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## Lady Cats Take Third Place At State Meet

For the third consecutive year, the Bowling Green Lady Cats cross country team collected the third place trophy at the Class 2 state meet. Kate Klott and Camy Grote led the team with All-State performances at the meet at Oak Hills Golf Center on Saturday. The team pictured above with Coach Matt Chance receiving the hardware also includes Sylvia Wagner, Nichole Bruni, Quinn Grote, Taylor Blair and Kelsey Finley. Avery Mudd and Max Brandenburger of the boy's team also competed at state over the weekend. The Clopton boy's team and individual runners from Clopton and Van-Far also competed in Class 1. Find more coverage from the state meets on pages 10 and 11 of this week's edition.

## Clarksville To Host Second Program On Town History

The Clarksville Bicentennial Committee is hosting the presentation "The Second 100 Years: Voices From Our Past And Present."

The free event is at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Nov. 12 at the Clarksville Christian Church on Highway 79 on the south side of town. Local historian and author Brent Engel will be the presenter. Following

the program, light refreshments will be served.

Engel is an award-winning former newspaper and television journalist who is now public relations officer at the not-for-profit North East Community Action Corporation (NECAC). He has written four books including "John Brooks Henderson: A Life of Service to America" and "One

More Thing," a non-fiction collection of Pike County stories.

Debra Crank-Lewis, a history professor at St. Charles Community College, discussed Clarksville's first 100 years during a program in April. The Bicentennial Committee is made up of Sue Lindemann, Helaine Mackey, Barbara Meyer, Janie Busch, Linda Blakey and JoAnne Smiley.

## Eastern Missouri YMCA Breaks Ground For Vandalia Facility To Come Next Year

A ground-breaking ceremony was held Thursday, Nov. 2 at the site of the new Eastern Missouri YMCA which was attended by many community stakeholders, members of the Van-Far and Community R-VI student councils, and other dignitaries including members of the Rual Morris Foundation.

The 18,000 square-foot facility is expected to cost about \$1.6 million and is anticipated to be completed in eight months.

In 2009 the Rual Morris Foundation began looking for a new home for the Vandalia Library. The idea of a YMCA was added shortly thereafter. It was noted at the ceremony that a few good people with huge vision, incredible spirit, courage, and determination has made this endeavor possible.

The Foundation asked Felicity Goodpasture-Culwell to chair the fund-raising efforts to make the YMCA a reality.

"I'm not sure I knew what I was getting into, but would do it again in a heartbeat," Goodpasture-Culwell stated on Thursday.

The Foundation has pledged a total of \$650,000 for the project. The board presented the first installment on Thursday in the amount of \$25,000. Goodpasture-Culwell pointed out to everyone that it is never too late to donate as well.

Presiding Commissioner of Audrain County Steve Hobbs said, "We see communities in Audrain County working together to make a better life. It is important to all of us for our health and social life. I can't congratulate you enough for all the years of trying to make the project a reality."

Vandalia Mayor Ralph Kuda

addressed the crowd by saying he is really excited for the entire community on this momentous endeavor that is now a reality.

Roger Young, former Eastern District Commissioner and Rual Morris Foundation board member said, "Now, because of all the hard work, it will begin to show divi-

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### YMCA Receives Funding From Rual Morris Foundation

Felicity Goodpasture-Culwell, fundraising chair for the YMCA (third from left) accepts a check for \$25,000 from members of the Rual Morris Foundation Board of Directors at the groundbreaking ceremony in Vandalia last week. Board members pictured from left: Mary Steiner, Roger Young, (Goodpasture-Culwell), Paul Seigfried, Sherry Medley and Jack Creason. The 18,000-square foot facility is expected to be completed in eight months and cost about \$1.6 million. The check is the first installment of a \$650,000 pledge to the project. Find more photo highlights from the ground-breaking event on page 13 and at [www.thepeopletribune.com](http://www.thepeopletribune.com).

Trib photo by Nancy Case

## Bowling Green Board Opts To Demolish Two Delapidated Buildings Near Square

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It's taken a couple of months debating the merits of taking down two buildings near the square that are in danger of collapse, but the Bowling Green Board of Aldermen decided to take action at a special meeting last night (Monday, Nov. 6).

The buildings are located at the corner of Main and Court Streets and at 16 South Court Street. The block of Court Street between Main and Champ Clark Drive had to be closed until a decision was made to ensure public safety.

Mel Orf, the city's building inspector, noted the problems at the three-story brick building at the corner of Main and Court Streets have been known for some time. He pointed out the building's owner, Gary Rahmeyer, was informed of the structural problems but did not take corrective measures.

McClure Engineering recommended the city close the street after going through the property on Sept. 11. While it was determined the buildings didn't appear to be in danger of immediate collapse, it was determined the properties were beyond salvation.

The other two-story property is locally known as the former gas company and is owned by William Butler and Conita Butler.

Every board member in attendance at last night's special meeting agreed they were not happy about the situation, particularly with the Rahmeyer property.

The city put the demolition of both buildings out for bid recently. They also attempted to work with the Pike County Commission in having all or a portion of the Annex taken down to help with costs. Commissioners decided in a recent 2-1 vote to rehabilitate their property.

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## 'Living Windows' Will Be New For This Year's Holly Jolly Festival

Deadline To Register Is This Friday For Festival On Nov. 17

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The Bowling Green Downtown Revitalization committee has cooked up a fun new event for the Holly Jolly Festival that is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

A Holiday Living Windows contest will be held during the event on Friday, Nov. 17. Businesses and organizations are encouraged to use the windows of buildings around the square to produce a living holiday theme using real people.

Prize money will be awarded for three places that are voted on by those attending the festival. First place will receive \$100, second

and will get \$50 and third place will be given \$25.

"We think this will be a fun new addition, as it gets the community more involved and gives the festival a little bit more entertainment interest," noted Tracy Brookshier, chair of the Downtown Revitalization committee. "Our goal is to fill the vacant building windows to bring life back to them and if we have enough people register, many of the businesses on the square have already agreed to let us utilize their windows as well."

Participants will have to fill out a form to register and sign a liability waiver. There is a \$10 entry fee.

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## Pike County NSDAR Recognizes Louisiana Historical Museum

The Louisiana Area Historical Museum was recently recognized at a ceremony by the Pike County Chapter of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution for the community service provided by the museum over the course of its 25 years of existence.

Cindy Blaylock, Chapter Regent, presented a certificate to members of the museum board at a recent ceremony. The recognition specifically highlights the special programs for the youth of the community. These special programs have been held each Wednesday in June, with 70 or more children and many adults in

attendance at each presentation.

The programs are developed by the museum board members and volunteers to provide a learning experience as well as a way to encourage the interest of children in history. Ranging from information about paddlewheels, games of the 1860s, the history of toys, a scavenger hunt within the Museum, a visit from "Mr. Wizard" to paper quilting and creating Betsy Ross' flag -- each program presented information in an interesting and engaging manner. A program for adults is held each August in cooperation with the Louisiana Public Library.

