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NEMO Fair Queen to be crowned on July 16

Baby Show, Teen Miss and Young Miss pageants will also be held on same day.

By Marty Bachman
Daily Express

One of the major highlights of the NEMO Fair season is the annual Baby Show and the NEMO Fair Queen, Teen Miss and Young Miss pageants, both of which will be held on July 16 in the multi-purpose building at the fairgrounds. The Baby Show begins at 10 a.m., and the Fair Queen pageant at 4 p.m. Both events are free to the public.

According to Cortney Diggins, a Queen Committee member, the baby show is a little kid contest for ages zero to 8 and this year it is themed "Back to the '80s", with pageant officials encouraging the kids to come dressed in their best '80s outfit or as their favorite '80s character.

"So all your neon, all your retro — anything you want," said Diggins. "You could be anything from the '80s."

Registration for the event, begins at 8:30 a.m. and the actual contest begins at 10 a.m. CorTech and the NEMO Fair Queen Committee are sponsors of the event and the judges are NEMO Fair queens. CorTech will be providing participants with a gift bag and Diggins said that the

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NEMO Senior Citizens Services honors longtime employees and founders

By Marty Bachman
Daily Express

The Kirksville Area Chamber of Commerce held a Business After Hours gathering at The Crossing church building honoring NEMO Senior Citizens Services, Inc. last Tuesday.

According to Bridget Morton, RN and executive director of NEMO Senior Citizens, the event was to celebrate their 50th anniversary in business. NEMO Senior Citizens was incorporated in April of 1973.

Morton used the occasion to recognize employees for their years of service with NEMO Senior Citizens Services including the newly established Founder's Award.

"The Founder's Award was established and given in this our 50th year to recognize individuals who have demonstrated a long-standing commitment in the development and delivery of programs and services for senior citizens," Morton wrote in an email.

The first recipients of the award were: Teresa O'Brien Pagliai (posthumously) executive director of NEMO Senior Citizens from 1984-2015, Freda May, member of the original board of directors for NEMO Senior Citizens and lifetime supporter of various programs to benefit area seniors, and Mary Playle, president of NEMO's current Board of Directors and long-time volunteer for NEMO.

Other awards given that night went to Janie Weber for 30 years of service, Julie Rouse for 33 years of service, Lara Dew for 11 years of service, Rose Manchester and Annette Rhodes, both recognized for 26 years of service, Shandra Stephenson recognized for 25 years of service and Tammy Dodsworth, recognized for 34 years of service.

The mission of NEMO Senior Citizens is to provide social, recreational, and life-supporting services that enable seniors and adults with disability to maintain their independence and remain in their homes for as long as safely possible.

Services offered by the organization include congregate and home-delivered meals (60,420 meals served last year); home and community-based in-home services (personal care, homemaker chore and family caregiver respite). Last year 4,545 hours of in-home services were provided (cleaning, laundry, personal care, etc).

The organization's social media campaign, which included education and health programs, garnered 19,077 engagements. The group has provided quarterly information on nutrition education, which included a printed menu of which 1,040 were distributed. They've answered approximately 1,950 calls where they provided information and referrals and they've given eight individuals volunteer opportunities valued at 165 hours (\$23,760 a year.)

The outcomes as a result of the services rendered by NEMO Senior Citizens include:



Freda May (left), a member of the original board of directors for NEMO Senior Citizens and lifetime supporter of various programs to benefit area seniors, was given the Founder's Award. ALL PHOTOS PICTURED WITH NEMO SENIOR CITIZENS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR BRIDGET MORTON



Julie Rouse (left) receives recognition for 33 years of service.



Janie Weber (left) receives an award for 30 years of service.



Tammy Dodsworth (left) was recognized for 34 years of service.



Mary Playle (right), president of NEMO's current Board of Directors and long-time volunteer for NEMO, received a Founder's Award.



Shandra Stephenson (left), received an award for 25 years of service.



Lora Dew (left) receives recognition for 11 years of service.

- Combat food insecurity (42 percent of clients-income below federal poverty level)
- Clients maintain their independence and remain in their homes
- Continued eased burden of participation requirements for seniors in terms of meeting nutritional, personal care and environmental needs
- Consistent visual contact/interaction provides a critical support system bolstering client safety (68 percent of clients live alone, 12 percent are considered "frail elders")
- Improved physical and mental health
- Improved nutrition and general eating habits for seniors



Rose Manchester and Annette Rhodes were both recognized for 26 years of service.

- Gained knowledge of senior nutritional requirements through quarterly education
- Positive long-term changes in behaviors of clients in regard to their daily life
- Improved community attitudes towards the senior population

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City seeks community help to reduce vandalism in parks, public spaces

By City of Kirksville

The city of Kirksville's police and parks departments are asking for citizen help in watching for and reporting instances of vandalism in parks and other community public spaces.

According to city officials, over the past month there has been an increase in vandalism in city parks. That includes damaged grave-stones at Forest-Llewellyn Cemetery, a destroyed shelter at Patryla Park, offensive graffiti throughout the parks system, and most recently, destroyed trees at Memorial Park and along Washington Street in downtown Kirksville.

"The city of Kirksville often uses community partnerships and grant opportunities to improve community spaces and provide Kirksville with attractive facilities," city officials wrote in a press release. "Vandalism and property destruction disrupts the availability and enjoyment of these community spaces, while also forcing city staff to use time and resources that could have been spent elsewhere."

City officials said that it costs taxpayer dollars to replace or fix these items and prevents improvements being done in other parts of the city.

"These acts only harm the community," they wrote.

As a reminder, all Parks and Recreation facilities are closed between the hours



of 11 p.m. and 5 a.m. Other than approved commercial displays for special events, there are no fireworks allowed in any park. Vandalism, including graffiti, damage to trees or other forms of destruction of property in the parks or community spaces, is a crime.

"We ask that if you see vandalism or other inappropriate activities occurring in the parks, that you contact the Kirksville Police Department," city officials said. "We hope that with the help of the entire community, we can keep our public spaces free of vandalism so that everyone can enjoy these facilities."

UPCOMING EVENTS

Kirksville Area Calendar of Events

Red, White and Blue Festival events

On Saturday, July 1, there will be a Pancake Breakfast along Washington Street, from 7 to 10 a.m. while the Kiwanis Farmer's Market, located on the 100 block of North Elson Street, runs from 7 a.m. to noon. The All-American Red, White and Blue Classic Car Show will be in the downtown Cinema 8 parking lot from 8 a.m. to noon. Patriotic runners will take to the streets also on Saturday morning, for the 7th Annual FLATS Uncle Sam 5K/1.2-Mile Walk. That race begins at the DuKum Inn at 8:30 a.m. To register, go to www.kvflats.org/events

Bats up for Bruner Memorial Scholarship fundraiser

Adam Bruner Memorial Scholarship presents "Bats up for Bruner": Swinging bats, saving lives, raising scholarship funds for EMS MVPs, on Saturday, July 1 at 10 a.m. at the North Park Complex in Kirksville. There is a \$200 team entry fee and each team must have a minimum of 10 players. CO-ED teams with male/female ratio no less than 7/3. Players must be 16 years old. Each team is guaranteed three games. A Traveling Trophy will be awarded to the winning teams. Each team needs to bring their own ball. To play, complete and submit an entry form by June 16. Accepting individual players for \$20 per person and will assemble teams for the tournaments. Free admission to spectators, concession stands, dunk tank — try your hand at dunking some of your favorite county and city emergency services — a home run derby, 50/50 raffles, Bootcut and fireworks to follow championship game. No coolers allowed at this event.

Thousand Hills State Park presents: 'Petroglyph Tour'

Saturday, July 1 — 10 am Thousand Hills State Park is home to a collection of petroglyphs or rock carvings made by ancestors of today's American Indians. Explore the petroglyphs with park staff to learn more about this unique piece of history. Meet at the petroglyph shelter located next to the beach. Questions? Contact the park office at 660-665-6995

Fireworks at North Park

The Red, White and Blue Festival will hold "Fireworks at North Park" the evening of July 1 from 9:30 to 10 p.m.

City of Kirksville offices will be closed on July 4

City offices will be closed on Tuesday, July 4, in observance of Independence Day. Offices will reopen on Wednesday, July 5, for regular business hours. The Kirksville Aquatic Center will be open for regular hours most of the holiday weekend, but will close at 5 p.m. on Saturday, July 1 and Tuesday, July 4.

Kirksville Tourism Advisory Board meeting

The city of Kirksville's Tourism Advisory Board will hold a meeting at 8 a.m. on Wednesday, July 5 at the Kirksville Chamber of Commerce, 304 S. Franklin Street.

Kirksville Historic Preservation Commission meeting

The Kirksville Historic Preservation Commission will hold a meeting at 4 p.m. on Wednesday, July 5, in the Council Chambers at City Hall, 201 S. Franklin Street.

Free legal consultations for veterans offered in Kirksville on July 6

The University of Missouri School of Law Veterans Clinic,

through its Tigers for Troops program, will offer free legal consultations to veterans regarding United States Department of Veterans Affairs ("VA") disability benefits, discharge upgrades, and VA healthcare at the Kirksville Arts Association at 215 S Franklin Street, Kirksville, on July 6, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Veterans can register for an appointment at <https://bit.ly/KirksvilleFTT> or call (573) 882-7630.

The Veterans Clinic is located in the University of Missouri's School of Law. Under the supervision of experienced attorneys, law students help veterans, at no charge, with their claims in front of the Department of Veterans Affairs. The Tigers for Troops program was created by the clinic to remedy unmet legal needs of rural veterans in Missouri. Under the program, the clinic partners with Mizzou Extension to travel to rural parts of Missouri to reach veterans without access to veteran's services. The Veterans Clinic also assists veterans in receiving discharge upgrades, helps train attorneys to help veterans navigate the VA system, holds annual symposiums highlighting the stories of veterans and developments within veterans' law, and contributes to amicus briefs and other advocacy projects in support of veterans. Since the clinic's inception just seven years ago, it has secured over \$13 million in benefits for veterans in Missouri and has helped more than 1,300 veterans.

Kirksville Lakes, Parks & Recreation Commission meeting

The city of Kirksville's Lakes, Parks & Recreation Commission will hold a meeting at noon on Thursday, July 6, in the Meeting Room at the Kirksville Aquatic Center, 801 E. Mill Street.

Thousand Hills State Park presents 'Hoo is making that noise'

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On July 7 from 7-8 p.m. Have you heard whistles, yelps, and tapping in the forest or near the shore and wondered who was making those sounds? Join park staff to get some answers as you explore animal calls. Meet at the Campground 1 Amphitheater. All programs are weather permitting.

