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Kirksville Police Department investigates school district threats

By Kirksville Police Department

The Kirksville Police Department (KPD) would like to update residents on a possible threat made on social media.

KPD was made aware of a possible threat to the school district on the night of Thursday, Sept. 19. KPD and multiple other law enforcement agencies thoroughly investigated and found no credible threat

against the school district. Officers, both in uniform and plain clothes, were on campus Monday morning to monitor student arrival. They continue to be on campus throughout the day Friday. KPD remains

in routine contact with the Kirksville R-III School District.

These school shooting hoaxes have been happening across Missouri and the country over the last few weeks. Threats

such as these are a serious crime. KPD will pursue all avenues of prosecution for this case.

Additionally, KPD would like to remind residents that if they see threats like these online in the future,

report them to law enforcement and do not share them on social media. That only creates more hysteria and accomplishes the perpetrator's goal. KPD takes all threats of violence seriously, so please report them.



Troop 404 Scoutmaster Marc Bowen celebrates NYLT graduation with Conner Dawson, Drew Mayes, and Cormac Nolan (left to right). Dawson and Mayes completed the six day training in July 2024. Nolan served as an instructor in their class.

Troop 404 Scouts complete prestigious National Youth Leadership Training

By Kirksville Troop 404

Kirksville Troop 404 Scouts Drew Mayes and Connor Dawson completed the prestigious National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) program at Camp Hohn this summer. Another Kirksville youth, Eagle Scout Cormac Nolan served as an instructor at NYLT.

The NYLT course centers around the concepts of what a leader must BE, what a leader must KNOW, and what a

leader must DO. The key elements are then taught with a clear focus on HOW TO. The skills come alive during the week as the patrol goes on a Quest for the Meaning of Leadership.

The NYLT program is designed to help scouts develop leadership skills that they can use in their units, at home, in school, and in their daily lives.

NYLT is a six-day course that takes place in an outdoor setting with a troop and patrol. The course uses a va-

riety of activities, presentations, challenges, and discussions to teach the material. Scouts also learn through memory aids to help them understand and apply the skills they learn.

Following the completion of the course, Mayes and Dawson were each awarded a set of steel bars to wear on their uniform to represent their training. Nolan received a coveted third bar to represent his role as an instructor.

Juvenile in custody after making threat against schools

By Kirksville Police Department

On the evening of Friday, Sept. 20, the Kirksville Police Department received a citizen tip containing a video recording of a threat against Kirksville schools. This video was on social media and is separate from posts found on Thursday, Sept. 19. Detectives investigated the video and determined the creator's identity to be a local juvenile. At about 1:10 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 21, the juvenile was taken into custody and delivered to the Bruce Normile Juvenile Justice Center.

Detectives obtained a search warrant for the juvenile's residence and are continuing to investigate all remaining leads for this case. They also continue to investigate the posts from Sept. 19.

"The Kirksville Police Department is dedicated to the safety of our children and takes any threat against the schools seriously," department officials said in a press release. "We would like to thank those citizens who came forward and provided essential information that led to a successful and peaceful resolution in this case."

Police officials urge that if you or your children receive, witness or know of any threats against the schools, contact dispatch.



The Ville Celebrity Golf Classic

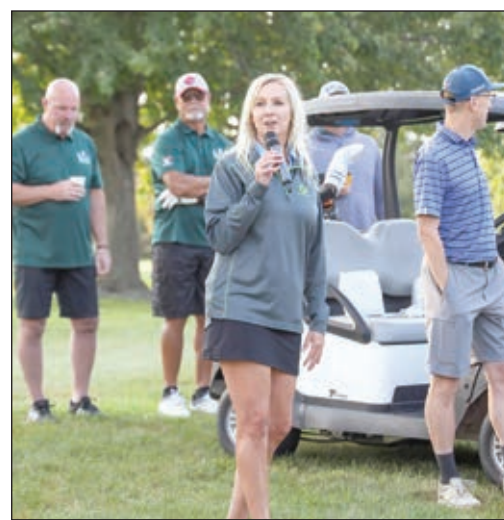
Hannibal Regional Foundation hosts inaugural The Ville Celebrity Golf Classic benefitting Inspire Hope Campaign for local cancer patients

By Hannibal Regional Foundation

Hannibal Regional Foundation and Complete Family Medicine partnered with the Missouri Sports Hall of Fame to host Kirksville's inaugural The Ville Celebrity Golf Classic. This event, held on Sept. 11 at the Kirksville Country Club and sponsored by Kirksville Motor Company/Kirksville Toyota, raised \$65,000 and is an event similar to Hannibal Regional's Shoeless Joe's Celebrity Golf Classic, which has raised over \$1,000,000 for local health care initiatives.

The Ville Celebrity Golf Classic provided golfers with the opportunity to play with members from the Missouri Sports Hall of Fame and other sports celebrities. The tournament offered great networking experiences as well as a day of competitive golfing and fundraising. All proceeds from the event support the Inspire Hope Campaign. The Inspire Hope Campaign raises funds to assist local residents facing a cancer diagnosis who must travel to receive radiation oncology care.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Kirksville Area Calendar of Events

Kirksville Regional Economic Development Inc. annual open house

Kirksville Regional Economic Development Inc. (K-REDI) is inviting the community to its annual open house on Sept. 26, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. This is a drop-in event that will be held at the Economic Development Alliance building at 315 S. Franklin Street in Kirksville and all members of the public are encouraged to attend. As September is Workforce Development Month, area educational institutions will be on hand to explain the programs they offer to the future workforce, and engage with attendees on how to access these programs and how they strengthen the community.

In addition, the open house offers an opportunity for local residents to engage directly with K-REDI and learn about the projects and initiatives shaping the economic future of the region. Light refreshments will be served. For more information, contact: Anastasia Tiedemann, atiedemann@kirksvillecty.com or (660) 665-2003.

Adair County Humane Society's Purrfect Tale annual fundraiser

Adair County Humane Society's Purrfect Tale annual fundraiser will be held on Sept. 26 at the White Oaks Barn, 23255 Hwy. 11 in Kirksville. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. with dinner at 6 p.m. \$10 for adults and \$5 for 10 and under. They will have a catered meal, cash bar, live auction, silent auction, DJ and a super fun Cat Dad Contest. For more information, visit their Facebook page.

Kirksville Area Chamber ribbon cutting ceremony

The Kirksville Area Chamber of Commerce will hold a ribbon cutting ceremony at Downtown Cafe, 124 N. Franklin Street in Kirksville, on Friday, Sept. 27 at 11 a.m.

Thousand Hills State Park Petroglyph Tour

Thousand Hills State Park Petroglyph Tour will be held on Friday, Sept. 27 at 6 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.

Truman State University Jazz Ensemble Concert

Truman State University Jazz Ensemble Concert will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Sept. 27 at Baldwin Auditorium.

50th Annual Red Barn Arts and Crafts Festival

The 50th Annual Red Barn Arts and Crafts Festival will be held on Sept. 28 in downtown Kirksville from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. The festival will feature artists and crafters from throughout the Midwest, an Entertainment Corner featuring local amateur talent, Kids Corner with fun arts and crafts

for the kids, and a variety of food vendors. New this year will be a bounce house and a photo booth for selfies.

Truman State Family Day

Family Day is a university tradition that welcomes parents, siblings and other family members to Kirksville for a weekend of special on-campus activities, as well as the annual Red Barn Arts and Crafts Festival. The weekend will kick off Sept. 27 with a marching band performance at 4:30 p.m. on the quad. At 7:30 p.m. visiting family members can choose from the theatre production of "The Real Inspector Hound" in the James G. Seaverns Theatre or a concert performed by the jazz ensemble in Baldwin Hall Auditorium.

From 10 a.m.-2 p.m. there will be a welcome tent set up on the quad where families can receive a free mug and purchase \$5 Truman spirit shirts. Pickler Memorial Library will host an open house from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. for a chance to tour the library and view a variety of historical items in the Special Collections Department. Solar telescopes will also be available for use from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. on the quad. Ryle Hall will host a tailgate from 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. in the Ryle courtyard. Football will face Wayne State at 1 p.m. at Stokes Stadium. Tickets are required and can be purchased at the gate or online. Men's and women's swimming will compete at 1 p.m. in the Pershing Natatorium Auditorium. The schedule will continue to be updated. Visit truman.edu/parents-families/family-day for more information.

Come have a ball with Girl Scouts park fall kickoff event

Come have a ball with Girl Scouts at Brashear Park, in Kirksville, Sept. 28 from 2-4 p.m. The event is free to all girls (Girl Scouts or not). Enjoy an afternoon of field day games, hanging with Girl Scouts, learning more about what Girl Scouts is all about. Parent/Guardian/Adult must be present with girl at the event. This is not a drop off event. Questions, contact Melissa Thompson, mthompson2@girlscoutsem.org or 660-864-1739.

Thousand Hills State Park Learn to Fish

Thousand Hills State Park Learn to Fish will be held on Saturday, Sept. 28 from 4-6 p.m. Come learn to fish! There will be some equipment available for use. If you have your own fishing gear, please bring it. Fishers 15 or younger do not need a fishing license. Fishers 65 and up who are Missouri Residents do not need a fishing license. All other participants will need a fishing license to participate. Day permits can be purchased at the Missouri Department of Conservation's Regional Office or online at <https://mdc-web.s3licensing.com/> Meet at the shoreline in front of the cabins. Parking available between the cabins and the restaurant. Questions? Contact the park office at 660-665-6995

Truman State University Cantoria Family Day Concert

Truman State University Cantoria Family Day Concert will be held at 6 p.m. on Sept. 28 at the Ophelia Parrish Performance Hall.

Truman State University Symphony Orchestra Concert

Truman State University Symphony Orchestra Concert will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Sept. 28 at the Ophelia Parrish Performance Hall.

St. Mary's of Adair Annual Homecoming

St. Mary's of Adair Annual Homecoming will be held on Sept. 29 from 1:30-4 p.m. at St. Mary's of Adair, Hwy. 11, 11 miles east of Kirksville. Mass begins at 1:30 p.m. with light refreshments to follow. All are invited to view new renovations in the assessable building.

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The Missouri Department of Higher Education and Workforce Development is an equal opportunity employer/program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. Missouri Relay Services at 711.

Missouri Job Center in Kirksville to host open house

By Missouri Job Center

The Missouri Job Center in Kirksville will be hosting an open house on Wednesday, Sept. 25, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., at 2105 E. Normal Avenue. The open house is aimed at reminding the public about the variety of services and resources available at the Job Center. The event is organized by the Workforce Development Board of North Missouri, Missouri Office of Workforce Development and Gamm Inc.

The Missouri Job Center plays a vital role in supporting job seekers and local employers, offering services such as job search assistance, resume building, career counseling, skills training, and more. The open house provides an opportunity for the community to engage with staff and learn more about these resources.

"We want the community to know that we're here to support them, whether they're looking for a job

or thinking about a career change" said Brent Stevens, executive director of the WDB of North Missouri. "This Open House is a chance to highlight the services we offer to both job seekers and employers."

The Kirksville Job Center is committed to enhancing the economic vitality of the community by connecting individuals with employment opportunities and supporting businesses in their growth and development.

This event is free and open to the public. Light refreshments will be provided. For more information about the open house event or the services offered by the Kirksville Missouri Job Center, contact the Job Center by calling (660) 785-2400.

The Workforce Development Board of North Missouri is an equal opportunity employer/program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. Missouri TTY users can dial 711.

One day closure scheduled for U.S. Route 63 at Kirksville

Traffic Diverted onto Bus. 63/Baltimore Street in Kirksville

By MoDOT

HANNIBAL – Weather permitting, Sept. 27, U.S. Route 63 at Kirksville, in Adair County, is scheduled to close between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. while crews make bridge approach repairs at the bridge over Steer Creek, between Route P and Illinois Street.

Northbound and southbound U.S. 63 traffic approaching Kirksville will be diverted onto Business U.S. 63/Baltimore Street through Kirksville. Eastbound and westbound traffic utilizing the following

U.S. 63 intersections will remain open to traffic:

- Dogwood Lane
- Missouri Route 6 / E. Shepherd Ave.
- Missouri Route 11/E. Illinois St.
- Route P

All work is weather dependent and schedules are subject to change.

For the safety of the crews and the traveling public, MoDOT would like to remind drivers to be attentive in work zones and make smart, safe driving choices behind the wheel, including putting down your cell phone to eliminate distractions.

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OBITUARIES

Janice Sue Farmer Peterson

Feb 14, 1940 – Sep 15, 2024

Janice Sue Farmer Peterson died on Sunday, September 15, 2024 surrounded by her family, after a battle with pulmonary disease.

Janice was born on February 14, 1940 in Atlanta, Missouri, the only child of Delbert and Anna Lou Thompson Farmer. She grew up on their cattle farm with her cousins as frequent companions. Janice graduated from Atlanta High School in 1958, and went on to study at Northeast Missouri State University. There she met Cecil Lavern (C.L.) Peterson, the professor's assistant in her chemistry class, and they were married on December 17, 1960. They would be happily married for nearly 64 years until her passing.



After her marriage and college graduation, Janice was employed as a schoolteacher in Greentop, Missouri, teaching High School English and Home Economics, while C.L. finished medical school at Kirksville College of Osteopathic Medicine. The couple had brief stays in Michigan and Oklahoma before settling in the Quad Cities in 1966, where they lived for the rest of her life.

Janice became a mother with the arrival of her first child in 1965, and then again in 1968, 1974 and 1976. While her family became her primary focus, Janice was active in the local community for her entire life. Janice was a member of First Baptist Church of Davenport for over 50 years, where she volunteered on Missionary Boards, taught Sunday school, served with the American Baptist Women organization, and played in the hand bell choir. She was very active in the Colonel Davenport Historical Foundation serving as tour guide and various officer duties, and she was a volunteer with the Meals on Wheels organization for 50 years.

In retirement, Janice loved to travel, including trips to China, Russia, Germany, France, Sweden, Norway, Finland, Denmark, Iceland, the Panama Canal, Egypt, Canada and many cruises. She was an active member in PEO Chapter JS and the Shalom Giving Circle. She loved music, reading and spending time with her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Janice is survived by her husband Dr. C.L. Peterson; her children Brad Peterson of Davenport, Janan Rustan (Dan) of Iowa City, Eric Peterson (Jennifer) of Fort Collins, CO, and Ryan Peterson (Mary) of Johns Creek, GA; grandchildren Holli Whitacre, Max Rustan, Alyssa Peterson, Nolan Peterson, Ella Peterson, Addy Peterson, Grant Rustan, Luke Rustan, Owen Peterson, Nora Peterson; great-grandchildren Connor, Kinnick, Carter, Autumn, Aurora, and Kade. She leaves behind an extended family of loving cousins and other family members.

