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BOWLING GREEN & CLOPTON ARE DISTRICT CHAMPS

State Sectional Games To Be Held On Wednesday



Bowling Green pitcher Sarah Harness leaps into the arms of catcher Gabi Deters as the Lady Cats won the Class 2 District 6 championship with a 7-0 win over Wright City. Harness threw two no-hitters and Deters had three big home runs in the tournament games. The team will face Metro in the State Sectional on Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. Find more on page 9 and all postseason games in the TribCAST archive along with free, downloadable photos online at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by Jerry Hickerson



Clopton seniors Taylor Smith, Maya Street and McCaylee McPike raise the Class 1 District 7 championship plaque as they join their teammates to celebrate following a 5-3 win over Van-Far (2) on Friday, Oct. 6. The Lady Hawks will host Northeast Cairo in the State Sectional at 5 p.m. on Wednesday. Find more on pages 9-12 and all postseason games in the TribCAST archive along with photos at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by Nancy Case

Clarksville Church Dinner Will Benefit Stained Glass Project

Patience, perseverance and a lot of prayer – oh, and some righteously succulent fried chicken. Those are the ingredients in Clarksville United Methodist Church's Save Our Stained Glass Windows campaign, which has reached its halfway point. The congregation is mixing up

more mouthwatering yumminess for its annual Applefest Chicken Dinner from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14. Tickets are \$10 each and will be available at the door. The price has not changed since the first dinner in 2014.

"Once again, it's a privilege to See PROJECT on page 8

Louisiana Officials Consider Settlement In Discrimination Case By Former Officer

Mayor Discusses Insufficiencies In Current State Law For Discrimination Claims

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The Louisiana City Council discussed a settlement in closed session on Monday to end a discrimination case that was brought forth by a former officer with the city's police department.

Lorne Jackman claimed he was a victim of age and race discrimination when he was fired by the city. A claim that Mayor Bart Niedner vehemently denies. The case went to mediation and a settlement has been proposed. The council discussed that matter in closed session on Monday.

Niedner explained there have been four former employees who have made claims against the city. Two more cases will enter mediation later this week. They were filed by Robert Jenne, the city's former administrator/interim police chief, and by Sharon Kakouris, the city's former clerk. Jenne and Kakouris both claim they were discriminated against on the basis of age. Kakouris also claims gender discrimination.

Another former employee, Stacy Bowerman who served for eight months as the city's economic development director, also

has a claim of age discrimination pending against the city.

Niedner says he absolutely denies all of the charges. He adds that state law has made claims like this easy to make.

Niedner told *The People's Tribune* in an interview on Monday that he is limited in what he can discuss with cases pending, but will shed more light on them in the future.

"It is really important the public understand what has happened," he remarked. "It is of grave concern to me."

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County Market Will Close Tonight; Reopen In December As Save-A-Lot

County Market Pharmacy To Remain Open Throughout Renovation

It was announced last week that County Market grocery store on Business Highway 61 in Bowling Green will close its doors at 6 p.m. tonight (Tuesday, Oct. 10) to prepare for a transformation and reopening as Save-A-Lot.

Employees at County Market were informed of the decision in a meeting on Thursday, Oct. 5 by officials with Niemann Foods, Inc., who own the location. The store will undergo a large transformation in the months to follow before the December reopening.

Officials informed employees there will be new products offered and there will be a renovation of the actual structure.

During the transformation, the County Market Pharmacy will remain open. The doors will be available to walk-in service and

there will still be drive-up services available throughout the time.

Employees will continue to have jobs either by transferring to

another County Market location or with the new Save-A-Lot discount store that opens.

See STORE on page 4



The County Market grocery store on Business Highway 61 will see another transformation soon as the doors will close tonight at 6 p.m. The store will undergo a renovation and reopen as discount store Save-A-Lot with new signage and new products in December. Throughout the process, the County Market pharmacy will not close. The pharmacy doors will remain open for walk-in and drive-up service. Trib photo by Jerry Hickerson

Pike County Commission Changes Tune On Future Of Annex Buildings

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It now appears the Pike County Courthouse Annex, located on Main Street in Bowling Green, will remain intact and will even undergo improvements rather than portions of it being taken down along with the three-story building on the corner next to it.

There has been confusion over

the future of all the buildings as both the city and the county look at possible solutions. The three-story brick building at the corner of Main and Court Streets is no longer functional. According to the engineer's report, the structure can not be saved. The building is owned by Gary Rahmeyer but since he has been unwilling to make necessary improvements,

the city is now saddled with the possibility of taking it down to protect public safety.

The county's annex is actually three buildings, one that shares a wall with the Rahmeyer property. The building has flaws, but still functions and houses the Pike County Development Authority (PCDA) and a lot of records.

See BUILDINGS on page 4

Clopton Alumni Association Plans 18th Annual Banquet

The Clopton Alumni Association will be having their 18th annual banquet on Saturday, Oct. 14 at the Dale Miller Gymnasium at Clopton High School.

Doors will open at 5 p.m., for

pre-dinner visiting. Snacks and soft drinks will be available until 6 p.m. Dinner will be served at 6:30 p.m.

Tickets will be \$25 at the door. If you have not already reserved your meal please call Joann

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Honored classes will be the Class of 1967 celebrating its 50th See BANQUET on page 8

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On Oct. 11: The Louisiana Bicentennial Committee will meet at 6 p.m. at the American Legion on Kelly Lane. A representative from Massman Construction will be in attendance to discuss Riverfront Park access/use during our event. We'll also be making final plans for our booth during Colorfest. Everyone invited to attend.

On Oct. 14: Clarksville United Methodist Church will participate in Applefest and serve a fried chicken dinner (2 pieces of chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, hot rolls, home-made dessert and drink) from 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Located at the four way stop in Clarksville at Highway 79 and Howard Street. Carry-outs available.

On Oct. 15: Turkey shoot, Ashburn Fire Department, noon. Rain or shine. Shells furnished. Meat prizes. All proceeds to help fire department purchase equipment.

On Oct. 16: The Pike-Lin Quilters will meet at 10 a.m. at the Mary Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Program will be a demo of flying geese and sew-on borders. Lunch will be served. Workers are needed for the quilt booth at the Apple Shed on Oct. 14 and 15. Call Todd to sign up.

On Oct. 24: Bowling Green High School Choirs and the Middle School Select Choir will be having their annual Fall Vocal Music Concert at 7 p.m., in the High School auditorium.

On Nov. 9: The Louisiana Area Historical Museum in Louisiana will be holding its Annual Fall Dinner at 6 p.m. at the American Legion Post #370 in Louisiana. The program will feature Lisa Marks, "Molly Brown from Hannibal, Missouri: Her Life in the Gilded Age." Tickets are available from Museum Board members, at the Louisiana Public Library, or by calling 574-5697.

Pike Pioneer Menu

Monday, Oct. 16 - Hamburger, baked beans, slaw, dessert.

Tuesday, Oct. 17 - Beef stew, lima beans, fruit salad, dessert.

Wednesday, Oct. 18 - Chicken breast, wild rice, broccoli, dessert.

Thursday, Oct. 19 - Closed.

Friday, Oct. 20 - Barbecued ribs, Texas potatoes, beets, dessert.

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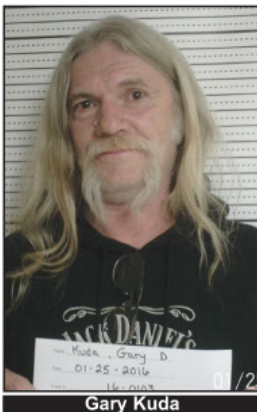
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COMMUNITY NEWS



Gary Kuda

Kuda Facing Charges For Domestic Assault

Gary Kuda, 59, of Vandalia was arrested on Sunday, Oct. 8, 2017. Kuda was later released on summons for domestic assault fourth degree and given a date to appear in Vandalia Municipal Court.

Individuals arrested or issued summons are presumed innocent until proven guilty.



Kevin Jennings

Jennings Arrested For Driving While Revoked

Kevin Jennings, 35, of Frankford was arrested on Monday, Oct. 2 on charges of driving while suspended/revoked.

Jennings was later released on summons for driving while revoked and expired plates and given a date to appear in Vandalia Municipal Court.

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COMMUNITY NEWS

SETTLEMENT

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Niedner said that right now the way the law stands, a member of a protected class can make a claim with very little to no risk. The city's insurance company must defend the city and in most cases looks for the most financially advantageous solution. So, if a case can be settled for less than the cost of defense in a court case, the insurance company will likely recommend settlement.

Niedner noted the cost of defense for a case such as the ones on the table are around \$50,000 each. And if the city should decide to go ahead with a court case, the city would then become liable for any amounts above the settlement that was proposed rather than the city's insurance.

Niedner further pointed out that Missouri has some of the weakest protections against spurious claims.

"It's a legal system gone mad. There are openings for abuse. It erodes the ability of the law to

protect those the laws are designed to protect," he said. "All these cases aside, this is infuriating."

Niedner said the state is currently considering legislation that will bring closure to some of those lax areas. It should bring the state up to the standards of the federal government and other states. He added the new legislation will also limit who can be named individually in suits and changes the threshold from "contributing factor(s)" of dismissal to "causal factor(s)".

They mayor pointed out that if the state were not pursuing this new legislation the city would likely be handling the claims by the four former employees differently.

Niedner noted that he could not discuss the circumstances surrounding the dismissals of Jackman, Jenne, Kakouris and Bowerman at this time. He added that once decisions have been made he will issue a statement to clarify the matters.

The city has 72-hours to make public any decision made in closed session.

STORE

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The County Market locations in Louisiana and Vandalia will not be affected by the decision in Bowling Green.