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**On Nov. 12:** Part two of the Clarksville Bicentennial Speaker Series will be held at the Clarksville Christian Church on Highway 79 at 2 p.m. Come for an entertaining afternoon with Brent Engle and learn more about Clarksville History 1917-2017.

**On Nov. 14:** Pike County Historical Society will meet at 6:30 p.m., at Mary Queen of Peace Church in Clarksville. Reservations must be made by Nov. 9 in order to hear an excellent program by Betty Allen on Clarksville history. Please contact Linda Harmon in Clarksville at 573-560-0036, Georgia Gamm in Bowling Green at 324-2753, or Marilyn Johnson in Louisiana at 754-5303 or 754-0156. If you do not reach them, please leave a message with your reservation for the \$12 meal. The society regrets the error in the previously published dates.

**On Nov. 16:** There will be a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Pike County Health Department, Home Health and Hospice Agency at 8:30 a.m., in the conference room at 1 Healthcare Place, Bowling Green.

**On Nov. 16:** Reach and Rise Mentoring Program, 4 p.m., Twin Pike Family YMCA, 614 Kelly Lane, Louisiana. Volunteers age

23+ who want to inspire and make a difference in the life of a child are welcome. For more information contact Judy Shearon, program director, 754-4497 or 217-341-3337.

**On Nov. 23:** Free Thanksgiving dinner at the Methodist Church in Louisiana, 7th and South Carolina, noon-2 p.m. Delivery, carry-outs or dine in. Call 754-4412 for reservations.

**On Nov. 12:** The Prairie Life Historical Foundation will hold a Christmas Home Tour in the Wellsville and Middletown area. All venues will be decorated for Christmas. The tour is from 1-5 p.m. For tickets or more information call 573-684-6191.

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## Van-Far To Host Veterans Assembly

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Breakfast will be served from 8:15-8:50 a.m., in the high school cafeteria.

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## Pike County Democratic Club Meets

The Pike County Democratic Club met on Thursday, Oct. 19 at Cozy C Campground.

Katie Willsey led the group in prayer and Nina Long led the pledge of allegiance.

Jerri Harrelson, president, conducted the meeting. A report was given by Martha Hipes about the Eclipse Glasses donation to five area schools and the thank you received.

Kevin Sullivan read the by-laws with corrections outlined. Suggestions were made and the club will vote to accept or reject at the next meeting.

Sherry McCarty reported on the Heritage Days and Applefest parades and the new donkey that was made and painted by club members. Everyone was encouraged to attend the Colorfest parade to ride on the float and pass out candy.

The program was in a round table format. Laurie Barron spoke and passed out handouts about the Trump administration of environmental destruction.

Martha Hipes spoke about the republicans false claims of "fake" news. Other topics of interest were discussed from other members.

The next meeting will be on Nov. 16 at a place to be determined.

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## Rosenmiller Named To All-Star Team



**Lucas Rosenmiller**

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based on the composite score obtained throughout the year in all three trap disciplines: singles, handicap, and doubles.

The ATA youth organization promotes Academics, Integrity, and Marksmanship. Last year, Lucas earned the distinction of being named captain of the Junior age division for having the highest composite score nationally for all 15-17 year olds.

This year, he not only earned the same distinction for his age group but had the highest composite score nationally in all AIM ATA age groups.

Lucas shoots with the Gateway Gun Club Youth Shooters in Hazelwood.

His parents are Alan and Leann Rosenmiller of Old Monroe. His grandparents are Leo and Carolyn McBride of Vandalia, and Richard and Judy Rosenmiller of Bowling Green.

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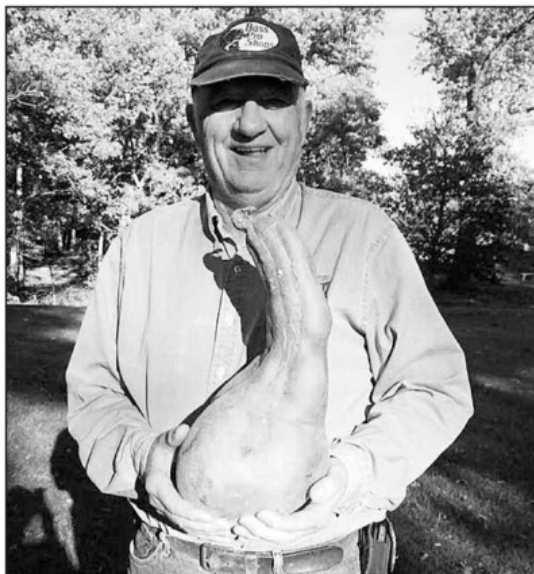
## Kennady McCurdy Kills First Deer

Kennady McCurdy, 12, of Vandalia is pictured with a doe she killed during youth season. She is the daughter of Kyhl McCurdy of Vandalia and Jennifer McCurdy of New London.



## Mitchell Bags Buck

Deacon Mitchell, 13, bagged his first deer, an 11-point buck, on Saturday evening of youth season. The deer was shot on the Mitchell family farm in rural Clarksville. He is the son of Brock and Courtney Mitchell.



## Reid Grows Monster Sweet Potato

Ben Reid of Bowling Green is pictured with the 13-pound sweet potato he harvested recently. Reid planted 12 hills of sweet potatoes which produced over 200 pounds of crop.

## November Is National Hospice, Palliative Care Month

As autumn leaves fall and winter draws near, grief can be thick in the air. November is National Hospice and Palliative Care month. Both palliative care and hospice services are an extremely helpful and supportive resource to individuals and their families as they face terminal illness.

The staff at Pike County Health Department, Home Health & Hospice are blessed to be a part of that caregiving team and assist in providing comfort and support during such a critical and tender time in one's life. For those of you who may be contemplating hospice services, grieving for changes in your own health, or bereaving a loved one who has died please be mindful that grief IS a soul-based journey, there is NO time table and each of us experience and express grief differently.

According to playwright Robert Frost, "death ends one physical life, it does not end a relationship." Our loved one lives on in us, through us, and within our memories and their legacy. They are never forgotten. Nonetheless, a person's life is forever changed by the death of someone they love. Grief transforms us as one searches for finding meaning in living after a loss.

When facing a loss through death one might ask "how can I help?" First, be mindful of your fears and concerns of saying the wrong thing. Simply, be openly honest and let your loved one know that you are sorry for their loss and are aware they are hurting. Reflect on specific memories of the one who has passed and acknowl-

edge the significant roles and influence that person had on your life and others. Respect boundaries and allow time to grieve in a way that is necessary for that individual given their grief is within healthy parameters.