A visitation will be held at Weerts funeral home in Davenport on Friday September 20, 2024 from 4:00-7:00 PM. Services will be at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday September 21, 2024 at First Baptist Church of Davenport located at 1401 Perry Street, Davenport. There will be a visitation at 10:00 until time of service. Janice will be laid to rest in Greentop, Missouri. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions to First Baptist Church of Davenport or the Colonel Davenport Historical Foundation.

Michael D. Buck

Jan 18, 1957 – Sep 15, 2024

Michael D. Buck, 67, of La Plata, Missouri, passed away Sunday, September 15, 2024, at his home.

Born January 18, 1957, in Kirksville, Missouri, the son of Bobby and Verna (Pippin) Buck. On April 29, 2000, he was united in marriage to Joyce Gregory who preceded him in death on November 24, 2020.



Also preceding him in death were his parents; one sister, Patricia Lynn Kirkpatrick; five aunts, Stella Tuggle, Peggy Thomas, Judy Brown, Cora Voyles and Irene (Buck) McIntosh; three uncles, Jimmy Pippin, Virgil Pippin, and Dillon Magers; and one brother-in-law, Leonard Hamlin.

Surviving is one son, Aaron (Natalie) Wiseman of Safety Harbor, Florida; two daughters, Holly Funk of Columbia, Missouri and Carmen Hopkins of Union, Missouri; two brothers, Eddie (Sharon) Buck and W.R. "Dub" (Barbara) Buck, both of Kirksville, Missouri; one sister, Bobbi Lou Hamlin of Kirksville, Missouri; two uncles, Glen (Sherry) Pippin and Loren (Patsy) Pippin, both of La Plata, Missouri; one aunt, Donna (Bill) Shelton of Edgerton, Kansas; nine nieces and nephews, Lynnette and Jimmy Kirkpatrick, Emily (Josh) Hettinger, Adrienne (Eli) Black, Wes (Alisha) Buck, Brad (Katie) Buck, Dakota McKenzie, Nancy McKenzie-Adams, and Eva "Bucky" Buck; and one grandchild, Teryn Wiseman.

Mike was a lifelong resident of the La Plata community. He was a 1975 graduate of La Plata High School. While in school, he worked for Belt Fur and Wool and Magers Construction. Most of his adult life, he was employed by BNSF, retiring as foreman of the Bridge and Building crew. Mike loved his family and his two dogs, Norton and Chaddy.

Memorial services will be 2:00 pm Saturday, September 21, 2024, at Travis Funeral Chapel in La Plata, Missouri. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service.

Memorials in memory of Mike may be made to the Adair County Humane Society. They may be sent to or left at Travis Funeral Chapel, 125 S. Church St., La Plata, MO 63549.

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Gerald "Gary" Lee Cunningham

May 12, 1937 – Sep 21, 2024

Gerald "Gary" Lee Cunningham, 87, of La Plata, Missouri, passed away Saturday, September 21, 2024, at Northeast Regional Medical Center in Kirksville, Missouri with his family at his side.

Born May 12, 1937, in Des Moines, Iowa, the son of Homer Vent and Helen Lenora (Boots) Cunningham. On November 16, 1957, at the Camdenton, Missouri Bridal Caves, he was united in marriage to Louise Derby who survives.



Also surviving are two sons, Daniel Joseph (Lora) Cunningham of La Plata, Missouri and James Patrick (Shelly) Cunningham of Odessa, Missouri; six daughters, Katheen Louise Sorak of Ottumwa, Iowa, Victoria Elizabeth (Michael) Lord of Platte City, Missouri, Crystal Susan Amiri-Rad of La Plata, Missouri, Cynthia Kay (Brian) Patten of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, Laurie Gay (Michael) Waddle of Greentop, Missouri, and Julia Ann Mudd of Fulton, Missouri; 28 grandchildren, Yvette, Jason, Deanna, Heather, Rachel, Andy, Laura, Jake, Alex, Eric, Sara, Matthew, Nicholas, Nathaniel, Lucas, Joshua, Emily, Jennifer, Betsy, Joseph, Erin, Megan, Zachary, Ethan, Olivia, Mariah, Theodore, and Bridget; 45 great grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

His parents, one brother, Albert Marion (Betty) Cunningham, and two sons-in-law, Tim R. Sorak and Daniel Patrick Mudd preceded him in death.

Gary graduated from Van Meter High School with his lifelong best friend, Roland Joiner in 1955. He began working for KTVO-TV in August of 1955, just before the station was officially on the air. He worked several positions including laying the concrete studio floor in Ottumwa, Iowa to multiple on-air and off-air production positions, the Film Editor and finally retiring while the Public Affairs Director in 2003. Gary was well known locally for his on-air performances as "Cactus Cunningham", the singing cowboy, on KTVO's locally produced children's programming, Uncle Woody's Store, in the '60s up through his weekly public affairs program, This Week in the Heartland, airing over 25 years.

Gary was also very active in the local community, offering countless hours of volunteerism including live performances, singing in and visiting nursing homes as the singing cowboy, working on multiple social service organization Boards such as United Way, Boy Scouts, Red Cross, Optimist Club, the Salvation Army, LaPlata Lions Club and many others. However, Gary felt his greatest accomplishment was the founding of the Heartland Task Force, a local organization dedicated to preventing alcohol and drug abuse among the local youth. Through this organization, the popular fundraiser "Daddy Daughter Dance" was brought to Kirksville.

While these lifelong accomplishments were very important to Gary, his heart was always invested in loving Jesus, ministering to his family, serving his Country and whispering to his dogs. He devoted his retirement years to his wife, children, grandchildren and many other family and friends that he loved dearly.

Funeral services will be 2:00 pm Wednesday, September 25, 2024, at First United Methodist Church in Kirksville, Missouri. Visitation will be from Noon to 2:00 pm at the church. Burial will be in the La Plata Cemetery in La Plata, Missouri.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Heartland Task Force. They may be sent to or left at Travis Funeral Chapel, 125 S. Church St., La Plata, MO 63549.

Gregory Lee Dixson

Sep 21, 1956 – Sep 16, 2024

Gregory Lee Dixson, age 67, of Novinger, MO, passed away Monday, September 16, 2024, in University Hospital in Columbia, MO. He was born in Edina, MO on September 21, 1956, the son of Lawrence LeRoy and Frances Louise Long Dixson.

Greg graduated from Knox County High School in 1975. In the early 1980's Greg farmed and later worked in construction. He also was employed at Guffey Honda, Kelly Furniture, Reiser Ford and Jim Robertson Auto Sales. Greg enjoyed hunting, motorcycles and spending time with friends and family.



Surviving are one daughter Lindsay Dixson and her fiancé Zach Simon of Ft. Wayne, IN, one son Lance (Jessica) Dixson of Ft. Wayne, IN, two grandchildren, Ariana and Averie Dixson, one sister Teresa (Kyle) Stout of Hurdland, MO, five brothers, Steve (Anita) Dixson of Hurdland, MO, Marty (Rebecca) Dixson of Liberty, MO, Alan (Nancy) Dixson of Edina, MO, Kenneth (Vanessa) Dixson of Kirksville, MO and Kevin (Marcia) Dixson of Kirksville, MO and several nieces, nephews, aunts and uncles. Greg was preceded in death by his parents.

Memorial services will be held Monday, September 23, 2024 in the Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home in Edina, MO. Visitation will be begin at 9 a.m. and memorial services will begin at 11 a.m.

Private family burial will be held at a later date. Memorials are suggested to the I.O.O.F. Cemetery Hurdland, MO. Memorials may be left at or mailed to Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home, P.O. Box 1, Edina, MO, 63537.

Chris Ann (Brandow) Killday

Dec 25, 1955 – Sep 17, 2024

Chris Ann (Brandow) Killday, 68, of Kirksville, Missouri, passed away Tuesday, September 17, 2024 at the University of Missouri Hospital in Columbia, MO.

The daughter of the late John Franklin and Vivian Dean (Coffman) Brandow, she was born December 25, 1955 in Moberly, MO. She was also preceded in death by one son, Eric Killday; two brothers, Greg Brandow and Kurt Brandow; niece Heather Brandow; nephew, Michael Shelledy; father and mother-in-law, Robert A. and Shirlene Killday; and two brothers-in-law, Mike Killday and Mitch Roberts. On May 6, 1978 in Kirksville, MO, Chris was united in marriage to Robert F. Killday.



Chris is survived by her husband, Robert F. Killday of forty-six years; two sons, Robert Killday and wife Natalie of Louisville, KY, and Aaron Killday of Kirksville, MO; one daughter, Johnna Drummond and husband Mark of Kirksville, MO; six grandchildren, Deric, Chase and Bryant Killday, Olivia Lyons, Brody Drummond, and Isabelle Vaughn; one brother, Larry Brandow and wife Kerri of Mexico, MO; sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, Karen (David) Shelledy, Teresa Roberts, Rick (Judy) Killday, Lori (Glen) Eitel, Lisa (Bob) Anderson, Susie (Anthony) Kitchen, Karla Killday, Kelly (Matt) Holt; 31 nieces and nephews; 19 great nieces and nephews, and 7 great-great nieces and nephews.

Chris was a graduate of Mexico High School in Mexico, MO with the Class of 1974. She went on to serve as the E911 Communications Director and retired after 34 years and two months of total service to the City of Kirksville. She began her career with the city as a dispatcher in September of 1986. In 1996, she moved to Communications Coordinator. In 2001, she was named E911 Communications Director, working as the first director for the E911 Joint Services Board.

Chris attended the Mary Immaculate Catholic Church of Kirksville.

Family will receive friends during a public visitation from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Monday, September 23, 2024 at Travis-Noe Funeral Home in Kirksville.

Private family interment will be held at Mary Immaculate Catholic Cemetery, in Kirksville, with Deacon Dave Ream presiding.

Memorial donations in memory of Chris may be made to the Mexico Public School in care of the Heather Brandow Scholarship Fund and may be left at or mailed to Travis-Noe Funeral Home, P.O. Box 306, Kirksville, MO 63501.

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OBITUARIES

Richard Neil Hettinger

Apr 25, 1943 – Sep 20, 2024

Richard Neil Hettinger, age 81, passed away peacefully at his home on September 20, 2024 in rural Philadelphia, MO. Born on April 25, 1943 to William and Mabel House Hettinger in rural Edina, MO. Richard lived a life full of love, laughter, and dedication to his passions.

Richard graduated from Edina Public School in 1961. On May 5, 1962, he married his high school sweetheart, Ruth Klote, at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Edina, Missouri. Together, they built a life rich in family, faith, and community.

A lifelong farmer, Richard also worked for Electric Wheel in Quincy, Illinois, and later for the Marion County PWS in Philadelphia, Missouri. He also owned and managed rental properties in Kirksville and Monroe City. He was a devoted member of the First Christian Church in Edina.

Richard was an avid collector of all things, with a particular fondness for Aladdin lamps, Sad irons & trivets, and Enterprise iron products. He was a proud member of the National Association of Aladdin Lamp Collectors. Known for his "gift of gab," Richard had a sense of humor that never failed to entertain. He was known for his practical jokes and unique nicknames for nearly everyone he met. One of his greatest joys was restoring non-working equipment. He loved traveling and frequently visited Branson, MO to enjoy the shows.

Richard is survived by his wife, Ruth, of 62 years and his loving children: Tammi (Don) Kettenbach of Jerseyville, IL; Russell (Teresa) Hettinger of Philadelphia, MO; Richelle (Gale) Behring of Hunnewell, MO; and Randell (Lauren) Hettinger of Timewell, IL. He also leaves behind his bonus son, Rodney (Carol) Miller of Palmyra, MO.

His legacy continues through his grandchildren: Leah (Joe) Hirner of Rock Port, MO; Paul (Caitlin) Kettenbach of St. Louis, MO; Reann (Tyler) Redd of Palmyra, MO; Matthew (Katie) Kettenbach of Troy, MO; Megan Behring (Jared Knipfel) of Columbia, MO; Randy (Tabitha) Hettinger of LaPlata, MO; Amy (Andy) Sutcliffe of Freeman, MO; Kim (Drew) Davis of Bunceton, MO; Risa (David) Porter of Palmyra, MO; Adair Behring of Hunnewell, MO; and Lance Hettinger of Palmyra, MO. He is also survived by his step-grandson, Parker Seckman of Timewell; granddaughter in-law, Amber Hettinger of Camano Island, WA; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Richard was preceded in death by his parents, William and Mabel Hettinger; his in-laws, Glenn and Olive Klote; his sister, Terri Flynn; and his grandson, Logan Hettinger.

Pallbearers for the service will be Paul Kettenbach, Matthew Kettenbach, Tyler Redd, David Porter, Andy Sutcliffe, and Adair Behring. Honorary pallbearers include Joe Hirner, Lance Hettinger, Randy Hettinger, Drew Davis, Ronnie McCauley, Keith Strange, Rick Yoakum, Glen Goodwin, and Bryson Applegate.

Richard's family invites friends and loved ones to join them in celebrating his remarkable life and the many ways he touched those around him with a visitation at Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home on Thursday, September 26th from 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm. A Celebration of Life will be held at Hudson-Rimer Funeral Home on Friday, September 27th at 10:00 am, with Pastor Paul Harvey officiating. Following services, the burial will be held at the St. Joseph Cemetery in Edina, Missouri. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Edina Christian Church or St. Joseph Cemetery.



Sarah Charline Wineteer

Dec 9, 1939 – Jun 2, 2024

Sarah Charline Wineteer, 84, passed away on Sunday, June 2, 2024 in Columbia, Missouri.

She was born December 9, 1939, in Kirksville, the daughter of the late Charlie and Maude (McDowell) Adams. She married Gary Wineteer on August 21, 1960, and he precedes her in death. In addition to Missouri, Charline also lived in North Carolina, Alabama, Hawaii, and Louisiana.

A strong believer in education, especially for women, she was a 1957 graduate of Kirksville High School, where she was a cheerleader and Mardi Gras Queen. She began her undergraduate career at Christian College in Columbia and later earned her Bachelor's of Science degree from University of Missouri-Columbia in 1963. She earned her Master's in Education at McNeese State University in 1982 and continued on to earn her Master's Plus 30 designation.