When the store reopens there will no longer be a deli and bakery or the courtesy counter. The store will offer the line of prod-

ucts consistent with other Save-A-Lot stores.

Niemann Foods was founded in 1917 and is headquartered in Quincy, Ill. It is an associate owned company operating over 100 retail locations including County Markets, Save-A-Lots, County Market Express and Pick-A-Dilly convenience stores, Pet Supplies Plus and Ace Hardware stores.



The three-story brick building at the corner of Main and Court Streets has been found to be structurally unsafe and needs to be demolished. It shares a wall with the Pike County Courthouse Annex that is actually three buildings. The Pike County Commission had considered taking down at least a portion of the annex which has some flaws. After receiving the engineering report, the commissioners voted 2-1 in favor of making renovations to the structure once the three-story building is removed. Improvements will include sealing the wall and rehabbing the roof. Trib photo by April M. Fronick

BUILDINGS

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Presiding Commissioner Chris Gamm attended the Bowling Green Board of Aldermen meeting last week on Monday, Oct. 2. Earlier in the day commissioners and city officials met with contractors in a pre-bid meeting to discuss the buildings and their viability and the possibilities of full/partial demolition.

At the board meeting, Gamm indicated the county was willing to work with the city and possibly remove two of the three buildings that make up the annex. This would also make demolition of the three-story structure easier since as many precautions wouldn't have to be taken to preserve the adjoining building.

Pike County Commissioner Bill Allen said the engineer's report was examined last Thursday and members came to a different conclusion.

"If the engineering report came back different it would be one

thing but we have a building that's still structurally-sound. I couldn't see spending another \$100,000 to \$150,000 to have it taken down. Then we'd just have a \$300,000 empty lot," Allen told *The People's Tribune* in an interview on Friday.

He added that the commission couldn't see spending money for even partial demolition. He explained that by keeping all three buildings it will keep the heating, cooling and other aspects intact.

The county's engineer estimates it will cost about \$135,000 to make the necessary improvements to the structure. Allen said he thinks it can be done for even less. Improvements include taking care of the roof, sealing the wall (once the three-story building is removed) and removing a structure from the rear of the first building.

"It's a bad situation for every-

one. It's not been an easy decision to make," Allen remarked. "We have a property owner who does not want to take responsibility for his own building. The city is in a position they shouldn't have to be in."

The city is having bids submitted by at least four contractors on removal of the Rahmeyer building and the old gas company that sits down the road. Contractors will also submit bids for removal of the annex as well for the commission to consider.

Last Thursday the commission voted 2-1 in favor of keeping the annex intact in light of the engineer's report. Allen and Gamm voted in favor, Justin Sheppard voted against.

The city will review bids at the next board meeting though a decision may not be made at that time on the future of the Rahmeyer and Butler properties.

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OBITUARIES

**Dixie M. Lasater**

Dixie M. Lasater, 67, of Eolia died Saturday, Sept. 30, 2017 at her home.

Funeral services were at 10 a.m., Wednesday at McCoy-Blossom Funeral Homes and Crematory, Eolia Chapel with Frankie Welch officiating. Interment to follow in Oak Grove Cemetery, Bowling Green.

Visitation was from 4-8 p.m., Tuesday at McCoy-Blossom Funeral Homes & Crematory, Eolia chapel.

She was born Dec. 23, 1949 in Louisiana to Hurshel and Lorene Luckett Harrison Sr.

Dixie grew up with her four siblings, Richard, Hurshel Jr., Danny and Rose. She was raised in Eolia and graduated from Clopton High School. Working hard was no stranger to Dixie and she had worked for the Empire Propane Co., owned Bouquet Florist Shop in Bowling Green for many years and lastly was an agent at Pike County Farm Bureau.

She loved to cook and all her family members said, "She was an accomplished good cook." Dixie was in the process of writing her own cookbook. Gardening was another hobby that she enjoyed. Her family was her No. 1 joy in life and she loved spending her time with them.

Surviving are her devoted husband, Steve Lasater; her children, Kelly Lasater and wife, Kellie, Sean Morris and wife, Tracy and Heather Miller and husband, Jeff. She is further survived by her eight grandchildren, Caelen, Dakken and Shelden Morris, Nicole and Jesse John Miller, Josh, Nick, Tyler Wibbenmeyer, Kasey Lasater and great-grandson, Kyler Miller; brothers, Richard Harrison and wife, Vi, Hurshel Harrison Jr., Danny Harrison and wife, Loretta; a sister, Rose York and husband, Richard and her mother-in-law, Alma Lasater; other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Hurshel and Lorene Harrison Sr.

Serving as pallbearers were Sean Morris, Caelen Morris, Dakken Morris, Shelden Morris, Kelly Lasater, Kasey Lasater, Danny Harrison and Richie York.

Memorials may be made to donor's choice, c/o the funeral home.

Family and friends are invited to sign our on-line guest registry at: www.mccoyblossom.com.

Jerome David 'Jerry' Strain

Jerome David "Jerry" Strain of rural Vandalia died Monday, Sept. 25, 2017 at home surrounded by his family.

Per his request he was cremated and no services were held.

Jerry was born June 19, 1939 in Oakland, Calif., the son of Jerome Chamberlain and Edna Miller Strain. He married Linda Lutz Andrews on Jan. 28, 1977 in Carson City, Nev. She survives.

Other survivors include a son, Richard Andrews and wife, Charlene, Vancouver, Wash.; three daughters, Robin Pelster and husband, Bill of Sunnyvale, Calif., Laura Clark and husband, Darris of

Las Vegas, Nev., and Angela Carlyle and husband, Jeff of Vandalia; grandchildren, Miranda Andrews of Spokane, Wash., Daniel Anderson of Astoria, Wash., Zachary Andrews of Vancouver, Wash., Daniel Anderson, Astoria, Wash., Zachary Andrews, Vancouver, Wash., Amanda Ward and husband, Miles, Bowie, Mary., Nicholas and Joseph Pelster of Sunnyvale, Calif., Alyssa, Myia and Will Clark of Las Vegas, Nev., Abigail, Tyler, and Katrina Carlyle of Vandalia.

He was preceded in death by his parents, a sister and brother-in-law, Carol and Bill Allen.

Jerry graduated from Abraham Lincoln High School in San Francisco, Calif., and San Jose State College in San Jose, Calif., with a BS in mechanical engineering. When he retired from ESL/TRM he and Linda moved to Vandalia.

Memorials may be made to the Vandalia Library.

**Frank J. Geujen**

Frank Joseph Geujen, 88, of Bowling Green died Tuesday, Oct. 3, 2017 at his home with his family by his side.

A funeral Mass was held at 10 a.m., Friday at St. Clement Catholic Church. Burial was in St. Clement Cemetery with military rites conducted by VFW Post #5553 and the MO Military Honors.

Visitation was from 4-7 p.m., Thursday at Bibb-Veach Funeral Home in Bowling Green. Frank was born Aug. 12, 1929 the son of Louis A. and Mary Alice Bonnarens Geujen in St. Clement. On Nov. 27, 1958 he married Jeanette Dorothy Ann Grote in the St. Clement Catholic Church. She survives.

Other survivors include three daughters Elaine Henderson and husband, Kelly of Louisiana, Susan Linton of Louisiana and Lois Stewart and husband, Blake of Bowling Green; four grandchildren, Brandon Henderson and wife, Rachel of Louisiana, Kelsey Henderson of Louisiana, Cameron Henderson of Louisiana and Korbin Stewart of Bowling Green; and a sister, Bernice Schuckebrook of Bowling Green.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brother, Richard Geujen and several nieces and nephews.

Frank lived in St. Clement for 47 years before moving to Bowling Green in 1976. He was a member of the St. Clement Catholic Church and served in the United States Army during the Korean War. Frank worked for 29 years as a United States Postal Service employee and was a farmer. He liked fishing, hunting, woodworking, camping, playing cards and most of all spending time with his family.

Serving as pallbearers were Kevin Brown, Mike Schuckebrook, Joe Schuckebrook, Ralph Niemeyer, Brad Orf and Larry Orf. Honorary pallbearers were Brandon Henderson, Kelsey Henderson, Cameron Henderson, and Korbin Stewart.

Memorials may be made to the St. Clement Cemetery or the Pike County Hospice.

Charles Richard Kropf

Charles R. Kropf, 69, of rural Vandalia died Wednesday, Oct. 4, 2017 at the family farm south of Vandalia.

Funeral services were Sunday at 10 a.m., at the Pleasant Grove Amish-Mennonite Church south of Vandalia. Interment will be in the Pleasant Grove A.M. Church Cemetery.

Visitation was Saturday from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m., at the Hickory Ridge Amish-Mennonite School House southwest of Vandalia.

Mr. Kropf was born April 19, 1948 in Kewanee, Ill., the son of Allen T. and Viola Catherine Shrock Kropf.

On May 4, 1969 Anna Sauder Zimmerman, daughter of Ivan and Anna Sauder Zimmerman, sharing the joys and sorrows of married life for over 48 years. She survives at the home.

Other survivors include seven sons and two daughters, Eugene Kropf and wife, Violet of Miller, Merle Kropf and wife, Miriam of Middletown, Wilbur Kropf and wife, Verena of Vandalia, Delbert Kropf and wife, Esther of Vandalia, Elisabeth Kropf of the home, Aaron Kropf and wife, Lily of Vandalia; James Kropf and wife, Lisa of Vandalia; Marvin Kropf and wife, Leanna of Vandalia, Anne Shrock and husband, James of Middletown; one brother, Ervil and wife, Carol Kropf of Halfway, Missouri; one sister, Beulah Headings of Buffalo; one sister-in-law, Barbara Ann Kropf of Halfway; 54 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; four aunts and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Wayne Kropf; and one granddaughter, Angela.