If concerned about one's grief response, be open to the idea and acknowledge that for some of us additional counseling and services may be needed as they journey through their pain and loss. Again, healing takes time and going inward is necessary so expect a variable of emotions. Keibel Ross indicates 5 stages of grieving a loss: denial and shock, anger, bargaining, depression and sorrow, and acceptance. As one experiences loss they fluctuate through these stages. During this fluctuation, grief comes in waves and at times it comes when we least expect it and can knock us off our feet with the severity of emotion felt. So expect that the waves will hit forcefully but that like waves the emotion shall ease if one just allows themselves permission to experience their feelings and embrace their grief vs suppress or deny their pain. Grief requires depression, irritability, anxiety, tears, and loss of control. Healthy grief also requires gentle time for us to regain our purpose and create new

meaning in our life. How much time one might ask, again grief is a sacred, healing journey and there are no definitions on time, we need to honor the process and our needs so healing can continue at its pace.

Lastly, send cards, calls, emails, texts to let the bereaved know that you are thinking of them and have not forgotten that they are hurting and adjusting to life without their loved one. Special dates like Birthdays, Anniversaries, and Holidays are often tender times. One can also offer to run an errand, help mow the lawn, or take them to appointments or places of worship or business. Sharing and reminding them you are near and have not forgotten them as they continue their healing journey.

May I close with this sacred wisdom shared by Kahlil Gibran, "The essence of grief is a profound loneliness. And we have the opportunity as we encounter those who are grieving to assuage a bit of that loneliness. We CAN'T fix the deep hurt but we can assure them we care and that they are not alone in their journey." Be mindful of that whether you are currently enduring your own journey of grieving or befriending a loved one who is. — Anna Wilson, Hospice Social Worker

## Card Of Thanks

The family of Dixie Lasater would like to express our sincere thanks to family, friends, and neighbors for the prayers, visits, cards, messages, support, and condolences we have received. We also send our gratitude and appreciation to the Rev. Frank Welch and McCoy Blossom Funeral Home for the beautiful service.

Your many acts of kindness and sympathy continue to be a great comfort to us in our time of sorrow.

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## Dale Wilkinson

Royce Dale Wilkinson, 81, of rural Montgomery City died Wednesday, Nov. 1, 2017 at Boone Hospital Center in Columbia.

Visitation was from 5-8 p.m., Friday at Myers Funeral Home in Middletown.

Funeral services were at 2 p.m., Saturday at Hopewell Baptist Church in rural Wellsville. The Rev. Jim Cline officiated. Serving as pianist was Paula Gaunt. Special music was provided by Tom and Janice Cahall. Burial was in Vandalia Cemetery.

Mr. Wilkinson was born Feb. 7, 1936 in Pomona, a son of Lloyd Slack and Thelma Pauline Oaks Wilkinson.

He was a 1954 graduate of Lebanon High School. Dale continued his education for two years at Hannibal-LaGrange College.

Dale served his country in the Army National Guard for six years.

On March 25, 1961, at Hopewell Baptist Church in rural Wellsville, he married Mary Ellen Rutherford. They shared over 56 years of marriage together and were the parents of two sons.

Dale and Mary Ellen have lived on their farm since 1969. Dale moved to the area in 1963.

He was a row crop and cattle farmer, raising mostly Angus cows. Dale had worked for over 26 years at the Bank of Middletown, which later became First Bank, working as a loan officer.

Dale was a member of Hopewell Baptist Church in Wellsville, where he served as church clerk for several years. He also served on the Montgomery County Health Department board of trustees for over 15 years. Dale was on the Bank of Middletown Board of Directors and a member of the Coin Club in Hannibal.

He enjoyed quail hunting, fishing and coin collecting. More than anything, he loved spending time with his family, especially his grandchildren.

Dale is survived by his wife, Mary Ellen Wilkinson of the home in Montgomery City; sons, Richard Dale Wilkinson and wife, Lynn of Bowling Green and William Lloyd "Bill" Wilkinson and wife, Andrea of Montgomery City; five grandchildren, Kathryn Marie Wilkinson, Cody Dale Wilkinson and Amanda Lynn Wilkinson of Bowling Green and Royce Paul Wilkinson and William Andrew Wilkinson of Montgomery City; sisters and brother, Evelyn Ruth Renner and husband, James P., of Lebanon, Donald Ray Wilkinson and wife, Carol, of Johnson City, Tenn., and Edith May Buckley and husband, Jim of Wilmington, N.C.; in addition to nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and brother, Ronald Roy Wilkinson.

Serving as pallbearers were Nathan Carroz, Bryan Gruber, Bob Morrow, James K. Renner, Lindell Spiers and Jason Wilkinson. Honorary pallbearers were Lindell Barton, Dennis Carroz, James Dunbar, Paul Dunbar, Larry Dunn, Jim Krattli, John Simpson, Tony Walton and Robert Wilkerson.

Memorial contributions are suggested to Hopewell Baptist Church, Middletown First Responders or the charity of the donor's choice, c/o Myers Funeral Home, 203 East Bates Street, Wellsville, MO 63384.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to the family at [www.myersfuneralhome.biz](http://www.myersfuneralhome.biz).

## William Rousan

William Rousan, 56, of Louisiana died Oct. 16, 2017.

Visitation will be held Saturday from 12-2 p.m., at Elmwood Church in Louisiana.

Memorial services will be held at 2 p.m., at the church.

## Jacqueline E. Bryant

Jacqueline E. Bryant, 74, of St. Louis, formerly of Vandalia died Saturday, Nov. 4, 2017 at Evelyn's House in St. Louis.

Visitation will be Saturday from noon-1 p.m., at Waters Funeral Chapel in Vandalia.

Funeral services will be Saturday at 1 p.m., at the funeral home.

A full obituary will appear in next week's paper.



## Jessie Ray Lovelace Boston

Jessie Ray Lovelace Boston, 76, of Quincy, Ill., died Oct. 31, 2017 at Hannibal Regional

Hospital.

A private military service will be held Thursday at Sunset Cemetery in Quincy.

She was born Aug. 31, 1941 in Ashley to Elgin and Bertha Lovelace.

Survivors include a sister, Donna Potter; nephew, Edward Potter; great-nephew, William Potter; and three great-nieces, Randi Potter, Stephanie Mourino and husband, Wilson, and Sarah Bucher and husband, Christopher. She was preceded in death by her brother, Harold "Shorty" Potter.

Jessie graduated from Bowling Green High School and later enlisted in the United States Navy. She then served in Operation Desert Storm as a nurse and most recently retired from the National Guard.

She served her country proudly and loved spending as much time as possible with her family and will be missed dearly.

## Ecumenical Women's Group To Change Meeting Time This Month

The Ecumenical Women's Breakfast group will change its regular schedule for this month's meeting.

Rather than meeting on the second Monday of the month, which has been the tradition since the group was created, it will take place at First Presbyterian Church on Tuesday, Nov. 14 at 8:30 a.m. with the ladies of Calvary Episcopal Church and Elmwood Presbyterian Church serving as co-hostesses.

In the past, meetings have been held on Mondays but with so many of the attendees busy helping with the Community Food Pantry, it was decided to try meeting on Tuesday to accommodate them.