An avid reader, she was an elementary school librarian for Calcasieu Parish Schools in Lake Charles, Louisiana. It brought her great joy to read to children, opening the world to them one book at a time. At the request of her father, Charline delved into genealogy at the age of 14 and became the family's genealogical researcher. She spent many vacations in libraries, county court houses, and cemeteries rediscovering lost ancestors for family and friends. She maintained relationships with her extended family members for most of her life.

Charline enjoyed being outdoors through her hobbies of gardening and fishing. She was terrified of flying despite being married to a pilot for nearly 55 years. She loved going to auctions and antiquing with her family and carried on a family tradition of collecting antique clocks.

She is survived by a sister, Judy Alger (Norman); her children, Michael Wineteer, Michele Wineteer, and Sabra Wineteer and her husband, Philip Osburn; grandchildren Nicole Starnes (Michael), Matt Wineteer (Ashley), Schaefer Thibodeaux, Isaac Osburn, Samara Osburn, and Shoshana Osburn; great-grandchildren Alyssa, Gabriel, Victoria, and Samuel Starnes; and numerous cousins, nieces, nephews, and their descendants.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Charlie and Maude Adams; a brother, Charles (Buzz) Adams; and a great-grandson, Caleb Starnes.

Charline was interred at the Missouri Veterans Cemetery in Jacksonville.



KIRKSVILLE AREA NEWS BRIEFS

Truman State University 'The Real Inspector Hound' Theatre Production

Truman State University's "The Real Inspector Hound" Theatre Production will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Sept. 26-29 and at 2 p.m. on Sept. 30. Tickets are \$10 and available at boxoffice.truman.edu.

'Quilts by the Hands of Friendship Quilt Guild' reception and show

The Kirksville Arts Association's current exhibit is "Quilts by the Hands of Friendship Quilt Guild". The guild has entered around 50 quilts including vintage quilts into the exhibit, which runs through Oct. 26. The exhibit is in both the Ellebracht and Gaber Galleries. A reception that is open to the public will be held on Thursday, Sept. 26 from 5:30 to 7 p.m. There is no charge to visit the exhibit. The Sue Ross Arts Center is located at 215 S. Franklin Street in Kirksville and is open Monday through Friday 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturdays 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Visitors to the exhibit can vote on their favorite quilt. The quilter whose quilt receives the most votes will receive the "People's Choice" award from Kirksville Arts. The Hands of Friendship Quilt Guild also has a raffle quilt on display. Tickets for the raffle quilt are available at the Sue Ross Arts Center. Proceeds from the raffle support the Guild's community service projects.

Del and Norma Robison Planetarium to join global short-film festival

The Del and Norma Robison Planetarium will participate in a global short-film festival that will allow attendees to vote for their favorite picture. Manhattan Short 2024 will run simultaneously across the world for a one-week period. The planetarium is one of more than 500 locations around the world to participate in the screenings. The 10 films range in running time from five to 22 minutes. There will be four opportunities to watch, with the planetarium hosting screenings at 7 p.m. Sept. 27-28 and Oct. 4-5. There is no cost to attend the festival. All 10 films will be screened at every showing, and attendees will be allowed to vote for Best Film and Best Actor. By virtue of their selection by Manhattan Short, each film is automatically Oscar-qualified. The finalists hail from nine countries with films from Australia, The Netherlands, Italy, France, Croatia, Ireland, Ukraine and the United Kingdom alongside two films from the United States.

Curtain Call Theatre Company announces auditions for holiday production

Curtain Call Theatre Company announces auditions for its holiday production of "A Christmas Story". Auditions will be held Saturday, Sept. 28, from 10-12 a.m. All auditions will be held at the Curtain Call Theatre building at 512 W. Elizabeth Street in Kirksville. Arrive at any point during auditions. No prior preparation is necessary. Performance dates are December 11-14. Call (660) 349-6977 for further information or to arrange an alternative audition time.

Free Walk With Ease Class + Walking Book

Free Walk With Ease Class + Walking Book at the YMCA, 1708 S. Jamison Street. For Y members and non-members (Non-members please bring an ID for check-in). Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays through Wednesday, Oct. 9, 8:30-9:30 a.m.

Scholarships available for city recreational programs and lessons

The Kirksville Parks and Recreation Department is excited to announce the launch of its new Scholarship Program, an initiative



to reduce financial barriers for participation in the department's wide array of activities and programs. To be eligible for a scholarship, you must reside within the city limits of Kirksville and meet the household size/ yearly income requirements, which can be found on the application. Applicants meeting the eligibility guidelines are awarded a 50 percent scholarship on programs and events, including the Kirksville Baseball and Softball Leagues, Little Sluggers Tee Ball, Kids Mini Mud Mile, Group Swim Lessons and more. Guidelines and the scholarship application can be found online at kirksvillecity.com/p/parks-recreation, or picked up in person at the Kirksville Aquatic Center. For more information, contact the Kirksville Parks and Recreation Department at 660-627-1485.

Kirksville Kiwanis Farmers' Market

The Kirksville Kiwanis Farmers' Market opened for the season on Saturday, May 4 and will be open every Saturday from 7 a.m. until noon on the Elson Street side of the Kirksville Downtown Square, through October and is open to the public. Items available include fruits, vegetables, plants, baked products, eggs, meats, crafts, and much more.

The Food Bank Children's Programs

You can help ensure all local children get the food they need to thrive by supporting The Food Bank for Central & North-east Missouri's Children's Programs. Right now, 1 in 5 children in the state of Missouri faces food insecurity. While many qualify for free or reduced-price meals at school, some families do not have access to nutritious meals during the weekend. The Food Bank's Children's Programs help fill that gap. Children's Programs include School Markets, which are small school pantries that allow students to choose ingredients to take home for family-style meals, and Buddy Packs, which are bags of entrees and snacks that can feed a single child through the weekend. Help a child focus on the business of playing, learning and growing by making your gift today. Donate at sharefoodbringhope.org or send a check made payable to "The Food Bank" to: The Food Bank, 2101 Vandiver Drive, Columbia, MO 65202. You can choose to designate that funds stay in the county right on your check, if you choose. Participating schools include Brashear Elementary, Kirksville Area Technical Center, Kirksville Primary, Novinger Elementary and Ray Miller Elementary. 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 kirkvilleYP@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.

Achievement award to honor local livestock producers

By Missouri Livestock Symposium

Local livestock producers who demonstrate outstanding achievements in the livestock industry are asked to apply for an award recognizing their accomplishments. The Missouri Livestock Symposium is currently accepting applications for the Missouri Livestock Achievement Award.

Eligible applicants can be producers of livestock, agribusiness personnel, agency personnel, or agriculture educators in the state of Missouri. Other parties who have been long-time supporters of the Missouri livestock industry will also be considered.

According to the committee chairman, Garry Mathes, this award recognizes livestock leaders from across the state.

Vice-chairman, Zac Erwin states: "We know there are individuals, business and agency personnel, and

educators that have made tremendous contributions to the livestock industry in this state and beyond, and we want to recognize them for their career achievements."

The selected applicant will become a member of the Missouri Livestock Symposium Hall of Fame and will be inducted during the Friday evening program of the Missouri Livestock Symposium on Dec. 6.

The award nomination form can be found at <https://missourilivestock.com/achievement-award>, by emailing missourilivestock@gmail.com and requesting the form, or by contacting the Adair County MU Extension office at 660-665-9866. Nominations are due Sept. 1.

The 25th annual Missouri Livestock Symposium is Dec. 6-7, at the William Mathew Middle School. This is the premier educational event and trade show for livestock produc-



ers and ag industry people. Go to missourilivestock.com or our Facebook page @MissouriLivestock for more details.

Past award recipients

2023 — Mac Wilt, DVM, Paris, MO
2022 — None awarded
2021 — Dr. David Patterson, MU
2020 — None awarded due to COVID

2019 — John Wood, Canton, MO
2018 — Oscar Mensa, Milan, MO
2017 — Fon Owings, DVM, Unionville, MO
2016 — Gaylen Hill, DVM, Kirksville, MO
2015 — Larry Wiggins, DVM, Memphis, MO
2014 — Bruce Lane, formerly from Lancaster, MO
2013 — David Moore, DVM, Kirksville, MO
2012 — Harold Trump, Luray, MO
2011 — Robert Perry, Bethel, MO
2010 — Paul Wilson, Shelbyville, MO
2009 — Charles Selway, Williamstown, MO
2008 — Kyle Kent, DVM, Green City, MO
2007 — Kenneth Eitel, Kirksville, MO 63501
2006 — Garry L. Mathes, Greentop, MO
2005 — Dale Watson, Kirksville, MO
2004 — Wayne D. (Doc) Smith, DVM, Winigan, MO
2003 — Bill Sidwell, Queen City, MO

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ROBIN WRITES

Sleeping married in a double bed

Lucy and Ricky stood between their respective four-poster single beds and smooched goodnight. Lucy happily slid between her sheets, all pajama-ed and poised for a good night's sleep. Desi smiled at her lovingly, and dove into HIS bed. He yanked the covers across his shoulders and heaved a sigh of satisfaction.

I watched "I LOVE LUCY" with teenaged cynicism all those years ago, smirking at the idea of separate beds for married couples. How corny, I thought. How unromantic. It was stupid to sleep alone when the man you loved was in the same room, I thought.

Lucy and Ricky tried to warn me, but I was too blind to see.

When you're newly married, sleeping together is romantic and exciting. You revel in each tiny sigh and wiggle closer, bending limbs in origami bliss.

But the idea of mutually satisfying slumber on a shared bed is laughable to anybody whose marriage has lasted long enough to make permanent body scoops in a mattress.

I love being cuddled by my husband. John's arms encircle me and I am a hap-

py woman. Until he falls asleep. Suddenly, I am a prisoner—pinned under heavy, sharp bones. I am trapped like a mouse who forgot to back away from the spring-loaded bar.

I glance at this face; the muscles there are slack as he sleeps. The lips I've kissed for years and years open and begin to flap in and out like a fish tasting bait.

I'm sure I look the same when I sleep, but I don't see my face. I see his.

I take a deep breath to fill my lungs. A mistake. We are face to face. The air I inhale is the same air he discarded only seconds ago. I free myself, flip over and find fresher air to breathe.

All I can hear is John's raucous snoring, a sound I've come to know and tolerate. It lulls me with its serrated rhythm and I feel my body relax.

Just as I begin to float above myself in half-lidded scenes of dreamland, I feel my throat begin to constrict. The sheet I've draped across my neck is being pulled from behind. He may not realize it, but he is trying to decapitate me.

I grab the taut material and hold it away from my windpipe. John squirms be-



ROBIN GARRISON LEACH
ROBIN WRITES

hind me in protest; the bed becomes a trampoline as he flops onto his other side. The tension eases on the sheet and I can breathe again...

I scrunch my eyes shut and force myself to relax. Only six hours until the alarm goes off. I am gonna sleep if it kills me.

Somehow, the night passes. My husband and I sleep side by side, like sardines in a bulging, tainted can. John's alarm sounds first, and he gives me a tiny peck on the cheek as he scrambles up.

"Bye," I mumble. What I really want to say is, "GET OUT—I HAVE 30 MINUTES LEFT AND THIS BED IS MINE NOW! ALL MINE!"

"See ya tonight. Same place, same time," he whispers. John chuckles at his cleverness and turns away. He doesn't see the shudder that courses through my tired body.

Oh, Lucy. Why didn't I believe you?

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HOME COUNTRY

The cutting edge in domestic varmint control

Bert came waltzing in to the Mule Barn truck stop the other day in high spirits. We knew we were in for yet another lecture. Sure enough.

Even as he pulled up a chair at the philosophy counter and world dilemma think tank, he started in.

"The world, gentlemen," he said. "The world is cresting on a multiplicity of inventiveness at the moment and I'm flat in the middle of it!"

He talks like that sometimes.

We all pretended we hadn't heard him and sipped our coffee.

We're like that sometimes, too. "Maizie got it for me for Christmas," he said, looking at us as he flipped his coffee cup to the upright and ready-for-filling position.

Finally, Dud couldn't stand it any more. "What was that, Bert?"

"It's the Rat Zapper!" he said. "The cutting edge in domestic varmint control. The computer age has finally come to the wonderful world of pest whacking, people."

"What do you think?" said Doc. "Think he's going to tell us about it anyway?"

A general nod of agreement. "OK, Bert, what the heck is a rat zapper?"

"That's Rat Zapper, capital letters, Doc, 'cause it's a brand name. You see, you just plug this little box into the wall and put it behind something. When the rat goes in and tries to eat the bait, he steps



SLIM RANDES
HOME COUNTRY

on this metal plate and is electrocuted. You just take it out and dump it and reset it.

"The first thing you do, though, is put some bait in it and let him go get it without the electricity, then you plug that baby in, and ZAP! Oh man, it's just great!"

"High tech rat killin'?" Doc said. "Oh, you bet. And not only that, but for a little extra, you can have the trap ring your cell phone to let you know when you've caught one. And you can get a whole network of these things and they'll each call you when they have a fried rat for you. Isn't that amazing?"

"Well, Bert," I chimed in, "I didn't realize you had a rat problem over at your place."

"I don't," he said, looking discouraged. "But you know, if I put some corn out, maybe by spring....?"

The cover of the new family novel, *Whimsy Castle*, was painted by the author's 15-year-old granddaughter, Baelee Randles. Her first cover.

THE ROCKWOOD FILES

Brain remodeling 101

What the baby books never told us

Have you heard the phrase "Mom Brain"? If you've been a pregnant woman or have been married or related to one, you've probably heard it, said it, or both.

Most people use the phrase "Mom Brain" to explain why a pregnant woman or a new mom is scatterbrained, foggy or forgetful. No one uses the term to describe someone at the top of her game, which is why many moms don't like it.

But it turns out that having a mom brain is far more complex than we ever realized. This week I read an article on the University of California at Santa Barbara website about a recently published study documenting the "trajectory of brain changes" during pregnancy and the early years of parenting.

Researchers started scanning the brain of a first-time mom before she conceived, during the pregnancy, and for two years after her baby's arrival. This had never been done before, and the pictures tell a fascinating story.

Brain scans showed that the woman's "gray matter" decreased during the surge of hormone production during pregnancy. But wait! This doesn't mean that the baby sucked the smarts right out of the brain. In fact, it's just the opposite.

