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Benefit concert held for Baring tornado victims

By Marty Bachman
Daily Express

A Bands for Baring Benefit Concert was held at Hurdland City Park in the city of Hurdland on Aug. 27, to raise funds for the victims of a tornado that struck the small town of Baring, north of Edina, the evening of Aug. 4. Bands that played included Lacey Mihalevich, Mercy Bridge, Shakey Ground, No Apology and Stone House.

According to Sue Chaffee, a coordinator for the event, the fundraiser brought in \$6,908.38 with a few hundred dollars yet to be collected.

"It will definitely put us over the \$7,000 mark," Chaffee said.

The money went to the Baring Victim's Fund at Citizen's Bank of Edina. Chaffee said there were long lines all day long to buy food and drinks. Also part of the fundraiser were a corn hole tournament, a 50/50 raffle and a silent auction.

An EF-2 tornado struck the Knox County town of Baring, leaving a path of destruction in its wake. According to the National Weather Service, the tornado began on the southeast side of town just southeast of the Hwy. K and Dairy Avenue intersection. The tornado quickly strengthened as it moved northwest producing EF-2 damage southwest of the intersection.



A farm outbuilding was completely destroyed, several grain bins were thrown 1/4 to 1/2 mile downwind, and a home was heavily damaged with the roof and several walls removed. The tornado then crossed Highway K and the railroad tracks and moved through the center of the town of Baring where as many as seven businesses, including the post office, and 62 homes were damaged or destroyed.



Missouri High School and Junior High Rodeo held at NEMO Fairgrounds

By Marty Bachman
Daily Express

On a muddy Saturday and Sunday at the NEMO Fairgrounds, the NEMO Fair Association hosted the Missouri High School and Junior High Rodeo on Aug. 26 and 27. High school and junior high students came from all over the state to participate in the event.



Include safety in your plans for Labor Day weekend

By Missouri State Highway Patrol

Col. Eric T. Olson, superintendent of the Missouri State Highway Patrol, encourages everyone to plan for a safe 2023 Labor Day weekend. Whether you are on the water or on the road, it's everyone's responsibility to travel safely and observe all Missouri laws.

Never operate a vehicle or vessel while you are impaired. Alcohol affects your judgement, reaction time, vision, coordination, and comprehension. The movement of the boat, vibration and noise from the boat's motor, sun, and wind are

all boating stressors and enhance the effect of alcohol on your body. If alcohol is part of your water activities, drink responsibly, and never operate a vessel if you've consumed alcohol.

The 2023 counting period for the Labor Day holiday will be from 6 p.m., Friday, Sept. 1, through 11:59 p.m. Monday, Sept. 4.

The Labor Day holiday is a busy boating weekend. Before you take your boat on the water, inspect fuel lines and hose connections for leaks, and test the battery to confirm it is charged. When refueling, turn off any

electrical devices which could create a spark. After refueling, open the engine compartment to visually inspect and smell for fuel leaks. Activate the blower system for at least four minutes before restarting the vessel.

In 2022, there were eight boating crashes which included one fatality and five injuries. One person drowned over last year's Labor Day holiday. Troopers arrested five people for boating while intoxicated during last year's counting period.

Marine enforcement troopers will be working to make waterways

safer during the holiday weekend. Missouri's boaters are asked to do their part by remaining alert for other boats and swimmers and being courteous on the water. Smaller vessels should yield right-of-way to larger vessels. Boaters should avoid overloading their boat with too many passengers and always pay close attention to the boats around them. Causing harm to another person or their property with an excessive boat wake may subject you to enforcement action or civil liability. Treat other boaters and property owners as you want to be treated. Be courteous and follow all of Missouri's boating laws. Remember: Life jackets save lives. Wear one when you are on or around water.



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UPCOMING EVENTS

Kirksville Area Calendar of Events

Bike sale at Truman State

Truman will host a bicycle sale at 9 a.m. Aug. 31 at the Military Storage Building on Florence Street, across from the tennis courts. The bikes will be sold to faculty, staff and students. A Truman ID must be presented to register for a buyer number. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. Buyers will be limited to purchase one bike per person. There are approximately 31 bikes for sale and one razor scooter. Bikes will be sold for \$20 (includes tax). Payment must be made by cash or check at the sale site. Bikes will be sold "as is" with no guarantees, refunds or liability from Truman.

Eyes on the Sky Stargazing at Thousand Hills State Park

Join Truman State University, Adair County Public Library, and park staff on Sept 1 from 7:30-9:30 p.m. 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. Check out Thousand Hills State Park on Facebook for cancellations, location changes, and other park information.

1000 Hills Bass Club Bass Tournament

The 1000 Hills Bass Club will hold a Bass Tournament at Forest Lake at Thousand Hills State Park on Saturday, Sept. 2. Registration is at 5:30 a.m. with fishing from 6:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. (Two person-Total weight-heavy boat). \$90 entry fee — 75% payout. 1st place, 50%, 2nd place, 30% and 3rd place 20%. \$10 Big Bass — 100% payout. Two big bass paid, 1) 70%, 2) 30%. Outboard in excess of 90HP allowed to operate at idle speeds only per lake rules. Lake permit

must be purchased before or by the time of weigh-in the day of the tournament. For more info, tournament rules & entry form, contact, Anthony Gordon, 660-341-3675.

Guided hike of the Redbud Trail at Thousand Hills State Park

A guided hike of the Redbud Trail at Thousand Hills State Park will take place on Sept. 2 at the park from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. The forest of Thousand Hills is a never-ending story where every plant, animal, and even person has a part to play. Join park staff to uncover more of this story. Please wear closed-toed shoes and bring water and bug spray. Meet at the Redbud Trailhead on Big Loop Trail Rd., across from the playground. All programs are weather permitting. Check out Thousand Hills State Park on Facebook for cancellations, location changes, and other park information.

City observes Labor Day on Sept. 4

City offices will be closed on Monday, Sept. 4, in observance of Labor Day. Offices will reopen on Tuesday, Sept. 5, for regular business hours. For more information, contact the City Clerk at 660-627-1225.

OATS Transit closed for Labor Day

OATS Transit offers regular transportation services for the rural general public of any age, seniors, and individuals with disabilities. Call the local OATS Transit office at 660-415-0901 or 800-654-6287 to schedule a ride or find out about services in your area. You can also visit our website at oatstransit.org to view local schedules under "Bus Schedules", then click on the county you live in. Our offices will be closed, and regular routes will not be running on Monday, Sept. 4, for the Labor Day holiday. Please keep this in mind as you schedule trips near these holidays. OATS Transit is hiring drivers statewide in case you know

of someone who would make a great driver, so we can continue serving our riders. All our openings are listed on our website.

Fall Dance at Moose Lodge

A Fall Dance will be held on Friday, Sept. 8 at the Moose Lodge, 2405 E Illinois Street, Kirksville. Co-sponsored with Kirksville Parks & Recreation and Loyal Order of Moose. Silverado Band plays from 8-11 p.m.

Whiskey & Turkey Festival

Main Street Kirksville's (MSK) Whiskey & Turkey Festival will be held on Saturday, Sept. 9 on Elson Street in Downtown Kirksville. The festival kicks off at 5 p.m. with music, turkey legs, whiskey samples a beer tent and more. Missouri-born and raised singer/songwriter Travis Gibson performs at 7 p.m. Wristbands can be purchased for \$5 at the MSK tent, which allows you to consume alcohol on the event premises (must be 21 years of age or older). MSK will also be selling their infamous "WTF" t-shirts; get them while supplies last. The fun lasts until 10 p.m.

Soul-inspired roots rock band The Mighty Pines at Baldwin Hall Auditorium

Soul-inspired roots rock band The Mighty Pines will kick off the Truman State University Kohlenberg Lyceum Series on Sept. 9. The St. Louis-based group is known for creating vast musical landscapes with layered harmonies and thoughtfully crafted instrumentation. All performances will take place at 7 p.m. in Baldwin Hall Auditorium unless otherwise specified. Tickets are available two weeks prior to each event and can be picked up on campus in the Union & Involvement Office in the Student Union Building, the Advancement Office in McClain Hall 205 or the Admissions Office in the Ruth W. Towne Museum and Visitors Center. Tickets are also available downtown at the Kirksville Arts Association. This season all Kohlenberg Lyceum Series events are provided free of charge thanks to the generous support of local sponsors, the Friends of the Lyceum program and the Truman State University Foundation. Friends of the Lyceum receive exclusive benefits including reserved seating, special parking and a commemorative gift of the season based on the level of their donation. For more information, visit lyceum.truman.edu or call 660-785-4133.

Downtown New Student Welcome Set for Sept. 10

All new Truman students are invited downtown for a Kirksville welcome, 5-7 p.m. Sept. 10. Businesses, churches and organizations will have tables set up with items for students presenting a Truman ID.

