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## LHS Graduation 2020

Commencement ceremonies were held for the Louisiana graduating class of 2020 at the high school on Friday, June 19. Above, Olivia Blackmore the class valedictorian and Brandy Farmer salutatorian smile for a picture before the festivities.

Trib photo by Brice Chandler

## Mexico Resident Murdered At Home By Intruder

BY BRICE CHANDLER  
STAFF WRITER

Early Saturday, June 27, the Mexico Department of Public Safety responded to a shooting on the 800 block of West Street in Mexico.

The victim was identified as 25-year-old Chance J. Davis of Mexico. The victim's girlfriend reported that an intruder had come into their house and shot Davis.

Davis was declared deceased at the scene.

Mexico Public Safety has requested the assistance and support of

the Mid Missouri Major Case Squad.

While the investigation continues, officers have indicated that two suspects were at the house.

According to the department's social media post, "Throughout the day, citizens information has led us to believe two separate cars were involved."

Anyone with information is asked to contact Crimestoppers at 800-392-TIPS (8477) or Mexico Public Safety at 573-473-5800 or 573-581-2100.

## Forums Planned For 40th District Candidates

A series of public forums is planned for candidates seeking the office of Missouri 40th District State Representative.

The events are scheduled for Tuesday, July 14 at the Pike County Courthouse in Bowling Green, July 20 at the Ralls County Courthouse in New London and Tuesday, July 21 at the Monroe County Courthouse in Paris.

Doors will open at 6 p.m. Each forum will begin at 6:30 p.m., and last about two hours. COVID-19 restrictions may force changes in the schedule and limit the size of audiences.

The moderator will be Brent Engel, an award-winning journalist, author and public relations professional. He will ask candidates questions submitted by local media and the public. Pens and paper will be available at each location for audience members to write down questions before the forums begin.

The candidates are Chad Perkins of Bowling Green, Heather Dodd of Madison, Ron Staggs of Paris,

Woodrow Polston of Louisiana and Tommy Schultz of Curryville. All are Republicans. No Democrats filed in the primary. Incumbent Republican State Rep. Jim Hansen of Frankford is retiring. The primary election is Aug. 4 (with the last day to register to vote July 8) and the general election is Nov. 3 (with the last day to register to vote Oct. 7).

Following is the procedure that will be used at the forums:

\*Candidates will be seated in ballot order. They will be given two minutes each to make opening statements,

## Mississippi Predicted To Raise Over Flood Stage In Clarksville

The National Weather Service out of St. Louis has issued a Mississippi River flood warning for Clarksville and Louisiana as of June 29th.

Due to recent and forecasted rainfall, the river is expected to rise above flood stage.

On Sunday, June 28 the level in Clarksville was reported at 24 feet. The flood stage is 25 feet and is expected to crest around 25.8 feet on

Wednesday, July 1.

According to the National Weather Service, the flooding won't last long this time around. The river is expected to fall below flood stage by Friday, July 3.

In Louisiana, the river was reported at 13.9 feet on Sunday with the flood stage at 15 feet. Its expected to crest at 15.3 feet by Tuesday (today) afternoon or evening.

The National Weather Service advises to never drive cars, trucks, or sport utility vehicles through flooded areas. The water may be too deep to allow for safe passage.

Readers can keep track of the National Weather Service's flood warning at <https://forecast.weather.gov>.

The People's Tribune will continue to monitor and report any changes.

## Big Fun Despite Rain For Annual Kaleo Dade Scholarship Tournaments

BY BRICE CHANDLER  
STAFF WRITER

Anyone craving some summertime baseball had the opportunity on Friday night and Saturday morning to watch some exciting game play for a good cause.

The weather was perfect on Friday evening as the opening day of the second annual Kaleo Dade Scholarship Softball Tournament got under way.

The 27-team, co-ed softball tournament took place at the ballfields at Bowling Green City Park as family and friends gathered to not only cheer on their favorite teams but also to catch up and enjoy each other's company.

Other teams gathered off field to warm up and check out the good-spirited competition which included some big hits to the outfield with big smiles and laughter from players and spectators alike.

Members of the Bowling Green's High School Football team ran the

concession stand while Eric and Shannon Niemeyer grilled food for the event. Other volunteers sold commemorative t-shirts to raise money for the scholarship.

The Sugar Shack also helped keep attendees cool with its assortment of flavored ice donating a portion of the proceeds towards the scholarship.

The Kaleo Dade Scholarship is awarded to one Bowling Green High School graduate, one Eastern Missouri (EMO) Conference graduate, and one graduate who attended Grant Elementary in Columbia.

Unfortunately, Saturday's games

were cut short due to scattered downpours. Wet conditions on the field completely cancelled Sunday's games leaving event organizer and Kaleo's mother, Tiffany Cole-Dade, busy with rescheduling a date for the tournament to resume.

Despite the disappointing rainout for the softball tournament, the 1st annual Kaleo Dade Scholarship Cornhole Tournament still took place on Sunday.

Nineteen teams relocated to the Pike County Fairgrounds to compete in the double elimination match up despite the heat and humidity.

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## 2020 Clopton Prom

Clopton High School held prom activities on Saturday, June 27 at Tievoli Hills Resort. Scott Frank and Alyssa Smith were crowned king and queen.