Summer on the Square Concert Series with 'No Apology'

The Aaron Russell Band will perform Friday night, July 7 at 7 p.m., as part of the Kirksville Arts Association's Summer on the Square concert series on the lawn of the Adair County Courthouse Square in downtown Kirksville. The rain venue will be Club One at 301 W. McPherson Street. The concert is free to the public.

Kirksville Parks and Rec. Dollar Swim Night

Dollar Swim Night will be held on July 8 from 6-9 p.m., at the Kirksville Aquatic Center, 801 E. Mill Street in Kirksville. Capacity is limited and admission will be granted on a first come, first serve basis. Sponsored by Preferred Family Prevention.

Kirksville Parks and Recreation Department's 'Movies in the Park'

The third Kirksville Parks and Recreation Department's "Movies in the Park" will be held on July 8 from 8-10 p.m. at Rotary Park's Ray Klinginsmith Amphitheater. The movie will be "Minions: Rise of Gru" and sponsored by Kraft Heinz.

Stargazing at Thousand Hills State Park

Stargazing at Thousand Hills State Park on July 8 from 9-11 p.m. Join Truman State University, Adair County Public Library, and park staff to look through telescopes and learn about the sky above you. Meet at Point Pavilion at Thousand Hills State Park. All programs are weather permitting.

QUEEN

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event is categorized into several different age groups. They all get a trophy for first through third place and then there's an overall winner.

"There'll be a boy and a girl for overall for the whole thing," Diggins said. "The top three get back on

stage and they get to kind of show off their personality and the winner receives a belt buckle that is sponsored by Carter's Work & Western Wear."

While that show is going on, the interview of the queen candidates will be taking place in the 4-H building most of the day. The queen candidates

will take the stage in the multi-purpose building at 4 p.m. and the show usually lasts an hour with a talent portion that showcases their skills in dance, speech demonstrations or song. There will also be a formal moment where contestants will have their bios read while they walk the stage in graceful attire. A queen will be chosen for each division; Queen (17-22), Teen Miss (13-16), and Young Miss (9-12).

Diggins said that there is a Miss Congeniality category for each event and

nobody walks away a loser as they will receive gift bags filled with items from many of the pageant's near 100 sponsors.

The 76th NEMO Fair runs from July 18-22 with opening ceremonies being held on Monday, July 17 at 7 p.m. A full rodeo will be held on July 18 at 7:30 p.m. at the arena.

The 2023 NEMO Fair also has a great lineup of musical entertainment that includes Sara Evans with special guest Jarrod Turner on Saturday night. Friday night will feature

Darryl Worley, with special guests Ashley Barron and Chad Brock. BonJour, a band that combines the hits of Bon Jovi and Journey, will perform on Thursday. All shows are at 7 p.m. at the grandstand.

The fair will feature food vendors, a truck and tractor pull and daily livestock shows by 4-H and the FFA. Bands playing at the Moose Lodge Beer Garden include Hever DJ Service on Monday, July 15, No Apology on Tuesday and Wednesday, Shakey Ground on Thursday and Bootcut, Friday and Saturday. All shows are at 5 p.m. daily, as does the beer garden.

Season pass tickets are \$50 through July 17 and \$55 at the gate and includes access to all the concerts, rides and exhibits. A daily pass costs \$20 for Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday and \$25 for Friday or Saturday. Children five and under are free. Passes are available online (\$3 charge), at the fair office, Hy-Vee supermarket and the Ayerco gas stations both north and south. Admission to the fairgrounds is free prior to July 18.

Events prior to the fair include a horse show on July 15 at 11 a.m., a horse-shoe pitting tournament at 6:30 p.m. on July 17, and a pie eating contest on July 17 at 7 p.m.

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OBITUARIES

George William Higgins, Jr

Feb 27, 1932 – Jun 27, 2023

George William Higgins, Jr., 91, of rural Greentop, Missouri, passed away peacefully at his home on June 27, 2023 with his family by his side.

The son of the late George and Catherine (Ludden) Higgins, he was born on February 27, 1932, in Kirksville, Missouri weighing 2 lbs and 8 oz. The story goes that he was carried around in a shoe box for several weeks.



George attended Garden Grove School, north of Adair, Missouri, and Kirksville High School, where he graduated in 1950. George was drafted into the Navy and served during the Korean War from January 2, 1952 to December 13, 1955. He attended boot camp at Naval Station Great Lakes and was stationed in Hawaii, Japan, China, and Korea. He was discharged in Long Beach, California, as a Second Class Mechanic. He was awarded the National Defense Services, Good Conduct, Korean Services, and United Nation Services Medals.

After the military, George worked on his family farm north of Adair, Missouri. On October 4, 1958, George was married to Carolyn Bruegenhemke at the St. Aloysius Catholic Church in Baring, Missouri. After the marriage, he moved to his current farm in 1959, which was connected to his parents' farm. George farmed and raised cattle and hogs.

George is survived by his wife, Carolyn, of 64 years, and his children David (Geri) Higgins of Kirksville, Missouri, Sherry (Gary) Cass, of Brookshire, Texas, Larry (Tammy) Higgins of Brashear, Missouri, Michael Higgins of Greentop, Missouri, and Tammy Grgurich of Novinger, Missouri. Also surviving are his brothers Harry Higgins and John Higgins, 5 grandchildren, 9 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

George was preceded in death by his parents, sisters Mary Hatfield, Anabel Stober, and Margaret Snell; sisters-in-law Shirley Mayer, Alice Bruegenhemke, Barbara Kiley, and Doris Higgins; brothers-in-law Jim Stober, Donald Bruegenhemke, and Dick Kiley; son-in-law Andy Grgurich.

George, along with his family, spent many years water dog racing during the summer and coon hunting during the winter. He had several special dogs throughout the years. He kept a tidy farm and loved to have family get-to-togethers for special events and especially for his birthdays. He enjoyed watching and coaching his kids in sports and loved listening to old time music.

George wishes were to be cremated. A family graveside service, with military rites, will be held at a later date.

Expressions of sympathy in memory of George may be made to Hospice of Northeast Missouri or the Mary Immaculate Catholic Cemetery and mailed to the Travis-Noe Funeral Home, P.O. Box 306, Kirksville, MO 63501.

Charles Clark (Cork) Franklin

Jun 14, 1936 – June 28, 2023

Charles Clark (Cork) Franklin, 87, of Kirksville passed away Wednesday, June 28, 2023 at Northeast Regional Medical Center.

The son of Hartwell and Verda (Pipes) Franklin, he was born June 14, 1936 in Milan, Missouri. On August 25, 1957 in Kirksville he married Janet Snyder and to this union two children were born, Brenda and Brent. On March 23, 1974 in LaPlata, Missouri he married Vicki Donald and added two more children to his family, Tawni and Troy.



Cork is survived by his children, Brenda Hunter (Eric Myers) of Columbia, MO, Brent (Corry) Franklin of Olathe, KS, Tawni (Robert) Anderson of New Haven, MO and Troy (Patti) Mihalevich of Kirksville; seven grandchildren, Zach (Alyssa) Hunter, Shelby (Austin) Hunter Gregory, Drew (Jillian) Michaelis, Tiffany (Cameron) Scafe, Brooke Franklin, Tara (Austin) Bloch, Jenna Mihalevich and Lacey Mihalevich; eleven great grandchildren; one brother, Dick (Ann) Franklin of Independence, MO; one uncle, Dr. George (Elaine) Pipes of Kirksville; one brother-in-law Doug (Lenore) Donald of Dubuque, IA; several nieces and nephews and his loved dog, Jay-Holmes.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife, Vicki of September 4, 2008 and two grandsons.

Cork grew up in Milan, Missouri where he played football and graduated from the Milan High School in 1953. He attended Northeast State Teachers College. He began his working career at McGraw Edison, until moving to Citizen Savings and then sold insurance for Mutual of Omaha until he retired.

He was a member of The Crossing Church and was a Mason and member of the El Kadir Shrine Club. He enjoyed playing golf, bowling, playing poker and most of all attending grandkids sporting events. His hair was very important to him and it always had to be perfect. He had a strong faith and really enjoyed spending time with family.

Visitation will be from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Saturday, July 1, 2023 with a memorial service at 1:00 p.m. at Davis-Playle-Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home. Interment of his and Vicki's remains will be in Park View Memorial Gardens Mausoleum.

Arrangements in the care of Davis-Playle-Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home; www.davisplaylehudsonrimer.com.

Dr. William A. Kuchera

Oct 25, 1933 – June 12, 2023

Dr. William A. Kuchera, 89, passed away peacefully at home on June 12, 2023, with Natalie, his wife of 68 years, by his side. He was born in Albert Lea, Minnesota, on October 25, 1933, to the late Dr. Louis and Irma Kuchera.



Bill was a loving, faithful family man, and an accomplished physician and teacher for nearly 40 years. He had an insatiable curiosity, leading him to enjoy and excel in music, athletics, the outdoors, and in many other interests. He approached life with humor, humility, integrity, purpose and dedication. He had an infectious smile and laugh, and had a gift of bringing out the best in others.

He graduated from Albert Lea High School with many academic, athletic and music honors. His interest in music started in junior high, where he played the trumpet in a small band called the Korn Kobs. He would later play professionally in Iowa, during his free time, with big-bands, Karl Fisher Band and Ken Paulsen's Orchestra.

He met his sweetheart, Natalie Zange, a flute player and elementary education major, during his undergraduate studies at Grinnell College in Iowa. They were married on August 14, 1954 in Kirksville, Missouri.

Bill was a beloved osteopathic family doctor and medical school professor. He graduated from the Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine (KCOM) in 1958, and had the privilege of initially practicing as a family physician with his father from 1959 to 1963 in Albert Lea. He then relocated to Davenport, IA where he established his own osteopathic family practice, delivering babies and caring for patients from birth to end of life, emphasizing osteopathic manipulative medicine (OMM). In 1980, he relocated his practice to Kirksville, and also taught full time at KCOM, lecturing and conducting workshops on OMM to students, residents and fellows. He became certified in the specialty of Neuromusculoskeletal Medicine (NMM), which he practiced with his son, Michael, in Kirksville until his retirement in 1996. He served the American Academy of Osteopathy, was on their board for many years and earned his fellowship (FAAO); he was later bestowed their highest honor, the AT Still Medallion of Honor. Post-retirement, Bill and Natalie moved to De Pere, WI. Bill continued to support his profession by authoring and illustrating osteopathic medical books.