Charles had farmed all his life. He was ordained to the ministry on May 8, 1994 and bishop on May 12, 1996 for the Pleasant Grove A.M. Church south of Vandalia, where he performed his duties as long as his health permitted.

Pallbearers were his sons.

Melba Jean Hamilton

Melba Jean Watson Hamilton, 75, of Farber died Friday, Oct. 6, 2017 at the Tri-County Care Center in Vandalia.

Funeral services will be Friday at 7 p.m., at Waters Funeral Chapel in Vandalia with the Rev. Bob Hoehn officiating. Music will be provided by Mike and Jeannie Grattan - duet. Interment of her remains will take place at a later date in the Farber Cemetery.

Visitation will be Friday from 5-7 p.m., at Waters Funeral Chapel in Vandalia.

She was born June 20, 1942 near Frankford, the daughter of Samuel Albert and Elsie Belle Walsinger Watson.

Survivors include one sister, Viola Hilt of Marion, Ill.; two brothers, Henry Watson of Curryville and Albert Watson and wife, Donna of Vandalia; also survived by several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her companion of many years, James Mitts; one daughter, Jeanne Diane Barker; and six sisters; and one brother.

She was born in rural Rails County, near Frankford and attended area schools. Melba lived most of her adult life in the Vandalia/Farber area. She worked as a seamstress at the Bobby Brooks, Leisure Wear and Laddonia Garment factories.

After retiring, she spent most of her time yard selling and was known as the queen of yard sales. Melba also loved fishing and camping in her free time.

Memorials are encouraged to the Tri-County Care Center resident activity fund, 601 N. Galloway Road, Vandalia, MO 63382.

**Norman G. Conklin**

Norma G. Conklin, 79, of Vandalia died Thursday, Sept. 28, 2017 at Richard L. Owens Hospice Home in Peoria, Ill.

Funeral services were Saturday at 1 p.m., at Waters Funeral Chapel in Vandalia with the Rev. Tony Maxwell officiating.

Visitation was Saturday from 11 a.m.-1 p.m., at the funeral home.

Norma was born to Junior Raymond and Velma Alice Hunt Martin on Sept. 3, 1938 in Vandalia. She married Don Conklin on April 15, 1988 in Stone County, Ark. He survives.

Other survivors include a daughter, Paula Fletcher; a son, Roger Gene Jennings, a daughter, LeAnn Young and husband, Damon; a step-daughter, Di Throckmorton; and step-son, Newt Conklin. She is also survived by 13 grandchildren, Gabe Jennings and wife, Nancy, Joe

Jennings and wife, Robyn, Jamie Allen, Joni Barnett and husband, Brandon, Alison Choate and husband, Jeff, Kyle Jennings, Keith Jennings, Kirk Jennings, Caleb Jennings, Cierra Jennings, Evan Campbell, Chris Campbell, Dawson Young; and 13 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two sons, Bill (BJ) Jennings, and Phillip (Mike) Jennings; one sister, Sue Gabbett and her parents.

Upon completion of high school, Norma attended Pike-Lincoln Technical College where she received her LPN certificate in 1970. During the next 11 years, Norma worked at St. Elizabeth and Levering Hospitals in Hannibal. She also worked toward and received her RN degree from St. Mary's College of Nursing in 1981. Norma worked at the Audrain Medical Center from 1981-90.

She then worked at Columbia Regional Hospital from 1990 to 1997, and at the University Hospital and Clinics from 1997-2001. Norma was last working for the WERDCC in Vandalia and the Fulton Reception and Diagnostic Center with the Missouri Department of Corrections from 2001 until May 2017.

Norma loved traveling, genealogy, reading and sewing in her free time, but especially enjoyed spending time with her family and friends. She was also a member of Kentucky Road Christian Church in Mexico.

Memorials are encouraged to Wounded Warriors Organization, the American Heart Association, and Saint Jude's Children's Hospital.

Latin Mass

The Traditional Latin Mass is being offered every Sunday at 10 a.m., at Our Lady of Good Success Chapel and Academy in Louisiana. In addition, First Friday Devotions to the Sacred Heart are held on the first Friday of every month at 6:30 p.m., followed by Mass. For other Mass times, please contact the chapel at (573) 567-4125. Our Lady of Good Success Chapel & Academy, 20418 Hwy. 54, Louisiana, MO 63353, (573) 567-4125

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COMMUNITY NEWS

Haw Creek Club Meets In Hannibal

The Haw Creek Club met Wednesday, Oct. 4 at the Hannibal Senior Nutrition Center with Frankie Epperson as hostess.

Nine members enjoyed the meal prepared for us and for many of the areas senior citizens. Club members arrived early and decided which month they would hostess in 2018 and take care of all the other info for the year 2018.

Danny Epperson led members in prayer. Pledges to the United States and the State of Missouri were said. Frankie read a devotional "Beyond Labels" from Daily Bread. Members sang Happy Birthday to Frankie, Dorothy McCarthy and Myrna Schuette. Song for the month was "The Happy Wanderer." Roll call was answered by, Brenda Cook, Frankie Epperson, Leah Epperson, Dorothy Flowers, Lola Jennings, Dorothy McCarthy, Diane Miller, Marge Gilliland. Myrna read the minutes and Brenda Cook gave the treasurer's report.

Diane Miller told members that

if they knew of any service men or women that they would like to send a package to, to let her know their complete and correct address. Lola Jennings gave the card report. Brenda reminded members of the quarter madness to be held Friday, Oct. 6, to benefit the Frankford Rural Fire Dept.

There will also be a ham and bean lunch on Sunday, Oct. 29, 11 a.m., till all gone. Frankie gave the program, "I Never Knew Taps" It was the story of the music we hear at military burials.

It was very interesting and heart breaking. I will think of it every time I hear it from now on. Frankie also had the game, a "He-She" word game. Myrna won the game and will now have some new pot holders. Members are sad to report that Roxie McMillan passed away. Roxie was the longest active member of the club.

She was loved by all of us and will be greatly missed but always remembered. God bless Roxie and her family.

Grover Family Holds Reunion

The descendants of Lawrence Alvin and Verna Mae Heavner Grover gathered at a carry-in dinner on Saturday, Sept. 30 at the Vera Community Center.

Those attending from the Bowling Green and Louisiana area were Dorothy Campbell, Dick and Phyllis LaBrier, Janet Elliott, Dave and Jerri Harrelson, Butch and Sherry Comer, Rachel Grover, Roger and Joyce Moss, John Grover, Gary Grover and Jordan, Samantha Grover, Trinity and Cynrinity, Jermaine Chatman, and Brantley Grover.

Those attending from out of town were: Paul and Gena Grover of Barnwell, S.C.; Mary Lou Williams, Camden; Pamela Newell, Stoutland; Donna Smith, Lenabon; Gary and Laurie Haworth, St. Louis; Jeanie Federle of Elsa, Ill.; Dennis and Frankie Federle, Elsa, Ill.; Sheila Segraves, Elsa, Ill.; Cindy Grover, St. Louis; Mike, Amanda,

Veda and Evan Lovell, Wentzville; Joe and Julie Scherder, Creve Coeur; Nathan and Alex Grover, New Franklin; Joshua Smith, Tempe, Ariz.; Chris, Kasey, and Brayden Brown and Roman and Sophia Litski, Eureka; Teri Edwards, St. Louis; Deke and JoAnn Edwards, St. Louis; Sean, Tonda, and Ian Edwards, Olathe, Kan.; Jeff Smith, Lebanon; and Rayna Neiter, Courtland, Cadance, and Caleb, Ozark, Ark.

Pike Chapter NSDAR Members Attend District Meeting

Officers of the Missouri State Society DAR presented information for all members in the Northeast District at the meeting held at the Madison Area Community Center in Madison on Friday, Sept. 22. District Director Chyerl Varvil of the James Monroe Chapter in Paris welcomed Missouri State Regent Susan Bowman, state officers, state and national committee members and chapter regents of the district.

Each chapter regent reported on the accomplishments of the chapter during the past year and plans for 2017-2018, including Cindy Blaylock of Pike County Chapter. She was presented with a certificate for the chapter from the National Society for Level I achievement for 2016-17.

The chapter provided several items for a silent auction which netted over \$700 for the state regent's projects. State officers led

workshops for the chapter officers. Representatives were present from the 11 district chapters. Members of Madison's Area Community Betterment, Inc. catered the delicious lunch.

Also attending from Pike County Chapter were Vice-Regent Louise Sitton, Secretary Marilyn Johnson, Treasurer Sandy Niemeyer, Registrar Anne Keller and Associate Member Linda Gresham.

Louisville Christian Church Building Preservation Plans Social

The Louisville Christian Church Building Preservation Society is having their annual gospel sing and ice cream social on Sunday, Oct. 15, 2-4 p.m., at the church located at 3495 Highway Z, Bowling Green.

Music is by Frank Vaughn and Second Time Around. Everyone is welcome to attend.

This event is free will offering and all donations are sincerely appreciated. They will be used for the preservation of this building. For information please call Susan Conner 754-4766 or Dee Akers 636-528-9491.

The following is a bit of the church history compiled by Evelyn Brandon.

The Louisville Christian Church in early times was known as the "Mother of Churches" being the first to embrace the faith in its entirety in Lincoln County. The church was organized by Sandy Jones of Kentucky in June 1832 at the family home of Cumbia Kilby two miles west of Louisville with the following members: Sanford Jameson and wife, Mrs. Margaret Stewart, William Jameson, Margaret Jameson and wife, Robert Summers and wife, Pappa Holdia, wife and two sisters, Cumbia Kilby and wife.