Trib photo by Brice Chandler

## The Butcher Of Ashley - Murder Drew National Attention To Pike County

By Brent Engel

The Butcher of Ashley, Part IV  
Editor's note: Following is the fourth part of a series by Pike County historian, journalist and public relations professional Brent Engel on the 1870 murder of Abbie Summers in Ashley.

Two weeks after the brutal murder of Abbie Summers at Ashley in June 1870, Ambrose Coe was indicted by a Pike County grand jury.

The man accused of stabbing to death the Watson Seminary music teacher, whom he said he loved and couldn't live without, quickly settled upon a strategy to save his neck.

"It is thought that the defense will try to prove that Coe was laboring under a fit of insanity at the time of committing the murder and, therefore, not responsible for the crime," The Quincy Daily Whig reported.

The Lincoln County Herald was blunt in its opinion. "The fashionable plea of insanity will be set up and justice will probably be defeated," it offered.

Publicity about the case forced a change of venue to Marion County,

where it was put on the February 1871 docket. Continuances pushed it to February 1872. Like many of its readers, the Clarksville Sentinel had grown weary of the delays.

The trial "will be had, if not continued for the forty-seventh time," the paper exaggerated. But Coe threw a wrench -- or, perhaps, a hacksaw -- into the plans.

Big Breakout - The accused murderer was among seven prisoners who broke out of the Marion County Jail at Palmyra on March 14, 1872.

More precisely, the evidence showed they were broken out.

"The escape was made through a window, the iron bars which protected the opening being sawed away from the outside," The Whig wrote.

The newspaper reported that "some of the locks were broken and others were unlocked with a key."

"It is supposed that the friends of Coe, who succeeded in postponing his trial, were instrumental in procuring his escape, and great indignation is felt," the Herald wrote.

Because there were no guards on duty, the jailbreak wasn't discovered

for more than seven hours, giving the scofflaws plenty of time to leave town.

"The affair attracted a great deal of attention during the day from the fact that almost every resident of Quincy and vicinity is acquainted with the details of the murder committed by Coe and have been anxious to see him meet the fate he so richly merits," The Whig reported.

Of the seven escapees, Coe's ransom was the highest at \$200 -- a little more than \$3,800 today.

The search had all the makings of a modern fugitive hunt. The Whig reported that a description was "telegraphed in every direction" and "several hundred photographs were printed."

The suspect was described as five feet, five inches tall and weighing 150 to 160 pounds, with grey eyes, light hair, a sandy moustache, chin whiskers and a light complexion.

Thanks to contributions from Summers' friends and other Illinois residents, the pot was soon upped to \$1,000. The Marion County sheriff was "making every exertion for the capture of Coe and the six other pris-

oners," the Whig wrote.

The taste of freedom lasted less than a week. Coe and three of the other six were caught near Montezuma on the Illinois River in Pike County. No one apparently was arrested for aiding in the jailbreak, and Coe wasn't talking.

Big Surprise - The defendant wore a plain wool suit to the opening of his trial on April 29, 1872, at the Marion County Courthouse in Palmyra.

But there was nothing simple about his defense team.

"The army of legal talent for the prisoner is remarkably strong," The Whig reported.

It featured former Northeast Missouri Congressman and Judge Thomas L. Anderson and his son, Rufus E. Anderson, who "like his father, is well versed in argument and eloquent in his argument," according to the newspaper.

They were joined by the elder Anderson's law partner, W.M. Boulware, whom The Whig said had a knack for "surprising his opponents when they least expect it."

They faced what the Palmyra Spec-

tator called "fearful odds" for being on the "unpopular side" in a case where "the whole community, yes, the whole country" was "infuriated against Coe."

The state was represented by Circuit Attorney M.L. Hollister of Hannibal, whom The Whig described as "a young man" who was "not remarkable as a speaker" but "is a hard worker."

Sitting next to Hollister were two men from Illinois, Adams County State's Attorney W.G. Ewing and George Fogg, along with advisor and Palmyra lawyer Edward McCabe.

Coe "looked perfectly at ease" as he was brought into the courtroom a little after 2 p.m., the Whig noted.

"He took a seat near his counsel, calmly surveyed the crowd and appeared to enjoy himself," the newspaper observed. "His countenance bore evidence of long confinement, but his appearance indicated that life in prison had agreed with him."

What happened next startled just about everyone.

Next time: A quarry for the judge.



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## Community Calendar...

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**On July 4:** Anniversary celebration at the Clarksville Library, 1-4 p.m. Ice cream by Riverview Restaurant to celebrate Independence Day and the anniversary of the library, dedicated in 1910.



Pictured is an area resident being tested to COVID-19 at the Pike County Fairgrounds Friday, June 19.

## COVID-19 Testing At Pike County Fairgrounds

On Friday, June 19 the Missouri Department of Health & Senior Services (DHSS) and Missouri National Guard teamed up to perform drive-through community testing for COVID-19 at the Pike County Fairgrounds from 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

The testing was open to all Missouri residents at no cost to the individual. The testing was also open to any Missouri resident who wanted to be tested with a nasal swab even if they did not have symptoms of COVID-19 to see if they had an active COVID-19 infection.

Around 25 military personnel mobilized with the Missouri National Guard's 70th Troop Command were on site for the COVID-19 testing.