Bill is survived by: his wife, Natalie Kuchera; their seven children (and spouses), Dr. Michael (Eva) Kuchera, Dan (Shelly) Kuchera, Joe (Shari) Kuchera, Ann (Al) Lawson, Martha (Marion) Horton, Elizabeth (John) Berley, and Jim (Sarah) Kuchera; 17 grandchildren, Kathy Manning, Jennifer (Cliff) Straub, Tiffany (Brandon) Burnett, David Kuchera, Brenton (Ellen) Kuchera, Hallie (Jake) Vehlewald, Elliott Kuchera, Kevin Kuchera, Michael (Becca) Kuchera, Kyle (Stefanie) Lawson, Kelsey Lawson (Chris Haase), Natalie (Joseph) Woodfin, Sam Horton, Mary Horton, Nathan Berley, Andrew Berley, Ian Kuchera; 10 great-grandchildren, Brandon, Kyler, Ava, Lilli, Elise, Liam, Xia, Harper, Laken and Ethan; and his sister, Marge Phillips of Silverton, OR. He was preceded in death by his parents and brother Robert L. Kuchera.

A private family funeral service will be held at St. Anne's Episcopal Church. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Anne's Episcopal Church, 347 Libal St., De Pere, WI 54115 or to a charity of the donor's choice.

The family is grateful for the care provided to Bill and his family during the past few months of his life by Oak Park Place of Green Bay and Unity Hospice, and for the guidance and support of Ryan Funeral Home and St. Anne's Episcopal Church.

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS TO COLLECT GIFTS FOR KIDS, 1-18, DURING JULY CAMPAIGN



Fane Young, a Birthday Blessings volunteer, just finished assembling a birthday party for a foster teen living in a residential facility. The Missouri nonprofit supports nearly 170 foster kids in Adair, Knox and Lewis Counties. The organization is holding a Gifting Hope Campaign during the month of July. Their goal is to collect 1,000 gift items to distribute to foster kids. The organization can use any new and unopened gift items for ages 1-18, but is most in need of sports balls, Legos, baby toys, toddler toys, fishing poles and tackle, craft kits for teens, and character backpacks for children under age 10. There is a collection box at the 2nd Circuit Children's Division Offices at 1612 N. Osteopathy Avenue in Kirksville. Monetary donations to purchase needed items can be made on their website at birthday-blessings.org. There is an Amazon wish list pinned on their Facebook page. Purchases will be directly shipped to their main building at 603 Oregon Street, West Plains MO 65775. Call 417-372-5306 for more information. BY BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

Jack L. Little

Jul 9, 1938 – Jun 26, 2023

Jack L. Little, age 84 of Kirksville, MO passed away Monday, June 26, 2023, in the Pines in Kirksville, MO. He was born July 9, 1938, in Baring, MO the son of Shannon Douglas and Edith Murl Kiesow Little. He was united in marriage to Olive Watkins on May 27, 1967, in Memphis, MO. Jack is survived by his Wife Olive Little of Kirksville, MO, one niece Christy (Dennis) Goodwin of LaBelle, MO, special friends Doug and Alice Mayer, Claudine and Bob, Jimmy, Buck and Martha, Pete and Elsie, Cheryl, the Donnie Parrish kids, Dorothy, Shawn Aldridge, Shawn Witherow and several cousins.



Jack was preceded in death by his parents, brother, Harry Gene Little, sister, Betty Jo Little, one step son Steven Parrish, and his father and mother-in-law, Louie and Aleece Watkins.

Jack received his education in Rutledge and graduated from Baring High School. Jack was a truck driver most of his life. He drove for Punch Eyer hauling coal from Novinger, Raymond Eyer hauling hogs to St. Louis, Hathaway Trucking, Husted Trucking, where he was a driver and dispatcher for twenty-five years. Worked for Leroy Pinson, Joe Fennwald, the Mauzy Family, Mickey Truck Line, RCI Trucking, Pete Bangert trucking and retired in 1975. After his retirement he hauled the Amish to and from work. He enjoyed horseback riding and watching westerns.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, June 29, 2023, in the Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home in Edina, MO. Visitation will be from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. with funeral services beginning at 7 p.m. in the Funeral Home. Officiating the services will be Brenda Parrish.

Memorials are suggested to the Family and may be left at or mailed to Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 1,

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RETIREMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

After 37 years in dentistry and serving Kirksville for 32 years, Dr. Gordon is announcing his retirement from private dental practice August 1, 2023. All check-up appointments and/or perio maintenance appointments after July 15, 2023 are cancelled.

Dr. Gordon will see his current and active patients for emergency dental treatment until August 1, 2023. You may stop by the office to sign a records release form, download a release from our website at jodiegordondds.com or have your new dentist office contact us for a current records transfer at 660-665-7908.

It has been a pleasure to serve you these past three decades.
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July, 2023

- Monday, July 3 - **NO SALE** Celebrate America's Independence
- Friday, July 7 - Special Breeding Stock Cattle Sale, 6:00 p.m.
- Monday, July 10 - Special Hog, Sheep, & Goat Sale, 10:00 a.m.
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- Monday, July 24 - Regular Cattle Sale, 11:00 a.m.
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ROBIN WRITES

Kitschen Wisdom

The moms of our own childhoods were not much different from us, but they DID have one important tool for child rearing that we in the 21st century have dropped. And sold. And thrown away.

Growing up, my house had a special room that provided words of wisdom and sage advice on every topic of moral importance. All I had to do was walk inside this loud, multi-colored area and my eyes were assaulted by more verbiage than that of a long-winded preacher at a summer revival.

I was lucky. I lived in a home with a KITSCH-en. Our kitchen walls held every porcelain plate, plaque, and knick-knack Asian factories ever exported. Some were chipped, most were ugly, and all of them were carefully arranged in artful disarray. But these decorations weren't just eye candy. They had a noble purpose.

Walking into the kitchen was an adventure in learning. I was surrounded by advice as to how a sensible life should be led. All I had to do was read the walls.

Breakfast time. Cheery greetings and prophetic pronouncements for the day surrounded my bowl of cereal.

"TODAY IS THE FIRST DAY OF THE REST OF YOUR LIFE!" beamed its optimism from a dusty spoon rest hanging over the stove. An impish pixie sneered another wise

message from a plaque near the icebox. He had words for teeth: "SMILE—IT INCREASES YOUR FACE VALUE". (Gulp.) His creepiness and painfully chipped left ear forced me to comply.

A garishly painted chalkware rooster crowed and strutted across the pale wall next to the clock, threatening to peck at the electric cord running to the outlet below. A rainbow of words crowned his head, giving me a glimpse of Mom's progressive, Women's Lib side.

"THE ROOSTER MAY CROW, BUT THE HEN DELIVERS THE GOODS". Right on. I carried my bowl to the sink and toddled off to school, full of Cheerios and subliminal ceramic teachings.

The musings of the ages were molded into those plaques. Messages of morality clobbered me at every meal, bruising Bible verses against my brain. In our "kitsch" -en, I learned that "THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD" and, as a bonus, how to spell the word "shepherd" before most of my friends could.

Another verse hovered above the table (on a black cast iron horseshoe) and kept me entertained through countless meals. Its words inspired calm reflection for the grownups, but I loved it for its tongue-twisting quality.

The "PEACE THAT PASSETH ALL UNDERSTANDING" was just fun to say. Real fast. Ten times. And even though I had no clue as to its meaning at the time, the words p-p-puttered



ROBIN GARRISON LEACH
ROBIN WRITES

their way into my memory, ready to surface when I was old enough to understand.

"MOTHER IS ANOTHER WORD FOR LOVE". Hard to believe when your mother was scowling or yelling about mud tracks through the room, but the message hung in the "kitsch" -en, so it had to be true. I was warned not to "COUNT YOUR CHICKENS BEFORE THEY HATCH". Reminded to "TAKE ONE DAY AT A TIME".

The messages that pelted me from our kitchen walls stick with me to this day, like the yellow filmy buildup on an old linoleum floor. And, oddly, I've come to enjoy the tackiness.

Today's kitchens are not the garish places of our childhoods. They are tastefully decorated, subtly accented, and woefully devoid of "kitsch" -en wisdom.

Maybe we should take a tip from the millions of moms who, while lacking subtlety, were clever enough to inject humor, education, and unforgettable memories into young lives with little more than walls and time-tested words of wisdom.

Contact Robin at robinwrites@yahoo.com

HOME COUNTRY

Happy Birthday America! We love you.

Just about a week now, boys, and Happy Birthday America!"

"Got that right, Herb. You finished with that hot sauce?" "Here you go," said Steve.

There'll be the annual parade, of course, and each bonafide member of the world dilemma think tank, masquerading in public as the supreme court of dang near everything, would be down there on the street to judge.

Oh, not officially. No one takes notes. This Fourth of July parade isn't big enough to pass out trophies or anything. If they did, it'd say on the trophies something like "best brushed horse in the parade" or "the band that showed up."

But it is a solemn occasion for us. This is our chance to look at the kids walking with their dogs and speculating on what might have happened to last year's dog. Or maybe what combination of back fence romance created this breed.

But there's the flag. We'd come just to see the flag. That flag means



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different things to different people, thought Doc, but to me it means we've been given a country so big and so blessed that we can live here happily and care for each other without having to agree on whose campaign sign we stick in the front yard.

Do we, as a nation, have problems? Sure. Always have. Undoubtedly always will. But we also know there are fixes to these problems as well, and now if everyone would just agree with me on those, what a smart country we'd have!

Happy Birthday America! We love you.

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LETTER

UScellular supports the Missouri Cell Towers Grant Program

UScellular applauds the wireless-first approach the Missouri Department of Economic Development has taken with its Cell Towers Grant Program. The Missouri General Assembly has appropriated \$20 million to support the construction of new cell towers and the retrofitting and/or refurbishment of existing towers to bring quality cellular service to Missourians in areas lacking this type of access — an issue impacting more than 146,000 households across the state.

Investing in wireless technology enhances public safety and helps ensure people have essential connectivity whenever and wherever needed. One cell tower can provide wireless connectivity over several miles and deliver the speeds needed for streaming content, conducting commerce, remote healthcare and precision agriculture.

The Cell Towers Grant Program guidelines lay out a clear pathway for increasing wireless access statewide, and we look forward to working with the department to help turn their vision into a reality.

— Mike Burwell,

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POETRY

I wish I could paint

I wish I could paint... the trees and the sky... the birds in the air, flying so high,

The mountains so tall... with the snow covered peaks... reaching so proud to the sky.

I wish I could draw... that old, worn down barn ... by the fence, some geese are in the air,

There's an old dog in the yard... wishing he was young... with a sad look, he just sits and stares.

Well I can't paint a picture... I can't draw a scene... that ability, is just not part of me,

But I can write a verse... putting words on a page... close your eyes, there's a masterpiece to see.