Northeast Regional Medical Center Lunch & Learn

Northeast Regional Medical Center's Lunch & Learn will be held on Sept. 13, from noon to 1 p.m. at the Kirksville Aquatic Center meeting room, 801 S. Mill Street, Kirksville. Speaker Pat Selby, program director of RSVP will answer questions about the upcoming Medicare Open Enrollment. This event is free and open to the public. You may RSVP by calling (660) 785-1297.

Kirksville Area Chamber of Commerce Business After Hours

The Kirksville Area Chamber of Commerce will hold a Business After Hours get-together at the DuKum Inn, 111 S. Elson Street, Kirksville, for the Chariton Valley Association's Center for Human Services on Sept. 14 from 5-7 p.m.

Blood Drive at Northeast Regional Medical Center

A Blood Drive will be held at Northeast Regional Medical Center in Kirksville on Sept. 15 in the First Floor, Conference Room #4, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter: NEmedicalcenter to schedule an appointment.

Thousand Hills State Park Petroglyph Tour

Thousand Hills State Park Petroglyph Tour will be held on Friday, Sept. 15 at 7 p.m. 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.

48th Annual Red Barn Festival

The 48th Annual Red Barn Festival will be held on Sept. 16 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Courthouse Square in downtown Kirksville. Food, fun and fantastic art from across the Midwest. Sponsored by the Kirksville Arts Association and the Missouri Arts Council. For exhibitor information, visit kirksvillearts.org/

Thousand Hills State Park Learn 2 Aim

Thousand Hills State Park Learn 2 Aim will be held on Saturday, Sept. 16 at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. Begin your archer journey by attending a hands-on workshop this summer! Prior Registration is required. REGISTER AT: mostateparks.com/learn2. Questions? Contact the park office at 660-665-6995

Kirksville Firefighters Local 2952 3rd Annual Ranch Rodeo & Barrel Race

The Kirksville Firefighters Local 2952 3rd Annual Ranch Rodeo & Barrel Race will be held on Saturday, Sept. 16 at the NEMO Fairgrounds. Barrel races start at 3 p.m. Start follows exhibitions. 70 percent payback. Registration starts at noon and closes when first horse runs in open. Exhibition Barrels: 1-3 p.m. \$5 each, 60 second time limit. Open 4D (1/2 second split), \$30, buckle to IDw winner. Youth 3d (1 second split), \$20, 17 and up. Adult 3D (1 second split), \$20-18 and up. Carry over must be declared before you run. Agee as of 1/1/23. Ranch Rodeo — Start no before 6 p.m. Start follows Mutton Busting. 60 percent payback, \$250 added. Registration will be open until the first team runs. 4 Man Team, \$300. Team Doctoring, Team Sorting, Muggin, Team Penning. The fastest time in each event will get a payout. Buckle to overall winner. Negative Coggins required for all horses. Stalls will be available first come, first served with a \$30 deposit. Deposits will be refunded to those with cleaned stalls at the end of the event. Supper will be available on site. Full RV hook-ups available upon request. Contact 660-665-8800 for more information. All money will be donated to: Kirksville Firefighters Community Outreach Fund/The Adam Bruner Memorial Scholarship.

Thousand Hills State Park presents 'Snake Survival'

Thousand Hills State Park presents "Snake Survival" on Friday, Sept. 22 at 7 p.m. Snakes have a variety of different ways that they defend themselves. Join park staff to discover these survival techniques. There may be a chance to meet a live animal. Meet at the Campground 1 amphitheater. Questions? Contact the park office at 660-665-6995



Rotary Club of Kirksville new members speak about backgrounds

By Rotary Club of Kirksville

At the Aug. 23 Rotary Club of Kirksville meeting, newer members Aron Barwick and Cathy Stinson spoke about their backgrounds. Barwick, from Iowa, began working for Hy-Vee in high school and college before becoming a full time em-

ployee in 2004. After working in several Iowa stores, he came to Kirksville in 2020 and serves as general manager of the Kirksville and Unionville Hy-Vee stores. Cathy Stinson was born in California and has lived in nine states. She and her husband, Rotarian Tom Stinson, raised five sons.



Kirksville Kiwanis Club hears from Mike Bolle, president of Northern Missouri Futbol Club

By Kirksville Kiwanis Club

The Kirksville Kiwanis Club welcomed Mike Bolle to speak at their Aug. 24 meeting. Bolle is the president of the Northern Missouri Fut-

bol Club. He presented on the organization and their upcoming fall season. To learn more, visit nmfc.soccer. Pictured are Kirksville Kiwanis Club Vice President Ted Frushour (left) and Bolle.

SAFETY

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If you'll be on the road this Labor Day holiday, make sure your vehicle is in good working condition before you depart. Drive courteously and obey all of Missouri's traffic laws. Remember to buckle up and pay attention as you travel.

Help ensure a safer Labor Day weekend for everyone.

In Missouri, seven people died and 398 were injured in 1,041 traffic crashes over the 2022 Labor Day holiday. This means one person was killed or injured every 11.5 minutes. Troopers arrested 121 people for driving while intoxicated during last year's holiday weekend.

The Highway Patrol will be participating in Opera-

tion C.A.R.E. (Crash Awareness & Reduction Effort) over the Labor Day holiday weekend. Speed, inattention, and impaired driving are leading causes of traffic crashes. All available troopers will be patrolling Missouri's roadways and waterways. Troopers on the roadways will be enforcing Missouri's speed limit, seat belt, and impaired driving laws, in addition to being available to assist motorists.

The public is encouraged to call the Patrol's Emergency Report Line (800) 525-5555 or *55 on your cellular phone if they witness criminal activity or experience an emergency. These emergency numbers are operational for both highway and water emergencies. If your celebration includes alcohol, designate someone else to drive whether you are in your boat or your car.

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OBITUARIES

Margie Marie (Mollick) Tippett

Mar 9, 1953 – Aug 23, 2023

Margie Marie (Mollick) Tippett, age 70, passed away at the University of Missouri hospital in Columbia, Missouri on August 23, 2023, after a courageous battle with liver disease.



The daughter of Charles Gottlieb Mollick and Julia Marie (Swanson) Mollick, Margie was born March 9th, 1953, in Kirksville, Missouri. Growing up, Margie worked for her parents at Mollick Grocery in Kirksville and Joe's Bargain Barn in Greentop. She graduated from high school in 1971 from Schuyler County Schools. She continued her education at Northeast Missouri State University, now Truman State University, and graduated in 1974 with a Bachelor of Arts in Music. She later earned a Master's Degree in Education from William Woods University. On June 1, 1974 she married John Tippett in Kirksville at the First Freewill Baptist Church. They were parents to 4 children; Randy, Chad, Amy, and Cole. Margie was an educator for over thirty years. She served in many capacities including early childhood education, music, Title reading, and the gifted program. Margie spent most of her career at Moulton-Udell Schools, retiring as the principal in 2011. Her legacy as a mentor of so many students and teachers will live on for many years to come. She loved the Lord and had a passion for music. She enjoyed singing, while her mother, Julia Mollick, accompanied her on the piano. She also performed with the Singing Lamplighters and the Friendly Sunshine Band. Once she became a grandmother, Margie loved to support her grandkids at their various events. She also loved to cook and deliver meals to anyone in need. She enjoyed visiting her mother in the nursing home, playing the piano and singing whenever she could. She was the music director and conducted many Christmas cantatas at the Lancaster Christian Church for many years. She loved her dog, Pepper, and he was always by her side. Most recently she was honored with the highest degree level of Torchbearer from the sisters in her sorority of Beta Sigma Phi.

Margie was preceded in death by her parents; her mother and father-in-law, Dennis and Madalin Tippett; her son, Chad Tippett; brother, Robert Mollick; sisters-in-law, Jolene and Patty Mollick.

Survivors include her husband, John Tippett, of Kirksville; sons, Randy (Stacie) Tippett of Kansas City, Cole (Lindsay) Tippett of Lancaster, and daughter Amy (Lathé) Nunan of Kirksville; grandchildren, Randal Tippett of Edina and Bethanie Tippett of LaPlata, Macy and Max Nunan of Kirksville, Bryce and Brady Tippett of Lancaster, Alison and Alana Gatzemeyer of Kansas City; brothers, Julian Mollick of Cairo, Bruce (Debbie) Mollick of Greentop; brother-in-law Leland (Marilyn) Tippett of Bovey, MN; sister-in-law Mary Deane (Bruce) Linnemeyer of Camp Point, IL, and Nancy (Denny) Hyde of Pleasant Hill, IA as well as several nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be held from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 26, 2023 at Davis-Playle-Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held Sunday, August 27th at 2 p.m. at Davis-Playle-Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home with Pastor Billy Wallace officiating. Burial will follow at the Greentop Cemetery.