This faithful band met for twelve years in homes until the little log schoolhouse was built, just south of

where the church now stands. In 1844 with the help of many friends they built a substantial brick church 40 by 60 feet. The bricks were made in the church yard by W.W. Blain of Ashley. The church was dedicated in the spring of 1845 by Elder Hughes with many prominent ministers of that day present. The first preacher was Sandy Jones, who gave his all to the service of the church, followed by Elder Hughes and the Rev. Greenup Jackson.

From an excerpt in "The Millennial Harbinger" Dec. 1853, "The great Evangelist, Alexander Campbell, described his trip to Missouri crossing the river at Clarksville, coming to Louisville on Oct. 25 1853. He delivered an address of some two hours on 1: Timothy, 2nd and 3rd chapters. He spent the night with Bro. Luke Paxton and the next day spoke from 2: Timothy, 1st chapter on The Value and Importance of Christian Education."

During the War Years, 1861-1866, we have no information, we believe the church was inactive due to intense

feelings caused by the Civil War, as many families were divided in their loyalties.

In 1898 the old church was remodeled at a cost of \$700 with all modern improvements.

The first lights remembered were kerosene lamps with reflectors attached to the walls. Later a gas lighting system was installed and in 1941 electricity was made available. The cost of wiring the church was 69.13. No musical instrument was used for years until Nov. 24, 1899 a treadle organ was bought from J.E. Huckstep of Bowling Green. The wood burning stoves were replaced with gas heaters in 1960, as well as concrete steps and a walk added, the ceiling lowered and the front interior paneled in 1967 and a new floor laid in 1968 which made the old meeting house more comfortable.

The remainder of this article as well as much more is available in the Church History book compiled in the late 1980s.

Please come enjoy the ice cream, music and fellowship.

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The Clopton Hawk Pride Marching Band received high honors at the recent Wright City Marching Band Competition held Aug. 23.

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This was the first time the marching band has participated in this competition.

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PROJECT

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open our church home to share our hospitality, a good meal, to make new friends and to greet familiar faces," said Janie Busch, one of the organizers.

There are a couple of changes for which diners need to be aware.

First, serving starts at 11:30 this year instead of 11 because some helpers are participating in the Applefest parade. Thirty fewer minutes to eat means guests will have to be on the ball.

Second, and probably most important, the church has ordered fewer pieces of area caterer Laura Portwood's secret recipe chicken. The decision was made after there were leftovers last year, though the extra pieces didn't last long - it is a Methodist congregation, after all. But the early bird will get...uh...a better chance of getting some bird.

The rest of the menu consists of homemade mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, hot rolls, homemade desserts and drink.

"There are a lot of references in the Bible to feeding people, so it's fitting that we are restoring the beautiful stained glass windows one meal at a time," Busch said.

People who attend will be encouraged to look at the 109-year-old building's elegant stained glass. The brick and stone structure is at the corner of Highway 79 and Howard Street in the heart of Clarksville. Visitors and passersby often comment on the beauty of the windows.

The sanctuary is surrounded by intricate colored glass that features Christian symbols, the names of previous pastors and lists of pioneer church members. The larger windows face north, south and east, with smaller pictured works on the west side above the altar.

Art Glass Unlimited of St. Louis has completed the south and north windows at a cost of \$41,275. The bill has been paid through proceeds from community dinners and donations. Next on the agenda are the east and west windows, with an estimated cost of \$31,725.

The tiny parish, which traces its roots to the 1830s, doesn't shy

away from big projects. The roof was replaced in 2007, steeple work was done during the building centennial in 2008, and basement and kitchen renovations were completed in 2013.

In addition to fried chicken, the church is selling prints and postcards of the windows as part of the campaign. Prints done by local artist Bill Blakey are \$50. A set of six postcards is \$5 and a bundle of

five larger ones is \$10.

The church and Clarksville have another reason to celebrate this year - 200 years of town history.

"The Methodist Church's scrumptious fried chicken dinner at Applefest will celebrate the Clarksville Bicentennial and the halfway point of the window project," said Mayor Jo Anne Smiley, a congregation member.



Van-Far Class '62 55th Reunion

The Van-Far Class of 1962 held its 55th reunion on Saturday, Sept. 26 at the Vandalia Country Club. Pictured are those attending, front row (l-r): Mary (Ennis) Pfeiffer, Doris (Fillback) Atkinson, Sandy (Delancy) Willis, Deb (Moore) Hillsabeck, Drenda (Riley) Curtis, and Donna (Freels) Woodrow. Second row: Linda (Gooch) Culwell, Steve Whisler, Bob Landman, Marion Hawkinson, Sherry (Goree) Langley, and Lily (McCurdy) Gosney. Third row: Kay (Hogue) Harper, Joyce (Allen) Giboney, Mick Hayden, Larry Gore, J. A. Rutherford, Rob Overstreet, and David Wilkinson. Not pictured are Sherry Lewis and Gary Cole.

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The Rev. Art Moore stirs mashed homemade mashed potatoes at last year's Applefest Chicken Dinner.



Clarksville United Methodist member Janie Busch makes gravy.

BANQUET

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anniversary. Other classes to be recognized with milestones are 1952, 1957, 1962, 1967, 1972, 1977, 1982, 1987, 1992, 1997, 2002, 2007, and 2012.

Four former alumni who were scholarship recipients will speak briefly and entertainment will be

provided by former alumni Mary Jane Morrow Owens and Patty Morrow Chandler.

Tony Images Photography will be on hand to take photos for a nominal fee so you can savor the memories long after the banquet.

The banquet helps support the Alumni Association and assisted in providing 10 \$1,750 scholarships to Clopton graduates last year. They hope to see everyone at the banquet this year.

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SPORTS

Back-To-Back No-Hitters As Lady Cats Blast Their Way To Fourth District Championship

Bowling Green To Face Metro In State Sectional

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Pitcher Sarah Harness was nails in her return to the circle for Class 2 District 6 tournament action and the Bowling Green bats were hot as the Lady Cats blasted six homers in the semifinal and championship combined.

Top-seeded Bowling Green showed their strength, eliminating Trinity Catholic 15-0 in four innings in the semifinal and then knocking off Wright City in the championship with a 7-0 shut-out victory.

With an opening round bye as the top seed in the tournament and a lot of rain, Bowling Green didn't step onto the field until Saturday morning for the semifinal against Trinity (4). It marked the return of Harness who had been sidelined for over a week with an injury to her thumb. She didn't miss a beat, retiring the first six batters with the strike-out and ending the game with nine Ks.

The offense got things going as Gabi Deters sent her first laser over the fence for a solo shot in the bottom of the first inning. Katelynn Charlton drew a walk behind her and scored on an error.

The Lady Cats topped on two more runs in the bottom of the second. Morgen Billings cranked out a triple and scored on a wild pitch. Madeline Norton singled with one out and advanced on a single by Anah Noble. Mallory Feldewerth scored Norton on a sac fly.

Leading 4-0 and the skies turning darker with the rains coming, the Lady Cats shut it down in the bottom of the fourth inning by plating 11 runs. Haylee Chandler started things off in with a single, followed by a hit from Noble. Feldewerth drove in Chandler with a single then Deters drew an RBI walk. Charlton plated two more runs with a big double before Kaylyn McKee cleared the bases with a two-run blast over the fence.

With two outs Billings drew a walk and stole second. Katy Horner drew a walk. Taylor Darnell scored Billings on an RBI single and then it was Noble who cleared the bases with a three-run shot over the fence to put the score at 14-0 as the inning continued.

Feldewerth and Deters each drew walks in their second at-bats of the frame. An RBI double by Charlton ended the game.

Noble was 3-4 with three RBIs and Charlton drove in three runs on two hits. Deters earned the Community State Bank TRIBCAST Player of the Game setting the tone behind the plate and getting the first home run blast of the semifinal.

Deters noted that it helped the team to have Harness back in the circle and added that every person on the team contributes.

"We're just a team. There's no one individual person, it takes all of us to win," Deters remarked.

Coach Dean Streed told TRIBCAST following the win it was the best hitting he'd seen the team do collectively all season. He added the team played with a lot of focus.

CHAMPIONSHIP

The Lady Cats looked determined in the championship bout with Wright City (3) that was postponed until Monday due to the rain.

It was a shut-out win once again for Harness in the circle who hit a batter to fall shy of the perfect game and struck out 12 batters to earn the Community State Bank TRIBCAST Player of the Game along with teammate Mallory Feldewerth who had a two-run homer in the bottom of the fifth inning.

Harness told TRIBCAST after the win that she just stayed focused on getting the next out during the game. She admitted she was a little nervous about the balls that came right back at her, each of which she handled easily to record outs. She pointed out the run support from the offense has been nice.

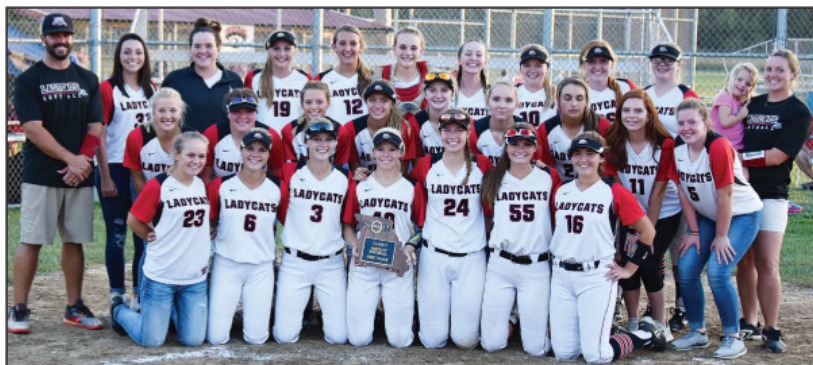
Streed said the girls did a great job and were likely helped during the span without Harness by getting some work in defensively. He added that he was pleased with how the girls adjusted in the game batting and how they worked on pitch selection. Streed added the team will prepare and work on all aspects of the game leading up to the State Sectional game on Wednesday. He pointed out that there were a lot of doubters after Harness was injured. He noted that ultimately the Conference championship wasn't the goal.