The program will be presented by a representative of "The Aviary" which is a substance abuse treatment facility whose services include detoxification,

## OBITUARIES

# Pike County Chapter To Dedicate Veterans Tree

On Veterans Day three years ago, a beautiful Black Gum tree was planted at Veterans Park in Louisiana by Pike County Chapter NSDAR. Unfortunately the tree did not survive the many changes in weather. On Veterans Day this year, the chapter will plant a Pin Oak in the same location. Both trees are native to Missouri.

All veterans are invited to attend the brief dedication ceremony at 9 a.m., Saturday, Nov. 11 at Veterans Park. The chapter recognizes Americans who fought in

all wars, veterans and those who gave the ultimate sacrifice, those missing in action and all their families for the sacrifices they also gave.

The chapter has been an active participant in the commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of the Vietnam War and recognition of the Vietnam War veterans in the Louisiana area. On March 30 which is Vietnam Veterans Day, a special ceremony was held at the American Legion building and an excerpt from a speech by President Reagan was read. Quote: "Our liberties, our values, all for which America stands is safe today because brave men and women have been ready to face the fire at freedom's front. And we thank God for them".

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# COMMUNITY NEWS



## Employees Honored For October

October Awards were recently presented to Pike County Health Department, Home Health & Hospice employees for their outstanding service. Achievement of Awesomeness Awards were presented to those who went above and beyond their job duties. Pictured, from left: Kim Yoder, Wanda Patton, and Danielle Freie. Not pictured are Hillary Hakenwerth, Carolyn Orf, Kim Gamm, and Robyn Orf.



Celebrating their years of service with the agency are pictured, from left: Becky Carroll and Carol McMorris, both celebrating 25 years of service.

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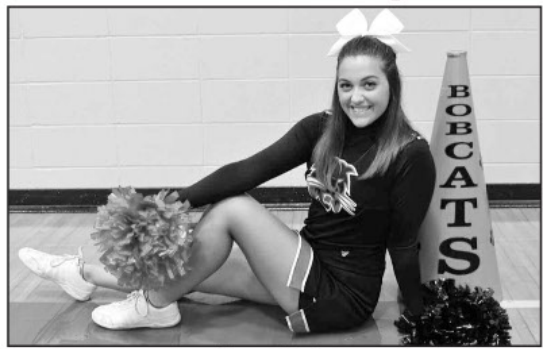
Allyson Huber from Bowling Green High School is one of more than 650 high school cheerleaders and dancers from across the U.S. who will be representing Varsity Spirit in the world famous London New Year's Day Parade.

The individuals invited to perform in the parade qualified for the trip after being selected as an All-American at a summer camp hosted by one of the Varsity Spirit camp brands, which include Universal Cheerleaders Association (UCA), Universal Dance Association (UDA), National Cheerleaders Association (NCA), National Dance Alliance (NDA) and United Spirit Association (USA).

All-Americans are selected to try out based on superior cheerleading, dancing and leadership skills at camps across the country. Only the top 10 percent of the more than 325,000 cheerleaders and dancers who attend the 5,000 Varsity Spirit summer camp sessions earn the chance to march in the holiday spectacular.

Allyson will be among parade performers from all over the world. The theme of this year's parade is "Showtime!" and will celebrate the greatest shows on earth. Cheerleaders, dancers, marching bands, acrobats and more will make up the 10,000 performers representing 20 countries worldwide in the 2018 parade. Established as one of London's biggest events, the parade is seen by nearly 300 million people around the world. In addition to cheering in the parade, All-Americans will be able to celebrate the holiday's European style with the chance to tour some of London's most historic sites during their seven-day stay.

"This is the 30th year we've been able to bring these talented cheerleaders and dancers to London, where they can showcase their skills to a very enthusiastic international audience, and explore the rich cultural heritage of this great city," says Mike



Allyson Huber

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## Clopton Holds Alumni Banquet

The Clopton Alumni Association held its 18th Annual Alumni Banquet on Saturday, Oct. 14 in the Dale Miller Gymnasium at Clopton High School with well over 200 in attendance.

A wonderful dinner was served to all in attendance by Judy Cannon and her catering staff. The event was emceed by Clopton graduate Larry Mills, class of 1962.

Speakers for the evening were past alumni scholarship recipients, Tyler Beauchamp, class 2003; Jill Omohundro Granneman, class of

2005; Mikal Bencomo, class of 2006; and Alex Ellison, class of 2009.

Musical entertainment was enjoyed and provided by alumni Mary Jane Morrow Owens and Patty Morrow Chandler.

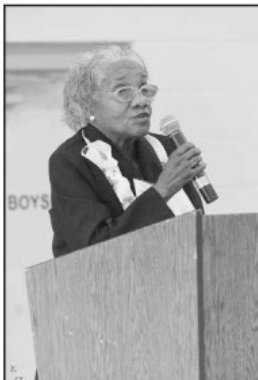
The Clopton Alumni Association Banquet helps support providing at least 10 \$1,750 scholarships each year to Clopton graduates. The association continues to grow and has been able to now only increase scholarship dollar amounts but give to more students through the years.



Pictured are past presidents of the Clopton Alumni Association, front row (l-r): Hettie Hall, Sherry McCarty, Joanne Hammuck, Debbie Woodward, Melaney Mathis, Donna Ellison, and Brenda Akers. Second row: Heather McAlone, Laverne Wright, Carol Crouse, Annette Conrad, and Carol Tolbert. Not pictured were Linda Blakey and Gail Miller.



Tyler Beauchamp



Joanne Hammuck



Mikal Bencomo



Alex Ellison



Jill Granneman

## Culvert Work To Temporarily Close Route V V In Pike County

Weather permitting, Nov. 7-8, MoDOT crews will be doing culvert work on Pike County Route VV. The road will be closed from Pike County Route UU to Pike County Road 131 from 8 a.m.-3 p.m., each day while the work is com-

pleted. Motorists will need to use alternate routes during these times.

This work is weather dependent and could be rescheduled or delayed. For

more information, contact MoDOT's Customer Service Center toll-free at 1-888-ASK MoDOT (275-6636). All roadwork is posted on the traveler info map. You can also visit us online at [www.modot.org/northeast](http://www.modot.org/northeast).

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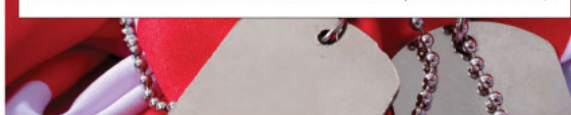
# Honoring Our Brave Veterans

Veterans Day, formerly observed in the  
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Nov. 11th officially became Veterans Day on  
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# BUILDINGS

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Alderman Mark Bair started the conversation at the meeting by suggesting the demolition be postponed a year for the city to seek grant support.