While gray matter might get the splashy headlines, there's another brain matter to discuss. Those same brain scans also showed that pregnancy brought on "prominent increases in white matter."

For those of us who aren't brain scientists, here's a simple explanation of how gray matter and white matter are different. The gray matter is the wrinkly stuff on the outside of the brain that we've all seen in drawings. Its job is to help us process thoughts, emotions, memories, and control movements.

White matter is located much deeper than gray matter. (Think of it as the creamy white center of a brain-shaped Cadbury egg.) White matter has its own special-



GWEN ROCKWOOD
THE ROCKWOOD FILES

ties, including learning, balancing, and responding to different situations with appropriate feelings and behavior. It also serves as the cable company for gray matter — connecting the brain's various regions and relaying all the signals. Without white matter, gray matter is like a fancy smartphone without a cell tower.

Researchers believe the changes in gray matter and white matter show how the brain was "fine-tuning" itself during pregnancy to help prepare for the monumental job of parenthood. Scientists say adoptive parents also experience physical brain changes because intense caregiving changes us in such fundamental ways.

This new study shows that not only is pregnancy a full-body metamorphosis, it's a full-brain event, too. Share this information with all your pregnant friends and new parents because no one should have to feel crazy when she can't remember where she parked at Walmart — especially when she desperately needs to pee. Tell her that her brain is in the midst of a 40-week remodeling project. Things are bound to get a little messy.

If you or someone you know is currently living with Mom Brain, you can help. The best treatment for this condition includes regular naps, great meals, and ice cream on demand. The fancy brain scientists didn't say that, but my thrice-remodeled brain knows it's true.

To all the mamas in the making, whether it be through pregnancy or adoption, I'm so happy you have the opportunity to be at the center of a miracle. May your marvelous mind prepare you for an incredible, life-changing journey.

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PUBLIC HEALTH CORNER



Celebrating Healthy Aging Month

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Welcome to the Public Health Corner: Celebrating Healthy Aging Month

September marks Healthy Aging Month, a time to focus on the positive aspects of growing older and to promote the many ways we can maintain and improve our health as we age. This month serves as a reminder that it's never too late to take steps toward a healthier, more fulfilling life.

Healthy aging is about more than just the absence of disease; it's about thriving physically, mentally, and socially as we grow older. By embracing healthy habits, staying active, and nurturing our mental well-being, we can enjoy a higher quality of life well into our later years.

Physical activity plays a crucial role in healthy aging. Regular exercise helps maintain mobility, strength, and balance, reducing the risk of falls and injuries. It also supports cardiovascular health and can even help manage chronic conditions like diabetes and arthritis.

Whether it's walking, swimming, or practicing yoga, staying active is key to aging well.

Mental and emotional well-being are equally important. Engaging in activities that stimulate the mind, such as reading, puzzles, or learning new skills, can help keep the brain sharp. Social connections are also vital for maintaining mental health; staying connected with family, friends, and community can reduce feelings of loneliness and depression.

Nutrition is another cornerstone of healthy aging. A balanced diet rich in fruits,

vegetables, whole grains, and lean proteins can provide the essential nutrients needed to support overall health. It's also important to stay hydrated and to be mindful of portion sizes and the types of fats and sugars consumed.

Preventive care is essential for detecting potential health issues early and managing them effectively. Regular check-ups, screenings, and vaccinations are critical components of a healthy aging strategy. These proactive measures can help catch problems before they become serious and ensure that individuals receive the care they need.

Healthy Aging Month encourages everyone to take charge of their health, no matter their age. By adopting healthy habits and making informed choices, we can all contribute to a longer, healthier, and more vibrant life.

POETRY CORNER

The Mysteries of Life

Every moment of life...
Every moment of existence...
Every moment, mysteries prevail,
Without a thought... we travel through life...
not knowing where it is we sail.
Dreams are imagined... plans are laid out... a
vision is planted in place,
With every ounce of our being... we begin
our journey... not knowing what challenges we
face.
One simple life... with one simple goal... to
build a life that achieves our dreams,
One simple life... in a complex world... trying
to direct every moment it seems.



The mysteries of life... are more than just being... they include all that we cannot control, The mysteries we face... are challenges to overcome... freeing all ties to our soul.

— Daniel D. Donovan

TURNING THE PAGE

This Week in Local History

By Larry Evans

115 Years Ago, September 22, 1909

Dr. William Smith, a Kirksville doctor, believed that Kirksville should get rid of its rats. He thought the best way to do that was to train dogs how to kill rats. Smith said, "Any dog will make a rat dog if he is trained how to kill them. Any dog that is a rat dog can train other dogs to do the same." Smith indicated that he was installing a rat pit at his house on South Elson Street where he intended to train dogs. Smith claimed that he had an expert rat killer dog. The rat pit was simply a large room in an outbuilding which had the corners boxed in so that the rats couldn't climb the walls. The dogs and rats were dumped together in the pen. Dr. Smith said that there would be no problem in getting rats in Kirksville as he said the town was full of them. He said one boy caught eighteen rats earlier in the summer. He sold them for ten cents apiece.

110 Years Ago, September 23, 1914

The Zeigler turtle, known to be at least 53 years old, recently made an appearance again at the Zeigler farm in Liberty Township, bearing on his shell two dates. The date "1861" was carved on the shell by Harrison Zeigler (1813-1893) in that year. Another date "1909" was carved there by Perry Zeigler, Harrison Zeigler's son. This turtle was a unique creature, which appeared never to go far from the Zeigler farm and had an interesting history. In 1861 Harrison Zeigler found a land turtle on his farm and cut his name and date on the turtle's shell. It was seen three or four times a year after that but was never found more than a quarter of a mile from the Zeigler farm. In 1909 Perry Zeigler, who by then owned the farm, found the turtle. He saw that his father's name was wearing off, so he put "1909" on the shell. In 1911 the turtle was again found by W. M. Zeigler, whose farm joins that of Perry Zeigler, and it was not over 200 yards from where it had always been found. The turtle had recently been found again by Perry Zeigler. He said the dates were quite legible. The turtle is said to be the same size as it was when it was first found, but there is no way of determining its age. The only sure thing is that it is at least 53 years old, since that is the span of years of its known lifetime, 1861-1914. However, the turtle may have been 100 years old when it was first found by Harrison Zeigler in 1861. Apparently, the turtle was convinced that since it bore the Zeigler name, it belonged on the Zeigler farm.

110 Years Ago, September 24, 1914

Dr. Kibler, who practiced medicine in Virginia, and owned property in Kirksville, visited the Daily Express office and requested their help in finding a "nice Missouri girl to take back with him to Virginia." Dr. Kibler had unsuccessfully advertised for a wife before. Kibler, a spry elderly gentleman said there was "no minimum limit as to age." He also said: "There is no need for those who wear low neck dresses and high-heel shoes to make application."

110 Years Ago, September 28, 1914

The Sojourners Club of Kirksville announced its plan to raise \$500 in the upcoming year to provide seed money for the construction of a new club house. The Sojourners already had \$1,500 set aside for a fund for the building project. By the following spring the ladies hoped to use the \$2,000 to proceed with construction of a building. The Sojourners Club's greatest achievement was building and maintaining a public library in the present building at 211 S. Elson Street in Kirksville. It is currently the home of the Adair County Historical Society and Museum. Kirksville architect, Irvin Dunbar, designed the building, and construction was completed in 1916. It was used as



the meeting place for the Sojourners Club and was also a public library. The club worked for years to establish a tax-supported library. When the Club could no longer afford the building, they gave the use of the building to the Adair County Public Library until construction of a new library was completed in 1989. The Sojourners Library served Kirksville as its only public library until 1989 when the Adair County Public Library opened its doors. The Adair County Historical Society purchased the clubhouse in 1999, and the building was placed on the National Register of Historic Places in 2014. The historical society museum is open to the public on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday afternoons from 1-4 p.m. Museum visitors may enjoy the many exhibits displaying artifacts, relics, and pictures of Adair County's past. The museum has a large collection of obituaries, books, maps, pictures, yearbooks, and family genealogy files for those researching their family history.

80 Years Ago, September 22, 1944

Charles McGonigle, a graduate of Kirksville High School in 1936 and member of the national honor society, was to be ordained as a priest of the Roman Catholic Church. McGonigle was one of six men to be ordained in the basilica of the Immaculate Conception at Conception, Missouri, near St. Joseph. In the church, McGonigle was to be known as Father Kevin, of the order of St. Benedict. Father Kevin was born and reared at Adair, Missouri, and attended church at St. Mary Catholic Church. The following week Father Kevin was scheduled to offer his first solemn mass at the St. Mary Church at Adair. The mass would be followed by a dinner served by the ladies of the parish and a reception for friends and relatives. After graduating high school in Kirksville, Father Kevin entered Conception Seminary followed by two years of junior college. He then decided to become a monk at Conception and became a member of the Benedictine Order.

55 Years Ago, September 22, 1969

The gigantic three-day Farm Power Show that attracted as many as 225,000 people ended on the Roy Jackson farm in southern Adair County. For hundreds of residents of the area, the show was more than a spectacle for observance only. More than 900 local people were directly involved with the exhibits, food concessions, law enforcement, traffic control, and community service. The show featured the heavyweight tractor pull national and world championships and sheep dog trials that featured some of the best trained sheep dogs in the United States.

40 Years Ago, September 23, 1984

Dr. Jack Auxter, a Kirksville physician, was forced to land his Cessna 210 airplane in Caldwell County, 17 miles west of Chillicothe. He was flying from Kirksville to Kansas City when he heard a loud noise in the plane's engine and the propeller failed. At 4,500 feet, Auxter began his descent and attempted to land on a road, but came up short, landing in a soybean field. The plane's landing gear collapsed, causing the plane to roll about 50 feet. Auxter, age 55, received minor facial and head injuries. His son, John, 29, was not injured, and a third passenger received a bruised elbow. This was the second near disaster for Dr. Auxter in less than three months. On June 29, he force landed the same plane on the runway at Kirksville Airport when the landing gear failed to function.

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EMBRACING LOCAL HISTORY

Part 121

The Smith-Kellogg Mansion – Chapter 9 – Ivie McGuire returns to Kirksville

By Blytha Ellis, President
Adair County Historical Society
and Museum

Last week, we introduced you to the life of Ivie McGuire. Although she never lived in the Smith Kellogg Mansion, her parents did, and they told her about all the difficulties they had as a result of making that place their abode for only a short time. Ivie and her family would always be tied to the memory of this Kirksville mansion. Ivie also knew about how the family servant girl always referred to the mansion as being a "wiggid" house (meaning evil or cursed). Ivie married her second husband, Dr. Frederick H. MacCarthy in Kirksville in 1908 when she was 27 and he was 31. They resided in Brooklyn, N.Y., where Dr. MacCarthy had his practice. Ivie's widowed mother, Stacy McGuire, lived with them until she died in 1919. Ivie had her mother's body cremated, and Stacy was later buried beside her husband and Ivie's father, George McGuire, in Forest-Llewellyn Cemetery in Kirksville.

Ivie never had children, but she busied herself in N.Y. with her art, sculpting, authoring plays, and writing for newspapers and magazines. One of the Broadway plays she co-authored was called "Taza." She also wrote an operetta named "Virginia," and several plays among which are "Drums," "Mother," and "The Strangest Experience of My Life." She probably wrote much more than this of which we are not aware. The Adair County Historical Society owns original copies of two of these plays, "Drums" and "Mother." "Drums" takes place in Haiti in 1919. "Mother" is set in Russia and is a play adapted from the novel by the same name written by Maxim Gorky in 1907.

Ivie's husband, Frederick MacCarthy, died in N.Y. on November 22, 1928, at age 51 and was buried beside his parents in his native Canada. After this, Ivie continued to travel as much as her funds would allow. Then, she eventually returned to Kirksville and spent the last 20+ years of her life here. She lived in the 400 block of north Elson Street next door to the former home of her aunt, Mary (Ivie) Porter (1844-1920).

Being ever committed to learning, Ivie continued her education in Kirksville and received a B.A. in art from Northeast Missouri State Teachers College.

She was commissioned to make paintings of several homes in Kirksville including 813 E. Normal and 402 W. Pierce. The latter painting is now in the Adair County Historical Society Museum.

She also painted some of the local historic buildings of the past such as the second Adair County Court House, the Mercantile College, and Cumberland Academy. She even painted the Smith-Kellogg Mansion in which her parents had once lived. The Adair County Historical Society Museum has these four paintings on display. Ivie also had an interest in restoring



Ivie MacCarthy painting of 813 E. Normal in Kirksville



Ivie MacCarthy painting of 402 W. Pierce in Kirksville



antiques such as repairing china and mending antique dolls.

Many in Kirksville came to think of Ivie as eccentric because of her unconventional thinking. She believed in reincarnation. She claimed she had been a Roman soldier in a previous life, and she said this accounted for her "lame leg" that she had to deal with in her childhood.

Ivie also claimed to have psychic abilities. She could find lost items for people and identify information she believed was hidden from others. Perhaps one of her most interesting claims was that she had attended Joseph Stalin's funeral in Russia in 1953 and that she did not think he had died of a stroke as was publicized, but that he had been stabbed in the back. This was never confirmed.

One morning, a Kirksville book store owner named Edna Campbell was walking from her home to her store carrying a satchel with important papers. She stopped to greet several people on the way and even went into one lady's house briefly.

When Edna got to her store, she realized she no longer had her satchel. She called everyone with whom she had spent time that morning, even the lady in whose house she had been, but no one had seen her satchel. In desperation, she called Ivie and asked if she could use her psychic powers to find her satchel. Ivie told her it would be behind the door in the lady's house she visited, but even the lady did not know it was there. Edna went and retrieved her satchel with much praise to Ivie.

Ivie also felt she had the talent of predicting the future, particularly when someone would die. Needless to say, this was not popular with most people. She would ask individuals to give her their birth date and she could tell them when they would die. Therefore, some would be careful not to reveal their birth date as they did not want to hear her prediction.

In November 1955, Ivie donated several of the 10-inch statuettes she had sculpted to the Sojourners Club in Kirksville. These were inherited by the Adair County Historical Society Museum when the Sojourners Club building was purchased by the museum. However, the statuettes were later turned over to members of Ivie's extended family, at their request.

Ivie died on March 8, 1962, after a fall in her home. She was 80 years old. At her pre-arranged direction, her body was cremated and buried in the McGuire family plot at Forest-Llewellyn Cemetery in Kirksville.