Pall bearers will be Rob Busch, Richard Horner, Drew Horner, Tyler Mollick, Joe Mollick and Brad Drummond. Honorary pall bearers include Stanley Mohr, Ryan Elsea, Pat Ball and Gerald Robinson. Special musical selections include "I Can Only Imagine", "Take my hand, Precious Lord", and "What Could Be Better" by 33 Miles.

In lieu of flowers, memorials have been established to the Moulton-Udell School or to the Greentop Cemetery and can be made payable to the Davis-Playle-Hudson-Rimer Funeral home.

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

Carol Louise (Poston) Parrish

Feb 25, 1958 – Aug 23, 2023

Carol Louise (Poston) Parrish, 65, of Baring, Missouri, passed away peacefully on Wednesday morning, August 23, 2023, at the Blessing Hospital in Quincy, Illinois.



Carol was born, February 25, 1958, in Kirksville, Missouri, the daughter of Louis Richard and Shirley Mae Cassingham Poston.

She helped with the family grocery store and livestock feed company located in Adair, Missouri. Her family moved to Baring, Missouri, where Carol attended grade school and graduated from the Knox County High School in the Class of 1976. She continued her education at Northeast Missouri State University in Kirksville, Missouri, earning a degree in accounting.

Carol married and to this union a son was born. She joined the work force to help support her family, working for the food services at the Baring Elementary School and then the Garment Factory in Memphis, Missouri. In February 2023 she retired, after 30 years with the Kraft Foods in Kirksville, Missouri.

Who was Carol? She was a daughter, sister, cousin, aunt, student, wife, mother, friend, hard worker, skilled power tool user, a deliciously talented baker, card player, huge fan of jigsaw puzzles, deer hunter, carpenter for her home remodeling, and a devoted pet owner to Stinker, Bubbles and Rocky.

Carol is survived by her two sisters, Loretta Poston and Rose Marie Saddler both of Baring, Missouri; her brother, David and Stephenie Poston of Baring, Missouri; cousins, Bobby and Beth Poston of Kirksville, Missouri and Bobby Hayes of Las Cruces, New Mexico; nephews, Shane and Caden Poston of Hurdland, Missouri, Cole Conn of Baring, Missouri, and Riley Poston of Edina, Missouri; step-niece, Kristi Saddler of Kansas City, Missouri; and a son and his family; along with a host of friends.

We already miss the daily adventures we had with this strong woman!

She was preceded in death by her parents, Richard and Shirley Poston; and her brother-in-law, Les Saddler.

Funeral Services will be at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, September 2, 2023, at the Doss Funeral Home in Edina, Missouri.

Visitation will be from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. Friday, September 1, 2023, at the funeral home in Edina.

Interment will be in the St. Mary's Cemetery in Adair, Missouri.

Pastor Graig Connell will officiate and Casket Bearers will be Shane Poston, Caden Poston, Riley Poston, Cole Conn, Tony Snelling, and Robert Cullers, along with Honorary Bearers, Nathan Overstreet, Tatum Overstreet, Eldon "Bull" Parrish, Bucky Bowen, Terry Mallett, Trevor Snelling, and Austin Snelling.

An expression of sympathy in memory of Carol Poston may be left to the Adair County Humane Society or the St. Mary's Cemetery in Adair, Missouri. A memorial may be left at or mailed to the Doss Funeral Home 208 N. 4th Street, Edina, Missouri 63537.

Donald Edward Jones

Mar 2, 1934 – Aug 22, 2023

Donald Edward Jones, 89, of Wesley Chapel, Florida, formerly of Kirksville, Missouri, peacefully entered the loving arms of his Lord and Savior on August 22, 2023, after a short illness. The son of Luel E. Jones and Mabel J. (Smock) Jones, he was born March 2, 1934. He was a graduate of Downing High School. On December 21, 1952, he married the love of his life, Mary B. Fountain, and to this marriage, three children were born. The family moved from Downing to Kirksville in 1969, and after the children were grown, Donnie and Mary moved to Florida in 1987.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, September 2, 2023, at 1:00 p.m., at the Downing Christian Church in Downing, Missouri, with Pastor Larry Smith officiating. Visitation will be held on Friday, September 1, 2023 at the Norman Funeral Home in Lancaster, Missouri, 6:00-8:00 p.m. The family has requested, in lieu of flowers, that memorial donations be made to the Campground Cemetery, Downing, Missouri; Central Christian College of the Bible, 911 E. Urbandale Dr, Moberly, MO 65270; or Dade City Christian Church, 11800 Windsorwood Blvd, Dade City, FL 33525. Burial will be in the Campground Cemetery, southeast of Downing, Missouri. Donations can be left at Norman Funeral Home. Online condolences may be expressed to the family by logging on to normanf.com. Arrangements are under the direction of the Norman Funeral Home of Lancaster, Missouri. Visit normanf.com to view full obituary.

Herbert Lee Sandker

May 28, 1936 – Aug 27, 2023

Herbert Lee Sandker, Sr., 87, of Gravois Mills, Missouri passed away on Sunday, August 27, 2023. He was born on May 28, 1936 in Hallsville, Missouri; a son of the late Bill and Mary (Williams) Sandker.



Herb married the love of his life, Thelma Jewel Diehl on September 3, 1955. They were married nearly 68 years. He served in the Army Reserves during the Korean War. Herb worked and retired from the City of Fulton Utility Department. Herb, Thelma, and family lived in Fulton, Missouri but later moved to Kirksville, Missouri. The family would eventually settle at the Lake of the Ozarks. He loved visiting with friends, fishing, and cutting wood. Herb would get a rotation of new interests throughout his life such as wood carving,

gardening, a bait shop, and a greenhouse.

Herb is survived by his sons: Herbert Sandker Jr. (Rhonda), James Sandker, Steve Sandker; sister, Mary (DeAnn) Claxton; five grandchildren, twelve great-grandchildren, and four great-great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his siblings: Helen Jenkins, Dorothy Hagan, Maurice (Jack) Sandker; daughter-in-law, Mrs. James (Linda) Sandker; granddaughter, Brooke Lea Sandker.

Expressions of sympathy can be made to the family of Herbert Sandker c/o Thelma Sandker at P.O. Box 1313 Rocky Mount, Missouri, 65072

Arrangements are under the direction of Millard-Rekus Family Funeral Chapel, 902 East North Street, Eldon, Missouri 65026 (573) 392-3351. Condolences may be left online for the family at www.millardfamilychapels.com.

George Hull Chapter of National Society of Daughters of the American Colonists meeting

By George Hull Chapter

The George Hull Chapter of the National Society of Daughters of the American Colonists held their regular meeting on Tuesday, Aug. 15. Regent Carol Navarro called the meeting to order and Pam Tylock, Chaplain, started the meeting with our rituals.

Mrs. Mettie Davis, Registrar, concluded her report about Chief Black Hawk, a Sauk leader and warrior. He led a band of warriors during the Black Hawk War of 1832. It was the last Native American war fought on the East side of the Mississippi.

A Salute to Military Women was shared by Mrs. Mary Ann Farmer, Vice Regent. A familiar name, Molly Pitcher, who fought in the American Revolutionary War was remembered and discussed.

A plaque for the 2023 honoree for Patriotic generosity for the Community was presented to Mr. Herb Sieren and Sieren's Palace.

We will continue to volunteer, provide,



Roxanne Castles, Historian/Librarian for the George Hull Chapter

and support the Mexico Veterans Home in Mexico, MO. Besides requesting towels, they also need decorations for their new Christmas trees.