— Daniel D. Donovan

KIRKSVILLE AREA NEWS BRIEFS

Police asking for help in stolen sign investigation

Kirksville Police are seeking the public's help in locating and recovering several stolen street signs. On the afternoon of Sunday, June 25, a KPD officer was patrolling the Kingsridge subdivision and noticed multiple street signs were missing from the neighborhood. In total, street marker signs had been stolen from Bishop Drive, Pawn Drive, Rook Drive, Castle Drive, Knight Drive, Kings Road and Queens Road, along with a Yield sign. These signs were mounted atop stop signs at the north and south ends of these streets, which indicates the suspect(s) would have climbed a ladder or something else to remove the signs from an elevated position. This creates a potential safety issue as first responders, delivery drivers and others use these signs to navigate city streets. Missing signs may delay response to addresses in that neighborhood. Police would like to get the signs returned and save the cost of replacing them. Anyone with information about this can contact the Kirksville Police Department at 660-785-6945 or anonymously at 660-627-BUST (2878), or email police@kirksvillemo.org.

'Thank You for Your Service Exhibit'

For a second year the Kirksville Arts Association is honoring area men and women, who have served in the military with a photography exhibit at the Sue Ross Arts Center, located at 215 S. Franklin in Kirksville. The exhibit opened June 28th and will run through Aug. 26. The exhibit includes 40 former military members from Adair, Macon, Schuyler, Sullivan and Putnam counties. The exhibit includes photographs of the veterans holding a photograph of when they were in the service. At the close of the show the photographs will be given to the participants. The exhibit was sponsored by the Bank of Kirksville and the Missouri Arts Council. A closing reception will be held Thursday, Aug. 24 from 5:30 - 7 p.m. and will include a presentation of five quilts by the Hands of Friendship Quilt Guild. This is the second year the arts association and the quilt guild have collaborated on this event. The quilts will be on display at the arts center until the evening of the reception. The Sue Ross Arts Center is open Monday through Friday 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. There is no charge to view the exhibit. Any former military member who is interested in participating in a future exhibit by the Kirksville Arts Association should call 660-665-0500 or email kirksvilleart@gmail.com.



and overlay work on North Main Street, from West Elizabeth Street to West Mary Street, and West Mary Street, from North Main Street to North Elson Street. The streets will be closed during construction and this project is expected to be completed by July 6, depending on the weather. City officials appreciate the patience of all affected citizens during the 2023 street improvement season. For more information, contact the Public Works Department at 660-627-1291.

Downtown streets to close for Red, White and Blue Festival

The city of Kirksville will be hosting the Red, White and Blue Festival this weekend. The Kirksville Police Department would like everyone to take heed of the following no parking areas during certain times to accommodate the events. On Saturday, July 1, from 5 a.m. to noon there will be no parking on Franklin Street, from Missouri Street to Jefferson Street; Washington Street, between Franklin Street and Main Street; Elson Street, between Washington Street and McPherson Street; and in the Downtown Cinema 8 parking lot. This will allow for setup, the events to happen, then the cleanup.

The city of Kirksville will also host a firework display at 9:30 p.m. on July 1, at the North Park Complex at 2710 N. Novinger Street. Kirksville police would like to make the public aware that Emmett Street, between Novinger Street and Lincoln Street, will be closed from 9-10 p.m. to allow fire and emergency personnel to create a safety buffer zone near where the firework display will be discharged. There will be no parking or driving on this portion of Emmett Street during this time. Emmett Street, between Novinger Street and Lincoln Street, will be opened up at the conclusion of firework display. Kirksville police will not be directing traffic on any of the streets around North Park at the conclusion of the fireworks display. Police ask that the public be patient and make plans for their safe exit after the event.

Street work scheduled for North Main, West Mary streets

The street maintenance division of the city of Kirksville's Public Works Department will begin mill

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Adults over 65 sought for Truman State study

Adults over 65 are needed for Truman State University's Summer Research Project on who is at risk for developing a voice and swallowing disorder. Adults age 65 and older are most at risk and 29 percent of individuals over 65 report having voice disorder symptoms with 33 percent having a swelling disorder. Not only will you receive free preventative care, but you will also get small prizes throughout the duration of the program. Program researchers are seeking any individual over 65 without a history of neck cancer or a neurological disorder (i.e. stroke and Parkinson's). The study aims to evaluate the effectiveness of two different age-related preventative speech and swallow programs. One group will do all of the exercises at home alone. The other group will do all of the exercises in a social group setting twice weekly. The program for both subsets of participants will last for four weeks from June to July. Contact Anna Rhein at arc4763@truman.edu; Dr. Julia Edgar at jedgar@truman.edu; or call (660) 785-4255 and leave a message with your name and phone number.

Breathe Easy Vaping Prevention Program

Adair County SB40 will be hosting the Breathe Easy Vaping Pre-

vention Program every Friday from 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., through July 7 at the Community Learning Center. Learn why vaping is dangerous, how to recognize deceptive advertising messages, how to resist peer pressure and how to practice healthy habits. Breathe Easy is a free vaping prevention class that will focus on learning how to resist social pressures to vape and finding healthy coping strategies to deal with stress. Snacks will be provided at each class. To register, contact MelissaCline@sb40life.org.

Red, White and Blue Parade

The annual Red, White and Blue Parade will be held Saturday, July 1, starting at 10 a.m. in downtown Kirksville. Parade registration is now open.

Registration open for 2023 Little Sluggers T-ball league

Kirksville Parks and Recreation is registering for the 2023 Little Sluggers League. Little Sluggers is a coed tee ball program for kids ages 3-5 year olds. All practices and games will be held at the North Park Sports Complex in Kirksville. Practices will start the week commencing July 31, and games will run Aug. 14 through Sept. 15. The cost is \$40 per child through June 30 and \$50 after. Registration includes a shirt, hat, and end of season award. The registration deadline for the Little Sluggers League is Sunday, July 16. Sign up online at parks.kirksvillemo.org or visit in person at the Kirksville Aquatic Center, located at 801 E. Mill Street.

Ld's Bar and Grill calendar

Ld's Bar and Grill, 33006 State Hwy M in Economy (three miles east of Atlanta on Hwy M), will hold the following events:

Pool tournaments every first and third Saturday of the month. Sign in at noon, play begins at 1 p.m.

Closed July 2-5

Saturday July 8 — Band "Fully Loaded" 8 p.m. to 12 a.m.

Saturday July 15 — Band "Keota" 8 p.m. to 11 p.m.

Saturday August 5 — Chariton River Rally Poker Run

Saturday August 19 — Band "Fully Loaded" 8 p.m. to 12 a.m.

Friday September 15 — Band "Boot Cut" 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Saturday September 30 — Band "Keota" 8 p.m. to 11 p.m.

Saturday October 21 — Band "Shakey Ground" 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Friday October 27 — Band "Stone house" 9 p.m. to midnight

Call 660-239-4576 for more information.

TURNING THE PAGE

This Week
in Local
History

By Larry Evans

90 Years Ago, June 29, 1933

A rainfall that was believed to be a record in Adair County for a 24-hour period totaled 8.37 inches according to the official weather observer. Basements in Kirksville flooded, and many roofs leaked. Highway 6 both east and west of Kirksville were covered with water. The rain caused all the rivers and creeks to flood and crops in the lowlands were damaged. Salt River near Brashear was estimated to be a mile wide and as high as had ever been known. Train service in the entire north central area of Missouri was badly crippled by the sudden rise in rivers and streams. As streams overflowed their banks, rails and railroad beds were washed out. The Wabash trains running north and south through Kirksville remained open only because the line was located atop a watershed, but it was slowed down due to soft roadbeds.

75 Years Ago, June 30, 1948

Jim and Ruth Broyles were opening the Steak House at 212 W. Harrison on July 1. Their specialty was "those Bigger and Better Steaks." They offered fried chicken, short orders, sandwiches, and homemade pies at all hours.

75 Years Ago, July 1, 1948

O. H. Kanan became the sole owner of the Novinger and Kanan Drug Store in the Travelers Hotel building. Kanan purchased the interest of Charles Novinger. The store was to be known as Kanan Drug and Sundries. Novinger, a former sheriff of Adair County, had owned the store eight years and sold a half interest to Kanan in 1945. Novinger and his wife and son planned an extended vacation to California and upon their return, Novinger indicated he might enter another business venture. Kanan had been a resident of Kirksville for many years and was formerly a Missouri State Highway Patrolman.

70 Years Ago, June 29, 1953

Fishing in Kirksville's new Forest Lake was to open for public fishing on Wednesday, July 1. Only one road to the lake would be open and that was Highway 6 West to Stinson School Road and then south to the lake. By using this route all vehicles would pass by the home of the park superintendent, Warren Ladwig. Conservation Agent Bob Craig stated that fishing was expected to be good. He indicated that the lake was in good shape as the fish hatch had been good for the previous two spawning seasons. Since 1951, brood stock totaling more than 570,000 fish were placed in the lake. Of that total 77,500 were largemouth bass, 94,000 channel cat, and 400,000 bluegill. Craig estimated that the bass might weigh from 1 1/2 to 2 pounds. Forest Lake was mostly made up of coves and was expected to make excellent fishing. Fishing was allowed from sunrise to sunset. The daily limit for bass and channel cat was six and there was no limit on bluegill. There was not a length limit on any of the fish that were taken. Boats and motors with a limit of 10 horsepower were allowed on the lake, and all motors had to be registered and licensed by the state. Besides Agent Craig, five other conservation agents would be on hand for the first few opening days to assist and make sure fishing regulations were enforced.

50 Years Ago, June 27, 1973

William P. Bondurant, 87 of Kirksville died in a Kirksville Hospital. He had been in failing health for the past three years. He



was born in Downing, Missouri, in 1886, and in 1909 came from LaBelle, Missouri to Kirksville and began operation of the Palace Bakery which he operated until 1963. In 1912 William's brother, James, became a partner in the business and the two expanded from a retail store to a wholesale business, serving from twelve to fourteen counties in Northeast Missouri. Their business included milk, ice cream, and bakery products. In 1914 the Bondurant brothers took over the Kirksville Bottling Works and in 1915 were the first in the area to pasteurize milk. They were reported to be the first in the area to have paper milk cartons. In the 1930's the Bottling Works assumed the Royal Crown franchise and bottled Royal Crown Cola and Dr. Pepper.

50 Years Ago, July 1, 1973

The whistle at the Florsheim Shoe Factory, which informed residents of the time for 67 years blew for the last time. Harold Robison of rural Green Castle, fireman at the shoe factory, had blown the whistle for the past eleven and one-half years. The new shoe factory at the south junction of U.S. Highway 63 and Highway 6 did not have a whistle. Robison said he would miss blowing the whistle, and he thought area residents would miss it also. The whistle sounded five times daily. It sounded first at 6:45 a.m. and was followed by blasts at 7 a.m., noon, 1 p.m., and 4 p.m. Robison, who pulled the chain that controlled the steam powered whistle, for the last time, said: "When the whistle was broken several times, people would call and ask what was wrong, so I'm sure it's going to be missed."