City Administrator Barb Allison noted that she had made numerous phone calls to officials with the Mark Twain Regional Council of Governments and the answers painted a grim picture. The city was awarded a demolition grant to take down 15 residential and one commercial property just eight years ago and it took about three years to conduct all of the paperwork, studies, bidding process, etc., that was

involved. She further pointed out that one official said it was unlikely the city would be awarded a grant until 10 years after receiving one. Allison noted that she wasn't saying that pursuing a grant wasn't an option but wanted to be realistic about the timeline that could be involved.

Mayor Don Hunter spoke out about the need to get the project done.

"We need to get that street open," he remarked. "It's not going to get any cheaper," he added.

Bair and Janice Robinson each pointed out they hated to see Bowling Green taxpayers have to foot the bill.

Hunter said everyone agrees about that but dragging the project out will only make matters worse.

Alderman Mike Pugh agreed. "I think we need to get it down. It's never going to get cheaper or safer."

Robinson offered that she was not happy with the situation or the county's decision not to work with the city. She added the area looks terrible and must be addressed.

Bair pointed out that he's worried that doing the project will "open a can of worms" with other buildings in the city.

Hunter pointed out there is a legal process when it comes to recouping expenses from the building owners. He added the city's attorney, Jim Burlison, is already looking into that aspect.

Alderman Craig Burnett asked if the city could start looking into ways to preventing this from happening again.

Orl and Hunter each indicated the city's hands are often tied in these matters. While the city can have buildings inspected and deem them unsafe, the city has very little ability to force building owners to

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take corrective measures.

"All we can do is look forward," Hunter said.

Bair said he also felt the bids were too high. He made a motion to reject all of the bids that had been tendered and rebid the project. The motion died for lack of a second.

Kim Luebrecht noted it was sad the city had to spend the money but made the motion to move forward with the demolition of both buildings, which was seconded by

Robinson. Luebrecht, Robinson, Pugh and Burnett voted in favor. Bair voted against. Alderman Terry Burris was absent.

Luebrecht further moved to accept the bid from Roberts Demolition out of Center for \$170,000. All members present voted in favor.

Bricker Excavating out of Quincy, Ill., submitted the only other bid the city could consider for \$169,995.

# FESTIVAL

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fee. More information can be obtained by contacting Brookshier at 314-971-5886 or emailing: [tbrookshier@pikecountyhealth.org](mailto:tbrookshier@pikecountyhealth.org).

All funds raised will be put toward the committee's efforts to "OccupyTheSquare - the hashtag to show the efforts in bringing people and foot traffic to downtown again.

The committee has been meeting for almost a year now. Brookshier pointed out the focus of the group is obviously revitalizing the downtown. She added the committee is also a resource for current business owners and seeks to assist in preserving older building and their historical value.

"We want to get the community engaged and excited to be downtown again. We know it is going to take some time, but we are excited to start these efforts. We have a facebook page that the public can stay up to date with us at [facebook.com/bgDowntownRevitalization](https://www.facebook.com/bgDowntownRevitalization). We have our Living Windows event posted there, and more," she said. "We meet the first Thursday of each month, 5 p.m. at the library, it is open to the public and all are encouraged to attend."

## Community Thanksgiving Day Dinner

The 22nd Annual Community of Faith Thanksgiving Day Dinner will be held Thursday, Nov. 23, at Centenary United Methodist Church in Louisiana. This meal is prepared by many different area churches and sponsored by several area organizations, and is available free of charge to anyone desiring a meal on Thanksgiving Day.

Meals will be delivered in Louisiana and Clarksville. In order to have a meal delivered to your home, you must call the Methodist Church at 573-754-4412 and give the number of meals needed, the names of the persons receiving the meal(s), address for delivery, and phone number where you can be contacted on Thanksgiving Day if there are questions.

Carryout meals will also be available starting at 12:00 noon - 2:00 p.m., and

people can also come to the church and eat between 12:00 - 2:00 p.m. Again, advanced reservations are helpful by calling the church at 754-4412, but walk-ins are always welcome. The church is located at 7th and South Carolina Streets, Louisiana.

Come and enjoy the fun and fellowship of a traditional Thanksgiving Day meal with the area churches in this year's Community of Faith Thanksgiving Day Dinner.



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## SPORTS

# Lady Cats Team Claims Third Place At State Cross Country Meet For Third Straight Year

## Avery Mudd, Max Brandenburger Compete In Class 2 Meet

The Bowling Green Lady Cats cross country team completed a remarkable journey that ended with their third consecutive third place finish at the Class 2 state meet at Oak Hills Golf Center on Saturday, Nov. 4.

This was also the fourth

straight year of bringing home hardware from state for the girls.

The team was led by an amazing fourth place finish overall by junior Kate Klott who completed the meet with a time of 19:55. She earned All-State honors.

Also finishing with All-State

distinction was freshman Camy Grote who claimed 14th overall with a time of 20:53.

Coach Matt Chance noted the girl's team has been motivated all year to get back on the podium at the state meet.

"This group really came together over the past three weeks and ran some really great races. I give these kids a lot of credit for believing in themselves and believing in the training," Chance remarked. "Bringing home a state trophy for the fourth straight year is an incredible accomplishment."

Sylvia Wagner finished 29th overall with a time of 21:18, Nichole Bruni was 48th with a time of 22:08, Quinn Grote was 65th with a time of 22:33, Taylor Blair was 68th with a time of 22:38 and Kelsey Finley finished 106th with a time of 23:38.

The team will lose seniors Nichole Bruni and Kelsey Finley next season.

Two members of the boy's team also qualified for the Class 2 state meet.

Avery Mudd was 62nd overall with a time of 18:26.

"Avery ran a great race and capped off a great season. He has improved tremendously over the past four years and we will really miss him next year," Chance said.

Max Brandenburger finished 91st overall with a time of 18:48.

"Max had a great season and led us in nearly every race. This was not his best race and I believe this will motivate him to not only get back to state, but place very well also," Chance noted.



Bowling Green junior Kate Klott captured fourth place overall to lead the Lady Cats cross country team in the Class 2 State meet on Saturday. The All-State runner finished the race in 19:55. The team earned a third place trophy.



Freshman Camy Grote had an All-State finish of 14th with a time of 20:53.



Sophomore Sylvia Wagner came in 29th overall with a time of 21:18.



Senior Nichole Bruni completed the state meet 48th with a time of 22:08.



Sophomore Quinn Grote came in 65th overall with a time of 22:33.



Freshman Taylor Blair came in 68th overall with a time of 22:38 at state.



Senior Kelsey Finley finished the state meet with a time of 23:38.



Senior Avery Mudd came in 62nd overall with a time of 18:26.



Junior Max Brandenburger finished 91st with a time of 18:48.

# Clopton Cross Country Runners Do Well At Class 1 State Meet

The Clopton boy's cross country team and one individual runner from the girl's team competed in the Class 1 state meet at Oak Hills Golf Center on Saturday, Nov. 4.