After Ivie's death, family members found that she had been writing a book about the mansion in which her parents had once lived, built by Capt. John T. Smith. She had named the book "Wiggid House" because their servant girl had given the mansion that name. The book was unfinished, and the partial manuscript pages were strewn about Ivie's home.

Something that should be noted here, Ivie's signature of her first name on some of her paintings was interpreted as being spelled "JOIE" rather than "IVIE." Therefore, she is listed in some art circles as Joie A. MacCarthy.

Ivie is remembered as being talented, intelligent, privileged, unconventional, unusual, worldly-wise and unique. She was definitely an original — one of a kind.

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Red Barn Arts and Crafts Festival to be held on Saturday

By Kirksville Arts Association

Kirksville Arts Association will be celebrating 50 years of the Red Barn Arts and Crafts Festival on Saturday, Sept. 28. The festival will open with a ribbon cutting ceremony at 9 a.m. near the Entertainment Corner to celebrate the golden anniversary.

The festival, which has been a mainstay of the community since 1974, has a long tradition of celebrating arts and crafts. This year over 100 booths will line downtown. The festival area be-

gins at the corner of Jefferson and Franklin in front of the Sue Ross Arts Center and includes the area around the courthouse square.

The courthouse parking lot will again serve as a food court. A variety of food options will be available for visitors. The Kids Corner will be in the green space north of the arts center. New this year, if weather permits, will be a bounce house east of the Kids Corner. The Entertainment Corner will be on West Washington Street near the southwest

corner of the courthouse square. Local talent will be performing at the Entertainment Corner including local dance companies of People in Motion, Melody Jennings and Stage Babies, the Ukulele club, NEMO Country Dance Club, Minor Detail, Tru-Men and Sweet Nothings from Truman State University.

The festival runs from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. This year brings many first-time exhibitors. Awards will be given to: Best of Show, First Place Fine Arts, First Place Crafts, Honor-

able Mention Arts or Crafts and Best First Time Exhibitor. Theo Dean, artist and coach of the Truman Women's Basketball team will serve as judge for the arts and crafts.

New this year will also be the Favorite Food award which will be judged by Zac Burden, Kirksville mayor. The award ceremony will be held at 1:30 at the Entertainment Corner. Also new this year will be a Red Barn backdrop for visitors to take selfies.



PSC sets additional local public hearing in Liberty Natural Gas rate case

By Missouri Public Service Commission

JEFFERSON CITY — The Missouri Public Service Commission held in-person and virtual public hearings Aug. 26 to Sept. 11, to receive customer comment in a natural gas rate case filed by Liberty Utilities. Liberty filed a request for an additional virtual local public hearing due to Liberty not providing notice of the previously scheduled local public hearings to all of its customers. The virtual local public hearing schedule appears below.

Sept. 26—Virtual Local Public Hearing starts at noon.

To attend the virtual local public hearing by telephone, at the time of the virtual hearing call toll-free 1-855-718-6621, listen to the prompt and enter the meeting number (2633 364 4186) followed by # (pound/hashtag key). If prompted for a password, enter 0106. If on a telephone, press the * (star key) and the number 6 to mute and unmute. To attend the virtual local public hearing by internet, visit the website www.webex.com or download the Cisco WebEx meetings application. At hearing time, enter the meeting number and password listed above.

To facilitate an orderly presentation that can be preserved for the record, members of the public who wish to participate in the vir-



tual hearing should register by sending their first and last name (and whether connection will be via internet or by phone) to pscinfo@psc.mo.gov or by calling 1-800-392-4211 by 5 p.m. the day before the hearing.

Any individual needing an accommodation to participate in the hearing should contact the PSC Consumer Services Hotline at 1-800-392-4211 (voice) or Relay Missouri at 711 before the hearing.

You may also send written comments to: Missouri Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, or electronically using the Commission's electronic filing system at <https://psc.mo.gov/General/SubmitComments>. When submitting comments, reference File No. GR-2024-0106.

On Feb. 9, Liberty filed a natural gas rate case with the Missouri Public Service Commission seeking a net increase in its annual revenues of approximately \$13.1 million, with the net increase being approximately \$11.2 million as \$1.9 million is already being recovered through the Infrastructure System Replacement Surcharge (ISRS). The net revenue increase of \$11.2 million is an approximate 32.57 percent increase. In this case, Liberty is also proposing to consolidate the cost of service/revenue requirements of its Northeast/West and Southeast Districts.

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Area high school students study construction careers at annual Macon Build My Future

By Barbara Pierce, Principal M2Pierce, LLC

MACON — The Macon County Fairgrounds was buzzing with activity on Wednesday, Sept. 18 as 1,536 area high school students spent the day discovering the world of construction. For the third year in a row, the Associated General Contractors of Missouri (AGCMO), along with 27 other sponsoring organizations, hosted students from upstate Missouri at its annual Build My Future interactive showcase at Macon County Fairgrounds.

Students had an opportunity to experience various construction careers, including carpentry, welding, operating heavy equipment, utility installation and repair, electrical work, and heating, ventilation and air-conditioning, etc. Representatives from area contractors, local utilities, various colleges and trade schools were on hand as

well as trade organizations — all able to explain various career paths and opportunities.

Both students, teachers and guidance counselors in attendance also were happy to learn about scholarships and paid apprenticeships available to those interested in pursuing a career in construction. Since 2018, the AGCMO Education Foundation, along with AGCMO's Young Executives Club (YEC) and Construction Leadership Council (CLC) has supported a total of \$411,000 in scholarships.

Earlier this year AGCMO awarded \$82,000 in scholarships to 30 students. Included in the 2024 scholarship class are eight trade apprentices, seven graduating high school seniors, and 15 college/university students. Dec. 31 is the deadline for 2025 scholarships ranging from \$1,000 to \$3,000. Online applications can be submitted at www.agcmo.org.

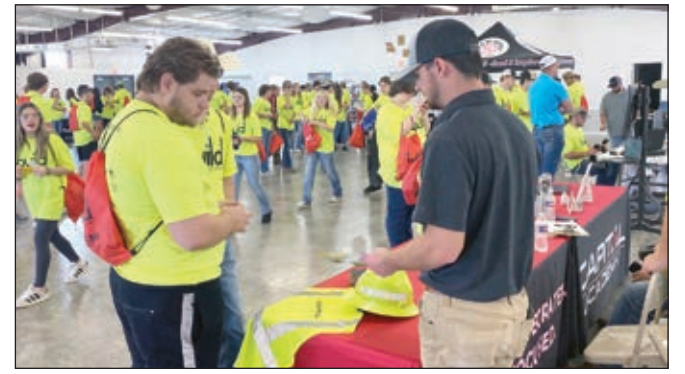
AGCMO also sponsors and engages with several college student chapters across the state including Missouri University of Science and Technology in Rolla; University of Missouri-Columbia; State Fair Community College in Sedalia; Missouri Western State University in St. Joseph; State Technical College of Missouri in Linn; and Southeast Missouri State University in Cape Girardeau.

Throughout September and October (Construction Careers Month), AGCMO will continue to put the spotlight on the current construction climate in Missouri, discussing today's construction workforce needs and available training opportunities. The Macon expo was the kick-off for a series of five Build My Future events scheduled across the state, including programs at St. Louis Community College-Florissant Valley (Sept. 25), the Show Me Center in Cape Girardeau (Oct. 8), the Jefferson City Jaycees Fair-

grounds (Oct. 16) and the Northwest Missouri State Fairgrounds in Bethany (Oct. 23).

According to Charlyce Ruth, SW MO Manager/Workforce Development and organizer of AGCMO's Build My Future events, there is a critical shortage of construction workers across the country.

"A recent AGC of America workforce survey reports that 92 percent of Missouri's contractors have open craft positions while 62 percent list open salaried positions," said Ruth. "Many of our contractors have set up their own training programs and the unions also have exceptional apprenticeships that will take a student through to journeyman status. In many cases, these are paid apprenticeships. Missouri also is fortunate to be home to some exceptional trade schools and colleges that turn out extraordinary craft workers and industry professionals."



"Students are often surprised to learn of the wide variety of good paying jobs available in our industry," observed Ruth. "We also have worked hard to attract a diverse and inclusive workforce, with more and more women and minorities entering our industry."

"Many of these jobs utilize the latest technologies," she added. "From identifying underground utilities to estimating multi-million dollar jobs, construction professionals are designing and building projects with 3-D BIM technology and building roads, bridges, dams, hydro-electric plants supported by significant new infrastructure funding. In Missouri, we are in the beginning phases to rebuild and widen I-70 across the

state, making it a great time to enter our field."

In July 2024, Missouri employed 151,400 persons in construction, an increase of 8,500 over July 2023, ranking it 10th in the nation in construction employment gain. Since Jan 1, 2021, 24,067 students and 2,537 educators have attended a Build My Future event in Missouri. Among those attending in Macon from 43 upstate high schools were students from Adair Co R-I Novinger, Adair Co RII Brashear, Atlanta C-3, Green City, Kirksville Area Tech Center, Knox County, La Plata R-II Schools, Macon Area Career and Technical Education Center, Macon R-1 HS JAG, Milan C-2, Putnam County R-1 and Schuyler R1 High School.

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For information or to register for an upcoming Build My Future event, contact Charlyce Ruth at cruth@agcmo.org.

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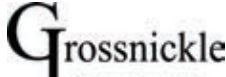
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Sluggish start not a hindrance as Tigers control Moberly, advance to 4-0

By Henry Janssen
Daily Express

It took Kirksville more than a quarter and a half to get any traction on Friday night, but staunch defense and outstanding special teams play nullified that lack of early offense. The Tigers defeated the Spartans, 28-7, on the road at Noel Stadium to remain perfect in both teams' opening NCMC game. Through four games, Gregg Nesbitt's team has allowed 20 points.

Moberly falls to 0-4, although its combined strength of schedule is impressive – its three Missouri opponents are now a combined 11-1.

"I thought our kids flipped the switch and played a pretty clean second half against a solid ball club ... that's not an 0-4 team," Nesbitt said. "It was a struggle for a quarter and a half, and you've got to give Moberly credit. They played with their back-up-against-the-wall mentality, and we got their best shot tonight."

The Tigers looked uncharacteristically sketchy in the opening minutes of the game. Moberly got the ball first and was gifted a first down by an offside on a third-and-three, but was forced to punt on the next series. Kirksville's first offensive snap was over the head of senior quarterback Ryder Lyons, and second down with 24 yards to go proved to be too much.

Though Kirksville then forced Moberly into three-and-out, an absolute fantasy of a punt for the Spartans started the following Tiger drive inside of the one-yard line. They got some traction getting out of the shadow of their own endzone on a 16-yard reception to freshman Blake Nesbitt. Lyons

eventually threw an interception on a long third down that was effectively a punt, though it was a rehearsed sideline throw he said he would like back.

Kirksville and Moberly took turns punting it back and forth before a long rush from Moberly junior Ka'Von Tiger got his team into goal-to-go territory. Moberly then missed around a 26- or 27-yard field goal wide-left.

After yet another Kirksville punt without either team having established any real momentum, the Tigers finally made a game-breaking play when Blake Nesbitt blocked a punt inside Moberly territory with 3:40 remaining in the first half. Senior running back Jace Kent converted a tough third down, followed by a couple solid rushes from junior Logan Martin, immediately capped off with a five-yard touchdown from Kent.

Senior defensive back Greyden Houser broke up a pass by Moberly's Jackson Engel from the nine-yard line as time expired in the half, and the Tigers went to the locker room with a 7-0 lead.

Kirksville scored methodically on its opening drive of the second half, using five minutes of clock and sealing it with an 11-yard Kent rush.

Moberly also had its next punt blocked by Martin, and Kent caught a touchdown on a roll-out left from Lyons a few downs later. Just as quickly as the snap of a sustained drive and a crucial special teams play, it was 21-0 with 4:24 left in the third.

"We didn't really make adjustments, we just had guys step up," Lyons said. "Speed of the leader, speed of the pack, is what Coach



Senior quarterback Ryder Lyons ices the game with a 10-yard rush in the waning moments of Friday night's win.



The play was called back on a penalty, but senior back Jace Kent rumbled down the sideline on a punt return. He finished with three total touchdowns and 156 yards on the ground. PHOTOS BY HENRY JANSSEN/DAILY EXPRESS

Nesbitt always preaches, and our leaders on special teams and defense getting us the ball with good field position was the game.

"We stepped up, in the first half (the offense) was just playing flat, everything was flat. (Senior lineman) Andrew Williams ramped it up for all of us, that opened Jace up, then everyone starts making plays."

A few possessions later, Moberly shut Kirksville down on a fourth-and-one and put its best – and really just its second – drive of the night together, beginning on their own 24-yard line. By the time the Spartans scored their only points of the evening with 5:23 remaining, they had little choice but to onside kick. On a wonky, high bounce by Moberly's kicker, the ball shot out of bounds.

With some wise Kirksville clock management and a spree of chunk rushes, the Spartans never saw the football again until there were 26 seconds left down three scores. Lyons scored on a one-yard rush in a fashion the Philadelphia Eagles would appreciate, sealing the game at its final score.

Sophomore kicker Beckett Lyons remains perfect on the season on point-after attempts having made all 16, but has yet to attempt a field goal – the Tigers haven't had a particularly good opportunity or reason to try one.

Kent finished with 156 yards rushing with 112 of them coming in the second

half. He caught for an additional 15. Lyons was 10-for-16 passing for 102 yards with a pair of interceptions and the touchdown to Kent. Junior Kyle White had a crucial 16-yard reception and senior Hayden Davis caught one for 10.

Blake Nesbitt finished with six solo tackles and two assisted. Corbin Denslow, senior defensive back, recorded seven solo tackles and three assisted. On Moberly's failed drive to end the first half, Denslow got a great jump to sniff out a swing pass to the left sideline. He was frustrated with himself for not coming up with the interception, but the pass break-up was instrumental in the Tigers entering the locker room with no points allowed.

For a game that began so slowly, junior linebacker/defensive lineman Brantley Kottwitz thought his team took control after the first blocked punt.

"Our special teams is on fire right now," he said. "A blocked punt, the whole sideline feels it."

"We've been able to see what their offense is doing. By our keys, we've been able to get a pretty good read of where the ball is going."

When Kottwitz was asked what he and his teammates were telling each other, he said this is what mid-season football should be all about. Kirksville travels to Marshall (0-4) next week.