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 9:30 a.m., Parking Complaint, Violation-Warning, 700 Block of South Fourth Street
 9:40 a.m., Traffic Stop, North Green Street, Juvenile
 9:57 a.m., Parking Complaint, Violation-Warning, 800 Block of South Sixth Street
 10:57 a.m., Field Contact, East Buchanan Street
 12:26 p.m., Traffic Stop, 304 S. Franklin Street, Debra Delaney-Wilhelm, 66
 12:52 p.m., Parking Complaint, Violation-Warning, 500 Block of South High Street
 12:54 p.m., Harassment, Suspicious-Person, Activity, Vehicle, 603 N. Boundary Street
 1:19 p.m., Traffic Stop, South Osteopathy Street, James Barber, 52
 1:31 p.m., Traffic Stop, 1009 N. Osteopathy Street, Rebecca Gower, 18
 1:37 p.m., MVA/Minor; No Valid License-3rd and Subsequent Offense (F); Failure to Register Motor Vehicle/Trailer; Operating Motor Vehicle of Another Knowing Owner No Financial Responsibility 2nd/ Subsequent (M), 1902 S. Baltimore Street, Arrestee: Cara Covey, 22
 1:46 p.m., Traffic Stop, South Halliburton Street, Cara Covey, 22
 1:48 p.m., Traffic Stop, Center Road, Brittany Porter, 31
 2:11 p.m., Traffic Stop, North Elson Street, Curtis Talbert, 60
 2:19 p.m., Traffic Stop, North Elson Street, Amanda Person, 32
 2:25 p.m., MVA/MInor, 2206 N. Baltimore Street
 3:36 p.m., Theft/Bike, Stealing, Property Lost-Recovered, 101 W. Northtown Road
 3:59 p.m., Traffic Stop, 100 Block East McPherson Street, Shelby Willis, 31
 4:05 p.m., Traffic Stop, 1312 S. Baltimore Street, Daniel Slavin, 63
 4:30 p.m., Traffic Stop, 1800 N. Baltimore Street
 7:19 p.m., Theft/Not in Progress, Property Lost-Recovered, 119 E. McPherson Street
 8:05 p.m., Property Recovered, 2710 Novinger Street
 8:11 p.m., Weapons Offense, Unlawful Use of Weapon-Subsection 4-Exhibiting (F); Leaving Scene of Accident, U.S. Hwy. 63
 8:36 p.m., Theft/Not in Progress, Suspicious-Person, Activity, Vehicle, 2209 N. Baltimore Street
 8:54 p.m., Domestic Disturbance/Verbal, Civil Dispute, 801 Bluewing Drive
 9:10 p.m., Traffic Stop, Warrant-Macon County, East Northtown Road, Arrestee: Joni Moseley, 33
 9:18 p.m., Animal/Abuse-Care, Animal (M A) Abuse 1st Offense, 1116 E. Jefferson Street
 10:35 p.m., Traffic Stop, 1116 Country Club Drive, Kendall Williams, 64
 10:43 p.m., Traffic Stop, Driving While Revoked/Suspended 1st Offense (M D), Shepherd Avenue, Arrestee: Kyle Wood, 29
 11:39 p.m., MVA/Hit and Run, Leaving Scene of Accident, 820 E. Randolph Street
 11:59 p.m., Traffic Stop, State Hwy. 6, Tanner Western, 22

AUG. 19
 12:31 a.m., Traffic Stop, West Cottonwood Street, Camron Bunch, 19
 1:15 a.m., Intoxicated Person, Protective Custody, 211 W. Pierce Street
 2 a.m., Assault/Domestic-2nd Degree (F), 215 E. Illinois Street
 2:20 a.m., Lost/Stolen Property, Stealing \$750 or More All Other (F), 504 Dodson Street
 2:44 a.m., Check the Well Being, 903 E. Orchard Street
 2:56 a.m., Check the Well Being, 1304 S. Baltimore Street
 9:40 a.m., Trespass, 2209 N. Baltimore Street
 10 a.m., Parking Complaint, East McPherson Street
 10:48 a.m., Traffic Stop, Cable Street, Angela Sullivan, 41
 12:16 p.m., Traffic Stop, 500 N. Baltimore Street, Radonna Daniels, 56
 12:51 p.m., Traffic Stop, North Elson Street
 1:36 p.m., Harassment, 703 W. Hamilton Street
 1:38 p.m., Traffic Stop, 1023 E. Jefferson Street, Brittany Porter, 31
 2:01 p.m., Theft/Bike Stealing-Pocket Picking, Purse, Motor Vehicle Parts, All Other, 1304 S. Baltimore Street
 2:35 p.m., Traffic Stop, East Cottonwood Street, Serenity Groseklempe, 26
 3:33 p.m., Traffic Stop, 2121 N. Baltimore Street, Emmanuel Bahena, 22
 3:47 p.m., Traffic Stop, North Elson Street, Anthony Mahlow, 23
 3:51 p.m., Traffic Stop, 2100 Block of South Boundary Street, Dwight Hurley, 70
 3:51 p.m., Traffic Stop, No Valid License-1st Offense (M), 2302 S. Baltimore Street, Arrestee: Christopher Gastelum, 35
 4:26 p.m., Traffic Stop, No Valid License-1st Offense (M), West Burton Street, Arrestee: Leanna Youngman, 33
 6:42 p.m., Warrant, Hindering Prosecution (F), Domestic Disturbance, 711 W. Martha Street, Arrestee: Bradley Shrouf, 42
 10:02 p.m., Traffic Stop, Driving While Revoked/Suspended 1st Offense (M D), Warrant, 1002 S. Baltimore Street, Arrestee: Jameka Johnson, 26
 10:35 p.m., Peace Disturbance, Loud Noise Party, 1001 E. Dear Street
 10:57 p.m., Traffic Stop, Driving While Revoked/Suspended 1st Offense (M D), East Elm Street, Arrestee: Beau Spencer, 41
 11:35 p.m., Traffic Stop, DWI-Alcohol (M B), South Baltimore Street, Arrestee: Allen Replogle, 31
AUG. 20
 12:25 a.m., Harassment, 2214 Baltimore Street
 12:48 a.m., Traffic Stop, North Marion Street, Russell Sandoval, 43
 1:15 a.m., Traffic Stop, Driving While Revoked/Suspended-1st Offense (M D), 202 E. Illinois Street
 1:39 a.m., Traffic Stop, Driving While Suspended/Revoked-2nd or 3rd (M A), 714 S. Bradford Street, Arrestee: Harry Coles, 37
 2:13 a.m., Traffic Stop, Jefferson Street
 3:07 a.m., Domestic Disturbance/Verbal, 110 E. Jefferson Street
 6:44 a.m., Civil Dispute, Parking Complaint, 210 Hollis Way
 8:02 a.m., Check the Well Being, 1507 S. First Street
 10:34 a.m., Traffic Stop, East Pierce Street, Megan Howard, 33
 11:05 a.m., Child/Found, West Wall Street
 11:28 a.m., Traffic Stop, 301 W. Washington Street
 1:45 p.m., Traffic Stop, Driving While Revoked/Suspended 1st Offense (M D), 511 S. Baltimore Street, Arrestee: Ryan Easley, 23

2:01 p.m., Property/Recovered, 100 N. High Street
 2:53 p.m., Traffic Stop, 502 N. Baltimore Street
 3:01 p.m., Traffic Stop, 2216 S. Baltimore Street, Jareb Peabody, 24
 3:13 p.m., Traffic Stop, 100 Block of East Illinois Street, Juvenile
 3:33 p.m., Traffic Stop, 2206 N. Baltimore Street, Jason Mourton, 48
 3:46 p.m., Warrant-FTA, 1200 N. Walnut Street, Arrestee: Christina Mullen, 36
 4:04 p.m., Traffic Stop, 1915 N. Osteopathy Street
 4:29 p.m., Assisting Other Agency, 1101 S. Jamison Street
 6:41 p.m., Assault/Simple, Suspicious-Person, Activity, Vehicle, 119 E. McPherson Street
 7:46 p.m., Traffic Stop, West Porter Street, Ranae Breden, 29
 7:52 p.m., Follow-Up, Prostitution-Patronizing (M B), False Report, 215 N. High Street, Arrestee: Christopher Mucklow, 46
 8:53 p.m., Domestic Disturbance/Physical, Protective Custody; Assault 3rd Degree Law Officer/Special Victim (F D); Property Damage (M), 2nd Degree, 1500 N. Walnut Street
 9:34 p.m., MVA/Minor, U.S. Hwy. 63
 9:41 p.m., Animal/Bite-Attack, Domestic Disturbance, 1222 N. Main Street
 9:56 p.m., Assault/Simple, Domestic Disturbance, 807 E. Jefferson Street
 10:09 p.m., Runaway, 507 Walker Street
 10:58 p.m., Harassment, South Baltimore Street
 11:03 p.m., Traffic Stop, Careless & Imprudent Driving/No Accident (M B); Failure to Yield to Emergency Vehicle (M A); East Jefferson Street
 11:07 p.m., Domestic Disturbance/Physical, 101 S. Wabash Street
 11:09 p.m., Harassment, 311 S. Baltimore Street
AUG. 21
 6:14 a.m., Assault/Domestic 3rd Degree (F E), 215 N. Marion Street
AUG. 22
 7:37 a.m., Animal Complaint, 302 N. New Street
 9:56 a.m., MVA/Hit and Run, Leaving the Scene of an Accident, 1401 S. Baltimore Street
 11:10 a.m., Warrant, 1308 S. Osteopathy Street, Arrestee: Joan Beeson, 62
 11:49 a.m., Parking Complaint, Parked in a Yellow Zone, 500 Block of South Marion Street
 11:51 a.m., Services Rendered, Field Contact, 119 E. McPherson Street
 12:52 p.m., Parking Complaint, Failed to Park Right Side Parallel to Curb, 800 Block of East Washington Street
 1:05 p.m., Parking Complaint, Violation-Warning, 400 Block of North Mulanix Street
 3:15 p.m., Traffic Stop, East Harrison Street
 3:44 p.m., Check the Well Being, 902 E. McPherson Street
 3:50 p.m., Trespass, 111 S. Elson Street
 4:10 p.m., Theft/Not in Progress, Stealing From All Other (M), 201 E. Burton Street
 6:34 p.m., Traffic Stop, Washington Street, Kerrion Dean, 27
 6:55 p.m., Harassment, Possession of Child Pornography-1st Offense (F), 109 Manor Road
 8:47 p.m., Check the Well Being, 2400 S. Baltimore Street
AUG. 23
 12:45 a.m., Traffic Stop, North Osteopathy Street, Chauncey Calvin, 18
 3:34 a.m., Domestic Disturbance/Verbal, 12 Hour Protective Custody, 180 Concord Square
 5:45 a.m., MVA/Road Blocked, Osteopathy Street

Sykes earns Certified Public Accountant Certificate

By Harden, Cummins, Moss & Miller, LLC

Martha J. Sykes, an accountant at Harden, Cummins, Moss & Miller, LLC, has successfully completed and passed the Uniform Certified Public Accountant (CPA) Examination. She earned her Certified Public Accountant Certificate and is licensed to practice public accounting in Missouri.