The boy's team finished 13th overall with junior Donovan Denslow leading the way with an eighth place finish overall, turning in a time of 17:29 to earn All-State recognition.

Daniel Harvey finished 102nd with a time of 19:37, Landon Hall was 138th with a time of 20:40, Blake Kendall was 145th with a time of 21:21, Jared Hoehn finished 148th with a time of 21:30 and Parker Edmiston was 160th with a time of 22:42.

Sophomore runner Tricia Luke also qualified for the state meet and placed 94th with a time of 24:55.

Coach Colleen O'Brien noted the teams had a strong season this year and it resulted in accomplishments at state.

"The entire boys team ran well, running close to their personal records, which is quite a feat for the tough state course," she remarked. "This season has been competitive, which I think is good for the runners. We also run in a tough district which better-prepares our runners for the state competition."

O'Brien noted the Tricia Luke shaved almost a minute and a half

off her time from districts last year and finished two places lower.

"That fact proves how much stronger our district and the whole sport of cross country is getting."

She pointed out that she looks forward to coaching the team next season and seeing Denslow reaching his goal of setting a personal record at state.



Donovan Denslow captured All-State honors by finishing eighth overall with a time of 17:29 to lead the Clopton Hawks cross country team in the Class 1 state meet on Saturday.



Freshman Daniel Harvey completed the meet with a time of 19:37.



Senior Landon Hall finished with a time of 20:40 at the state meet.



Senior Blake Kendall finished with a time of 21:21 at the state meet.



Sophomore Jared Hoehn completed the meet with a time of 21:30.



Senior Parker Edmiston completed the state meet with a time of 22:42.



Sophomore Tricia Luke competed individually and finished in 24:55.



# SPORTS



Van-Far softball players received special honors at the Fall Athletic Banquet on Monday, Oct. 30. Pictured from left: Jordan Garner, highest slugging percentage, most assists, MVP; Makayla McAfee, most stolen bases, most hustle, break out player award; Alivia Graddy, most inspirational; Mallory Williams, rookie of the year; Jayle Jennings, most RBIs, best batting average, MVP, pitcher of the year; Reaghan Case, golden glove award; Carleigh Phillips, most improved and team player award; Gina Clausen, most walks, sportsmanship award; Aubrey Bunge, MVP JR; Rebecca Moore, JV top slugger; Annalynn Culwell, JV best defensive player; Alyse Jensen, team player award JV and Vanessa Martinez, JV most improved.



Pictured are Van-Far football players receiving special honors at the Fall Athletic Banquet, from left: Eric Hombs, outstanding offensive back, offensive player of the year; Jacob Garner, outstanding ironman MVP; outstanding practice work ethic, outstanding defensive linebacker, defensive player of the year, golden helmet award; Treyson Culwell, most improved; Ashton Gamett, rookie of the year; Kyle Ebers, outstanding offensive lineman; Nathan Beatty, outstanding defensive lineman; Josh Hodde, special team player of the year, outstanding offensive receiver; Colten Jensen, outstanding defensive back; and Parker Wallace, outstanding ironman MVP, golden helmet award.



Pictured are Van-Far cheerleaders receiving special honors, from left: Katie Elzea, best attitude; Claire Motley, most dedicated; Emily Humphrey, most potential; Bethany Regot, most determined; Makayla Vigil, most encouraging; Avery Rost, best all around; Sharon Baur, most spirited; Olivia Bybee, most improved; and Madalyn Swafford, most versatile.



Van-Far cross country runners receiving special honors, from left: Logan Wilson, most improved; Lathyn McMorris, most valuable runner; and Kenede Farrell, move improved. Not pictured is Madelyn McAfee, most valuable runner.



## Lathyn McMorris Earns Honors At Class 1 State Cross Country

Van-Far senior Lathyn McMorris qualified to compete in the Class 1 State Cross Country Meet at Oak Hills Golf Center on Saturday, Nov. 4. This is the first year of the program for Van-Far. McMorris earned All-State honors by capturing a 14th place finish with a time of 17:42, which was a personal record time for him.

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## COMMUNITY NEWS



Board members of the Louisiana Area Historical Museum board were on hand to receive an award from the NSDAR for their contributions to the quality of life in Louisiana, specifically the summer programming for children. Pictured are LAHM Board members Linda Beer, Jean Eastman, Brent Engel, Ned Glenn, Eileen Hoffman, Trent Meyers, Charlotte Perrine, Judy Schmidt, Dorothy Webb, and NSDAR members Cindy Blaylock, Marilyn Johnson, and Anne Keller. Juanita Thomas serve as a members of both groups.

## CEREMONY

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Also recognized was the museum's service to the community by sponsoring the annual Mid-Town Church Walk. Six local churches each present a variety of choral and instrumental carols, marking the beginning of the Christmas season. A soup supper is held following the Church Walk.

A lengthy project for the museum was the restoration of a Civil War flag, "The First Flag of the Confederacy." A local resident was one of the troops under Col. Joseph Porter in northeastern Missouri and brought the flag home from a Texas campaign to Pike County after the war. A grant from the Missouri Humanities Council and National Endowment for the Humanities, as well as local donations, aided in the preservation of the flag, which is on permanent display at the Museum.

The certificate and pin were the first ever presented by the Pike County Chapter, making it an exceptionally meaningful recognition. On hand for the presentation were Anne Keller, Honorary Missouri State Regent and Pike County Chapter registrar, and her husband, Bill, of Bolivar.

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# COMMUNITY NEWS

## YMCA

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dends to this community for years to come. Let us not forget to thank all the people of all ages, from all walks of life, from elementary school students, from businesses, to corporate agribusinesses for their donations and pledges."

He added, "Today's ground breaking is a tribute to the strength of Vandalia. It was a huge vision for Vandalia and with a lot

of determination it is now a reality."

The Red Leg Loan of \$800,000 was approved by the USDA through Consolidated Electric.

Lori Brandoe, director of the Mexico YMCA noted she was so impressed with the passion by the community for the project.

Pat Ryan, Mexico YMCA board chairman told the crowd, "I want this project to be what you want it to be."

Throughout the ground-breaking ceremonies it was reiterated that the Eastern Missouri YMCA is for everyone.

The People's Tribune is online anytime at [www.thepeopletribune.com](http://www.thepeopletribune.com)



Ground was officially broken last week at the site for the new Eastern Missouri YMCA in Vandalia. The ceremony on Thursday, Nov. 2 was attended by various dignitaries, local committee and board members, and members of the Rural Morris Foundation which has pledged \$650,000 to the \$1.6 million project. The facility will include 18,000 square feet and is expected to be completed in eight months. YMCA Fundraising Chair Felicity Goodpasture-Culwell is joined by other state and community stakeholders in the ceremonial ground-breaking last week. Find more photos from the event online at [www.thepeopletribune.com](http://www.thepeopletribune.com).