Most of the personnel belonged with the 205th Military Police Battalion aided by several airmen from the Air Force's 131st Bomber Wing.

"We are grateful for the opportunity to partner with Missouri Department of Health & Senior Services and the Missouri National Guard on this event," said Rhonda Stumbaugh, Administrator. "It will help in the efforts to learn more about the prevalence of COVID-19 transmission in our area and we hope our community will consider choosing to take advantage of this opportunity."

While official numbers weren't available at press time, the soldiers per-

forming the testing felt Pike County had a strong showing with more than they had expected. The National Guard and Air Force Reserve members hailed from all parts of Missouri and have been mobilized for over a month.

There were 21 counties statewide conducting testing over a two-week period, beginning on June 8. DHSS has stated that the goal is to test 10,900 people over those two weeks.

According to DHSS, location selection for this period of community sampling is based on inadequate testing according to the number of confirmed cases and the number of total tests conducted prior to these events. Counties hosting upcoming community testing events are Scott, Platte, Stoddard, Carter, Ripley, Cass, Franklin, Johnson, Pettis, Lafayette, Ray, Warren, Carroll, Chariton, Lincoln, Lewis, Moniteau, Pike, Scotland, Montgomery and Osage.

Upon arrival at the testing site, individuals were screened with questions about symptoms they may or may not have. Afterwards, members of the National Guard collected the nasopharyngeal specimen.

Those who receive a positive test should stay home, isolate themselves and call their health care provider if they have any concerns.

## Vandalia Area Historical Society Meets

The Vandalia Area Historical Society held their regular monthly meeting on Saturday, May 16.

President Vicki Wright called the meeting to order for the four members present. The May minutes were approved as corrected and

the financial report was given.

Several projects were discussed including a museum scavenger hunt and a museum challenge search to be introduced on Saturday, July 4; possible murals on Main St. walls; updated Vandalia Centenarians; and celebrations for 150 year old Vandalia in 2024, 200 year old Missouri in 2021 and 250 year old USA in 2026.

A special exhibit of the life of Elenore Schewe was held at the museum on June 20-21. Schewe died June 14 at age 99.

Joy Davis is keeping the work schedule

for the museum. Organizations are asked to accept responsibility for various days throughout the museum season. Individuals are also welcome to volunteer. Contact Joy at 594-3222, text 573-473-6389, or email [rennie-davis@windstream.net](mailto:rennie-davis@windstream.net). The museum is open on weekends from 12-4 or by appointment with Vicki Wright.

Those attending the meeting were Vicki Wright, Joy Davis, Teresa Wenzel and Ann Kohl. The next meeting is Saturday, July 18, 9 a.m., at the genealogy room on Main Street. Residents are welcome to attend.

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## LHS Top Shot Award

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COMMUNITY NEWS



Ricardo Gibson

Gibson Arrested For Unlawful Use Of A Weapon

On Saturday, June 13 Vandalia police officers were dispatched to the 1400 block of W. Hwy. 54 for a report of domestic violence with a male displaying a firearm.

Upon making contact with the individual the it was determined no domestic issue had occurred but a crime had been committed.

The suspect identified as Ricardo Gibson, 31, Vandalia was taken into custody and transported to the Vandalia Police Department for processing.

Gibson was released on summons for unlawful use of a weapon and peace disturbance, with an Audrain County court date.

All subjects are presumed innocent until proven guilty.



Brittany Tobias

Tobias Faces Two Drug Charges

On Saturday, June 27 Vandalia police officers conducted a search warrant 200 block of Gaslight Road.

Officers made contact with a subject identified as Brittany Tobias, 32, of Vandalia.

A search of the residence resulted in drug paraphernalia being located. Tobias was taken into custody and transported to the Vandalia Police Department where she as processed and later released with a summon to appear in Audrain County Court.

Tobias was charged with unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia amphetamine/methamphetamine, Possession of Marijuana/Synthetic Cannabinoid of 10 grams or less.

All subjects are presumed innocent until proven guilty.



Intermediate Champion Heifer

WB PVF Lucy 9188 SWSN won intermediate champion heifer at the 2020 Missouri Angus Association Preview Show, Sunday, June 14 in Sedalia. Alexis Koelling, Curryville owns the winning heifer.

Photo by Adam Conover, American Angus Association

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# OBITUARIES



## Alice Joyce Owens

Alice "Joyce Owens" went home to be with Jesus on April 30, 2020. She died peacefully from natural causes at Maple Lawn Nursing home in Palmyra. She was born June 4, 1934.

A Celebration of Life service was held for immediate family and close friends at 11 a.m., Saturday at the United Pentecostal Church in Palmyra.

Joyce was the second of five children, and daughter to Thomas and Florence Evering Grimes of Eolia. After graduating from Clopton High School, she began working in St. Louis until she married.

Joyce used to joke about the fact that she had received 10 plus marriage proposals before meeting the one that would steal her heart. His dedication to his faith and beliefs is what reeled her in. She was married to Roy H. Owens on Sept. 7, 1957 at the Christian Church in Eolia. They lived a military life from the start with Roy enlisted with the United States Air Force. They had five children that were part of that journey until Roy retired 20 years later. They returned to a small Catholic community where they continued to raise their children to adulthood.