The CPA examination is administered by the American Institute of Cer-

tified Public Accountants to ensure only qualified individuals become CPAs.

In 2022, Sykes earned her Masters of Accountancy from Truman State University. She has been employed with Harden, Cummins, Moss & Miller, LLC in Kirksville, since September of 2022. She and her husband Austin, live in Kirksville.

Harden, Cummins, Moss & Miller, LLC operates three branches located in Chillicothe, Kirksville and Maryville, Missouri.



Martha J. Sykes

KIRKSVILLE AREA NEWS BRIEFS

Missouri's fall hunting seasons to kick off

Missouri's fall hunting seasons are beginning to kick off next month. Dove season will open Sept. 1 one half hour before sunrise. The Missouri Department of Conservation has planted sunflower fields on conservation areas across the state. Many hunters will take to the field for some exciting wing shooting activity. Most dove hunters will be required to have a hunting permit and migratory bird permit. The daily limit on harvest is 15 birds. In order to find a field near you refer to the following link <https://mdc.mo.gov/discover-nature/places/dove-management-areas>. A great way to carry and purchase permits is the MOHunting app available on any mobile device. The app is a great reference for shooting times, season dates and daily limits. For more information, contact the Kirksville Regional Office at 660-785-24204 or Conservation Agent Kevin Powell at 665-216-1389.

Hospice of Northeast Missouri to offer six-week grief support group

Hospice of Northeast Missouri will again offer a six-week grief support group for anyone who has experienced the death of a loved one. Topics include: understanding the grief process; personal loss history and its impact on the grief process; distinguishing between grief and mourning; dealing with insensitive people; grief's impact on a family system; self-care and observing special occasions and the holidays. Carrol Davenport, Spiritual Care and Bereavement Coordinator for Hospice of Northeast Missouri, will facilitate the six-week support group. Two sessions will be offered. Participants can sign up for either the 12:30-1:30 p.m. session or the 5:30-6:30 p.m. session. This six-week support group will take on Mondays Sept. 18, 25 and Oct. 2, 9, 16 and 23. The support group will be held at the Hospice of Northeast Missouri office located at 201 S. Baltimore Street in Kirksville. There is no charge for the six-week support group, but advance registration is required. To register for the group, contact Carrol Davenport at 660-627-9711.

Truman State University Art Gallery Exhibit

The exhibition features Sam Cohen's Working America and Madeline Brice's Learning not to hurt others, and will be on display through Oct. 11. Sam Cohen will present a virtual artist's talk on Sept. 18 at 5 p.m. Check gallery.arttruman.com for the link to the presentation. University Art Gallery Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Saturday noon to 4:30 p.m. Art Gallery

exhibits are free and open to the public. The University Art Gallery is closed between exhibitions and during all Truman State University breaks. Additional information at gallery.arttruman.com. The Art Gallery is located on the first floor of the Ophelia Parrish Fine Arts Center, at the corner of Normal and Mulanix Streets - entrance on the west side of the building.

'The Marvelous Wonderettes: Caps and Gowns' dinner theater

Tickets are now on sale for the Kirksville Parks and Recreation Department's dinner theatre production of "The Marvelous Wonderettes: Caps and Gowns." Set against the backdrop of the 1958 Springfield High School graduation, "The Marvelous Wonderettes: Caps and Gowns" follows the journey of four best friends - Betty Jean, Cindy Lou, Missy and Suzy - as they navigate the challenges of growing up and transitioning from high school to adulthood. The Wonderettes are back in town for just three performances, held on Sept. 7, 8 and 9 at the First United Methodist Church in Kirksville. Dinner will be served at 6 p.m. with the show starting promptly at 7 p.m. Tickets can be purchased online at parks.kirksvillecity.com or in person at the Kirksville Aquatic Center located at 801 E. Mill St. for \$30 per person. Choose between a vegetarian lasagna, roast beef, or Hawaiian chicken entree, salad, sides and dessert. Limited "show only" tickets may be available at the door for \$15 per person. For more information, contact the Kirksville Parks and Recreation Department at 660-627-1485.

Rotary Youth Exchange Committee in need of host families

The Kirksville Rotary Youth Exchange Committee is in need of host families for a German exchange student for the 2023-24 school year. Three host families are needed to provide room and board for three months each. The committee provides orientation to the families and the students go through a strong vetting process. Email acsweet12@gmail.com if interested.

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.; Friday Sept. 15 - Band "Boot Cut" 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.; Saturday Sept. 30 - Band "Keota" 8 p.m. to 11 p.m.; Saturday Oct. 21 - Band "Shakey Ground" 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.; Friday Oct. 27 - Band "Stonehouse"

9 p.m. to midnight. Call 660-239-4576 for more information.

Kirksville Kiwanis Farmers' Market on Saturdays

The Kirksville Kiwanis Farmers' Market will run each Saturday from May through Oct., 7 a.m. to noon on the square in downtown Kirksville. Come support your local farmers, growers, bakers, and craftspeople at the longest continual community service project in the city of Kirksville. For more information, contact the Kirksville Kiwanis Club at (660) 988-0419 or via email at kirksvillemarket@gmail.com or see the Kiwanis Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/kirksvillekiwanisfarmersmarket/>

Food Bank Adopt a Buddy Pack program

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

Join the Kirksville Young Professionals Committee

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

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MEETING

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Mrs. Roxanne Castles, Historian/Librarian for the Chapter, presented her family history on Pioneer John Whitney. Mr. Whitney was born in 1592 in England and was the first "Whitney" to immigrate to the Colonies in April 1635. John Whitney's grandson Col. David Whitney is Mrs. Castles' Colonist and 6th Great Grandfather. Besides being a land owner and innkeeper, he was Colonel Of the Connecticut Militia and fought in the French-Indian War.

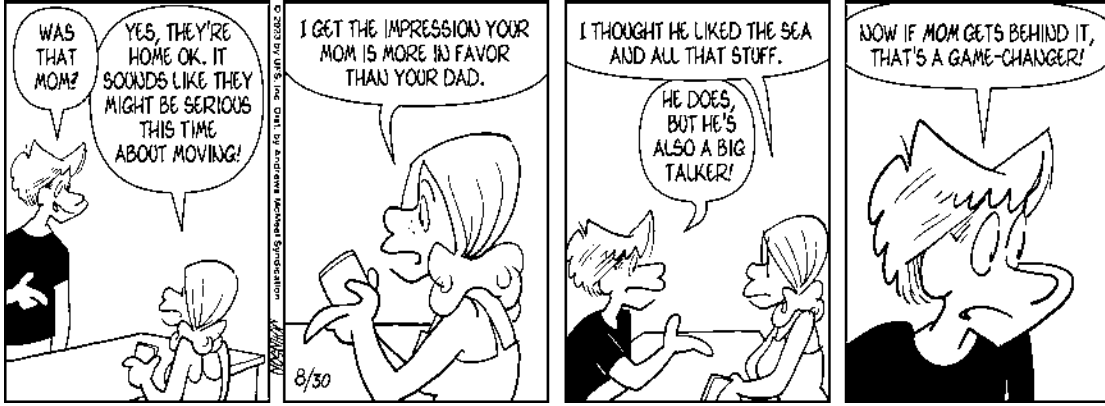
We were reminded to turn in all old and worn American flags to the container at the Court House.

Our next meeting is slated for Sept. 19, at the Adair County Annex Building. If you have any questions on becoming a member of the George Hull Chaper, please email: roxycastles22@gmail.com.