"Keep on doing it, work starts Monday."



Middle hitter Kynley Gresham, junior, rises up. The Tigers defeated the Trenton Bulldogs in straight sets. DAILY EXPRESS

Kirksville finds mid-season form against Trenton

By Henry Janssen
Daily Express

After a rough slide, Kirksville finds itself back at .500 (6-6) with a dominant win versus Trenton at Tiger Gymnasium. The Tigers won in straight sets, 25-8, 25-14, 25-8, on Thursday night.

After dropping five of its previous six matches, four of those losses coming straight sets, Kirksville has won back-to-back matches. The Tigers drained Fulton (7-6) in four sets two night prior. Kirksville coach Missy Dempsey thought that was the best match her girls had played.

Dempsey said that her

team looked like the unit she had seen in the Tigers' opening few games.

"We came out and took care of business, and we've gotten back to our goal of playing on our side," she said. "Before the third, we told the girls all we want is to allow fewer points than we did the last set, and we did a nice job of taking care of business in that regard."

"I don't know what the difference is. These girls are just playing together as a solid unit."

By the time of this publication, Kirksville will have hosted Mexico looking to avenge a Sept. 5 loss. The Tigers fell in the first meeting in five sets.

Tigers win five of six singles matches to capture first victory

By Daily Express

Kirksville defeated Trenton for its first win of the year on Thursday, 7-2. The Tigers have three matches remaining.

The Tigers will have hosted Palmyra by the time of this publication before traveling to Fulton on Thursday.



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Junior defensive back Logan Martin gets home to for an errant throw against Moberly quarterback Jackson Engel.

Scoreless tie fitting for Bulldogs' dreary match-up with McKendree

By Henry Janssen
Daily Express

The first day of fall felt like the first day of fall, and Truman's men's soccer game at Stokes Stadium was proof that summer is no longer with us. In 47-degree weather in a constantly cloudy drizzle, the Bulldogs played the Bearcats to a scoreless draw.

The game was played in the middle third, and neither team had very many chances throughout. The 'Dogs failed to record a shot on goal but Bulldog goalie Justin Olwig's services were needed four times.

Truman is now 1-3-1 and McKendree remains undefeated at 5-0-1.



Freshman midfielder Tyler Bouckaert rumbles down the sideline in one of the few opportunities the Bulldogs gave themselves.



Freshman defender Zoran Sabbert rises up for a clearance on Sunday afternoon. PHOTOS BY HENRY JANSSEN/DAILY EXPRESS

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Lady Tigers win home quad

By Daily Express

Kirksville hosted Rock Bridge, Centralia, and Macon on Wednesday evening at Kirksville Country Club and won the nine-hole round as a team. Addy Davis kept her impressive season going, finishing three strokes under par. The Lady Tigers compete again on Tuesday when they host their only tournament of the season.



Addy Davis tees off in Wednesday's four-team, nine-hole round at Kirksville Country Club. Davis finished three strokes under par.



PHOTOS BY HENRY JANSSEN/DAILY EXPRESS

Tigers dismantle Mexico in first mercy rule win since 2019

By Henry Janssen
Daily Express

Kirksville scored its eighth goal with what would have been two minutes left to play on Tuesday night at Spainhower Field, ending the game 8-0. Mexico came into the game with a 4-1 record and had been dominant in its past several games until the Tigers changed that narrative.

The Tigers advance to 2-3, and this is the first game they have won in regulation. They beat Moberly on penalty kicks on Sept. 12.

Mexico was coming off 6-0 and 5-0 home wins against Boonville and Chillicothe, respectively.

"The fluidity of the team is starting to grow together as a starting lineup that knows how to play together, and our depth allows us to keep that fluidity going," Kirksville coach Shawn Meintz said. "We have patterns of possession where we're feeling like now we always have guys in spots."

Meintz's side held a 6-0 lead at the intermission. Senior forward Tresor Kabuya scored on a screamer in the sixth minute, then scored again on a through ball 15 minutes later. The Tigers scored on a pair of set pieces shortly after. Junior midfielder Camden Perry placed a well-delivered free kick from the right corner of the box followed by a penalty kick by senior Connor Hall. Hall, one of Kirksville's heart-and-soul guys, suffered an injury in the first half and forced to leave the game. Sophomore midfielder Cedric Cook also posted a goal in the first half.

Play was halted when junior midfielder Ibrahim Abdoulmadjid scored to close it out.



Junior midfielder Tresor Kabuya scores his second goal of the night.



Junior midfielder Camden Perry shakes a defender in the middle third.

Kirksville dominated possession, and the vast majority of the game was played in the midfield or the attacking third.

"I'm seeing a lot of good balls and a lot of good plays," senior goalkeeper Kellen Simmons said. "We're keeping possession and getting these pass strings down. This game's big and it'll help us play more as a team, but watching it from back there was one of the easiest and best games I've had (as a goalkeeper)."

This marks the first time since the opening round of the 2019 District tournament against Moberly that the Tigers had posted eight goals. On several occasions since, they've had seven.

Kirksville plays again in Chillicothe on Thursday.



Senior Connor Hall scores on a penalty kick in the first half of Tuesday's blowout victory. PHOTOS BY HENRY JANSSEN/DAILY EXPRESS

Truman women fall to McKendree

By Daily Express

The Bulldogs hosted McKendree at Stokes Stadium on a dreary, cold Sunday afternoon, but fell 2-1.

Senior midfielder Jessica Kozol scored on a goal assisted by sophomore midfielder Audrey Kaupas.

Tatum Damron made six saves for the 'Dogs.

The Bulldogs fall to 1-3-2 while the McKendree remains unbeaten and untied on the season after seven matches.

Truman travels to Upper Iowa on Friday and Lewis (Ill.) on Sunday.



Hanna Ritter takes the ball in the middle third of the field.



Senior defender Olivia Bryner makes a play for the ball in Sunday's 2-1 loss to McKendree. PHOTOS BY HENRY JANSSEN/DAILY EXPRESS

Big plays haunt Bulldog football in 34-14 loss at Saginaw Valley State

By Truman State
Sports Information

UNIVERSITY CENTER, Mich. — First quarter struggles and being on the wrong end of big plays sank Bulldog football in 37-14 loss at Saginaw Valley St. (SVSU) Saturday.

Truman State looked to be in business starting its first possession at the SVSU 46 after forcing a punt on four downs, but the momentum shifted right back to SVSU as Bulldog quarterback Dylan Hair, working on a 3rd and 4, fumbled after being sacked for a 26-yard loss. Micah Cretsinger recovered for the Cardinals, and his 32-yard touchdown return, followed by a missed point after attempted, put the Purple and White into a quick 6-0 deficit with 11:31 remaining in the opening frame. SVSU scored again in the first — a five-yard scamper to pay dirt by Michael Jamerson III — on a 10-play, 61-yard drive that took 4:21 off the clock.

The best first-half scoring opportunity for the

Bulldog offense came when a Jackson Overton 16-yard punt return set up Truman State at the SVSU 49 with 10:12 remaining. The 4:04 minute, 8 play, 29-yard drive set up a Vinnie Calvaruso field goal attempt that failed to split the uprights. A Cardinal field goal as the clock wound down left Truman State down 16-0 at the half.

The offense wasted no time getting things back on track as the third got underway when, on 2nd and 10 from the Truman State 35, Hair found Parker Erickson at the SVSU 44, who raced to the goal line and get the Bulldogs on the board 58 seconds into the half. Overton reeled in the two-point attempt to pull within eight, 8-16.

The Cardinals offense failed to get a first down on its next two possessions, which sandwiched another Bulldog missed field goal, to set up Truman State at its own 20 with 9:50 left in the third. Hair connected with Kel Battle on a 37-yard pass play, setting up

a first and ten at the SVSU, before Denim Cook rushed up the middle and scored the second Bulldog touchdown in the game. A failed two-point attempt left the Cardinals up 16-14 with more than five minutes remaining in the third.

SVSU answered fewer than four minutes later when it went 68 yards on seven plays, including back-to-back plays of more than twenty yards, yielded a three-yard score for Jamerson III, his second of the day. The score extended the Cardinal lead to 23-14 after three.

Two final SVSU touchdowns — an 84-yard rush

from quarterback Mason McKenzie and an Austin Bills 56-yard run — allowed the Cardinals to pull away and secure the win.

The first quarter continues to be troublesome for the Bulldogs as they have been outscored 34-3 in the three losses to the University of Findlay (Ohio), University of Indianapolis, and SVSU. This marks the first three-game losing streak to open as season since 2018.

Truman State returns to Kirksville at 1 p.m. Saturday, September 28, when it welcomes Wayne State (Mich.) to Stokes Stadium in conclusion of non-conference play in 2024.



Sophomore quarterback Dylan Hair drops back to pass in last week's loss to Indianapolis. With this weekend's loss to Saginaw, the 'Dogs fall to 0-3. HENRY JANSSEN/DAILY EXPRESS

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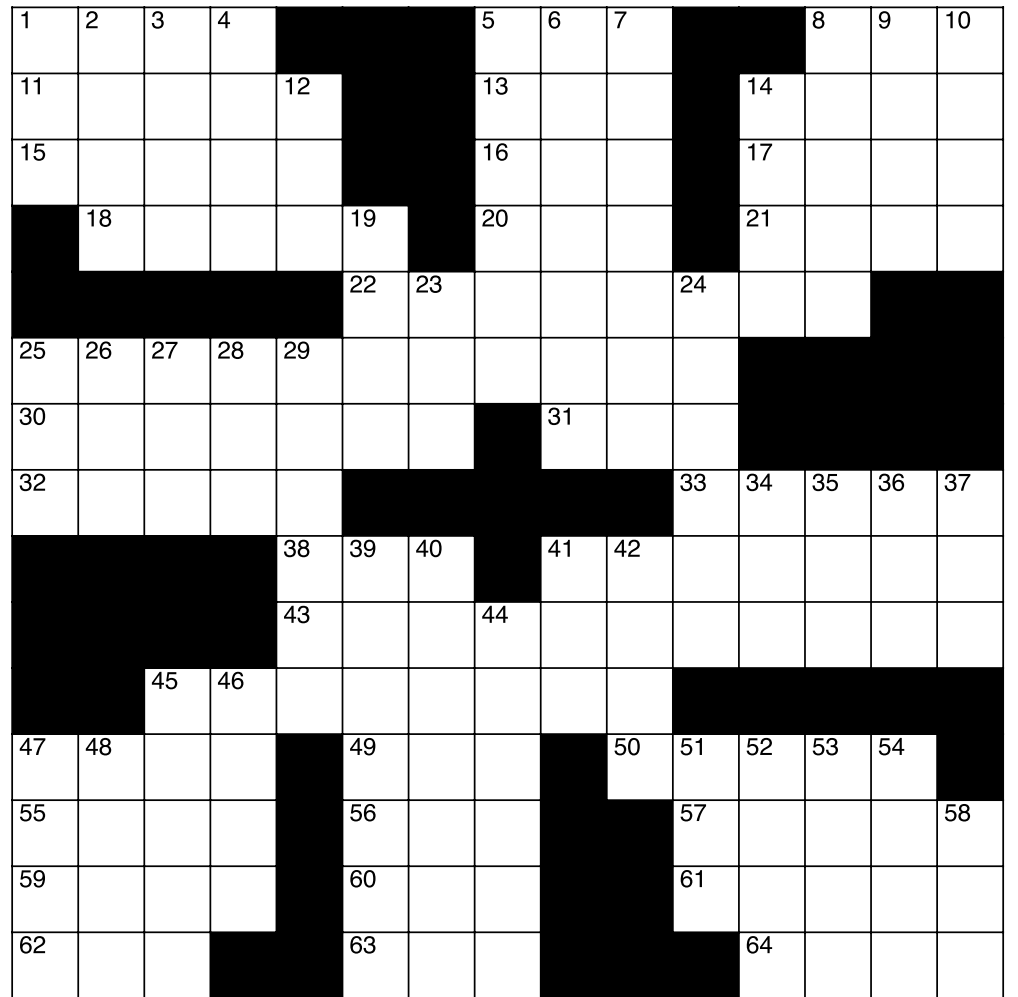
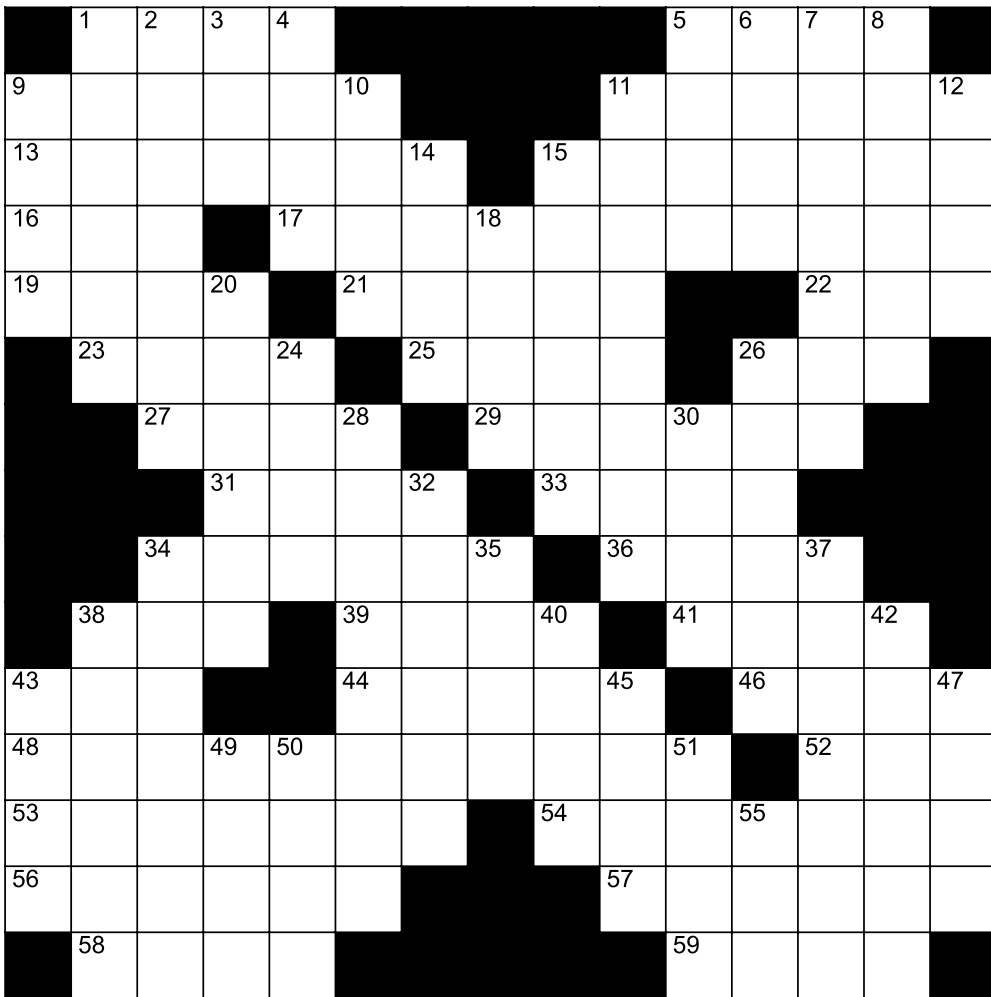
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- 5. Growl
- 9. Where things stand
- 11. Made a sharp sound
- 13. Female spirit in Irish folklore
- 15. Deteriorate with age
- 16. A way to save for retirement
- 17. The Big Apple
- 19. Intestinal pouches
- 21. City in New Hampshire
- 22. Giving a bad impression
- 23. Samsung laptops
- 25. Without (French)
- 26. Scientist's tool (abbr.)
- 27. System of one more computers
- 29. Captures
- 31. Authentic
- 33. Female mammal's nipple
- 34. Pandemonium
- 36. Satisfy
- 38. Arrived extinct
- 39. Shipborne radar (abbr.)
- 41. Network of nerves