Joyce was a dedicated mother and a fierce prayer warrior for her children and grandchildren. Her greatest desire was to have a home that would accommodate all of her children and their families for life. Although that did not happen on this earth, it is a desire that will come to be in eternity one day.

She had a knack for making every child and grandchild feel as if they were her favorite. Because of medication that she took the last 30 years of her life, she was not able to speak loudly. Oddly, what she did say made an impressive and lasting impression on all who were around her. She believed strongly in unconditional love. She showed that by not participating in gossip and being humble in every way. When her family spoke to her, she was not as impressed with their accomplishments but concerned with the condition of their hearts. She loved her family with a fierce love, but there was no contending that Jesus was the one she sought most.

Joyce is survived by children, Kenny Owens, Hannibal, Patricia Butters, Rockport, Texas, and Dianna Owens, Palmyra; 17 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren. Also, a brother Leslie Grimes and wife, Bonnie of O'Fallon; and sisters-in-law, Fran Grimes of Eolia, and Mary Owens, St. Louis; and brother-in-law, Tom Owens, Bowling Green; as well as many nieces and nephews.

Joyce was preceded in death by

by her husband, Roy H. Owens in 2017; two sons, Roy Owens, Jr., and Ronald Owens; two brothers, Tom Grimes, and Jim Grimes and a sister, Sandi Hurd.



## Mary Catherine Reynolds

Mary Catherine Reynolds, 56, of Vandalia died Sunday, June 21, 2020, at Boone Hospital Center in Columbia.

Funeral services were at noon Friday at Waters Funeral Home. Brother Kenny Haddock officiated.

Visitation celebrating the life of Mary Catherine Reynolds was from 11 a.m., until the time of service Friday at the funeral home.

Mary was born Aug. 19, 1963, in Hannibal, the daughter of Charles and Mary Perkins Marshall. She was united in marriage to Michael Reynolds on June 2, 1985 in Vandalia. He survives of the home.

Survivors include her husband, Michael Reynolds; one son, Trey Allen Reynolds of Mexico; four sisters, Shelia Greene and husband, Ronald of Vandalia, Donna Johnson of Vandalia, Frances Hendricks and husband, Donnie of Bowling Green, and Lisa Memba of Vandalia; three brothers, Charles Marshall and wife, Deedee of Frankford, Roger Marshall and wife, Mary Jane of New London, and Richard Marshall and wife, Beth of Hannibal; one grandson, Remy Reynolds-Hooker of Mexico; an aunt, Fannie Griffin of Hannibal; and many more nieces, nephews, great-nieces and nephews, and tons of loved friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one brother, Walter Marshall; and two nieces, Destiny Greene and Ashley Hendricks.

Mary graduated from Mark Twain High School in Center. She worked at Cerf Brothers Bag Company in New London before moving to Vandalia and working at Tri-County Care Center where she was loved by so many.

She was a member of Faith Tabernacle Church of God In Christ in Vandalia.

Mary loved fishing and being outdoors. She was known for making people smile, laugh and being the life of the party. Mary loved everyone and always had a way of brightening your day.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Waters Funeral Home to assist the family with the funeral or to the American Kidney Fund 11921 Rockville Pike, Suite 300, Rockville, MD, 20852, c/o Waters Funeral Home.

Online condolences may be made to the family and video tribute viewed on Mary's memorial page at [www.watersfuneral.com](http://www.watersfuneral.com).



## William 'Bill' Clyde White

William "Bill" Clyde White, 63, of New London died Wednesday, June 24, 2020, at his home.

Funeral services were at 4 p.m., Monday at James O'Donnell Funeral Home in Hannibal. Pastor Dale Cochran officiated.

Friends and family were invited to Bill's life celebration at a visitation from 3-4 p.m., Monday at the funeral home.

Burial will be at 1 p.m., Wednesday at Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Hannibal.

Bill was born Nov. 26, 1956, in Pontiac, Mich., to C.C. and Patsy K. Foster White. He was married to Catherine R. "Cathy" Shobe on Dec. 28, 1990 in Hannibal. She survives.

Other survivors include five children, Justin White of Hannibal, Josh White of Quincy, Ill., Russell Tobias of Hannibal, Andrew Tobias of St. Louis, and Amber White of Bowling Green; two brothers, Eric White and wife, Gail of Hannibal, and Richard White of Hannibal; and a sister, Lori Embree and husband, Alan of Hannibal. He is also survived by several grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Bill was preceded in death by his parents, his mother-in-law, Janet A. Shobe; and one sister-in-law, Ruth White.

Professionally Bill worked as a supervisor for Balfour Beatty Infrastructure Inc.

Away from work Bill loved to travel with his wife, Cathy. Trips to Hawaii, Virginia Beach and Austin, Texas were some of Bill's favorites. Golfing, fishing and simply enjoying time with family were activities Bill enjoyed.

A wonderful cook, Bill often enjoyed cooking for company gatherings and always prepared the most delicious brisket each Christmas for family. A lover of history of all eras, Bill especially liked to explore historical sites of early American and Civil War history.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Ruth Jensen Village in Bowling Green, MO.

Online condolences may be shared and video tribute may be viewed at [www.JamesODonnellFuneralHome.com](http://www.JamesODonnellFuneralHome.com)

## Sandra Sue Gay

Sandra Sue Gay, 68, of Farber died at her residence on Friday, June 26, 2020.