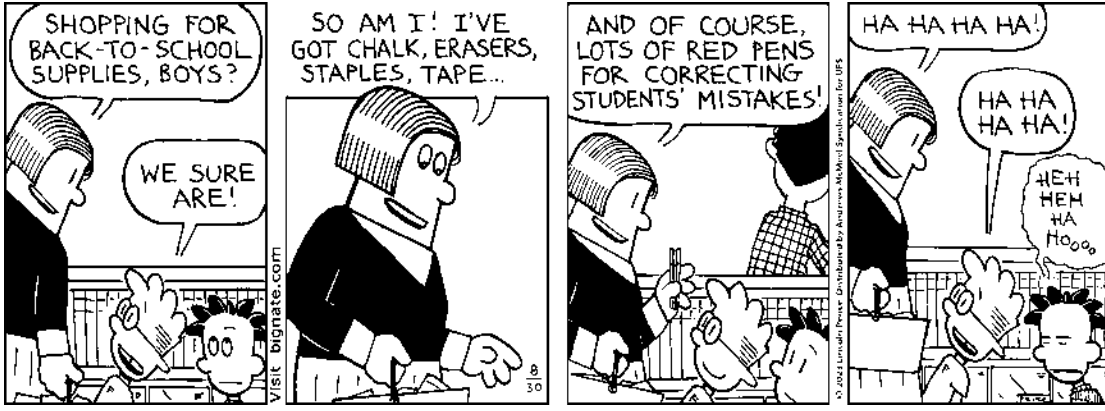


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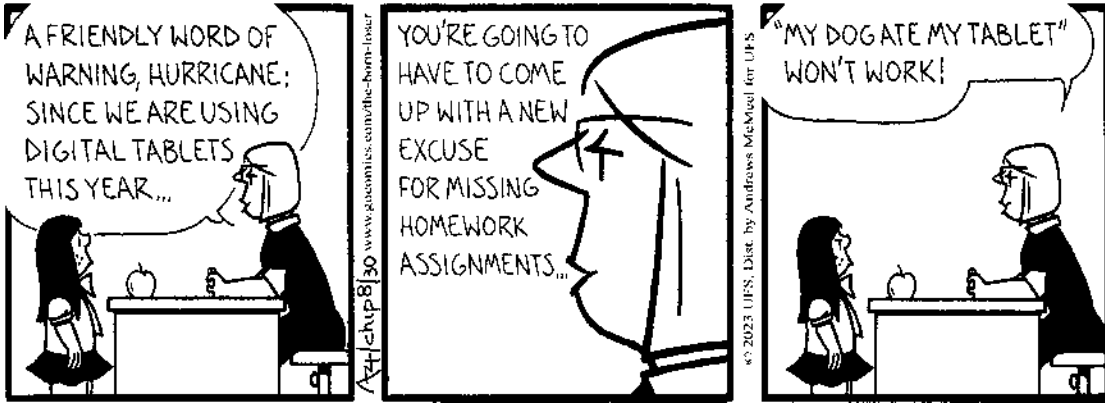
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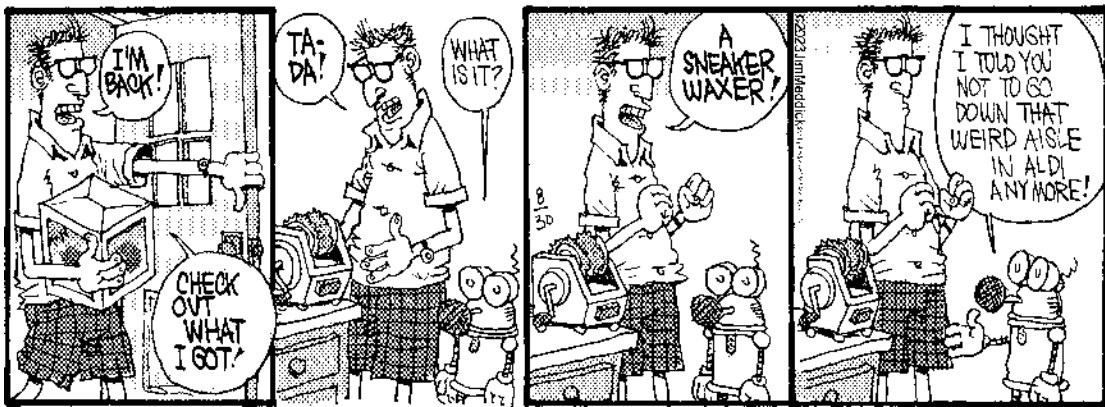
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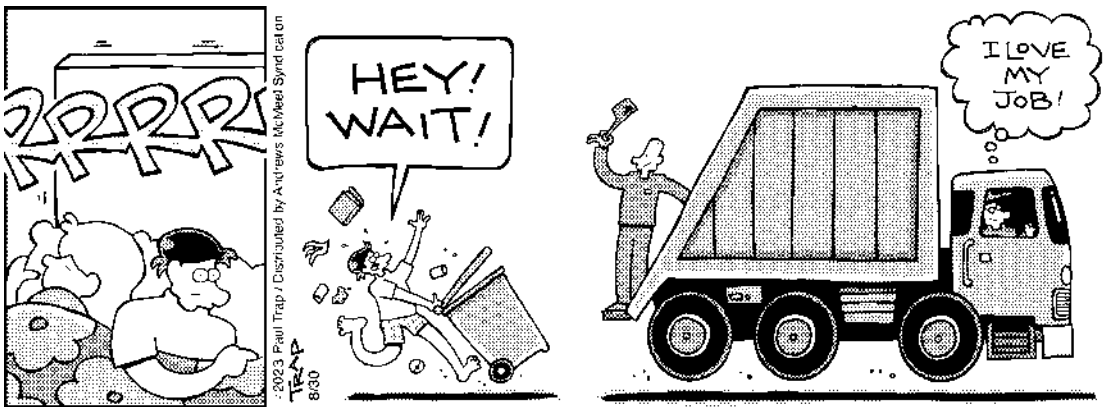
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SUDOKU

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

PREVIOUS ANSWER

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CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
- 1 Butter serving
 - 4 Bible hero
 - 8 Dollar amounts
 - 12 Actress — McClanahan
 - 13 Great sky bear
 - 14 Dye plant
 - 15 "To — is human ..."
 - 16 Diamond or Armstrong
 - 17 Diminutive monkey
 - 18 Unmixed
 - 20 Attached
 - 22 Grocery store
 - 24 Trash receptacle
 - 25 '70s band — Speedwagon
 - 26 Yak
 - 27 Short-lived sensation
 - 30 "The Greatest"
 - 32 Soft mineral
 - 34 Tropical bird
 - 35 Coin used in old France
 - 36 Libertine
 - 38 Thesaurus entry (abbr.)
 - 39 Run smoothly
 - 40 Engine part
 - 41 Cul-de- —
 - 43 Legendary bird
 - 44 Throw in the towel
 - 46 Private eyes
 - 50 Pommel
 - 52 "Sorry, my mistake!"
 - 53 Old ointment
 - 56 — snail's pace
 - 57 U.K. citizen
 - 58 Prince in opera
 - 59 Sailor
 - 60 Office worker (abbr.)
 - 61 Withhold
 - 62 Days of yore
- DOWN**
- 1 Make ready
 - 2 Old word for gold
 - 3 Ecosystem in miniature
 - 4 Mother superior
 - 5 Mineral
 - 6 — Minor
 - 7 Gridiron player
 - 8 Evening gown material
 - 9 Computer OS
 - 10 Tiny bit
 - 11 Skidded
 - 19 Before
 - 21 White lie
 - 23 Youngster
 - 26 Kind of flamboyant rock
 - 27 Spellbind
 - 28 Every
 - 29 Cacophony
 - 30 Silent butler contents
 - 31 Reed or Gehrig
 - 33 Spider or scorpion, e.g.
 - 37 Lawyer's letters
 - 40 Simple bed
 - 42 Diving bird
 - 43 Like a junkyard car
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 - 46 Blubbers
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 - 48 Blockbuster movie
 - 49 Flaming plant
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 - 55 Parched