40 Years Ago, June 30, 1983

The Kirksville Board of Education accepted a bid of \$50,000 for the sale of the board building, formerly the Kirksville High School building on East McPherson Street in Kirksville. The verbal bid was from Jack and Dr. Irene Hickman of Kirksville who made the bid for the building contingent upon the re-zoning of the property. The Hickmans indicated that they wanted to make the building useful to the community and utilize the facilities within the existing structure. He said they would continue to rent space to the Adair County YMCA and make renovations of the ground floor gymnasium and the third-floor theater. Hickman stated that there was much repair work necessary including a new roof, heating and cooling system, and work on many windows. The building was zoned R-III many years and would need to be re-zoned to R-IV for commercial purposes. Superintendent of School, Bill Matthew, said if the property were rezoned and sold, the board of education offices would be moved to Benton School and the special education department would move into trailers near the Upper Elementary School.

30 Years Ago, June 30, 1993

The Union Temple Church located southwest of Kirksville was destroyed by fire. The structure was struck by lightning during the night, and the fire was discovered too late to save the 100-year-old building. Wanda Simler, board member of the southwest fire department, said the church still had its original seats. The church was no longer used for religious services but was still used for 4-H meetings and other activities.

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EMBRACING LOCAL HISTORY

Part 57

Life after the death of
William Henry Parcels Sr.

By Blytha Ellis, President

Adair County Historical Society and Museum

It was in July of 1840 when 52-year-old William Henry Parcels Sr., the cabinet maker, died in his newly constructed log cabin on the west side of the Chariton River just 15 months after he moved his family to pre-Adair County, full of hope and promise. Of course, this unexpected event came as quite a blow to his wife, Catherine (Ferguson) Parcels, and her children. Oldest son, William Parcels Jr., knew he must now take on the responsibility of caring for the well-being of his mother and his younger siblings. He had three younger brothers close to his age, Thomas 23, John 20, and Edwin 18, who could pretty much take care of themselves. But, then, there were Elizabeth 16, Robert 13, Horatio 10, and James 7. One thing which William Jr. made sure he facilitated for the young ones was an education as good as was possible in that day. He felt that their future success in life was dependent upon this. And, he was right. His emphasis on education helped them to do well in life.

It is believed that William Sr. was buried on his own property at this time. However, the location of his burial later became what is now known as the Salisbury-Parcels Cemetery in Adair Co. In 1857, a man named Christopher Columbus Salisbury (1816- 1871) migrated to Adair County from Illinois. Although he was not buried in this cemetery, some of his descendants were. It seems that members of the Salisbury family may have later owned the former Parcels farm and honored the grave of William Parcels Sr. by adding their name and making it an official cemetery. This cemetery was incorporated in 1971. (It should be noted that the Salisbury name is spelled three different ways on stones in this cemetery.)

This Salisbury-Parcels Cemetery is located on a bluff overlooking the west side of the Chariton River. It is reached by a private road three-tenths of a mile long leading from Adair County Route K to the cemetery. This junction is 1-1/2 miles north of Highway 11. The private cemetery road was donated by Hammond L. and Addie Murch in 1935. The oldest stone in this cemetery is that of William Henry Parcels, Sr. (1787-1840) which also bears a Masonic symbol. He is the only Parcels known to be buried there, at least the only one with a stone.

Near the former Parcels home, a log schoolhouse was built in 1865 just after the Civil War. It was named the Salisbury School in honor of Christopher Columbus Salisbury. But, the Parcels were already gone from this location by then.

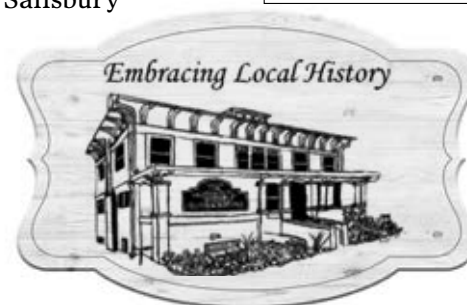
Now, we turn back to the Linder family who in the fall of 1839 was the third related family to gather on the west side of the Chariton River. Jacob and Jane (Ferguson) Linder had three daughters and two sons. It is known that the two sons came to Missouri with their parents: Andrew Hynes Linder and William Parcels Linder whom we have already met in previous episodes.

Only one of the three Linder daughters was known to accompany the family to Adair County in 1839. She was Sarah Campbell Linder (1804-1884), named for her aunt, Sarah Campbell (Ferguson) Miller (the first Ferguson sister to move to pre-Adair Co.). When Sarah Campbell Linder was only 14, she was married in Kentucky to a much older man, 56-year-old Charles Morrow McIntire (1762-1823) from Ireland. They had two sons, one who died in infancy and the oldest, Horace Jacob McIntire (1820-1898). Horace's father died when he was only 3, and his mother remarried to a Simpson and had additional children. However, Horace was 19 when he accompanied his mother and her new family, along with the Linder family, to Missouri and settled near his great aunt and uncle, the Millers.

Much like William Henry Parcels Jr. had done earlier in this story when he met Eliza Jane Miller, Horace fell in love with one of the lovely Miller daughters on the banks of the Chariton River — 18-year-old Narcissus Marie Miller (1822-1887). Technically, she was his 1st cousin once removed. They married on July 6, 1842, in Adair Co. when the county was very new. In true family tradition, they would name one son born in Kirksville in 1849, William Parcels McIntire. Another son was named for Narcissus' father, Robert Emmet McIntire, and a daughter was named for her great aunt, Catherine Thomas McIntire.



Sarah Campbell (Linder) McIntire Simpson
(1804-1884)
Daughter of Jacob & Jane Linder
Sister of William Parcels Linder
Mother of Horace Jacob McIntire
Grandmother of William Parcels McIntire



One may remember Andrew Hynes Linder who was named for the founder of Elizabethtown, Ky. He was born in 1812, the oldest son of Jacob and Jane Linder. He had married Sarah (Morris) in 1834. He had already had an adventurous eye for new places before he came to Missouri. In 1836, he had started with his family from Illinois to Texas, passing through Missouri, but stopping for a year to make a home west of Little Rock, Arkansas. In 1838, not being satisfied with the politics in that area, he had returned to Coles County, Ill., where his parents lived. There, he was elected Justice of the Peace and thought he would stay a while. But, then, his younger brother, William Parcels Linder, returned from his horseback ride to the Miller home in Missouri, and Andrew was ready to leave again.

At that time, Andrew Hynes Linder and his wife, Sarah, had three children who were, of course, named after family members. A son born in 1834 was named for his maternal grandfather, John Ferguson Linder, and a daughter born in 1836, named for the Miller cousin, Eliza Jane Linder. The third child was a son born in March 1839 and named what else but William Parcels Linder!

The two Linder brothers, William, age 20, and Andrew, age 27, both moved to the future Adair County in 1839. In Adair County, William Linder purchased the claim of Hiram Reed, described as a mysterious character thought to be a member of the horse thief league. Other settlers in the area were glad to see Reed leave!

Andrew Hynes Linder resigned his Justice position in Coles County and in Adair Co., Mo., purchased land which is now north of Highway 11 between Hog and Goose Creeks. He later purchased more land west of Hog Creek and south of Highway 11 in the rich bottomland called Goose Creek Prairie. Jointly with his brother, William, they bought other tracts of land in 1840 in the same area and became successful farmers.

By 1841, Andrew was serving as one of the jurors for the December term of the circuit court of the newly formed Adair County. Both brothers would become prominent citizens of Adair County, as would their Parcels cousin.

After Adair County was established in 1841 and the city of Kirksville was founded in 1842, William Henry Parcels Jr. moved his own family, plus his widowed mother, Catherine, and his young siblings, to Kirksville where his brothers and sisters could attend school. In Kirksville, William Jr. opened a small mercantile store with which he hoped to support the whole family. By this time, he and Eliza Jane had two children of their own, John W. and Kitty. The latter had been named for her paternal grandmother, Catherine (Ferguson) Parcels, but was nicknamed Kitty. This was the first small break in the togetherness of the three Ferguson sisters when Catherine moved to Kirksville, and Sarah and Jane stayed on the west bank of the Chariton River. But, at least, they were still close. A much more severe separation was soon to come!

(Next time: What Ever Happened to the Miller Family of Adair County? — Chapter 1)

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Offseason progressing for local high school football teams

By Adam Tumino

July is the last full month on the calendar before the start of the 2023 high school football season. With offseason preparations and practices underway and the start of the season coming up in late August, let's take a look back at what each team did last season. Full previews on local teams will come throughout July and August and lead into the start of the season.

Kirksville

The Tigers finished with a winning record for the third-straight season in 2022, extending a streak that came after six-straight losing seasons. They opened the season with a loss to Macon, followed by a win against Chillicothe and another loss to Savannah.

Kirksville then won four of the final six games of the regular season, scoring 34.3 points per game in that stretch while allowing 31 points per game, although that number is a bit inflated by the Tigers' 68-21 loss to Capital City in the regular season finale.

They got back on track to open the postseason, beating Winfield 59-0 before then falling to Jefferson City 43-21 to wrap up the season.

Kirksville's offense was the highest-scoring in recent memory, averaging 30.9 points per game while allowing 27.2 as they outscored their opponents for the third-straight season.

Knox County

The Eagles saw their record invert in their second season of eight-man football. After going 7-3 in 2021, they went 3-7 last season. Six of those losses came against teams that won eight or more games in 2022.

After back-to-back losses to open the season, Knox County got in the win column with a 66-12 road victory over Northland Christian. They then lost three more games, including two to tough North Shelby and Worth County teams, before picking up their first home win by beating Northwest (Hughesville) 66-32 on Homecoming.

Losses to St. Paul Lutheran and Bishop LeBlond closed out the regular season before the Eagles beat Northwest (Hughesville) once again to open post-season play. They then fell in a rematch with St. Paul Lutheran to end the season. The Eagles averaged 32.8 points per game and allowed 49.3.

Macon

The Tigers had the most successful season of any local team, finishing the regular season with a 9-2 record. That was the most wins posted by a Macon team since 2016. They started 7-0, with each win coming by 13 or more points. They averaged 39 points per game in those first seven and allowed just 14 points per game.

Then came a 32-8 loss to Mon-



Kirksville junior Tanner Ferguson (53) celebrates a touchdown in the Tigers' game against Chillicothe on Sept. 2, 2022. NEMO PHOTOGRAPHY

roe City, a team that finished the season 13-1. But the Tigers bounced back with a 20-14 win over Centralia to wrap up the regular season. They then beat Lathrop 35-8 in district play but lost to Richmond 18-6 the following week.

Macon more than doubled-up their opponents on average in 2022, averaging 31.1 points per game while allowing 15.5. That was the team's highest scoring average since 2017 and lowest opponents' scoring average since 2016.

Milan

The Wildcats finished 6-5 for the second-straight season and posted a winning record for the third-straight season. It looked difficult for Milan to get above .500 after a 2-4 start, but a four-game winning streak put them on the right track.