"Our end goal is to go somewhere we've never been before."

He added the team will give Metro their best game in the Sectional.

Deters ended the game with back-to-back home runs to drive in four runs. Chandler also had an RBI hit in addition to the two runs from Feldewerth's blast. Noble had two hits for the day and Charlton and Norton each recorded hits as well.

The Lady Cats will square off with Metro at the St. Louis University campus at 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday. The game will be featured on TRIBCAST. All area post-season softball games are available in the TRIBCAST archive along with free, downloadable photo highlights online anytime at www.thepeopletribune.com.



The top-seeded Bowling Green Lady Cats won their fourth consecutive district championship with a 7-0 shutout victory over Wright City (3) on Monday, Oct. 9. They will advance to play Metro in the State Sectional on Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. Find more photos and archived TRIBCASTs at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by Jerry Hickerson



Lead-off batter Anah Noble looks to put down a perfect bunt in the district championship game. She also had a three-run homer in the semifinal game on Saturday. Find more photos and archived TRIBCASTs at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by Jerry Hickerson



Senior Katelynn Charlton drives the ball in the championship game. She also had a two-RBI double and an RBI single in the semifinal win over Trinity Catholic last week. Find more photos and archived TRIBCASTs at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by Jerry Hickerson



Bowling Green third baseman Kaylyn McKee makes a catch in the championship game on Monday. She also sent a two-run shot over the fence in the semifinal game. Find more photos and archived TRIBCASTs at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by Jerry Hickerson



Mallory Feldewerth gets a congratulatory five from Coach Dean Streed after sending a two-run blast over the fence in the championship win over Wright City on Monday. Find more photos and archived TRIBCASTs at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by Jerry Hickerson



Senior outfielder Katy Horner gets a big lead off of third base in the championship win over Wright City on Monday night. Find more free, downloadable photos and archived TRIBCASTs online at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by Jerry Hickerson



Catcher Gabi Deters crushed three home runs in the district games to score five runs for the Lady Cats. She is pictured sending her first one deep in the semifinal. Find more photos and archived TRIBCASTs at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by April M. Fronick

Football Action Last Week

Local teams had a rough time in week eight on the gridiron leading up to the final regular season games this Friday.

Bowling Green was downed by North Callaway, 48-7, on a game that was featured on TribCast. The Bobcats will travel to Wright City this week. Clopton-Elsberry fell 63-6 to South Callaway and will host Mark Twain this Friday. Louisiana was edged by Macon 60-13 and will travel to Highland this week. Van-Far was defeated 35-14 by Mark Twain and will host South Callaway on Friday.

Regular football coverage will return to the Trib next week.

Bowling Green Cross Country Competes At Orchard Farm

The Bowling Green cross country teams competed in the Orchard Farm Invitational on Thursday, Oct. 5. The girl's team finished in first place and the boy's team was sixth. The junior varsity girls collected a second place finish.

VARSITY GIRLS

Kate Klott, 1st, 20:51; Sylvia Wagner, 5th, 21:39; Camy Grote, 6th, 22:00; Nichole Bruni, 7th, 22:09; Quinn Grote, 19th, 23:46; Kelsey Finley, 25th, 24:15; Taylor Blair, 27th, 24:17.

VARSITY BOYS

Avery Mudd, 27th, 18:23; Max

Brandenburger, 31st, 18:28; Hayden White, 40th, 19:04; Evan Meyer, 42nd, 19:10; Cody Wilkinson, 43rd, 19:11; Bailey Kiel, 59th, 20:01; Blaine Hunt, 63rd, 20:12.

JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS

Hannah Kroencke, 2nd, 23:40; Madeline Perry, 6th, 24:32; Emma Dwyer, 10th, 25:11; Alexus Sloan, 14th, 26:10; Hannah Grote, 19th, 26:38; Breanne Kroencke, 39th, 32:06; Larissa Gamm, 42nd, 33:52.

JUNIOR VARSITY BOYS

Sal Niemyer, 36th; Andrew Dobyms, 60th; Jacob Grote, 66th.

Clopton Teams Take Part In Orchard Farm Invitational

The Clopton cross country teams took part in the Orchard Farm Invitational on Thursday, Oct. 5.

VARSITY GIRLS

Caragan Lockard, 26th, 24:16; Tricia Luke, 29th, 24:21; Megan Richards, 42nd, 26:05; Kari Leake, 51st, 27:25; Megan Harrelson, 57th, 30:38.

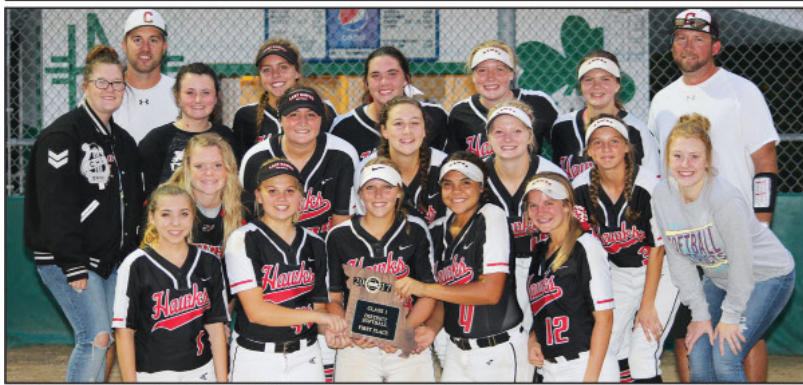
VARSITY BOYS

Donovan Denslow, 12th, 17:57; Daniel Harvey, 56th, 19:58; Landon Hall, 61st, 20:11; Jared, 76th, 21:39; Parker Edmiston, 82nd, 21:56.

JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS

Emma Carnahan, 34:34; Ellie Beauchamp, 36:35.

SPORTS



The Clopton Lady Hawks are district champions once again with a 5-3 victory over Van-Far in the Class 1 District 7 tournament last week. Find photos and the archived TRiBCASTS at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by Nancy Case

Big Second Inning Carries Lady Hawks To District Championship Over Van-Far

Clopton Will Square Off With Northeast Cairo At Home For State Sectional

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The top-seeded Clopton Lady Hawks secured the Class 1 District 7 championship in a 5-3 victory over Van-Far on Friday night in New Haven.

Van-Far (2) drew first blood with a run in the top of the second. Jordan Garner started off the inning with a hit. Mallory Williams then laid down a sacrifice bunt, moving Garner to second. The play continued as Garner tried to take an extra base. Alyssa Smith who was covering first attempted to catch the runner at third but the throw bounced off the bag and went into shallow left, allowing the aggressive Garner to wheel home for the first run of the game.

The Lady Hawks quickly answered in the bottom of the second where they sent 10 batters to the plate to face Van-Far pitcher Jayle Jennings.

Van-Far was able to retire the first batter on a grounder to Jennings. Alyssa Smith then drove one into deep right center for a double to get things going. McCaylee McPike strode to the plate despite an ankle injury that sidelined her for the semifinal. She blasted a shot to about the same spot to score Smith and tie the game. Brooklyn McKenney sent one into left for a hit. Madison Horstmeier put down a bunt and was able to beat out the throw to load the bases with just one out for number nine batter Jillian Lockard. She bunted up the third base line, but Mallory Williams was unable to get a grip on the ball to record the out at home as McPike

scored the second run of the inning to go ahead.

The inning continued with the top of the order and Kaitlin Kuntz who reached on a fielder's choice as McKenney was caught at home. The bases were still loaded for Taylor Smith who had just come off a 3-4 five RBI night in the semifinal. She ended up battling for an RBI walk as Clopton went up 3-1 with the hard-hitting Allison Hunter coming up. Hunter didn't disappoint with a two run hit to score Lockard and Kuntz and put Clopton in the driver's seat. Street flew out to left to end the inning with some serious damage done.

Van-Far started the third inning off with back to back outs before Makayla McAfee started a rally with a hard-hit triple. While the next batter Carleigh Phillips was up, a pitch got past Taylor Smith allowing McAfee to score Van-Far's second run of the game. Phillips singled, but Clopton ended the threat on a grounder-off by Garner.

Van-Far had another chance in the top of the fourth as Reagan Case singled and Alivia Graddy reached on a walk. Both were in scoring position, but Clopton's defense ended put out the fire as a stinging line drive by Morgan McDowell was handled by Allison Hunter at third for out number three.

After getting Clopton in order in the bottom of the inning, the Lady Indians plated one more run in the top of the fifth.

Jayle Jennings reached on a bunt and was moved to second on a sacrifice by McAfee and went to third on a sac bunt by Phillips. Garner drew a walk before Mallory Williams pounded a single to score Jennings. With Garner and Williams in scoring position, Clopton pitcher Maya Street was able to shut things down with her fifth strikeout of the

game. The pitching by both teams was dialed-in for the remainder of the game as both teams sent batters down in order the rest of the way.

Clopton's Maya Street picked up the win for the Lady Hawks for the second night in a row. She allowed three runs on seven hits and struck out six Van-Far batters. She earned the Community State Bank TRiBCAST Player of the Game for her calm efforts in the circle.

"It feels great," Street said of the back-to-back wins back in the circle for Clopton. "I couldn't have done it without my teammates backing up the whole time."

Street added the team is looking forward to the sectional game.