A Celebration of Life will be planned at a later date.

Sue was born in Vandalia on Sept. 4, 1951, the daughter of Floyd "Sonny" and Carrie "Dolly" Jenkins Welch. She married Jesse "J.D." Daniel Gay on Oct. 26, 1974 in Bowling Green.

Survivors include two sons, Jeff Gay and wife, Brandie, and Brent Gay, both of Farber; a step-daughter, Tammy Pringle and husband, Teddy of Dadeville; three daughters, Amy

Mackintosh and husband, Chris Jensen of Stafford, Va., Robyn Lovelace and husband, Brian, and Kristen Greenplate, both of Farber; stepmother, Jenny Beutler of Watson; three brothers, Butch Welch and wife, Lori of Donnellson Iowa, Bobby Welch and wife, Belinda of O'Fallon, and Bruce Welch of Vandalia; two sisters, Ruth Ann Bruce of Osawatomie, Kan., and Jennifer Welch of Watson; nine grandchildren, Kayla and Rachel Myers, Liam Mackintosh, Jarret and Josie Lovelace, Tyler Leith, Jace and Dalana Gay, and Gavin Greenplate; and two great-grandchildren, Skylar Prather and Sophia Leith.

She was preceded in death by husband, J.D., and sisters, Judy, in infancy, and Lillian Frazier.

Sue was a lifetime area resident, and 1969 graduate of Van-Far High School. She worked most her life in the garment industry. She enjoyed reading, cooking, and spending time with her friends and family.

Memorial contributions can be made to Ellis Fischel Cancer Center.



## Gertrude 'Trudy' Catherine Holman

Gertrude (Trudy) Catherine Holman, 85, of Silex died Sunday, June 21, 2020 at Chestnut Terrace in St.

Peters.

Funeral services were Friday at 10 a.m., at St. Alphonsus Catholic Church in Millwood with Fr. Tichacek officiating.

Visitation was from 5-7 p.m., Thursday at Bibb-Veach in Silex.

Trudy was born June 28, 1934 to George Joseph Sr. and Gertrude Catherine Beyert Boden in Robertson. She was joined in marriage to Monroe A. Holman. He preceded her in death.

Trudy was born in St. Louis County, and lived in Bridgeton in the 1960s. In the 1970s, Trudy moved to Silex where she lived until going to assisted living. Trudy taught public school religion. She was also a secretary at Pattonville High School and served as the deputy county clerk in Troy.

She loved to travel with her husband, and they had been to almost every state. She also enjoyed camping, quilting, canning, and gardening. She loved spending time with family and was known as quite the prankster. She loved looking through cook books and trying new recipes. Trudy cared for her sister, Anita, until the time of her death.

Trudy is survived by step-daughters, Sandra Jugan and Marilyn Waite; step-grandchildren, Michelle Wahl, Jeff Jugan, Michael Jugan, Patty Holman-Yoss, Douglas Holman, Christy Holman Long, Rob Waite, and Brian Waite; several step-great-grandchildren; a niece, Michelle Kientzy; and a nephew, Richard J. Boden.

She was preceded in death by her husband, step-son, Max Holman, brother, George J. Boden, Jr., and sister, Anita Naumann.

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**GARAGE SALE** - Thursday, 8-?, 104 Hillcrest Dr., B.G. Clothes, antiques & more.

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Submit a bid by July 13, 2020. If employed, the job could lead to more hours of work for the water/sewer department.

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**THE CITY OF FARBER**

Is accepting applications until Oct. 12, 2020 for the combined position of City Clerk and City Collector. position will start training on Nov 2, 2020.

The City Clerk is responsible for keeping the city records and processing daily business, such as board meetings, budgets, payroll, accounts payable, etc.

The City Collector is responsible for the billing of water, sewer and trash, receiving and depositing of the city's monies.

This position is part-time, Monday, Wednesday and Friday afternoons and holds a great deal of responsibility. Applicants must be self-motivated, able to work in a minimally supervised situation, computer literate with Excel and Word and work well in a public setting.

For more info, ask questions or obtain an application, contact Marie at City Hall.  
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**Announcing The New Pike County On-Site Sewage Disposal System Ordinance 2020 A & B for Pike County, Missouri**

The Pike County Health Department has enacted an updated On-site Wastewater Treatment System (OWTS) ordinance to begin on July 1, 2020. A few changes were made to better protect our citizens and the environment. As of July 1, 2020 any property owner, residential or commercial, wishing to install OWTS must have a permit and inspection through the Health Department, regardless of property size. The bond requirement for installers has been increased. For the order and full ordinance visit our website <https://pikecountyhealth.org/public-health/sewage-septic-system-information/>. A physical copy can be found at the County Clerk's Office, or the Health Department.

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# COMMUNITY NEWS

## MDC Reminds People To Celebrate Safely

### *Be Careful With Fireworks, Campfires*

As people celebrate this summer, the Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) reminds everyone to be careful with fireworks, campfires, and other sources of fire that could cause a wildfire.

**FIREWORKS:** Don't light fireworks in any areas where the sparks could ignite dry grass, leaves, or other potential fire fuel. Always have an approved fire extinguisher and an available water supply to douse sparks or flames. Wet the area around where fireworks are being discharged. Check with local ordinances and authorities for bans on fireworks and open burning.