The streak started with a 49-20 win over South Harrison, the highest-scoring game of the season for the Milan offense. They kept up the scoring in the final two games of the regular season, beating Polo 38-6 and Maysville 34-26.

The streak was in jeopardy to begin district play, but the Wildcats were able to hold on and beat Maysville for the second-straight week, this time winning 22-20 in a double-overtime thriller. A tough Putnam County awaited Milan next, and the Wildcats fell 26-0 and saw the streak and season come to an end.



The Schuyler County football team runs onto the field prior to the game against King City on Oct. 7, 2022. ADAM TUMINO

Milan saw its scoring average increase slightly from last year, but their opponents' scoring also increased a bit. They scored 25.1 points per game and allowed 21.6 points per game.

Putnam County

The Midgets had a huge bounceback season after going a combined 5-14 in 2020 and 2021 combined. In 2022, they went 9-3 and saw massive increases in scoring from the last few seasons.

Their scoring average of 34.3 points per game was higher than the scoring averages from 2020 and 2021 combined and was an increase of 21.7 over 2021. They also allowed just 21.7 points per game, a decrease of 11.9 over last season.

Putnam County's first loss came to a Trenton team that finished the season 8-2. They also lost to Gallatin week seven and once again in district play to end the season. Gallatin was unbeaten at the time of the second game at 11-0 and finished the year 11-1.

While their losses all came against winning teams, some of their wins came against tough opponents as well. They beat Father Tolton in week two, a team that finished the season 7-3. They also beat Milan twice. The Wildcats ended the season 6-5.

Schuyler County

The Rams improved greatly in their third season of eight-man football. They finished the season at 5-6 after going 1-8 in 2020 and 0-8 in 2021. A 2-1 start to 2022 saw them surpass that combined win total in short order, but a

four-game losing streak followed.

They bounced back from that with a three-game winning streak, which was also the three best games for the Rams' defense. They first beat Northland Christian 58-8. A week later they took down Northwest (Hughesville) 68-0 to wrap up the regular season. In district play, the Rams beat Santa Fe 48-28 to polish off their best three-game stretch in years.

St. Paul Lutheran beat Schuyler County a week after the Santa Fe win to keep the Rams just under .500 on the season. The Rams averaged 42.6 points per game, far higher than in the past two seasons, while allowing 50.9 points per game.

Scotland County

The Tigers had trouble scoring throughout the 2022 season. They got off to an 0-7 start with a 28-10 loss to Fayette in week three being the closest game in that stretch. They snapped that losing streak with a 26-7 win over Paris, setting a season high in scoring and season low in points allowed.

They wrapped up the regular season with a loss to a strong Harrisburg team and then lost to South Shelby in district play to end the season 1-9.

It marked the third-straight losing season for the Tigers after posting winning records each season from 2016 through 2019. The Tigers did gain valuable experience for a young team that featured just three seniors last season. The scoring average of 8.9 points per game seems poised to increase next season.



Macon quarterback Mykel Linear runs by defenders in the season opener against Kirksville on Aug. 26, 2022. ADAM TUMINO



Putnam County senior Nico Lopez runs around defenders in the game against Trenton on Sept. 16, 2022. ADAM TUMINO

Wayne Fredrick wins Senior Match Play Championship

By Missouri Golf Association

FULTON, Mo. (June 29, 2023) – Missouri Golf Association President Wayne Fredrick (Springfield) is the first to hold the title of Senior Match Play Champion! The MGA held its first annual Senior Match Play Championship this week from June 26-29 at Tanglewood Golf Course in Fulton, Missouri, end-

ing with today's final match.

Fredrick faced Buddy Allen (Pevely) in the final 18-hole match. Fredrick got off to a quick start and was 2 up by the third hole. Allen responded by winning holes 4 and 6, but Fredrick still held a 2 up lead entering the back nine with wins on holes 5 and 9.

Allen began a comeback, winning holes 10 and 11 to

tie up the match. Fredrick briefly went up 1 with a win on hole 12, but Allen won hole 13 to tie it up once again. This back-and-forth pattern continued, with Fredrick winning hole 16 and Allen winning 17.

With a tied match and just one hole remaining, Fredrick shot a birdie to win hole 18, the match and the Championship.

Congratulations to both

Fredrick and Allen on a hard-fought match and a successful tournament!

To view full results from the Senior Match Play Championship, click here: <https://www.golfgenius.com/pages/4128845>

For more information on the Senior Match Play Championship or other MGA events, contact the MGA office at (573) 636-8994 or at mogolf@mogolf.org.



Missouri Golf Association President Wayne Fredrick poses after winning the first annual Senior Match Play Championship. MISSOURI GOLF ASSOCIATION

Annual Novinger History Day held at Novinger Fairgrounds

By Marty Bachman
Daily Express

The annual Novinger History Day was held on Sunday, June 25 in and around Novinger. Among the new items on the program were a quilt show on display in the

former Methodist Church at 606 Davis Street. Also new was Dr. Thaddeus Buckminster and his assistant (Jim and Evelyn Wilson), who spoke about the elixir they were promoting for good health. Tours included the Novinger Log Homestead

Coal Miners Museum and the former Methodist Church. Visitors were able to watch demonstrations of old-time skills that included basket weaving by Jennifer Daniels, rag rugs by Marva Mears, leather working by Bill Bell, candle making by Judy Kittle, muzzleloading by Tom Daugherty and others. Visitors also learned about the history of the buildings in town and the families that lived in them.

The museum offered view of items from the town's earlier days, along with the blacksmith shop and simulated mine displays.

At the Methodist Church they held a Quilt Show and visitors were allowed to tour the church, which was

built in 1903.

At the community center they had displays by the Adair County Historical Society, one of Larry Evans' book on Adair County Rural Schools, history books were on display and visitors could purchase souvenirs and bottled water.

An ice cream social was also held inside the community center that offered ice cream, pies, cakes and drinks. Novinger Legends Come to Life then brought live performances to the stage inside the community center as local actors and descendants portrayed some earlier citizens including Henry "Paul" Bibee, (Raymond Magruder), John and Bethea Aitken (Phil and Mary McIntosh),



Catherine Baiotto (LaRoyce Allemang), Dr. and Mrs. J.S. Gashwiler (Adam and Gwen Gashwiler) and Lois Ross (Courtney Kopp).

town's earlier days, were offered as well.

Visitors gathered at the Town Jail and later the Caboose to hear how the town came to be, its growth through the heydays and the once bustling downtown businesses.