Trib photo by Nancy Case



Also taking part in the ceremonial ground-breaking for the Eastern Missouri YMCA in Vandalia last week were student council members from Van-Far and Community R-VI. Find more photo highlights from the event online at [www.thepeopletribune.com](http://www.thepeopletribune.com).

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Felicity Goodpasture-Culwell, fundraising chair for the Eastern Missouri YMCA, addressed the crowd at the ground-breaking ceremony. Many other state and local officials spoke about the importance of the project as well. Find more photos online.

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# COMMUNITY NEWS

## November Is American Diabetes Month

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### Diabetes Quick Facts:

Today, 1 in 10 U.S. adults have diabetes, and if trends continue, 1 in 5 will have it by 2025. Of these 30 million people, 1 in 4 don't know they have it.

An additional 86 million U.S. adults – one in three – have prediabetes, and 90 percent of them don't know they have it. Prediabetes means their blood sugar is higher than normal, but not high enough to be considered type 2 diabetes. Without intervention many people with prediabetes could develop type 2 diabetes within five years.

Diabetes is the seventh leading cause of death in the United States (and may be underreported).

Type 2 diabetes accounts for about 90-95 percent of all diagnosed cases of diabetes; type 1 diabetes accounts for about five percent.

In the last 20 years the number of adults diagnosed with diabetes has more than tripled as the American population has aged and become more overweight or obese.

### Risks:

You're at risk for developing prediabetes or type 2 diabetes if you –

- Are overweight
- Are age 45 or older
- Have a parent, brother or sister with type 2 diabetes

- Are physically active less than 3 times a week

- Have ever had gestational diabetes (diabetes while pregnant) or given birth to a baby weighing more than nine pounds

People of different racial and ethnic groups, such as African Americans, Mexican Americans, American Indians, Native Hawaiians, Pacific Islanders and Asian Americans have a higher risk of Type 2 diabetes. (ADA)

To find your risk for Type 2 Diabetes – take the Type 2 Diabetes Risk Test at <http://www.diabetes.org/are-you-at-risk/diabetes-risk-test>

You're at risk for developing gestational diabetes (diabetes while pregnant) if you:

- Had gestational diabetes during a previous pregnancy
- Have given birth to a baby who

- weighed more than nine pounds
- Are overweight
- Are more than 25 years old
- Have a family history of type 2 diabetes

- Have polycystic ovary syndrome

- Are African American, Hispanic/Latino American, American Indian/Alaska Native, or Pacific Islander

Gestational diabetes usually goes away after your baby is born but increases your risk for type 2 diabetes later in life.

Babies born to mothers with gestational diabetes are more likely to have obesity as children or teens, and are more likely to develop type 2 diabetes later in life also.

### Complications:

People with diabetes are twice as likely to have heart disease or a stroke as people without diabetes – and at an earlier age.

Diabetes is the leading cause of kidney failure, lower-limb amputations, and adult-onset blindness.

Smokers are 30-40 percent more likely to develop type 2 diabetes than nonsmokers.

People with diabetes who smoke are more likely to develop serious related health problems, including heart and kidney disease.

In about two out of three American Indians/Alaska Natives with kidney failure, diabetes is the cause.

### Cost:

Medical costs and lost work and wages for people with diagnosed diabetes total \$245 billion yearly.

Medical costs for people with diabetes are twice as high as for people who don't have diabetes.

References: [www.cdc.gov/diabetes](http://www.cdc.gov/diabetes); [www.diabetes.org](http://www.diabetes.org)

For people with diabetes and their caregivers, PCHD offers an American Diabetes Association recognized diabetes self-management education program taught by a Certified Diabetes Educator and a monthly support group. Blood sugar, Hemoglobin A1C, and Cholesterol/Lipid profile w/glucose screenings are available for a nominal fee. For more information on diabetes and prediabetes contact PCHD at 324-2111 or visit our website at [www.pikecounty-health.org](http://www.pikecounty-health.org).



## LES Class Makes Jack-O-Lantern

Mrs. Picone's Kindergarten class at Louisiana finished up their October activities with turning their classroom pumpkin into a jack-o-lantern. The class has been reading books about pumpkins and jack-o-lanterns, doing pumpkin activities, and getting to carve their pumpkin. They received their pumpkin from Prairie's Edge at Bowling Green when they went on the kindergarten field trip. Pictured, front row (l-r): Madison Hansen, Madi Myers, Rebecca Miller, Colbie Adkison, Ben Rivera, and Trey Garrett. Second row: Emmie Parsons, Genesis Vasquez-Santos, Virginia Bennett, Kamden Anderson, and Hunter Sealock. Second row: Willie Ardenaux, Hunter Fuget, Brennan Loveless, Mrs. Picone, volunteer Judy Allen, Chloe Hill, Valida Robinson, and Cristyn Dowell.



After the pumpkin was carved, students were able to each help get the seeds and guts out of the pumpkin. Chloe Hill in front said "the pumpkin guts feel slimy!" Other students left to right waiting to get a turn are Emmie Parsons, Madison Hansen, Hunter Sealock, Ben Rivera, and Mrs. Picone



Willie Ardenaux shows off his own paper jack-o-lantern he made.

## Haw Creek Club Meets At Jennings Opry

The Haw Creek Club met Wednesday, Nov. 1 at the Jennings Opry with Brenda Cook as hostess.

Lola Jennings opened the meeting with a prayer. It was a cold windy day and Brenda's ham and bean meal accompanied with corn bread and more, was warmly welcomed by all.

The devotional was read by Lola, "Instruments of Peace." and a little poem about 'candy corn.' Members joined in singing, "Bless This Club." Roll call was answered by nine members, Count your blessings was answered by members.

Members attending were Brenda, Frankie Epperson, Leah Epperson, Mary Helen Elder, Ceara Flowers, Lola, Dorothy McCarthy, Diane Miller, Myrna Schuette. Members with November birthdays are Dorothy Flowers and Pauline Gibbs.

Club business was discussed. Lola gave a report on cards she had sent. As a program Brenda asked each member a question.

Club collect was recited. Brenda had the game for the day. A tray was passed around with numerous items on it, members were to write down as many items as they could remember that was on the tray. Ceara and Lola were the winners. Brenda then rewarded all with a gift.

Pauline and Lola will be in charge of the Christmas meeting. Members are requested to bring a salad or a dessert.



## BGHS Colorfest Art Winners

Codi Riegel, Nichole Bruni, and Mathew Sisson represented BGHS at the Colorfest Art Show on Oct. 21-22. Codi Riegel received an honorable mention for his charcoal portrait.

## Shoulder Work Planned For Pike Rt. WW

Weather permitting, Wednesday, Nov. 8, Pike County Route WW will have traffic reduced to one lane from Pike County Route W to Pike CRD 228 for ditching work. The road will be one lane beginning 8 a.m.-3 p.m., while the work is completed.