**OUTDOOR BURNING:** Don't burn during wrong conditions. Dry grass, high temperatures, low humidity, and wind make fire nearly impossible to control. Check with local fire departments regarding burn bans that may be in place. A person who starts a fire for any reason is responsible for any damage it may cause.

**DRIVING OFF ROAD:** Wildfires can start when dry fuel, such as grass, comes in contact with catalytic converters. Think twice before driving into and across a grassy field. Never park over tall, dry grass or piles of leaves that can touch the underside of a vehicle. When driving vehicles off road, regularly inspect the undercarriage to ensure that fuel and brake lines are intact and no oil leaks are apparent. Always carry an approved fire extinguisher on vehicles that are used off road. Check for the presence of spark arresters on ATV exhausts.

**MAKING A CAMPFIRE:** Clear a generous zone around fire rings. Store unused firewood a good distance from a campfire. Never use gasoline, kerosene, or other flammable liquid to start a fire. Keep campfires small and controllable. Keep fire-extinguishing materials, such as a rake, shovel, and bucket of water, close. Extinguish campfires each night and before leaving camp, even

if it's just for a few moments.

**CALL FOR HELP:** Call 911 at the first sign of a fire getting out of control.

**REPORT FOREST ARSON:** Wildfires are sometimes set by vandals. Help stop arson by calling 800-392-1111 and reporting any potential arson activities. Callers will remain anonymous and rewards are possible.

**PRESCRIBED FIRE:** Fire used in the wrong way can create disasters. Used in the right way, fire can help create habitat for wildlife. For more information on using prescribed fire as a land-management tool, visit [mdc.mo.gov/prescribed-fire](http://mdc.mo.gov/prescribed-fire).

MDC reminds the public that it is still critical to continue to heed all recommendations for physical distancing, avoiding overcrowding, handwashing, and other COVID-19 public-health measures during outdoor activities.

## Join MDC Webcast July 1 To Learn About

### Attracting Backyard Wildlife

Interested in attracting birds, bees, and other wildlife to your backyard? The Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) invites the public to join its free live Wild Webcast on Attracting Backyard Wildlife on Wednesday, July 1, at noon.

MDC Urban Wildlife Biologist Erin Shank of Powder Valley Conservation Nature Center will explain the basics of creating backyard wildlife habitat; the importance of native plants and insects for pollination, wildlife food, and other benefits;

planning and designing native plantings; attracting birds; supporting pollinators such as butterflies and bees; and more.

Register in advance for the free live MDC Wild Webcast on Attracting Backyard Wildlife at [short.mdc.mo.gov/Zht](http://short.mdc.mo.gov/Zht) and then join the webcast live on July 1 at noon.

Learn more about property improvements to attract wildlife from MDC at [mdc.mo.gov/property/improve-my-property/wildlife-management](http://mdc.mo.gov/property/improve-my-property/wildlife-management).

## Apply Online For MDC Managed Deer Hunts

### *Take A Shot At More Than 100 Managed Deer Hunts*

Beginning July 1, deer hunters can apply online through the Missouri Department of Conservation's (MDC) website for a shot at more than 100 managed deer hunts throughout the state for archery, muzzleloading, and modern firearms from mid-September through mid-January at conservation areas, state and other parks, national wildlife refuges, and other public areas. Some managed hunts are held specifically for youth or for people with disabilities.

The managed deer hunt application period is July 1 - 31. Hunters are selected by a weighted random drawing. Draw results will be avail-

able Aug. 15 through Jan. 15. Applicants who are drawn will receive area maps and other hunt information by mail.

Get more information on managed deer hunts, preview hunt details, and apply starting July 1 at [mdc.mo.gov/managedhunt](http://mdc.mo.gov/managedhunt).

Details about managed hunts can also be found in MDC's "2020 Fall Deer & Turkey Hunting Regulations and Information" booklet available starting in early July at MDC offices and nature centers, from permit vendors around the state, and online at [mdc.mo.gov](http://mdc.mo.gov).

## MO State Parks Announces 12-Month Camping Reservation Window

Missouri State Parks, a division of the Department of Natural Resources, has announced an expanded reservation window for campgrounds, increasing from a six-month period to a 12-month period.

Beginning at 7 a.m., CST on Tuesday, June 30, campers can reserve a campsite at Missouri State Parks one year prior to arrival date to better allow for planning for visitors and staff. Reservations are required at most campgrounds and park-run lodging prior to arrival, and can be made up until 7 p.m. CST the day before arrival. Campers are encouraged to make reservations online at [www.icampmo.com](http://www.icampmo.com).

"The one-year camping reservation window will better allow large groups traveling together to book in advance," said Mike Sutherland, Missouri State Parks director. "As of Tuesday, June 30, all campers, such as the anglers who camp at the trout parks year after year, can begin making their reservations for the 2021 season."

Missouri State Parks has instituted a number of changes related to campground operations to better fa-

cilitate appropriate social distancing and improve the safety of operations for Missouri State Parks' guests and staff.

The additional measures include the following:

- Reservations are required prior to arrival.
- Campground occupancy may be limited at some parks and sites.
- Missouri State Parks has increased the frequency of cleaning shower houses and restrooms.
- Campers may use a new contactless, self-check-in feature.
- There are occupancy restrictions in shower houses and restrooms.
- Missouri State Parks only accept credit and debit cards.