Van-Far's Jayle Jennings was tagged with the loss giving up five runs on seven hits and striking out two. All but one hit came in that second inning as Jennings and the Van-Far defense were polished for the remainder of the championship game.

Clopton got hits from Alyssa Smith, McKenney, Horstmeier and Taylor Smith. The team got RBIs from Taylor Smith, McPike and Lockard. Hunter drove in two runs



Clopton players applaud as their senior teammates collect the championship plaque following the 5-3 win over Van-Far. Find more photos and the archived TRiBCASTS at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by Nancy Case



Clopton shortstop Kaitlyn Kuntz warmed up to first as the team warmed up for the semifinal game against New Haven last week.

Trib photo by April M. Fronick



Clopton senior Taylor Smith stepped up in the postseason, taking the spot of an injured McCaylee McPike behind the plate to catch for the first time in the semifinal and again in the championship. She also belted out three hits for five RBIs in the semifinal win over New Haven and earned the Community State Bank TRiBCAST Player of the Game.

Trib photo by Nancy Case

CLOPTON SEMIFINAL

The Lady Hawks also picked up a dominating 11-1 win to eliminate host team New Haven (4) in the semifinal on Thursday, 11-1, following an opening round bye.

Kaitlyn Kuntz led off the bottom of the first with a double and advanced to third on a wild pitch. Taylor Smith smashed a double to score Kuntz. Smith stole third and scored on an error by the New Haven catcher.

The Lady Hawks tacked on two more runs in the bottom of the third frame. Taylor Smith singled and then scored on a huge triple by

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Louisiana's Season Ends Against Clark County

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Louisiana's softball season came to an end with a 13-3 loss to Clark County (4) in the opening round of the Class 2 District 7 tournament at Monroe City.

Autumn Castagna hit a one out double in the top of the first and advanced to third on a grounder. A pop-up stranded the Bulldog runner in scoring position as Louisiana was unable to score.

The Indians scored three times in the bottom of the inning and chased Louisiana starter Maria Gutierrez with a three run second.

Clark County added another run in the third before Castagna singled in the fourth for Louisiana. She reached second on a wild pitch and went to third on a passed ball. The Louisiana infielder baited the Indian catcher into a throw to third, breaking for the plate as soon as the ball left her hand, scoring a steal of home.

The Indians scored five more runs in the bottom of the fourth to nearly close out the game.

In the top of the fifth with Carley Maschmeier on base and Louisiana down to their last strike, senior Raelee Burse smashed a ball over the left field fence in her final high school at bat for a two-run homer.

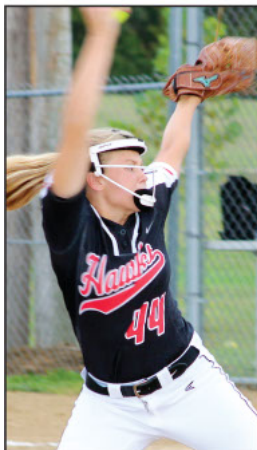
The bomb forced Clark County back to the batter's box in the

sixth, but the Indians scored again to end the game with the 10-run win.

Louisiana ended their season with a record of 6-16. The Lady Bulldogs will lose eight seniors to graduation including: Raelee

Burse, Kayla Lindsay, Brianna St. Clair, Olivia Capstick, Rachel Williams, Carly Maschmeier, Elise Dewey and Janel Lindsay.

Find more photos and the archived TRiBCAST online at www.thepeopletribune.com.



Clopton hurler Maya Street allowed only one run on five hits and struck out 12 batters in the semifinal against New Haven. She had six Ks in the championship victory to earn the Community State Bank TRiBCAST Player of the Game.

Trib photo by Nancy Case



Clopton left fielder Madi Horstmeier lines up the catch to make the first out of the Class 1 District 7 championship game against Van-Far.

Trib photo by Nancy Case



Autumn Castagna gets a lead off of third base in the opening round of the Class 2 District 7 tournament at Monroe City. Castagna stole home in the fourth inning but it wouldn't be enough as the Lady Bulldogs' season came to an end at the hands of Clark County. Find more photos and the archived TRiBCAST online at www.thepeopletribune.com.

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SPORTS



Van-Far's Jordan Garner glances back to see where the ball is before charging home to score the first run of the championship game on an errant throw to nab Garner stealing third. Find more photos and the archived TRIBCasts at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by Nancy Case



The Van-Far Lady Indians fell in a hard-fought district championship game to top-seeded Clopton last week to collect the second place plaque. Van-Far had an opening round bye then knocked off third-seeded Silex in the semifinal. Find photos and the archived TRIBCasts at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by Nancy Case

Van-Far Bests Silex In District Semifinal

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Van-Far (2) and Silex (3) squared off in the Class 1 District 7 semifinal last week with the Lady Indians able to best the Lady Owls by one run in a 4-3 win.

Silex got on the board first in the second inning. Izzy Sgroi singled and a single by Lexi Plackemeier pushed the run across for a 10-0 lead.

The Lady Owls added another run in the third inning. With two outs, Kasey Hinkebein singled and scored on a single by Mackenzie Weatherford.

Silex added another tally in the top of the fifth inning. Mollie Stanek led off the frame with a single. Makayla Schneider also singled but was caught at second on a fielder's choice by Sami Mudd. With two outs, Hinkebein smacked a single to score Stanek for the Lady Owls' third run. Going into the bottom of the fifth inning, Silex led 3-0.

Van-Far rattled the bats in the bottom of the fifth down by three runs. Jayle Jennings led off with a big double. Carleigh Phillips

stepped up batting in the three spot to get Jennings home with a single.

Phillips reached second on an error and it was Jordan Garner's turn to earn an RBI with a hard-hit double which scored Phillips. Mallory Williams singled to move Garner to third. A slap by Reaghan Case drove in Garner for the third run to tie the game before Silex could end the threat and get out of the inning.

Silex went down in order in the top of the sixth.

With two outs, McAfee came to the plate and was hit by a pitch from Halle Mueller. On the first pitch she took off to steal second base. The throw by catcher Lexi Plackemeier wasn't handled at second and dribbled into shallow right allowing McAfee to round third and come home, where she was able to sneak her leg under the tag of Plackemeier and put Van-Far on top 4-3.

The Lady Indians shut it down in the final frame to win the game and eliminate Silex from the tournament.

Jennings got the win for Van-

Far with three runs on nine hits and four Ks.

Mueller got the loss with four runs on eight hits and striking out seven.

McAfee was named the Community State Bank TribCast Player of the Game for the gutsy decision to take home and the slide under the tag to win the game.

Jennings was 3-4 and scored a run for Van-Far. Case, Phillips and Garner each drove in runs as the Lady Indians advanced to the championship.

Plackemeier and Hinkebein each had two hits and an RBI for Silex. Weatherford also had an RBI hit. Makayla Schneider had two hits and Mollie Stanek and Sgroi each had hits in the loss.

The Silex season came to a close with a record of 16-9. The team will lose seniors Sami Mudd, Mackenzie Weatherford and Taylor McAnulty.

Van-Far advanced to the championship where they fell to top-seeded Clopton (see related story). All post-season games were featured on TRIBCAsT.



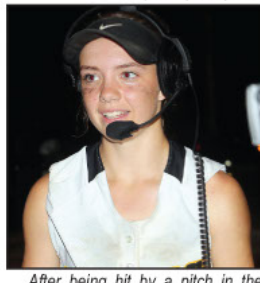
Van-Far centerfielder Alivia Graddy makes a huge catch to survey the field for a potential double play in the semifinal against Silex. Trib photo by Nancy Case



Van-Far senior first baseman Reaghan Case moves in for a bunt attempt in the championship game of the Class 1 District 7 tournament. Trib photo by Nancy Case



Silex pitcher Halle Mueller allowed only one hit and struck out eight batters in the 13-0 opening round win over Wellsville last week and earned the Community State Bank TRIBCAsT Player of the Game. Trib photo by Nancy Case



After being hit by a pitch in the semifinal with the score tied, Makayla McAfee stole second and was able to sneak her leg under the tag to score the winning run over Silex and earn the Community State Bank TRIBCAsT Player of the Game. Trib photo by Nancy Case



Silex shortstop Mollie Stanek makes a play to first base during the Class 1 District 7 tournament. Stanek was also nails offensively for Silex in the opening round over Wellsville going 3-4 with three RBIs. Find more photos and the archived TRIBCasts at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by April M. Fronick

Lady Owls Score Big Win In Opening Round Over Wellsville

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The Silex Lady Owls (3) scored a dominating 13-0 shutout win over Wellsville (6) in the opening round of the Class 1 District 7 tournament last week.

Silex lit the board 10 times in the first inning to get things off to a big start.

Mollie Stanek doubled then walks by Makayla Schneider and Sami Mudd loaded the bases. Kasey Hinkebein reached on an error as Stanek scored the first run. The bases were still loaded for Mackenzie Weatherford who sent the ball deep for a two-RBI single to score Schneider and Mudd. Izzy Sgroi reached on another walk. Taylor McAnulty singled to drive in Hinkebein. Chloe Kinion singled to score Weatherford. Lexi Plackemeier singled. Stanek came up to bat again in the first inning and blasted a two-RBI double to plate Sgroi and McAnulty. Mudd singled in Kinion and Plackemeier scored on a wild pitch to put the Lady Owls up 10-0.

Pitcher Halle Mueller and the Silex defense clamped down and the next nine Wellsville batters were retired in order.

Silex tacked on three more runs in the fourth inning.

Weatherford got things going with a 12-pitch at-bat that ended with a long shot over the left-center fence. It was the first home run of her career. Kinion reached on a

single and scored on an RBI triple by Plackemeier who was then driven in on an RBI single by Stanek.