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# Clarence Cannon National Wildlife Refuge Hosts Eighth Annual Mobility, Visually Impaired Hunt

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## COMMUNITY NEWS



Dr. Erin Neihoff and Carolyn Gregory



Monty Nichols & Carolyn Gregory

During the weekend of Oct. 21 and 22, eight hunters and their assistants gathered at the Clarence Cannon National Wildlife Refuge (NWR) for the eighth annual Mobility and Visually Impaired Deer Hunt.

Each year disabled sportsmen and

women submit applications and participants are randomly selected via a lottery drawing. Those lucky enough to have their name drawn are excited about the opportunity to harvest a deer, an experience that in most cases would not be possible.

This event has gained support throughout the community with generous donations from local businesses and commitments from volunteers contributing to the success of this program. Lunch was provided by Monty's BBQ and Finklang Eye Health Associates in Troy. Ed Smith of Eolia, Don Tabor of Wentzville, and Ted Silverberg of Troy have returned year after year to volunteer their time to help hunters.

The weekend was filled with memorable moments between hunters, volunteers, and Refuge employees. The annual lunch is just one of the many highlights from the event and provided an opportunity for participants to tell stories of current and past hunts and discuss their shared hope of harvesting a deer. Even though not every hunter harvested a deer, most participants saw deer and plan to apply again next year. For many the hunt is considered a success because of the camaraderie, support, and appreciation for wildlife experienced throughout the weekend.

To visit Clarence Cannon NWR, travel Highway 79 or County Road H in Pike County, Missouri to the town of Annada. The refuge is located one mile east on County Road 206 and is open during daylight hours for wildlife viewing and hiking.

Clarence Cannon NWR is part of the National Wildlife Refuge System which boasts over 560 refuges and 38 wetland management districts nationwide and protects over 150 million acres of important habitat for the benefit of fish, wildlife and future generations of Americans. Wildlife-dependent recreational uses offered on these lands range from hunting, fishing, wildlife photography, wildlife observation, interpretation and environmental education.

To view a list of all the national wildlife refuges throughout the United States, visit <https://www.fws.gov/refuges/> or call 1-800-344-WILD (9453).



Letha Perkins Honored For Retirement  
Moore-Pike Nursing Home celebrated Letha Perkins' retirement and farewell with a party on Friday, Oct. 27.

## Pike Pioneer Menu

Wednesday, Nov. 8 - Ham, sweet potatoes, spinach, dessert.

Thursday, Nov. 9 - Closed.

Friday, Nov. 10 - Chili, pimento cheese sandwich, dessert.

Saturday, Nov. 11 - Closed.

Monday, Nov. 13 - Country fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, broccoli/cauliflower.

Tuesday, Nov. 14 - Polish

sausage, buttered potatoes, sauerkraut, dessert.

Wednesday, Nov. 15 - BBQ ribs, baked potato, slaw, dessert.

Thursday, Nov. 16 - Closed.

Friday, Nov. 17 - Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn, dessert.

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# COMMUNITY NEWS



Louisiana Alumni who attended the annual banquet included: Alan Lynn, Virgil Beer, Anne Keller, Linda Narramore, Jack and Mary Littrell.



Pictured, from left, are Louisiana Alumni Association president Sandy Niemeyer and event chairperson Cindy Blaylock.

## Reading Gives Superstition Talk At Farmer-Farmerette Club Meeting

This month's meeting of the Farmer-Farmerette Club was held Saturday, Oct. 14 in the social room at Leisure Manor. Claudine Lybarger was in charge of the decorations and carried the Halloween theme from table decor to plates and etc. Several members also dressed in Halloween colors.

President Kay Reading led the pledge to the American flag and afterwards offered up a prayer of thanks for the carry-in lunch.

Roll call for the month was to tell of a Halloween memory and many amusing ones were answered by Pauline Oberman, Clara Shaver, Kay Reading, Claudine Lybarger, Kerri Reading, and Jeannie Smith.

Lybarger read for the devotional a passage from Ephesians by Helen Steiner. Song leader, Pauline Oberman, led the singing of "The Monster Mash."

Reading gave a talk on superstitions, how they came about, truth or fabrication, etc. Some were old and they learned of a few new ones.

Shaver gave the treasurer's

report and Smith read the secretary's report.

A motion was made and passed to send a donation to Operation Christmas Child.

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Get well and thinking of you cards were sent to Wanda Hanson, Virginia Thompson, and Pauline Keithley, a birthday card was sent to Keithley whose birthday was Oct. 18.

The mystery prize donated by Kay Reading was won by Clara Shaver. Members received cards and gifts from their secret pals. Kerri had the game but as time was short, she just gave each member a prize, and Oberman gave each a treat bag of candy.

Members voted to discontinue the annual Thanksgiving and Easter suppers, it was hard to come to this point, but there just aren't enough members to carry on the tradition. They will miss seeing many dear friends who faithfully came each time.

## LHS Alumni Renew Acquaintances At Annual Dinner

After spending the day watching the Colorfest parade and enjoying the sights and sounds of Georgia Street, many Louisiana alumni got together for their annual reunion dinner. Over 200 alumni, friends and former teachers/staff met at the American Legion to visit and socialize before the dinner and dance which followed.

The LHS band played a couple numbers as well as the fight song and national anthem. Cindy Blaylock, Alumni Association event chair, presented the band with a check to show our appreciation. A moment of silence followed for all alumni who have passed during the last year. After the invocation, attendees were served a bountiful meal prepared by Vicky Keely and her helpers.

A short business meeting was held as dinner concluded. The nominating committee put forth a proposed slate of three new board members including Mike Pratt, Danette DeBourge and Pam Todd-Watts which was approved. Junior Clark, on behalf of the Class of '57, made a contribution to the Association.

Don E. Giltner, long-time administrator in the R-II school district, was called upon to make a presentation. On behalf of the

Class of '67 a flag was presented to the school district in honor of Private First Class Mack Preston, Jr. Preston was a '67 graduate of LHS who was killed in the Vietnam War. Dr. Todd Smith accepted the flag from the American Legion which was enclosed in a special glass case made by Jim Wood. Additionally, Wood took an etching of Mack's name from the Vietnam Memorial in Washington, D.C. and put it in the case. While members of the Preston family came forward to be recognized the crowd stood and applauded. The case will go on permanent display at LHS.

The special reunion classes, those whose graduation year ended in '2' or '7', were recognized. The classes of 1967 and 1977 had the largest numbers attending. Alumni from as far away as Washington and Oregon attended.

The evening concluded with a dance. The band Country Soul, made up exclusively of LHS graduates, played.

The Alumni Association was excited to see the good turnout and hopes the 2018 special reunion classes (ending in '3' and '8') are planning to join in next year's reunion events.

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This position will be filled immediately and applicants must be able to start work as soon as the employment process can be completed. Qualified parties may send a resume to the YMCA 21st Century Community Learning Center, 614 Kelly Lane, Louisiana, MO 63353. Call Denise Ash at 573-470-0921 or Ashley Branham at 573-754-4449 for more information.

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