One of the changes visitors will experience is a new contactless, self-check-in feature. On the morning of their planned arrival to a state park or historic site, campers will receive an email with instructions on how to access their reservation online and check in. Alternatively upon arrival, campers can check in by opening the camera on their smartphone device and hovering over the QR code posted at the campsite, and follow-

ing the prompt.

Come prepared to enjoy the outdoors responsibly. Visitors are strongly encouraged to follow social distancing guidelines, bring hand sanitizer and bottled water, and please stay home if you are sick. Missouri State Parks recommends reviewing signage posted throughout the parks and state historic sites, and diligently following guidelines for the health and safety of others.

Visit [mostateparks.com](http://mostateparks.com) to find a park close to home and to check for individual park advisories before heading to the park. If you have questions regarding Missouri State Parks, please contact us at [moparks@dnr.mo.gov](mailto:moparks@dnr.mo.gov). Missouri State Parks is a division of the Missouri Department of Natural Resources.

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# COMMUNITY NEWS

## From The Mayor's Desk...

The once a decade 2020 Census is more than ahead count. It affects your representation in government at all levels. It determines how much finding our community receives and helps in determining where to build new businesses, highways systems, and infrastructures. It also dictates how congressional seats are appointed and helps in planning for the future. The questions are easy to answer and are not invading of privacy.

Kudos go out to Carla Potts at Northeast Community Action Corp. for her outstanding contribution to our City and County over the years. NECAC, Carla, and her staff offer so many beneficial programs which range from Home Ownership Education and Counseling to Financial Fitness and USDA Housing Repair Grants to mention a few. Carla and NECAC are developing a program



**JIM ARICO, MAYOR**  
CITY OF BOWLING GREEN

where they will be bringing in Union Trade teachers to educate men incarcerated to build a house in Bowling Green. This is a win-win for the rehabilitation of men and new housing for Bowling Green. If you would like to donate to this program, please contact [jarico@bowlinggreen-mo.gov](mailto:jarico@bowlinggreen-mo.gov) and I will pass it on to Carla.

Congratulations also to Bowling Green Dollar Tree, Mary Vallie, and her staff for being a "Top Gun" store. This means they were the Number One Store above many other Dollar Trees

For your information: Court Street will be the next Alliance street project coming up soon. It has been explained that using peat rock and then good oil preserves the asphalt like a sealer preserves the asphalt of a driveway. This process lengthens the life of the asphalt street.



## 2020 Clopton Prom Court

Clopton High School held prom on Saturday, June 27 at Tievoli Hills Resort. Pictured, from left, is the court: Shawn Yates, Alyssa Smith, Dylan Smith, Madisyn Paris, Jared Hoehn, Ashlyn Hunter, Scott Frank, and Olivia Brune.

Trib photo by Brice Chandler

## NECAC Energy Assistance Benefits Doubled

A summer energy assistance program administered by the not-for-profit North East Community Action Corporation (NECAC) has received additional funding that allows it to double the amount of help available. The Missouri Department of Social Services announced an additional \$15 million for the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP). The funding doubles the maximum benefit to \$600 per income-qualifying household.

"We welcome these dollars and are glad to see that the benefit has now been increased," said NECAC County Services Programs Director Linda Fritz. "We urge people to call us and request an application if they have not already applied for energy

assistance."

To qualify, applicants must have a household income of 135 percent or less of the federal poverty level – a monthly income of \$2,400 for a family of three or \$2,897 for a family of four – and have less than \$3,000 in a bank account. The person must be the one responsible for the bill. A utility shut-off notice is not required. The program ends Sept. 30.

NECAC also continues to take applications for the summer portion of the Energy Crisis Intervention Program (ECIP). It pays overdue electricity bills of up to \$600 for income-qualifying households.

"ECIP participants must have received a utility shut-off notice for electric service or have terminated

services," said NECAC Supervisor Angela Kattenbraker. "If they received assistance from the winter portion of the program through NECAC and did not move, all that will be needed is the shut-off notice. Those who are new to the program, have received LIHEAP but moved, and those who did not participate in the winter portion must complete an application for assistance."

In 2019, NECAC assisted 2,922 households in its 12-county service area, up from 2,356 the previous year.

People may sign up or request more information by calling or visiting the NECAC Pike County Service Center, 805 Bus. Hwy. 61 North in Bowling Green, at 573-324-2207.



## Hulls Celebrate 25 Years

Eddie and Theresa Hull of Vandalia celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on Sunday, June 7 with immediate family present. They were surprised with a traditional anniversary cake. A barbecue was also held to honor Joan Hefner of Curryville, Jeremy Hefner of Holts Summit for their birthday and Father's Day. Those present were Ed and Joan Hefner of Curryville, Jeremy Hefner, Holts Summit, and Alex James of Vandalia.

## FORUMS

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given two minutes each to summarize their campaigns.

\*Candidates may not ask direct questions of each other and are requested not to submit questions of their own.

\*Candidates are encouraged to bring supporters, who certainly may wear endorsement clothing, pins or hats. However, no political signs or banners will be allowed inside the

building. The audience will be asked to hold its applause until the end.

Following are general rules not mentioned above:

\*Questions of a libelous or lascivious nature will not be considered.