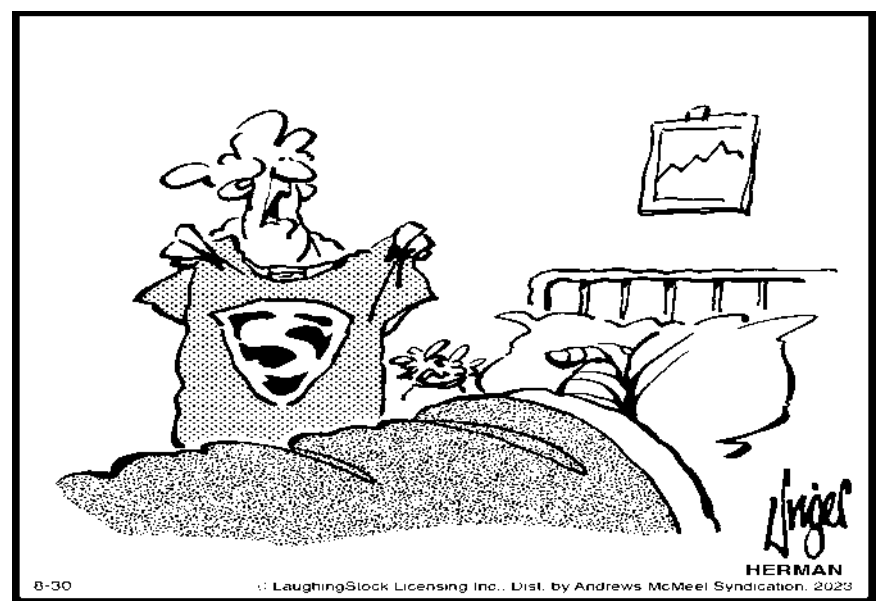
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A passionate but disciplined attitude will lead to success this year. Stand tall and march forward with confidence and the will to grow mentally, spiritually and financially. Use your ingenuity to devise ways to use your skills and experience innovatively, and you'll find a valuable niche. Seize the moment and make this a year to remember.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) -- Refuse to let emotions stand between you and what you want to achieve. Take pride in what you do, and don't stop until you are satisfied with the results. Consistency will be crucial.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) -- Adjustments that make your life easier will pay off. Fine-tune your schedule to accommodate the activities, people and things that bring you joy. Take control of your life.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) -- Participate and make a difference. Going above and beyond the call of duty at home or work will result in recognition. Fine-tune your life. Don't just sit back and observe; do something!

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) -- At the first sign of confusion or danger, back away and rethink your strategy. Protect your reputation. Pay attention to how you present yourself and what you hope to accomplish.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) -- Set your sights on what's meaningful to you, and you'll discover a unique way to make a difference. Pay attention to investments, cost increases and money management.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) -- Pay attention to how you present yourself to others. Don't feel obligated to give in to an overbearing per-

son. Be precise regarding what you want. You have more power than you realize.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) -- Stop stressing out and start talking. A heart-to-heart discussion will resolve troubling issues. An honest assessment regarding shared expenses will help redistribute responsibilities.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) -- Dig deep, and don't move until you have exhausted all the possibilities. Follow the rules, handle your responsibilities and stand behind your word. A straightforward approach will pay off.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) -- Network, get out with friends or sign up for something rejuvenating. Self-care and mixing business with pleasure will pay off. An unexpected change at home will cause trepidation.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) -- Move forward with caution. Be wary of manipulative individuals trying to take advantage of you. A physical outlet will ease stress and help you make better decisions.

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Kirksville quarterback Hayden Davis rolls to his right while under pressure in the game against Macon on Aug. 25.



Kirksville lineman Alex Semple trips up Macon quarterback Jace Terry for a sack in the game on Aug. 25.

Local high school football scores from week 1 of 2023 season

By Adam Tumino

The 2023 high school football team kicked off on Friday. The seven local teams had some tough matchups for the opening week, and as a result went a combined 2-5 to start the season.

Kirkville 42, Macon 26

One of two opening-week matchups between local matchups, the Kirkville-Macon game saw Kirkville grab an early lead before a second-half push from Macon made things interesting.

Kirkville went up 14-0 in the first quarter, growing the lead to 28-0 early in the second quarter.

Macon pushed back hard starting in the final seconds of the first half, and midway through the fourth quarter had cut the score to 34-26. Kirkville pulled back ahead to pick up the win.

Macon will host North Callaway for week two while Kirkville will hit the road for a game against Chillicothe.

Schuyler County 54, Knox County 26

The other local matchup on Friday featured the area's two eight-man football teams. Schuyler County is looking to build on its 2022 season, and a road win to open the season is a good first step.

Knox County won the first two matchups between these two teams, back in 2021, but Schuyler County has now won back-to-back season openers between the teams. Knox County has outscored Schuyler County a combined 194-151 in the four matchups.

Knox County will look to rebound in week two with a home contest against Plattsburg in a Saturday game. Schuyler County will host Bishop LeBlond on the typical Friday night.

Milan 6, South Shelby 47

The Wildcats had a tall task for week one with a road game against 2022 district semifinalists South Shelby first on the schedule. South Shelby got a big home win, beating Milan 47-6. Milan also dropped last season's opener against South Shelby 35-22. Milan has now lost the last three games against the Cardinals.

Milan will look to bounce back with a home game against St. Mary's Academy from Kansas. South Shelby will travel to play Westran.

Putnam County 26, Highland 32

Putnam County is coming off a stellar 2022 season in which they started 3-0. They will have to start their winning streak in week two this season after a close loss to Highland in the opener.

The Midgets won last year's contest 55-36, but Highland won the previous two matchups by a combined score of 99-33.

The Cougars decided to get back to these winning ways, although not by as big a margin. Putnam County will look to grab its first win at home against Father Tolton in week two. Highland will host Scotland County.

Scotland County 0, Clark County 38

Speaking of Scotland County, the Tigers began the season at home looking to start on a strong note after going 1-9 a season ago. But much like last season, Clark County got a shutout win for the opener. This year's game was much closer than last season's 56-0 final score.

Scotland County will be looking to avoid a lengthy losing streak similar to the seven-game skid to begin last season. They will have a chance to get a win against Highland in week two, a team they held to 26 points last season. That was the lowest total allowed by the Tiger defense in 2022. Clark County will host Harrisburg next.

Kirkville holds off Macon comeback in season opener

Kirkville 42
Macon 26

By Adam Tumino

What began as a four-score lead shrunk to one score for the Kirkville football team in the season opener against Macon on Friday. A hot start saw Kirkville jump ahead 28-0, but Macon fought back in the second half to pull within 34-26, but Kirkville managed to pull away in response and held on to win 42-26.

The strong start and finish for Kirkville was promising to head coach Kevin Krietemeyer. The third quarter was another story.

"First half felt great," he said. "At the end of the fourth quarter, felt great. The third quarter was a puke fest. It was bad football by all of us, by me offensively. Really disappointing to see us not really get things going in the third quarter at all."

Regardless of the close call in the second half, Krietemeyer said he was happy to see the team recover and start the season 1-0 for the first time in three seasons, especially against a tough team like Macon.

"Macon has a proud tradition of being a great football team and they're a tough, hard-nosed group of kids," he said. "We battled and we won, and that's all that matters. I'm proud of our kids that worked hard and played hard."

Kirkville got on the board first, receiving the opening kickoff and driving down the field to score in just over two minutes. Junior running back Jace Kent had a 25-yard run down to the two yard line, punching it into the endzone two plays later to put Kirkville up 7-0.

After a quick Macon three-and-out, Kirkville's Tony Tiberi-Ramos returned a punt into the red zone and a flag advanced the ball to Macon's 11 yard line. Kent caught a short pass and found the end zone again to make the score 14-0.

Macon punted on its next two drives, with a Kirkville punt in between, before Kirkville got the ball back and found the red zone once again. Cole Kelly broke off a lengthy catch and run to put Kirkville back in scoring position to close out the first quarter, and Ramos caught a touchdown to open the second.

Macon quarterback Jace Terry was intercepted by Kirkville's Sean Payton on Macon's ensuing drive, setting up a short touchdown run from quarterback Hayden Davis to give Kirkville its biggest lead of the game at 28-0 with 10:11 left in the first half.

Neither team had much more success for the rest of the quar-



Kirkville senior Cole Kelly celebrates after a big catch and run in the season opener against Macon on Aug. 25. PHOTOS BY ADAM TUMINO



Macon senior Mickey Martie signals for a first down after a run against Kirkville on Aug. 25.

ter until Macon finally broke through in the final minutes.

A broken play on a punt led to a big first down run to put Macon in business, putting them in Kirkville territory at the 37 yard line. Then senior receiver John Bray got behind the Kirkville secondary, and Terry hit him downfield for a 39-yard touchdown with 23 seconds left before halftime. The two-point conversion was unsuccessful, and Kirkville took at 28-6 lead into the second half.

The third quarter started well for the Kirkville defense, with Sullivan Clark intercepting Terry on Macon's first drive. Kirkville cashed in with another touchdown pass from Davis to Ramos. A missed extra point kept the score at 34-6.

Macon's comeback attempt was delayed by a fumble on the ensuing drive that was recovered for Kirkville by Payton, his second takeaway of the game. Another turnover followed. Macon's Ryder Lewis jumped a pass from Davis and ran untouched along the sideline for a touchdown. The third quarter ended with the score still at 34-12.

Macon's Mickey Martie punched the ball in from three yards out just two plays into the fourth quarter. A two-point conversion was successful on a pass from Terry to Lewis and Macon came within two scores at 34-20.

Kirkville punted away on the next drive, and Bray had another big catch to bring Macon down the Kirkville 23. A few plays later Martie scored again from eight yards out with 6:14 on the clock. The two point attempt was unsuccessful this time and Kirkville led 34-26.