43. Monetary unit

- 44. Showed old TV show
- 46. They help you hear
- 48. One who eliminates
- 52. Congress' investigative arm
- 53. Parties
- 54. Most supernatural
- 56. Takes illegally
- 57. Breathes while asleep
- 58. Sea eagles
- 59. German surname

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Looks at for a long time
- 2. Solution for diseases
- 3. Belonging to a thing
- 4. Former Packers fullback
- 5. Contemptible person
- 6. One billionth of a second (abbr.)
- 7. Helps
- 8. Final section of the large intestine
- 9. Invests in little enterprises
- 10. Look for
- 11. Unbeliefs
- 12. Susan and Tom are two

14. Female sheep

- 15. A poet writes it
- 18. Affirmatives
- 20. "Full House" actress Barber
- 24. Traveled rapidly
- 26. Long upholstered seat
- 28. Set wages
- 30. Peter Gabriel song
- 32. Sides of a jacket
- 34. More beautiful
- 35. Actress Kate
- 37. Furniture with open shelves
- 38. Indicate
- 40. The cost of a room
- 42. Gets rid of something
- 43. Impudence
- 45. No No No
- 47. Drunkards
- 49. Middle eastern country
- 50. High energy lasers (abbr.)
- 51. Primary component of ribosomes
- 55. An informal debt instrument

CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Unequaled
- 5. ___-fi (slang)
- 8. Synthetic resin
- 11. Chadic language Bura-___
- 13. Influential come Election Day
- 14. Bucket
- 15. European river
- 16. Earn a perfect score
- 17. Horizontal passage
- 18. Barely sufficient
- 20. Dekaliter
- 21. Goo Goo Dolls hit
- 22. Australian city
- 25. Female servants
- 30. Plumbing fixtures
- 31. Tooth caregiver
- 32. Book of Esther antagonist
- 33. Say aloud
- 38. Thyrotrophic hormone
- 41. Absolute
- 43. Untimely
- 45. Area or neighborhood
- 47. Juicy fruit
- 49. Expresses distaste, disapproval

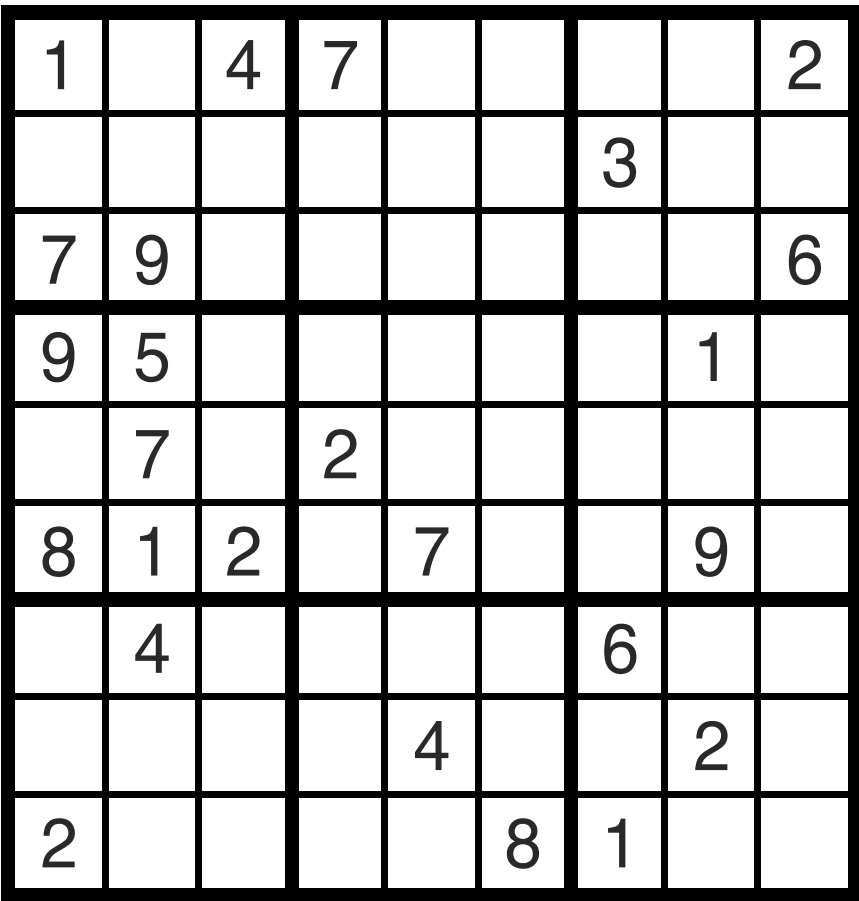
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- 55. Swedish rock group
- 56. Influential American president
- 57. Volume
- 59. Begged
- 60. Resinlike substance secreted by certain lac insects
- 61. Spiritual leader of a Jewish congregation
- 62. Good friend
- 63. Body part
- 64. Tableland

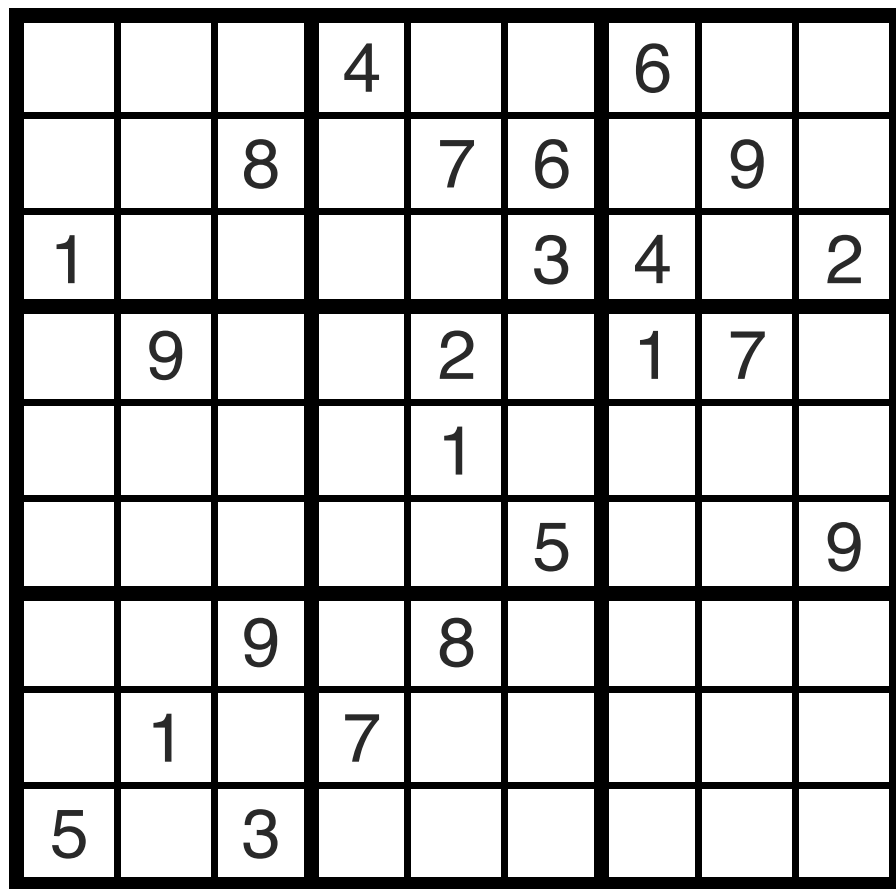
CLUES DOWN

- 1. Barrels per day (abbr.)
- 2. Body parts
- 3. Invests in little enterprises
- 4. Rock legend Turner
- 5. Dug into
- 6. Laughed
- 7. Northern European nation
- 8. San Diego ballplayer
- 9. Eight
- 10. Substitutes (abbr.)
- 12. Moved swiftly on foot
- 14. Compensated
- 19. Volcano in the Philippines
- 23. Speak ill of
- 24. One who publishes
- 25. Expression of bafflement
- 26. Macaws
- 27. Matchstick game
- 28. We all have our own
- 29. Divinatory
- 34. Explosive
- 35. Follows sigma
- 36. Sea eagle
- 37. Type of bread
- 39. Bit used with a set of reins
- 40. Time away from work
- 41. Parts per thousand (abbr.)
- 42. Lots on your plate (abbr.)
- 44. Actor Brosnan
- 45. It's part of packaging
- 46. Towards the oral region
- 47. Public Theater creator Joseph
- 48. Ancient Syrian city
- 51. Swiss river
- 52. Mollusk
- 53. A French abbot
- 54. Hoagies
- 58. Not present (slang)

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The County of Adair will hold a public hearing on Monday, October 7th at 9 a.m. at the Adair County Courthouse, Commission Chambers located at 106 W. Washington St, Kirksville, MO 63501 to discuss the County's submission of an application for the fiscal year 2024 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG). The County is interested in obtaining all citizen's input on community development needs within the county. As part of the hearing process citizens will be asked to verbally assist in the completion of a Needs Assessment document. The document will detail what the residents feel are the strengths and weaknesses of the community. In addition to the Needs Assessment, citizens will have the opportunity to discuss the impact of the proposed project on the environment and the environment's possible impact on the project. The County needs as much local participation as possible in order to reflect the true desires of the community as a whole, as well as the comments relating to the proposed project application. The State has established a maximum application request for each funding category. Activities that are eligible for funding include the improvement of public works, public facilities, housing rehabilitation, and others allowed by law. At least 51% of the funds must be used to benefit low-and-moderate-income persons. No displacement of persons will be proposed. The county is proposing to seek CDBG Emergency & Long-Term Recovery grant funds for the removal of the failed concrete arched culvert remaining following the bridge collapse over Hog Branch on Lawson Hill Lane just south of Highway 6 West near Brashear, and construction of a new 60 feet long x 24.5ft wide steel girder bridge with a concrete deck and bolt-on steel rail. The total project cost is estimated at \$550,000.

The project, if funded, will alleviate existing conditions which pose a serious and immediate threat to the health or welfare of the community and includes recovery activities which are of recent origin or which recently became urgent. The bridge collapsed on April 28, 2004 as a result of unusually heavy rainfall and higher than normal water flow. The project, if funded, will benefit 48% low/moderate income persons. All citizens, including those in the targeted area, are encouraged to attend the hearing in order to comment on the proposed activities.

For more information on the proposed project, contact Mark Shahan, Presiding Commissioner, at (660) 665-2283 or by email at mshahan@adaircorno.com. If you need special accommodations for the public hearing including LEF assistance, please contact Mark Shahan by September 20th at 5 p.m. The meeting will be held at an accessible location and the county will make every effort possible to provide reasonable accommodations.

The Adair County Sheriff's office is accepting bids for Tankless Hot Water Heater(s). Please see Request for Proposal for details, it may be obtained from the Sheriff's Office at 215 N Franklin St or from www.adair-countymissouri.com/government/bid-requested.

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

Case Number: 24AR-PR00082 (Date File Stamp) Judge or Division: PROBATE

In the Estate of JAMES WILLIAM NEWMAN, a Disabled Person.

Notice of Appointment of Conservator
To All Persons Interested in the Estate of JAMES WILLIAM NEWMAN, a Disabled Person: On September 10, 2024 RHONDA NOE, Adair County Public Administrator was appointed conservator of the estate of JAMES WILLIAM NEWMAN, 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: 300 North Franklin, 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 September 18, 2024.

/S/Martha Adair County Circuit Clerk

PUBLICATION DATES: 9-18-2024, 9-25-2024, 10-2-2024, 10-9-2024

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

(Date File Stamp) IN THE ESTATE OF ESTATE NUMBER 22AR-PR00078 MATTIE HORTON Deceased.

AMENDED NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION (Sec. 473.587, RSMo)

You are hereby notified that on or about 10/09/2024, the undersigned personal representative will file in the Probate Division of Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri, at Kirksville, the Amended final settlement and petition for distribution of the estate and for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein. Any objections or exceptions to such Amended Final Settlement and Petition for Distribution or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within twenty days after the filing of such amended settlement.

Rhonda Noe, Public Administrator 300 N Franklin St Kirksville, MO 63501 660-785-3211

Sherry L. Darling Attorney Bar No. 51128 24672 Linn Creek Trl Kirksville, MO 63501 660-488-5830 sherrydarlinglaw@gmail.com

Publication Dates: 09/11/2024, 09/18/2024, 09/25/2024 10/02/2024

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID

The City of Kirksville will accept sealed bids for the **ILLINOIS STREET BIORETENTION PROJECT** (CITY PROJECT NO. SW-23-001), at the office of the City Clerk, 201 S. Franklin St., Kirksville, Missouri 63501-3580, until **3:00 p.m. Thursday, October 31, 2024**, at which time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. The bid will be awarded to the lowest, responsive, and responsible bidder; however, the City of Kirksville reserves the right to reject any and all bids. No bidder may withdraw a bid for a period of sixty (60) days after the day of opening bids. A certified check or cashier's check or a bid bond in the amount of five (5%) shall be submitted with each proposal.

