellowship Church
Pastor: Lorne Arber
9:00 a.m. Worship
10:00 a.m. Sunday School

Lancaster United Methodist Church
Pastor: Joshua Ritzheimer
9:00 a.m. Worship
10:00 a.m. Sunday School

Shekinah Mennonite Church
15981 Blueberry Way, Kirksville
John Mark Miller, Pastor Roger Berry
9:30 a.m. Bible Study
10:30 a.m. Worship
6:00 p.m. 2nd Sunday - hymn sing
6:00 p.m. 4th Sunday of month Topic

Bethel Community Church
12 miles NE of Kirksville on Rt. T
Marvin Cross, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. Kid's Klub/Youth Fellowship
7:00 p.m. Evening Worship.

Lancaster Baptist Church
Southeast Side of Square, Lancaster
Lonnie Johnson, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. Evening Worship

Grace Bible Baptist Church
Greencastle, Mo.
Rev. Earl Baker, Pastor
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship
5:00 p.m. Evening Service

Winigan Christian Church
Ryan Crist, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service

First Baptist Church
Winigan, Winigan, Mo.
Sam Burkholder, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship
6:00 p.m. Evening Worship

Fairview Baptist Church
53610 Knob Hill Road, Pollock
Sam Burkholder, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
6:00 p.m. Sunday Evening

Bible Missionary Church
508 S. Main St.
Bro. Glenn Kiger, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
7:00 p.m. Evening Worship

LaPlata Christian Church
Scott McNay, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:40 a.m. Worship Service

Christ's Family Church
531 N. Baltimore
Glenn Berry, Pastor
9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Worship Service
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Queen City Christian Church
Queen City, Mo.
Bud Cornwell, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Bible School
10:30 a.m. Communion/worship Hour

United Pentecostal Church
1502 E. Northtown Road
David E. Brown, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
6:30 p.m. Sunday Evening Worship

Brashear Community Bible Church
Donny Powell, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship
660-323-5305

First Baptist Church of LaPlata
B. J. McAlpin, Pastor
9:00 am "Donut Hole" Fellowship
9:00 am Sunday School
10:00 am Worship Service
6:00 pm Evening Worship
6:00 pm Monday – AWANA
http://laplatafbco.org/
Email: laplatafbco@gmail.com

Hazel Creek Free Will Baptist Church
8 mi. N.W. of Kirksville on Rt. B.
Tim Hodges, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Evening Worship

Worthington Baptist Church
Worthington, Mo.
Roger Busnell, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Morning worship
7:00 p.m. Evening Worship

The Salvation Army
1004 W. Gardner
Brian and Michelle Bump, Pastors
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Worship Service
5:00 p.m. Evening Worship

Queen City First Baptist Church
6th at Washington St.
Robert Smith, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship
7:00 p.m. Evening Worship

St. John's Lutheran Church ELCA
North of Queen City go East on Rt. O
Pastor, Bill Iammattoe-Code
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Hurdland First Baptist Church
Robert Shobe, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
7:30 p.m. Sun. & Weds. Worship and/or Bible Study

Colony Baptist Church
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. 4th Sunday worship

Cornerstone Community Church
Meeting at the Fohn Family Center 404 N. Elson
9:30 a.m. Sunday Small Group Bible Study designed for adults

Locust Hill Community Church
Rt. I, Novelty, Mo
William Gaines, Pastor
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Morning Worship

New Harmony Free Will Baptist
3 miles West of Greentop on Rt. K
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Morning Worship

Word Alive! Family Church
Hwy 63, Greentop
Pastors: Robert Gange
10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship, Adult service, Childrens Church

Schuyler County Church of Faith
Highway 136 East, Lancaster
Sonny Smyser, Pastor
8 a.m. & 10 a.m. Sunday Services
11:00 a.m. Adult Sunday Class
3rd Sunday Fellowship dinner 12 noon

Gospel Outreach Church
209 W. Washington
Norman Keller, Pastor
Gonda Manning, Co pastor
7:00 p.m. Thursday Services
7:00 p.m. Sunday Services

Victory Baptist Church Of Greentop
-Meets at the Willmathsville Community Church on Hwy A.
Pastor Joshua Wesley
10:30 a.m. Worship

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