Kirkville responded immediately. Ramos grabbed the ensuing kickoff and broke free before being brought down at the Macon 12 yard line. Kelly scored a few plays later to give Kirkville some valuable insurance. Davis hit Malik Rodriguez for a two point conversion to solidify the lead.

Payton, already with two takeaways, still had an impactful play left in him. He picked off Terry again around midfield



Kirkville quarterback Hayden Davis tries to run through contact against Macon on Aug. 25.



Macon's Mickey Martie runs from Kirkville defender Alex Semple in the game on Aug. 25.



Kirkville's Tony Tiberi-Ramos tries to find room to run in the game against Macon on Aug. 25.

Kirksville Taekwon-Do hosts annual tournament Saturday

By Adam Tumino

The Kirksville Middle School gym was the site of the annual Kirksville Taekwon-Do Tournament on Saturday, and many local competitors were joined by others from around the country for the event.

Officially sanctioned by the United States Taekwon-Do Federation, the tournament featured people from various backgrounds, ages and experience levels. The tournament was for ITF Taekwon-Do, which is the original form of the material art that goes back to South Korea. The participants competed in patterns, sparring and breaking events throughout the day.

Patterns saw the competitors go through, well, patterns of preset movements and techniques. There are 24 different patterns in ITF Taekwon-Do and they require various levels of experience and skill. The sparring and breaking events are a bit more self explanatory.

Green belt Charles Zeman said he got into taekwon-do later in life



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and, despite reservations he initially had due to his age, is very glad he picked it up a little less than two years ago.

"I was interested in the martial arts and I practiced surgery here for 30 years, so it's kind of hard to try to break something with my hand when I'm using my hand for a living," he said. "So I retired, and I wanted to try this. I asked the grandmasters, with my age, can I still do it, and they said 'absolutely.' It's one of the better decisions I made in my life. I really enjoy it."

Yellow belt Lola Sevits was one of the competitors on the other end of the age spectrum. She has been

doing taekwon-do for a little over a year. In addition to being enjoyable, Sevits said that taekwon-do has another major benefit for her future.

"I like that it was a military martial art, and since I'm going into the military I thought it would be fun to learn the basic rules and how to respect authority," she said.

This was the first tournament Sevits participated in, and she said watching the other competitors was something she had been looking forward to.

"I'm excited to see the black belts compete, because I've never seen it before," she said. "It's cool to watch



the older and more experienced people perform."

One of the black belts Sevits watched perform was Deb Ragone. A member of Axe Taekwon-Do in Bellevue, Nebraska, Ragone said she has been doing taekwon-do for 16 years, and has been coming to the Kirksville Tournament nearly as long.

"We come to Kirksville every year," she said. "I think the COVID year was the only year we haven't been down here in 13 out of those 16 years. We love it."

Ragone got into taekwon-do with her family originally, and they have been doing it together the entire time.

"I had a kindergartner that was being bullied on the bus, so I put him in taekwon-do," she said. "Eventually the family rate sounded good, so we joined and have been doing it ever since."

Ragone is also an English teacher, and with that perspective, she likes what taekwon-do can provide for younger competitors.

"When they come in they're scared, they're timid and they're facing their fears," she said. "They're having to have some humility when they lose, which is always a tough pill for any kid to swallow. But watching them step up and be brave and be in front of others for judg-

ment is hard, especially with the younger kids. It's good interaction watching the students have to show courtesy and etiquette towards older people and their peers."

Dustin Stephenson, the co-owner and head instructor at Kirksville Taekwon-Do, said that he has seen people join up for various reasons over the years. Some join up for physical fitness, and also find value with the mental training as well.

He said that the tournament is well-received by competitors and spectators alike, and although it has not quite gotten back up to the numbers it drew before the Covid pandemic, the numbers are rebounding.

"The feedback is always very good," Stephenson said. "Community wise, we usually have a little uptick in the student base after we have one of these, and hope to do so again."

Kirksville Taekwon-Do is located at 307 S Franklin Street and has been in business since 1974. Spectators at the tournament were eligible to pick up a voucher for four free classes.

Kirksville girls tennis team falls short in opener against Chillicothe

By Adam Tumino

The Kirksville girls tennis team opened the season on Monday. The Tigers had a tough opponent right off the bat in Chillicothe, a state qualifier from a season ago. The two teams also met in the district championship match last season, with Chillicothe taking the title.

Much like last season's district championship, Monday's match was close. Chillicothe took two of the three doubles points with the teams splitting in singles, giving Chillicothe a narrow 5-4 win.

Head coach Lee Riley said he expected the team to be able to compete right away, regardless of the quality of the opponent,

and that they lived up to those expectations.

"The girls compete," he said. "I think we did see that and we tried really hard. We came up a little bit short but I'm pleased we performed under the circumstances of losing our No. 1, but the other girls stepped up. They got a little competition to see what it was like."

The No. 1 mentioned was last season's top player Lauren Xander, who is unable to play this season with an injury. This caused some players to move up in the team's rankings, but there is still plenty of varsity experience on the team. Senior Maya Manney is the only player in the top six who did not have any varsity experience last season.

Senior Katlynn DeLeon is the team's No. 1, with junior Ashley Combs slotting in at No. 2. Madisynn Crawford is at No. 3, Diana Lam is at No. 4, Ava Hamlin is at No. 5 and Manney sits at No. 6.

Combs, Crawford and Hamlin picked up the team's wins in singles play. Combs took down Chillicothe's Isabella Garr 8-4, Crawford beat Bryton BeVelle 8-6 and Hamlin beat Bianca Clark 8-4. Kirksville No. 2 doubles pairing of Combs and Lam beat BeVelle and Micah Crowe 8-6.

Although Riley said he was pleased with the competitiveness and effort of the team, they know there is still room for improvement.

"They've definitely got some improvement to do, and they know it," he said. "They're going to work hard. They want to get better. Losing, they don't like that very much after last year."

These improvements will have to come during a tough early stretch on the schedule. Each of the Tigers' first five opponents this season posted winning records in 2022. A major area Riley said he wants the team to work on is doubles play, and getting better there is imperative if they want to get through the early part of the season in good shape. Sometimes it takes time for doubles pairings to mesh properly, and Riley said the sooner they do, the better.

"Hopefully it's pretty quick, because our four hardest matches are coming up quick," he said. "We'll figure it out. We might try different combinations but we're going to keep it here right now, have them get some matches and see what they can kind of do."



Kirksville junior Ashley Combs steps up to take a swing in a doubles match against Chillicothe on Aug. 28.



Kirksville senior Maya Manney returns a shot in her singles match against Chillicothe on Aug. 28. PHOTOS BY ADAM TUMINO



Kirksville senior Katlynn DeLeon follows through on a serve in her singles match against Chillicothe on Aug. 28.



Kirksville senior Ava Hamlin looks to return a shot during singles play against Chillicothe on Aug. 28.



Kirksville senior Madisynn Crawford makes contact on a swing in her singles match against Chillicothe on Aug. 28.



Kirksville senior Diana Lam prepares for a return in her singles match against Chillicothe.

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Though it seems early, its time to start thinking and planning your holiday promotions!

Fall and Winter are chock-full of events and celebrations that you can design your marketing campaign around. I recommend that you grab your calendar and highlight the holidays or events your business would like to recognize. Does your business attract the sports crowd? Or maybe piggyback on to local food or craft festivals. And of course, don't forget the commercial holidays like Halloween, Thanksgiving, and Hannukah, Kwanza and Christmas. If you are looking at some alternative days to celebrate, you might want to check out the National Day Calendar (www.nationaldaycalendar.com) for some ideas that might resonate with your business.

Once you identify the holidays or events you want to recognize, brainstorm what you'd like to do. Is it a sale or discount? Or perhaps it's a contest or activity? If you are not particularly creative, there are lots of ideas on Pinterest or by doing an internet search for marketing ideas.

Once you have an idea about what kind of promotion you would like to have, build a timeline with tasks to accomplish prior to launch. How long with each of these tasks take? What do they entail? Work backward from the event/promotion date to build in preparation time. You may also need to purchase materials or advertising for the campaign, so set a realistic budget for the project.

Don't forget to advertise! Engage with your customers by posting on social media before, during, and after the event.

And keep good notes about what worked and what didn't. Did you need more prep time? Were you able to spend less than your budget amount on materials and advertising? Track your customer engagement and foot traffic to provide a baseline that you can measure success for future projects.

If you'd like to talk about marketing ideas and promotions, reach out to us at 660-665-3348.

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ON THE HORIZON

- August 30 - KLI Legal and Law Enforcement
- September 4 - Labor Day - Office Closed
- September 5 - Governmental Affairs Committee
- September 10 - Student Welcome on the Square
- September 14 - Business After Hours - CVA/CHS at the Dukum
- September 14 - Annual Chamber Meeting at the Business After Hours
- September 28 - Ribbon Cutting - Cooperative Response Center Expansion




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