Mueller picked up the win for Silex allowing only one hit and striking out eight Wellsville batters.

Weatherford had a two-RBI single and a homer to drive in three runs. Stanek also plated

three runs going 3-4. Plackemeier and Kinion each had two hits and an RBI a piece. McAnulty and Mudd had RBI hits. Sgroi had two hits and Schneider had one in the victory.

Silex moved on to the semifinal to face Van-Far (see story on this page). All post-season games were featured on TRIBCAsT.



Silex players celebrate at home plate with senior Mackenzie Weatherford following her solo home run blast in the opening round victory over Wellsville last week. Find more photo highlights and the archived TRIBCasts online at www.thepeopletribune.com. Trib photo by April M. Fronick

SPORTS

Local EMO Conference Softball Selections

The EMO All-Conference selections were announced last week. Included below are local selections. Find complete list on the Trib's website. (*denotes unanimous selections)

FIRST TEAM

Pitcher: Sarah Harness, junior, Bowling Green; Halle Mueller, junior, Silex.

Catcher: *Gabi Deters, junior, Bowling Green.

Infield: *Jordan Garner, junior, Van-Far; *Kaitlyn Kuntz, junior, Clopton; Anah Noble, senior, Bowling

Green.
Outfield: Katy Horner, senior, Bowling Green; Makayla McAfee, sophomore, Van-Far.

Utility: Katelynn Charlton, senior, Bowling Green; Maya Street, senior, Clopton; Jayle Jennings, junior, Van-Far.

SECOND TEAM

Mallory Feldewerth, senior, Bowling Green; McCaylee McPike, senior, Clopton; Kaylyn McKee, senior, Bowling Green; Lexi Plackemeier, freshman, Silex.

CLOPTON

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Allison Hunter who also came around to score.

Clopton added another pair of runs in the bottom of the fourth inning. Madi Horstmeier led off with a big double and then Jillian Lockard reached on a single. Horstmeier scored on a ground-out by Taylor Smith. An RBI single by Hunter plated Lockard for a 6-0 lead going into the fifth inning.

Senior pitcher Maya Street and the Clopton defense shut down the top of the stanza.

Brooklyn McKenney started off the bottom of the fifth with a single. Logan Hall was then hit by a pitch. Lockard scored McKenney on an RBI bunt.

Kuntz singled to bring up Taylor Smith who didn't disappoint with a three-RBI triple. Hunter closed down the game with an RBI hit to score Smith.

Several players were a bit out of their "regular" position. Taylor Smith was behind the plate as McCaylee McPike recovered from an injury.

Street got the win with only one run on five hits and striking out 12. Taylor Smith earned the Community State Bank TRIBCAST Player of the Game for her efforts. She ended the game 3-4 with five RBIs.

Smith told TRIBCAST after the game that she had always wanted to try being a catcher and was happy she could step up for her teammate.

Hunter was 3-4 with three RBIs. Lockard was 3-3 with an RBI. Kuntz and McKenney each had two hits and Horstmeier had one.



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COMMUNITY NEWS



Pictured is the Clopton class of Danielle Robinson who collected items for hurricane victims recently.

Clopton School Helps Hurricane Victims

BY ABIGAIL DASKALAKIS
Danielle Robinson's fifth hour Current Events class at Clopton School set a goal to help out Hurricane Harvey victims.

On Sept. 14, the eighth grade class at Clopton wanted to help out by starting a Basic Necessities Drive. This drive allowed junior high and high school students to donate items.

The drive was held Sept. 18-22. Many things, like toilet paper, diapers, toothpaste, toothbrushes,

soap, and other items, were given to the victims. All together there were over 350 items donated. Deaven Streed's first hour class came in first place with an average of six items per person! The winning class won an ice cream cake, which Robinson provided.

All of the donations were accepted by the Refuge Church in Bowling Green. The truck headed to Texas on Oct. 6. Pictured above is the class with many of the items collected.

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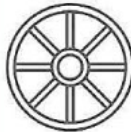
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Day 1

Public AUCTION

Saturday, Oct. 14 TIME: 10 a.m.

LOCATION: 99 Coal Mine Road, Middletown

Directions: From Bowling Green – take Hwy 161 south 18 miles to Hwy T turn left on T and go 1.1 miles to Coal Mine Rd on the right. Follow all the way to the end.

From Middletown – Google for the best route as the bridge on 161 is still out!

Butchering Equipment: Meat Band Saw, 8' SS Table, Whirlpool Refrigerator, Dexter, Old Hickory, Butcher Knives, Sausage Grinder, Sausage Stuffer, Lard Press, SS Bowls, Chicken Scaider, Chicken Picker, Meat Slicer and more.

Collectibles: Glass baskets, berry bowls, Lanterns, Old Crocks, Pans, Kitchen aid Mixer, Berrie Boxes, Zinc Lids, kraut Cutter, Deep Fryers, Lot Coolers, SS Milk Bucket, Cast Iron Skillets, Old Garden Gates, Milk Cans.

Tools: ATV Ramps, Pressure Washer, Battery Charger, Homelite Generator, Log Chains, Load Binders, Chicken Feeders, Waterers, Nest, Delta Wood Planer, Fence Stretcher, Pipe Vise, Fire Fytre Safe, House Jacks, Vises, Hammers, Guardian Power Drill Press, Cutting Torch Outfit, Craftsman Compound Mitre saw, Jumper Cables, Reddy Heater, 145 Anvil, US Meat Slicer, Craftsman Jointer/planner, Delta Contractor Table Saw, Copper Bucket, Granite Pans, 20 Ton Press, Bench Grinder, Minnkota Trolling Motor, Limb Saw, Chainsaws, Work Benches, Extension Cords, Ammo Boxes, Bolt Cutters, Pipe Wrenches, Oil Cans, Magna force 5 Hp. 27 Gallon Air Compressor, Mower Jack, Lincoln 225 Arc Welder, Welding Magnets & Clamps, Lot Tools, Electric Pole Saw, Drills, Circular Saws, Routers, Metal Cutoff Saw, Copper Tubing, Bar Clamps, C-Clamps, Yard Dump Trailer, Live Traps, Bird Feeders, Air Tools, Electrical Wire, Jumper Box, Paint Sprayer, Sand Blaster, Tool Locker, 16 Gallon Shop Vac., Bolts, Nuts, Nails, Levels, Drill Bits, MTD 20 Ton Log Splitter, Post Drivers, Milk Crates, Garden Plow, Purple Martin Houses, Lawn Sweep, Sorgum Mill, Motor Stand, Chicken Wire, Grain Auger, Old Hog Wagon, Ply Wood, Folding Tables, Metal Toolbox, Propane Tanks.

Tractor and Equipment, Sheds: 1969 John Deere 3020 Gas Tractor, 95 Gehl Grinder Mixer 21' Big Mill, 12' Disk, John Deere 4 Bottom Plow-Semi mount, 6' Brush Hog, (Roller, Brillion), 3 pt. Carry-all, 78 Chevy Pickups one runs good the other has been setting for a while. 12'x18' Shed Insulated & Finished Inside.

Auctioneer's Note: DAY 1 - Larry and Dorcas attended a lot of auctions through the years. There is a large accumulation of everything. We will have two full days of selling. Please come out and enjoy both days with us. Bill

Day 2 - Saturday, Oct. 28 - 10 a.m.

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BGHS Alumni Banquet Trivia Questions

1. What 1965 BGHS graduate was recently named to "Meat Industry Hall of Fame"? His "Sweet Betsy From Pike" business is located on Hwy. Bus. 54. _____
2. What Bowling Green family has four generations of valedictorians? They are _____
3. What BGHS junior is a member of the U.S. Junior Olympic softball team? _____ Her parents are both BGHS graduates and they are? _____
4. What 1947 graduate has been the cashier at the Ashley fish fry since the beginning and retired in spring '17? _____
5. The valedictorian of the class of 1957 was _____ and the salutatorian was _____?
6. This 1967 BGHS graduate is an outstanding quilter and former B.G. R-I teacher _____
7. What 1967 BGHS graduate was EMO outstanding track former two years in a row, had a baseball batting average of .474 pitcher ERA? _____
8. This very active husband and wife team were 1967 BGHS graduates. You will see both of them working at the Hope Center, are active at the First Christian Church, she is chairman of the Back To School Fair and he drives a school bus _____ & _____
9. This 1977 graduate was janitor for many years and "unofficial counselor" to many students _____
10. If you see a white pickup driven by a guy wearing a cowboy hat and singing, Beware! It is _____
11. What was the price of a suit at Sanderson's in 1957? _____
12. This 1977 graduate is the Democratic Pike County Treasurer? _____
13. In 1957 the superintendent was _____ and the band and Glee Club instructor was _____
14. These 1947 BGHS graduates were king and queen of the March of Dimes contest. he later became a basketball coach at BGHS and Clopton _____ & _____
15. What year did the football program begin at BGHS and the first homecoming was held? _____

COMMUNITY NEWS



The final Louisiana Farmers Market will be held Wednesday, Oct. 11 from 3-6 p.m. Pictured are some of the vendors at previous markets.

Final Farmers Market Is Wednesday In Louisiana At Sunset Park

This Wednesday, Oct. 11 will be the last Farmers Market for 2017. The market will run from 3-6 p.m.

"We have had a wonderful market this year," stated Diana Huckstep, Market Master for the Louisiana Community Betterment Farmers Market. "The weather provided the vendors with a really bountiful growing season, which was so much better than last year," stated Huckstep. "Our vendors would really like to say "Thank You," to all of our customers this year! They have been amazing and the crowds continued to grow with each week. The market is a great way to bring our community together in a relaxed atmosphere and we get to know our neighbors."