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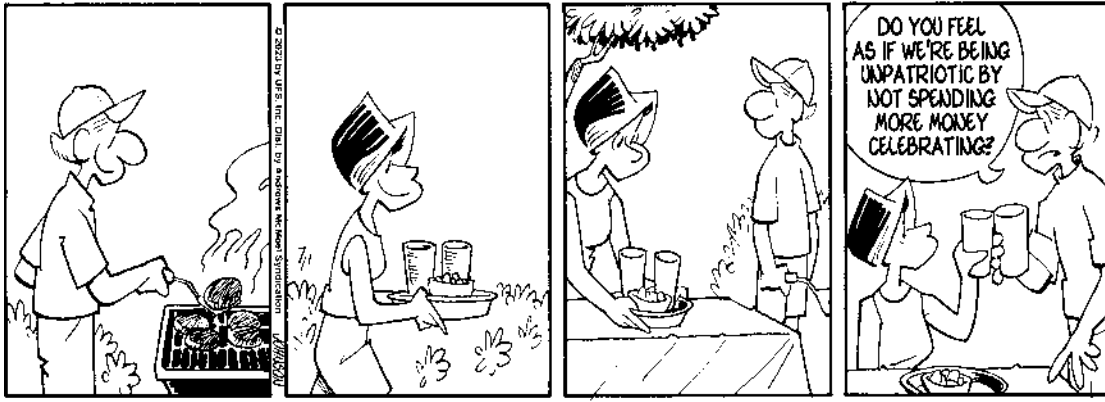
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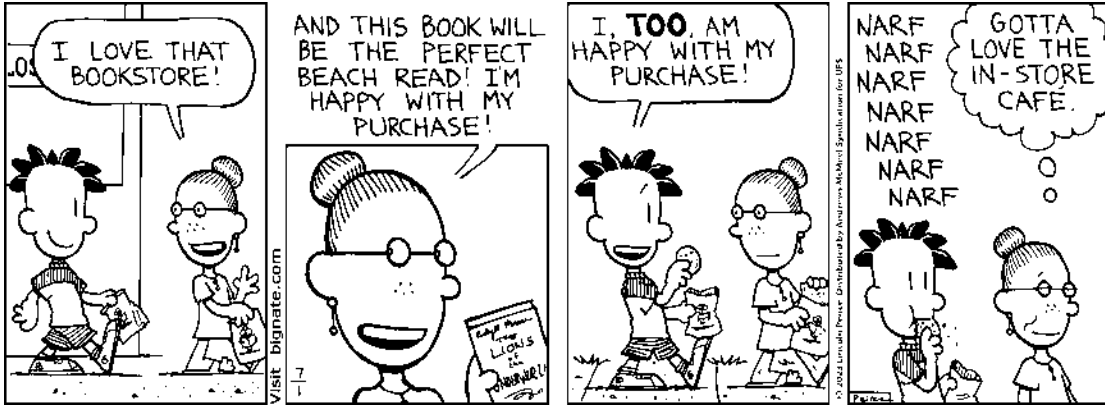
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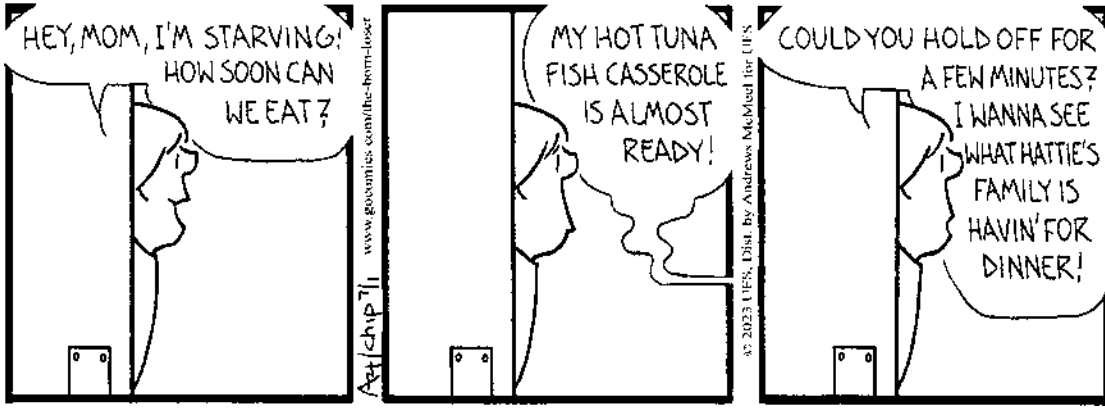
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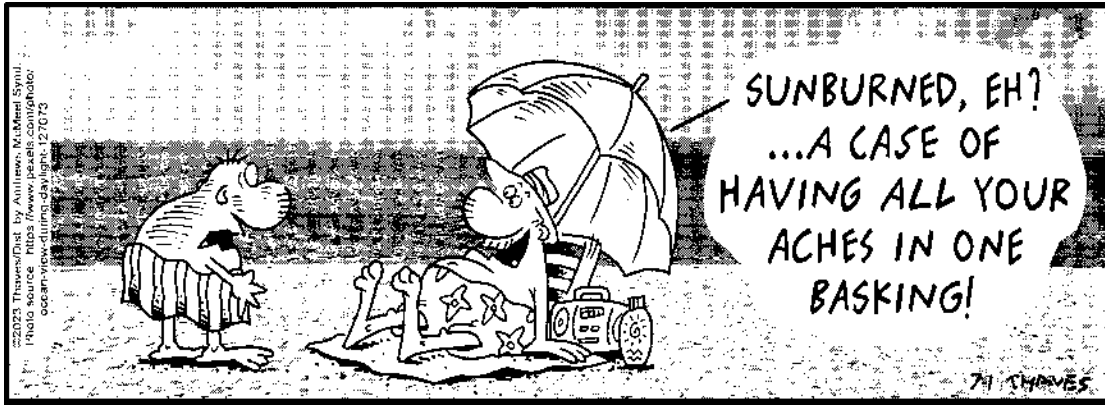
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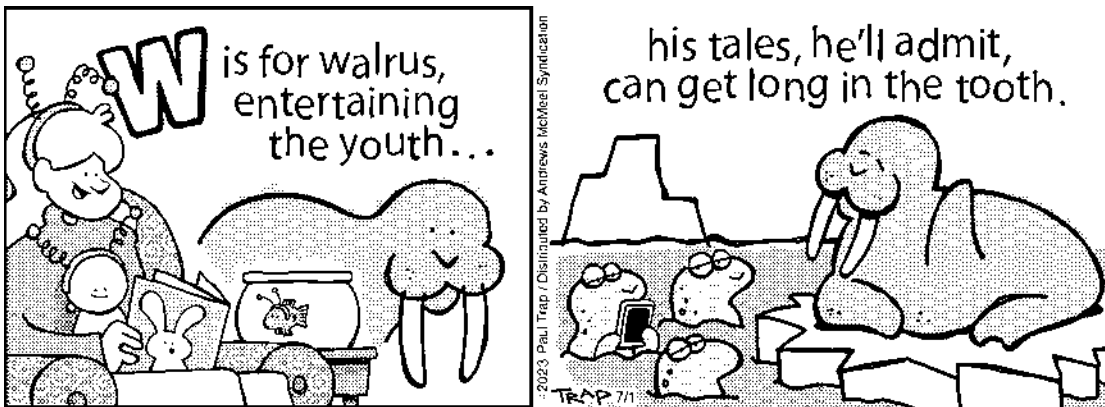
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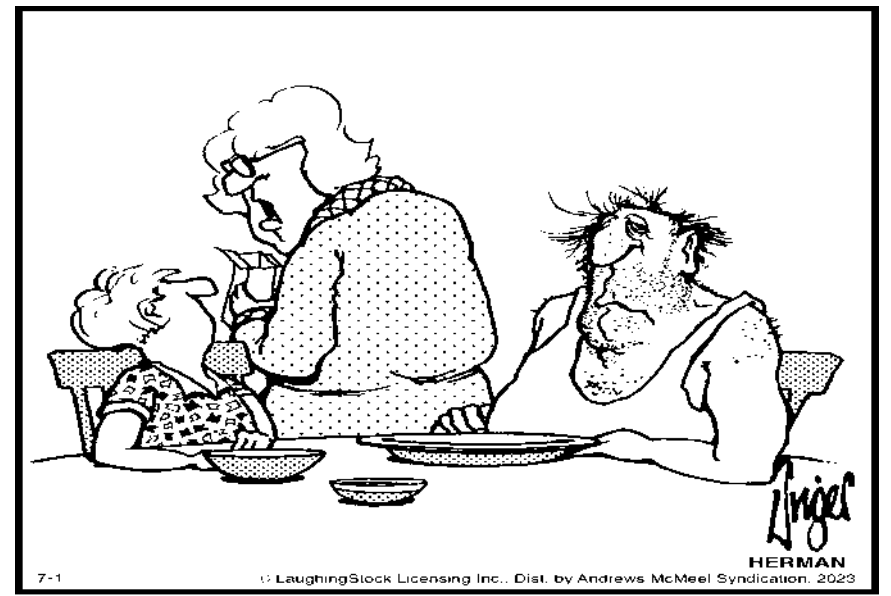
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JERROLD HIRSCH, Petitioner,

vs.

KEITH RICHARD MILLER, Respondent.

In the Estate of JERRY KEITH MILLER, Deceased. Estate No. 20AR-PR00101

ORDER OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

STATE OF MISSOURI TO:

Keith Richard Miller and all unknown and unascertained heirs at law of Jerry Keith Miller, deceased, and all persons known or unknown claiming an interest in the estate of Jerry Keith Miller, deceased, as an heir or through an heir of Jerry Keith Miller, deceased:

You are hereby notified that Jerrold Hirsch, petitioner, has filed a motion for heir determination, the object and general nature of which is to ask the court to determine and declare that Keith Richard Miller is not an heir of Jerry Keith Miller, deceased, who died intestate on August 1, 2020.

The persons interested in such determination of heirship are those persons, known and unknown, who claim to be heirs of decedent.

You are further notified that unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition with 45 days after June 24, 2023, a judgment adverse to your interest will be entered against you.

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Witness my hand and the seal of the Probate division of the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri on June 16, 2023.

Lacey Gottman
Clerk, Probate Division,
Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri
Lacey Gottman

Publication Dates: 6-24-2023, 7-1-2023, 7-8-2023, 7-15-2023

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ADAIR COUNTY, MISSOURI Case Number: 20AR-PR00101 (Date File Stamp)

Judge or Division: PROBATE

In the Estate of Jerry Keith Miller, Deceased.

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR ORDER OF DISTRIBUTION

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Jerry Keith Miller, Deceased:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned Personal Representative De Bonis Non will file a Final Settlement and Petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the Personal/Real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interest therein and for distribution of such property, in the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri, on July 20, 2023, or as may be continued by the Court.

If no objections to the settlement or proposed order of distribution are filed within 20 days after the date of the filing thereof, the court will consider said settlement and proposed distribution and, upon their approval, the court will determine the persons entitled to decedent's descendible interest in the estate and the extent and character of their interest therein.

Upon proof of compliance with the court's order of distribution by the Personal Representative De Bonis Non, the court will discharge the Personal Representative De Bonis Non from further claim or demand by any interested person.

Brent Mayberry
401 N. Elson
Kirksville, Missouri 63501
(660)665 8356

Jerrold (Jerry) Hirsch,
Personal Representative
De Bonis Non

PUBLICATION DATES: 6-17-2023, 6-24-2023, 7-01-2023, 7-8-2023

KENT BRYANT ADAIR COUNTY ASSESSOR
106 W. WASHINGTON ST
KIRKSVILLE, MO 63501-2889
PH - (660) 665-4423

The ADAIR COUNTY ASSESSOR'S Office announces that the Board of Equalization Hearing Members will convene starting Monday July 17, 2023. Those who wish to appeal their assessments should request a hearing by 4:30 p.m. on July 10, 2023. To set up an appointment call the Adair County Clerk's office at 660-665-3350. Required forms will be available online at www.adaircountymissouri.com The Board tentatively plans to conclude hearings by 10:00 a.m. July 26, 2023. These hearings are for personal property and real estate values for the tax year 2023.

Kent Bryant, ADAIR COUNTY ASSESSOR, asks property owners who wish to appeal their assessment value to please bring a current certified appraisal of said property to show evidence of the value. If, after the decision by the board, the property owner is still dissatisfied with the assessment, an appeal may be lodged with the Missouri State Tax Commission.

Thank you,
Kent Bryant
Adair County Assessor

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ADAIR COUNTY, MISSOURI JUVENILE DIVISION
JUDGE MATT WILSON

In the Interest of H.Q.L. Female child DOB: 3/01/2019 Case Number: 23AR-JU00045

M.L.L. Female child DOB: 1/13/2020 Case Number: 23AR-JU00046

Notice Upon Order for Service by Publication
The State of Missouri to: Labe Lusher

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Juvenile Division of the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to terminate your parental rights in and to H.Q.L., a minor child born March 1, 2019, and M.L.L., a minor child born January 13, 2020.

The names of all parties in this action are stated in the caption above and the name and address of the Juvenile Office attorney is:

C. David Rouner
ROUNER LAW OFFICE LLC
400 N. Franklin Street
Kirksville MO 63501
(P) 660.665.7515
(F) 660.665.7514

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or otherwise appear and defend against this action within 45 days after JULY 1, 2023, judgment by default will be entered against you.

Dates of Publication: JULY 1, JULY 8, JULY 15, JULY 22, 2023 690776cb

IN THE 2ND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, ADAIR COUNTY, MISSOURI

Judge or Division: Case Number: 23AR-PR00006
PROBATE

In the Estate of WILLIAM DENNIS WILLEVER, JR., Deceased.

Notice of Letters of Administration Granted
(Supervised Administration - Non-Resident Fiduciary)

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of WILLIAM DENNIS WILLEVER, JR., Decedent:

On June 22, 2023, the following individual was appointed the personal representative of the estate of WILLIAM DENNIS WILLEVER, JR., decedent, by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of ADAIR COUNTY, Missouri. The personal representative's business address and phone number is: William David Willever, 4424 Campus Street, Apt. 3, Anchorage, AK, 907-565-9218 The personal representative's attorney's name, business address and phone number is: Wallace W. Trosen, #1 Crown Drive, Suite 102, P.O. Box 267, Kirksville, MO 63501, 660-665-4070 The non-resident personal representative's designated agent's name, business address, and phone number is: Wallace W. Trosen, #1 Crown Drive, Suite 102, P.O. Box 267, Kirksville, MO 63501, 660-665-4070

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 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: October 3, 2022
Date of first publication: July 1, 2023

Martha Cole
Adair County Circuit Clerk

Receipt of this notice by mail should not be construed by the recipient to indicate that the recipient necessarily has a beneficial interest in the estate. The nature and extent of any person's interest, if any, can be determined from the files and records of this estate in the Probate Division of the above referenced Circuit Court.