The work shall generally consist of:

Installation of approximately **260** square foot bioretention basin, **500** feet of 18-inch storm sewer main and related appurtenances.

This project will be funded in part by a grant through the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) administered by the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MoDNR). The selected bidder will be subject to all applicable local, state, and federal rules and regulations. ARPA Contract Provisions are included in the specifications.

Contract award is contingent on approval from MoDNR.

Bidders on this work will be required to comply with the Presidents Executive Order Number 11246. Requirements for bidders and contractors under this Order are explained in the specifications.

Copies of the Contract Documents required for bidding purposes may be obtained from:

City of Kirksville Engineering Department 201 S. Franklin Kirksville, MO 63501 660.627.1272

A Pre-Bid Meeting will be held on Thursday, October 17, 2024 at 2:00 pm in the 2nd-floor conference room of City Hall, 201 S. Franklin Street, Kirksville, MO 63501. All bidders are encouraged to attend the pre-bid meeting. The purpose of this meeting is to:

- Discuss the bidding requirements
- Receive any questions regarding the project
- Visit the proposed construction site
- Discuss EEO requirements, if necessary

All questions of a technical nature will be answered in writing by addendum. Questions may be submitted by phone or in writing. Questions should be submitted no later than five (5) working days before the bid date.

No less than the general prevailing rate of wage as established by the Missouri Department of Labor, must be paid for by craft for the workmen needed to perform the work.

MBE/WBE firms are encouraged to respond to this bid. The City of Kirksville does not discriminate in its decisions on the basis of age, ancestry, color, disability, gender, gender identity, marital status, national origin, race, religion, sexual orientation, or on any other basis that would be in violation of any applicable federal, state, or local law. Furthermore, the City of Kirksville will make reasonable accommodations for qualified individuals with known disabilities unless doing so would result in an undue hardship.

Diane Albrecht City Clerk

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

Judge or Division: Case Number: 24AR-CV00429

Plaintiff/Petitioner: MATTHEW WILSON

WILLIAM SCOTT SHAW

Nature of Suit: CC Quiet Title

Notice Upon Order for Service by Publication

The State of Missouri to: WILLIAM SCOTT SHAW UNKNOWN

UNKNOWN, MO 63501

NICOLE LEE MAIZE, who is interested in the subject matter, address unknown. You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is CC Quiet Title and which affects the following described property:

The names of all parties in this action are stated in the caption above and the name(s) and address(es) of the attorney(s) for the plaintiff/petitioner(s) are: LESLIE JO SILVERNAIL, 803 SOUTH BALTIMORE, KIRKSVILLE, MO 63501 660-956-0997

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 09/04/24, judgment by default will be entered against you.

08/27/24 MARTHN COLE, Adair County Circuit Clerk

Directions to Clerk

The name of all parties must be included in the caption. The date to be inserted from which the 45 days begin to run is the date of the first publication. If the plaintiff/petitioner has no attorney, the order of publication of notice must recite the address of the plaintiff/petitioner. Only the object and general nature of the civil action is to be stated, for example "for dissolution of marriage." If the address of any of the parties to be served by publication is given in the verified statement, the clerk shall: (A) within ten days after such order of publication mail a copy of the order of publication of notice and a copy of the petition to each such defendant and (B) file a certificate that such copies have been mailed. An affidavit shall also be filed showing the publication dates and the name of the newspaper in which the notice was published. A copy of the published notice shall be attached to the affidavit. (See Rules 54.12 and 54.20)

PUBLICATION DATES: 09/04/24, 09/11/24, 09/18/24, 09/25/24

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

Case Number: 24AR-CV00355 (Date File Stamp) Judge or Division: MATTHEW WILSON

Plaintiff/Petitioner: FREEDOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION

vs. Defendant/Respondent: ANTHONY K. RAYNON BRENNNA D. RAYNON UNITED STATES OF AMERICA SEARCY & WAYMAN DEVELOPMENT CO., INC. JOHN DOE

Nature of Suit: CC Foreclosure

Notice Upon Order for Service by Publication

The State of Missouri to: SEARCY & WAYMAN DEVELOPMENT CO., INC. 1408 N. GREEN KIRKSVILLE, MO 63501

You are notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Adair County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is CC Foreclosure and which affects the following described property: All of Lot 2, Block 8, Kingsridge Addition to Kirksville, Missouri. Subject to restrictions of record.

The names of all parties in this action are stated in the caption above and the name(s) and address(es) of the attorney(s) for the plaintiff/petitioner(s) are: SCOTT DONALD MOSIER, 612 SPIRIT DRIVE, CHESTERFIELD, MO 63005

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 09/04/24, judgment by default will be entered against you.

Martha Cole Adair County Circuit Clerk

PUBLICATION DATES: 09/04/24, 09/11/24, 09/18/24, 09/25/24

Upcoming north Missouri road work

By MoDOT

The following is a list of general highway maintenance work the Missouri Department of Transportation has planned in the Northern Missouri region for the next few weeks. All road closures and planned roadwork may be viewed on the Traveler Information Map at <http://traveler.motdot.org/map/>. Inclement weather may cause schedule changes in some of the planned work. There may also be moving operations throughout the region, in addition to the work mentioned below.

Adair County

Business Route 63 (Baltimore Street) – Sept. 23, Lane restriction for patching operations from Missouri Route 6 to Charles Street in Kirksville between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. A 12-foot width restriction will be in place where

crews are actively working.

Route D – Sept. 30 – Oct. 1, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Forest Ridge Road to Morelock Cemetery Road between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. daily.

Route D – Oct. 2, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Morelock Cemetery Road to Sydney Road between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Route D – Oct. 3, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Sydney Road to Fayette Road between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Route D – Oct. 4, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Fayette Road to Foliage Road between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Knox County

Missouri Route 156 – Sept. 23 – Oct. 3, Lane restriction for bridge maintenance from 0.5 mile before and after the North River Bridge between 8 a.m. and

3 p.m. A 10-foot width restriction will be in place where crews are actively working daily.

Macon County

Route K – Sept. 23, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Mariner Street to Landmark Street between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Route M – Sept. 24 – 26 Closed for culvert replacement operations from Route K to Olive Avenue between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. daily.

Route Z – Sept. 30, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Route VV to Bugle Avenue between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Route Z – Oct. 1, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Bugle Avenue to Arizona Street between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Route Z – Oct. 2, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Cannon Street to Route TT between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Route Z – Oct. 3, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Cannon Street to Badger Street between 8 a.m. and Noon.

Route Z – Oct. 3, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Badger Street to Missouri Route 149 between Noon and 4 p.m.

Schuyler County

Route J – Sept. 23 – 24, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Walking Trail Drive to Quail Avenue between 7 a.m. and 4 p.m. daily.

Route J – Sept. 25, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Keller Drive to Rocky Avenue between 7 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Route V – Sept. 30 – Oct. 1, Closed for culvert replacement operations from Route D to Hilliard Avenue between 7 a.m. and 3 p.m. daily.

Route Y – Oct. 2 – 4, Closed for culvert replacement operations



from Ranch Avenue to Coon Road between 7 a.m. and 3 p.m. daily.

Putnam County

Route U – Closed at the East Locust Creek Bridge for a bridge rehabilitation project through mid-December 2024.

Route M – Closed at the Medicine Creek Fork Bridge for a bridge rehabilitation project through January 2025.

THIS WEEK'S FEATURED CHURCH
Church of God (Holiness)

KIRKSVILLE AREA CHURCH DIRECTORY

This Directory is made possible by these businesses who encourage all of us to attend worship services. The Church Listings below are provided at NO CHARGE to our area churches in Kirksville. If your Church is not listed, please call us at 660-665-2808.

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.faithkirksville.org

Hamilton Street Baptist Church
 802 W. Hamilton
 Pastor Tim Ingle
 9:00 a.m. Sunday School/Small Groups
 10:15 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

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

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

Faith United Methodist Church
 1602 E. Illinois
 Pastor: Joshua Ritzheimer
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 10:45 a.m. Worship

Southside Baptist Church
 1010 W. Burton
 Pastor: Aaron Rodgers
 10:00 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Preaching
 6:30 p.m. Evening Service

First Church of God
 2900 S. Halliburton
 Tiffany and Michael Vincent
 10:30 a.m. Morning Worship
www.firstchurchofgode.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
 Pastor: Brandon Rhea
 10:00 a.m. Bible Study
 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
 12:30 p.m. Noon Lunch

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

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
KirksvilleGCBC@gmail.com
www.KirksvilleGCBC.com • 660.665.1615

First United Methodist Church
 300 E. Washington
 Pastor: Choongho Kwon
 9:30 a.m. Worship In Person & Online
kvumc.org

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

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

Fellowship Baptist Church
 1701 S. Jamison St., Kirksville
 Larry Gibson, Pastor
 9:00 a.m. Sunday Worship
 10:30 a.m. Sunday Bible Study
fbck@sbcglobal.net
www.fellowshipbc.org • 660-665-0633

Yarrow Methodist Church
 Highway N., Yarrow
 Pastor David Stuckey
 10:00 a.m. Sunday Services

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

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

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

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

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

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

St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church
 Novinger, Mo.
 7:30 a.m. Sunday
Life Church of Kirksville
 112 W. Potter
 Jeremy Pingle, Pastor
 10:00 a.m. Sunday Morning Service

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

Cornerstone Church
 1702 N Elson St Kirksville, MO
 Jeremy Broach, Senior Pastor
 Chad 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
 9:00 a.m. Worship
 10:15 a.m. Bible Study
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
 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

First Assembly of God
 2401 S. High St., Kirksville
 Shawn Meintz, Pastor
 Sundays:
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
 10:40 a.m. Worship Wednesdays:
 6:30 p.m. Family Night
www.kirksvillefirst.org
info@kirksvillefirst.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

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
 2000 E. Normal

Kirksville First Ward Bishop John Grider
 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. Sunday Services
 Kirksville Second Ward Bishop Isaac Ison
 9 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Sunday Services

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

Seventh Day Adventist Church
 1301 N. Elson
 Kent Dunwoody, Pastor
 9:30 a.m. Sabbath School (Saturday)
 11:00 a.m. Worship Service (Saturday)
 Fellowship Dinner on 4th Saturday.
 712-541-4675

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

United Methodist Church
 Pastor Terry Hunsaker
 8:30 a.m. Worship
 9:30 a.m. Bible Study
 660-349-0052

Baring Community Church
 1104 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
 Find us on Facebook for Event Schedule
New Hope Methodist Reformed Church - Millard
 9:15 a.m. Bible Stud
 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
 660-626-4446

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Union Temple
 Pastor Alan Coonfield
 Sunday evening worship
 5:00 pm Bible Study
 5:30 pm Worship

Queen City Christian Church
 Queen City, Mo.
 Justin Briney, 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://laplatafbcc.org/>
laplatafbcc@gmail.com

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

Worthington Baptist Church
 Worthington, Mo.
 Roger Busnell, Pastor
 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
 6:00 pm Evening Service
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City of Kirksville recognizes Direct Support Professionals Week

By City of Kirksville

Kirksville Mayor Zac Burden signed a proclamation recognizing Direct Support Professionals Week from Sept. 8 through 14, 2024.

The Supreme Court of the United States, in *Olmstead v. L.C.*, held that under the Americans With Disabilities Act of 1990, a State must provide person-centered, community-based service options to individuals with intellectual

and developmental disabilities. Direct care workers, including direct support professionals, personal assistants, personal attendants, in-home support workers, and paraprofessionals are key to providing publicly funded, long-term support and services for millions of individuals with disabilities.

By fostering connections between individuals with disabilities and their families, friends, and communities, direct



Kirksville Mayor Zac Burden signs the proclamation.

support professionals ensure that individuals with disabilities thrive at home and avoid more costly and challenging institutional care. The majority of direct support professionals are employed in home- and community-based settings, and that trend is

expected to increase over the next decade.

“All citizens of Kirksville are encouraged to recognize the value, kindness, and dignity these cherished professionals make possible for individuals with disabilities in our community,” city officials in a press release.

Kirksville city officials address water system taste and odor

By City of Kirksville

The water in the city of Kirksville’s system is presenting at some locations with an unpleasant taste and odor. This taste and odor is attributed to an algae bloom that occurred in Forest Lake. While unpleasant, the taste and odor are not a hazard. The water remains safe to drink or cook with and testing shows that all water produced exceeds the minimum standards for drinking water established by the Missouri Department of Natural Resources (MDNR).

Adjustments in the water treatment process have been made and the city has switched from Forest Lake to Hazel Creek Lake, which should alleviate the taste and odor.

“We are in the process of flushing our system by draining and refilling our elevated storage tanks and flushing water mains, which will bring in fresh water to the system,” city officials said in a press release. “The taste and odor could persist for a few days until the water is fully refreshed.”

City officials said that the two drinking water lakes provide a stable source of raw water for the Kirksville community and beyond. However, they are living ecosystems and algae blooms are common across the United States.

“The city of Kirksville is committed to expediting the elimination of the taste and odor concern and will continue to provide safe, quality drinking water to our customers,” city officials said.

Kirksville Area Chamber of Commerce

August 2024

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Chamber Attends Truman Season Opener

Chamber members were invited to join Dr. Sue Thomas in the President’s section at the season opener for the Truman Bulldogs. Over 60 Chamber members enjoyed a great game and networking with Dr. Thomas and the NEMO Alumni.



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Kirksville Chamber Hosts Student Welcome

More than 550 students enjoyed meeting Kirksville businesses, Sunday afternoon September 10th. Thirty nine businesses filled the square and offered information, samples and various prizes to the students. Spike got in on the festivities too!

Coming October 12th

Join the Kirksville Young Professionals at the Rieger Armory for an adult Zombie Prom. Dress in your best Zombie garb and com out for an night of dancing!
Zombie Prom 6:30 p.m Saturday, October 12. Tickets on sale now.



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White Oaks Barn
Maples Repertory Theatre
Outback Welding and Machining

ON THE HORIZON

September 28-Red Barn Arts & Crafts Festival 9:00 a.m - 4:00 p.m.
October 3-Riboon Cutting-FLATS Trailhead 5:30 p.m
October 10- Business After Hours-Northeast Regional Health Center 5:00-7:00 p.m.
October 12- KVYP Zombie Prom -Rieger Armory - 6:30 p.m.
October 19-Bologna Fest- 3:00 p.m. -5:p.m.

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