Producers come from all around to sell their products and people from our community were able to enjoy the fresh produce, plants and handmade crafts that were grown or

produced locally. The market is also very popular with folks who are just passing through town. There has been visitors from Nebraska, Kansas, Virginia, North Carolina, Washington State and many more. Farmers markets are a big draw for tourism.

Louisiana Community Betterment is working on a few things new for next year. It is their goal to grow the market each year and if things work out, they will have some really fun things added to the market when it opens in May of 2018.

Louisiana Community Betterment thanks all of the vendors and the people of the community who came out and supported the vendors and the market. We are grateful for the support and look forward to seeing everyone again next year.

Letter To The Editor

Letter to the Editor

The Pike County Chapter (Louisiana) of the Daughters of the American Revolution recently launched a project to raise awareness and remind citizens of U. S. Constitution Week, Sept. 17-23. We wish to express our appreciation to Mayor Bart Neidner for signing our celebratory Proclamation which listed the 27 Amendments to the Bill of Rights, as well as the Preamble to the Constitution.

We wholeheartedly wish to recognize the administrators and staffs of BONCL, Clopton, Louisiana R-II K-12 schools and our area parochial schools for displaying overall 175 posters in classrooms and on bulletin boards during that week.

We appreciate the pastors of our area churches in Louisiana, Clarksville, Eolia and Paynesville for including the Constitution information in their bulletins, as well as Lynn's Heritage House, Maple Grove Lodge and the Public Library of Louisiana—all for displaying posters.

And last, but by no means least, we appreciate the Louisiana High School and the Mercantile Bank for displaying Constitution Week and the date on their outdoor message boards. There was not one refusal or hesitation from anyone to participate in this event to celebrate our country. Our community and the people in communities around us are the finest to be found.

It was our hope with this project to remind our children, young adults and young-at-heart older adults of the importance of remembering our U.S. Constitution which governs this great land in which we live, secured by the "Blessings of Liberty to ourselves and our poster-

ity" as we educate, commemorate and celebrate. We're Americans of the United States! Three Cheers for America!

Sandy Niemeyer
Project Coordinator
Pike County Chapter DAR

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Thank You, Bob Martin & Staff

COMMUNITY NEWS



Matt Jennings Bags 13 Pointer

Matt Jennings of Vandalia and dad, Gabe, proudly show the 13-pointer that Matt bagged with his new crossbow on Sunday, Oct. 1.

MDC Reminds Hunters Of New Online Option For Hunter Education

Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) offers an all-online hunter-education course for Missouri residents 16 years or older to provide a more flexible and convenient option to become hunter-education certified. The all-online course includes videos and animation to teach hunter safety, firearm safety, ethics, regulations, and wildlife management. "The way adults are learning is ever changing. More individuals are utilizing mobile applications and online tools to educate themselves," MDC Hunter Education

Coordinator Kyle Lairmore said. "This option provides individuals the flexibility to learn at their own pace and at a time they choose." Students will receive a temporary hunter-education certificate once they complete and pass the 60-question final exam with an 80 percent or higher. Individuals 15 years or younger are still required to complete the blended hunter education course requiring both a knowledge portion and in-person skills session to receive certification.

Missouri's hunter education is

course required for any hunter born on or after Jan. 1, 1967. Hunters who plan to hunt during a Missouri firearms season or are acting as an adult mentor must first complete an approved hunter-education certification program and provide proof of completion unless:

- 15 years of age or younger and will be hunting with a properly permitted adult mentor 18 or older.
- Born before Jan. 1, 1967.
- Disability exemption from MDC's Protection Division.
- 16 years of age or older and have purchased an apprentice hunter authorization and will be hunting with a property permitted adult mentor 18 or older.
- Landowner or lessee hunting on self-owned land or land of residence.

Learn more about MDC's hunter education program, including the online option at <http://on.mo.gov/2suc7sc>. For more information about hunting seasons, go to: <http://on.mo.gov/1YYbxMZ>.

From the Mayor's Desk...

As our young country began expanding westward, it became clear that the Mississippi River was the artery for the building of cities and towns. Presently there are 124 cities and towns on either side of this waterway and the Mississippi River serves as the economic lifeline for many of them. Although the river provides revenue and supports jobs through manufacturing, tourism and agriculture, the economic benefits to the whole country are at risk due to deteriorating infrastructure.



JO ANNE SMILEY, MAYOR
CITY OF CLARKSVILLE

As MRCTI continues to grow and be joined by voices such as Ambassador Young, federal agencies and new members of our Corporate Advisory Board our association is stronger and more invested than ever. Our joint objectives for this 2,500 miles of indispensable waterway are crafted to move forward with success for the 10-state Mississippi River corridor.

Looking specifically at Missouri and the importance of an association like MRCTI to the state, in Missouri waterways and ports support over 24,000 jobs and directly contribute \$4 billion to the State's economy. Half of Missouri's top ten manufacturing industries are water-intensive and \$8.9 billion in agricultural products flow to and from Missouri on the Mississippi. Missouri has more river frontage than any other state in the Union and is where the Mississippi, Missouri and Ohio Rivers meet.

As the Mayor of Clarksville, it is indeed an honor to be working with fellow Mayors to secure the future of this priceless resource and maximize its potential for the entire country. Our efforts definitely include the management of flood risk as well as the opportunity to manage the system better and more sustainably. Pre Disaster Mitigation planning is major in our work. Likewise, the over-built levees in our region positioned with little to no setback from the water and the lack of MO state-wide statutes on levee structural requirements are significant in our work. It will require the labor of many persons in many organizations to achieve a resolution that is workable and equitable, AND that is the goal.

MRCTI recommends supporting and strengthening federal programs and funds to work toward management and protection of this critical water resource, to invest in restoring the river's floodplains and ecosystems and to modernize its lock-system in order to maximize the economic potential of the River.

Recently in the 6th annual meeting of the Mississippi River Cities and Towns Initiative in St. Louis, the chorus of "Protect and Preserve" rang loud and clear. Healthy discussions among 80 Mayors centered on River Management, Water Pollution Control, Water Security, Soil and Water Conservation, and Federal Emergency Management and Department of Homeland Security Issues and more.

Providing encouraging and supportive guidance throughout the sessions was a new and most welcome face, the Honorable Ambassador Andrew Young. His comments were direct and to the point and come from experience as U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations, U.S. House of Representatives(GA), and Mayor of Atlanta, GA.

Louisiana Alumni & Friends To Hold All-School Reunion, Dance On Oct. 21

The Louisiana Alumni & Friends Association met on Saturday, Oct. 7 to finalize the upcoming All-School Reunion Dinner and Dance.

This annual event will be held on Saturday, Oct. 21 at the American Legion located at 420 Kelly Lane.

The social/mixer will kick off the evening's event from 5 p.m. until 6:30 p.m. It is open to anyone who attended school in Louisiana, and to faculty, staff, spouses and friends of local schools. This social time is free with a cash bar available from the American Legion and provides a great opportunity to reacquire and to reminisce.

At 6:30 p.m. dinner will be served to those with paid reservations (dinner and dance) only. The dinner will include recognition of the special reunion classes in attendance and a brief annual business meeting required by the bylaws.

At 8 p.m. the doors will be open to the public for live entertainment

featuring our beloved local band, Country Soul, playing from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. A cover charge of \$5 will be required to enter for the dance.

Also, the Louisiana Alumni Association Cookbooks will be on sale for that night only for \$10! These would make great gifts for the upcoming holidays.

Cindy Blaylock, chairperson, and a small crew of Alumni members, are instrumental in putting this annual event on for the many alumni/friends of Louisiana

Schools. Anyone who was a student/employee/friend of the Louisiana R-II School District is welcome and encouraged to attend the Alumni & Friends meetings.

The semi-annual Board of Directors meeting to elect a new slate of officers will be held on Nov. 18 at 9:30 a.m. at First Christian Church.

Funds raised by the dance that is open to anyone benefits LHS Alumni projects.

Check out State Sectional softball action this Wednesday on TRIBCAST!
www.thepeopletribune.com

Thank You

Thanks to the new Life Christian Church and all the friends who stopped by to make my 90th birthday celebration a special day. I enjoyed visiting with everyone.

Mildred Hunter

A Big Thank You

The family of Garry Gollaher would like to express our sincere thanks to family, friends and neighbors for the prayers, visits, cards, food and condolences we have received.

Special thanks to Pike County Home Health & Hospice for their care and concern. Also thanks to Greg Wyble, Fr. Doke, and the musicians for the wonderful service, Ryan and Lori at Bibb-Veach Funeral Home for all their comfort.

Joyce Gollaher

Greg & Kelly Gollaher & Family
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ESTATE SALE - Friday, Saturday, Sunday, 8-?, off Hwy. 61, eight miles north of Bowling Green, white and green pole barn. Ladders, riding lawn mower, tools, sign letters, dishes & misc.

YARD SALE - Friday and Saturday, 8-4, Lindsay, 14600 Pike 385 across from VFW. Women's plus size L-XL, boots, shoes, men's XLT ins. coveralls, girl's 10-12, 12-14, jeans/tops, garden hose, pictures, chairs, books, lots of misc.

GARAGE SALE - Saturday, 8-4, scenic Hwy. 61 to Clarksville, 2735 Hwy. WW. Furniture, push mower.

YARD SALE - Lots of items, couch, TV stand, rabbits, books, women's clothing,

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The Bowling Green R-I School District is requesting bids for Snow Removal for the 2017-18 school year. The requirements can be picked up at the Superintendent's Office, 700 W. Adams, Bowling Green, MO 63334, phone 573-324-5441. Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Deadline for bids is Oct. 16, 2017 at 1 p.m.

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