\*Candidates are asked in their summaries to state their intentions if elected and avoid personal attacks against opponents.

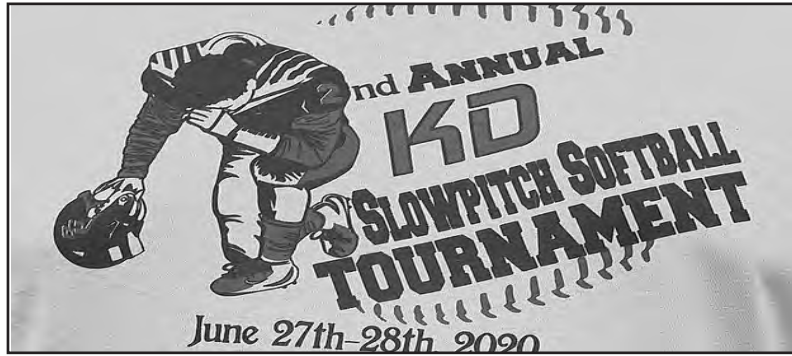
\*Due to the short time period allowed for questions, some inquiries may not be answered, but candidates will be assured of having a chance to answer each asked question.



Pictured is Kelly Borchert of Bowling Green coming in from left field to make a catch Saturday, June 27 during the Annual Kaleo Dade Scholarship Softball Tournament



Tom Roth of Vandalia makes a play Saturday, June 27 at the annual Kaleo Dade Scholarship Tournament.



## DADE

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The team of Ken Jones and Adam Brower took first place. Greg Branstetter and Matt Boehlein (the event's co-organizer) took second, and third went to Murphy and Brinkley.

Even in the face of adversity,

Tiffany was thrilled with the event's growth. "Last year we had 14 softball teams, this year we had 27," she told The People's Tribune on Sunday, June 28. "We had teams from Columbia, St. Charles, and Jacksonville, Illinois traveling to participate."

She continued by thanking all those who helped support the event and keeping Kaleo's legacy alive.



Early morning rain, heat, and humidity on Sunday couldn't stop the First Annual Kaleo Dade Scholarship Cornhole Tournament. After relocating to the Pike County Fairgrounds, 19 teams threw down – or rather threw bags – in the entertaining and fun competition to raise money for the Kaleo Dade Scholarship. Pictured, front row (l-r): Greg Branstetter and Matt Boehlein. Second row: Ken Jones, Tiffany Coleman-Dade, and Adam Brower.

## Electrical Work On Champ Clark Bridge

Weather permitting, the week of June 29, Meyers Electric, Inc. will be performing electrical work on the Champ Clark Bridge located on U.S. Route 54 at Louisiana. This work will require the closure of one shoulder only in order to place wiring for additional navigational lighting, which will be installed at a later date.

Motorists will need to use caution when traveling through the work zone during these times. This work is weather dependent and could be rescheduled or delayed. Work zones are active throughout the state. As

## Quincy University Spring Dean's List

Quincy University released its dean's list for the spring 2020 semester.

Honorees must earn a semester grade point average of at least 3.5 (on a 4.0 scale) to be included in the biannual dean's list. In total, 439 students received the honor during the spring 2020 semester.

Area students named to the dean's list include: Mariena Tipton, Frankford; and Josh Hodde and Jayle Jennings of Vandalia.

## Offender Death

On Tuesday, June 23, 2020, offender Juan Casas #162240 was pronounced dead at the Northeast Correctional Center.

Casas was a 60-year-old male serving a life sentence for two counts rape, first-degree burglary, first-degree assault, armed criminal action, first-degree robbery and unlawful use of a weapon from St. Louis city.

He was received in the Missouri Department of Corrections on Oct. 22, 1987.

Casas died of apparent natural causes.

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### INVITATION TO BID

The Pike County R-III (Clopton) School District is accepting bids to furnish the following items for the 2020-2021 school year: **DAIRY, BAKERY, GROCERY, AND DISHWASHER SUPPLIES.**

Itemized lists may be obtained through the Superintendent's office.

Bids are due in the Superintendent's office by 9 a.m., Friday, July 24. Faxed or email bids are acceptable. Any questions should be directed Mark Harvey, Superintendent, and Jill Reid, Food Service Manager. Please confirm your final bid has been received before the deadline.

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# Have A Safe & Happy July 4!

## PLEASE FOLLOW BASIC SAFETY PRACTICES TO ENSURE A HAPPY FOURTH OF JULY HOLIDAY!

- Purchase fireworks only from a properly licensed retailer.
- Always wear eye protection and earplugs if you have sensitive ears.
- Tie back long hair and don't wear loose-fitting clothes.
- Only light one firework at a time.
- Never try to relight fireworks.
- Never have any part of your body over fireworks.
- Keep young children away from fireworks.
- Never throw or point fireworks at other people.
- Never carry fireworks in your pocket.
- Make sure to have water nearby in case of a fire or an accident.
- Dispose of fireworks by soaking them in water and leaving them in a trash can.
- Never light fireworks indoors.
- Don't use fireworks while consuming alcohol. Use a "designated shooter."
- Store fireworks in a cool, dry place. Don't save fireworks from season to season.



*Anyone with concerns about fireworks dealers or the types of fireworks being sold by a dealer should call the State Fire Marshal's Office at 573-751-2930*

  
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