PUBLICATION DATES: 7-1-2023, 7-8-2023, 7-15-2023, 7-22-2023

Sealed bids will be received by the Construction Manager Agent, S. M. Wilson & Co, for the Adair County R-II School District at Brashear School located at 205 West Dewey Street Brashear, Mo. 63533, until 2:00 pm CDT, on Tuesday, July 18, 2023, for the Bid Packages described herein.

Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at Brashear School located at 205 West Dewey Street Brashear, Mo. 63533.

Bid Package No. 1
Brashear Ball Field

03A - Concrete
111 - Athletic Equipment
12F - Aluminum Bleachers
26A - Electrical
26B - Sports Lighting
31A - Earthwork & Site Utilities
32G - Athletic Surfaces
32H - Fencing & Gates
32K - Irrigation

A Pre-bid Meeting for Bid Package No. 1 will begin at 10:00 am on Friday, July 7th 2023, at the Brashear School located at 205 West Dewey Street Brashear, Mo. 63533. The purpose of this meeting is to address technical questions concerning the project from prospective bidders. Contractors shall not visit the site unless prior arrangements are made with the Construction Manager. The School District reserves the right to reject any and all Bids, and to waive informalities therein to determine the lowest and best bid.

The bid documents will be available for viewing on BuildingConnected.com. <https://app.buildingconnected.com/public/5913928f945d0a00d28943>

No Bid may be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the specified time for receipt of Bids.

Any offer exceeding \$100,000 will be subject to a Bid Bond or Certified Check made payable to the Owner, in the amount of 5% of the Base Bid shall accompany the Bid Packages as a guarantee that the bidder, if awarded the Contract, will furnish a satisfactory Performance and Payment Bond; execute the Contract; and proceed with the work. Upon failure to do so, he shall forfeit the deposit or amount of the Bid Bond as liquidated damages, and no mistakes or errors on the part of the Bidder shall excuse the Bidder or entitle him to a return of the deposit or Bid Bond.

The prevailing wage law is in effect on this project.

Bidders must be in compliance with the rules and regulations of the Fair Employment Practices Commission.

Participation by Minority and Female Business Enterprises is encouraged.

The Construction Management Agent for this project is S. M. Wilson & Co. Contact Info:
Patrick Aylesworth
Director of Operations
Direct: 314.633.9689
patrick.aylesworth@smwilson.com

The Adair County R-II School District is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

S. M. Wilson & Co. is an Equal Opportunity Employer. S. M. Wilson strives to make our industry a more inclusive community and to sustain this model for future generations. Bidders agree to take all reasonable steps necessary to ensure Minority, Women and Disadvantaged Business Enterprises have an opportunity to participate in the performance of this project. Consideration of subcontract award may be based on diversity involvement.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ADAIR COUNTY, MISSOURI PROBATE DIVISION

IN THE ESTATE OF SHERRIE HOLLON

ESTATE NO: 23AR-PR00045

NOTICE OF LETTERS GRANTED

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF SHERRIE HOLLON, A DISABLED PERSON.

On the 5th day of June, 2023, Jaime Guyton, was appointed conservator of the estate of Sherrie Hollon, a person adjudicated disabled under the laws of Missouri by the Probate Division of the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri.

The business address of the conservator is 1808 E. McPherson, Kirksville, Missouri 63501 and the attorney is Jessica Rooks 2424 S. Franklin, Suite A, Kirksville, Missouri 63501.

All creditors of said disabled person are notified to file their claims in the Probate Division of the Circuit Court.

Date of first publication June 10, 2023.

Clerk of the Probate Division
Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri

Martha Cole
Adair County Circuit Clerk

PUBLICATION DATES: 6-10-2023, 6-17-2023, 6-24-2023, 7-1-2023 689596d

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Adair County SB40 Community Partnership Spotlight Award

By Adair County SB40

On Monday, June 26, Sodexo employees Joseph Smith, David Horton and Jamie Edmonson joined Adair County SB40 staff to present John Stewart, general manager of Sodexo, with the June 2023 Community Partnership Spotlight Award. Sodexo, which provides dining services for Truman State University, was voted by the Adair County SB40 staff for the Community Partnership Spotlight Award in June 2023.

Adair County SB40 Executive Director Crystal Aminirad noted that about 270 of the 450 people supported by Adair SB40 are employment age. About half of those individuals work in Supported Employment or competitive, integrated jobs with community employers such as Sodexo.

Sodexo was one of our first partners," said Adair County SB40 Service coordinator Tom DeBlauw. "Sodexo is wonderful to work with."

"I work with someone who has been employed with Sodexo for over 20



Pictured left to right: Hannah Munn, SB40 Service Coordinator; David Horton, Sodexo Employee; Kim Baker, CVA/CHS Professional Manager; Jamie Edmonson, Sodexo Employee; Crystal Aminirad, SB40 Executive Director; John Stewart, Sodexo General Manager; Joseph Smith, Sodexo Employee; Julie Atchley, SB40 Accountant and Tiffany Busch, SB40 HR Coordinator.

years!" said coordinator Tonya Bailey.

Sodexo's employment of people with developmental disabilities has demonstrated their commitment to the local community, SB40 officials said.

Adair County SB40 staff stated that Sodexo is an excellent employer for people

serviced by Adair County SB40. Sodexo works closely with Supported Employment service providers, such as LOQW, to provide employees on-the-job training for skills needed to complete their job. Once the skills are achieved, the employees continue on with their employment independent-

ly, performing all of their assigned duties to earn a competitive rate of pay.

"They are the best employees," said Stewart. "They do great work and we are so blessed to work with them. We couldn't do it without them!"

"The individuals in their employ, some of whom re-

ceive supported employment services, are valued members of the Kirksville community," Aminirad said. "We appreciate all that Sodexo staff and management does to lead our community in offering integrated employment opportunities in Kirksville and to support their success. The staff of

Adair SB40 strongly supported this nomination."

If you would like to nominate a great candidate for a monthly Spotlight Award, Adair County SB40 is accepting nominations. Anyone can make a nomination. Nominations can be made in any of the four following categories:

- Kids Inclusion Spotlight Award for children in kindergarten — 8th grade
- Youth Leadership Spotlight Award for youth in grades 9-12
- Community Volunteer Spotlight Award (any age)
- Entrepreneur or Employee Spotlight Award (any age)

In March 2024, a Spotlight Award of the Year winner will be selected from all of the monthly winners. Nominations can be made throughout the year by visiting the Adair County SB40 website or by contacting a SB40 staff member to assist you at (660) 665-9400. You can also find more information about the four nomination categories by visiting Adair County SB40's website, <https://www.sb40life.org/>.



Pictured are (not in order) Adair County Presiding Commissioner, Mark Shahan and Novinger's Mayor, Jeff Dodson, Dr. Britt Parrish, Author; Mark Grgurich, NEMR Board of Director; Glenna Daniels Young, Novinger Renewal; Teresa West, Cemetery Board; Sharon Barnes, City Council; Janice Pearce, City Council; Kyle Rogers, NEMR Plant Mgr; Kirk Lorence, CO Tech; Danny Babcock, NEMR Tech; Natasha Morris, Gigi's Owner; Jason Hill, Network Mgr, Raymond Hatcher and Bobby Stonceipher, City Workers. Photos taken by Jennifer Chrisman

Novinger celebrates NEMR for being named a Smart Rural Community Provider

By NEMR

NOVINGER — The community leaders of Novinger hold a ribbon cutting and light lunch provided by Gigi's Country Store as they celebrated NEMR recently being named a Smart Rural Community (SRC) provider by NTCA-The Rural Broadband Association. SRC is a national network of communities powered by innovative rural broadband providers that are building a brighter future for small-town America. The program promotes rural broadband and its role in supporting innovative economic development, effective education, efficient energy distribution and use, state-of-the-art health care and other important issues for rural America.

In order to receive recognition as a SRC provider, NEMR was required to affirm that it offers 25/3 Mbps broadband to at least 50 percent of its service area; that it has broadband subscription rates of at least 50 percent; and that it is committed to program principles of collaboration and innova-



Presenting the Smart Rural Community sign to the Mayor is Michele Gillespie, NEMR General Manager.

tion. NEMR surpasses these requirements offering symmetrical Gig speeds to 100 percent of its subscribers. As a result of NEMR's national recognition, Novinger will now be celebrated as a Smart Rural Community in program materials and online at www.smartruralcommunity.com, joining a national network of similarly innovative communities.

"The Novinger community salutes NEMR for its hard work to meet these standards, which enable our residents to fully participate in today's connected society," said Mayor Jeff Dodson. "Because of access to high-speed internet, Novinger provides its residents with educational and

economic opportunities on par with those in the most connected regions of America."

NTCA Chief Executive Officer Shirley Bloomfield also recognized NEMR for this achievement, noting, "We are so excited to welcome another Smart Rural Community provider into this growing network of innovative broadband providers delivering the Internet's fastest speeds in some of the most remote and rural communities of our country. I applaud NEMR and the Novinger Community for their commitment to enabling cutting-edge technologies that drive innovation and promote economic development in their region and nationwide."

Jennifer Chrisman inducted into Rotary Club of Kirksville

By Rotary Club of Kirksville

At the June 28 Rotary Club of Kirksville meeting, new member Jennifer Chrisman (center) was inducted by President Marie

Murphree (left) at her last meeting as president. Chrisman, marketing and sales manager at NEMR, Northeast Missouri Rural Telephone Company, is also pictured with her Rotary sponsor, Debi Boughton.



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THIS WEEK'S FEATURED CHURCH Faith Baptist Church



Faith Lutheran Church
1820 S. Baltimore, Baltimore & LaHarpe
David Lukefahr, 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.faithkirkville.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
rbchurch.net • 660-665-7577

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

Kirkville 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
firstbaptistkirkville.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 Rodgerson
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.kirkvillechurchofgod.com

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 Jordan, 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
KirkvilleGCBC@gmail.com
www.KirkvilleGCBC.com • 660.665.1615

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., Kirkville
Larry Gibson, Pastor
9:00 a.m. Sunday Worship
10:30 a.m. Sunday Bible Study
fbck@sbcglobal.net • 660-665-0633

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 Kirkville
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 Kirkville
112 W. Potter
Jeremy Fingle, 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 Kirkville, MO
Jeremy Broach, Senior Pastor
Chad Stearman, 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 St., Kirkville
Shawn Meintz, Pastor
Sundays:
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:40 a.m. Worship Wednesdays:
6:30 p.m. Family Night
www.kirkvillefirst.org
info@kirkvillefirst.org

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
Kirkville First Ward Bishop John Grider
11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Sunday Services
Kirkville 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: Josh Botello
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, Kirkville
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 Kirkville 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. Bible School
10:40 a.m. Worship Service

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://laplatabc.org/
Email: laplatabc@gmail.com

Hazel Creek Free Will Baptist Church
8 mi. N.W. of Kirkville 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.
Sam Burkholder, 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 lammatteo-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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Psalm 37:3

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John 14:6