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Eagles fly into summer school at Purdy



Purdy Schools kicked off their summer school program last week. Mrs. Kelsey Fields is hosting this year's Purdy iSchool, which features a focus on technology. Students in third through sixth grade are working hard, learning to build circuits. Clockwise, from bottom left: Mrs. Kelsey Fields, Linh Mai, Shelby Patterson, Erynn Cunningham, Autumn Bingham, Jenna Adams, Elijah Bowers and Gracelyne Logan.

Drug Court receives grant to expand access, services across 39th Judicial Circuit

FUNDS WILL INCREASE SERVICES FOR
TREATMENT COURTS IN STONE, BARRY AND LAWRENCE COUNTIES

Isaac Estes-Jones

Adult Treatment Courts in the 39th Judicial Circuit will have increased capacity and services starting this year thanks to a nearly \$2 million grant. Chrissy Fortner, Treatment Court Administrator for the 39th Judicial Circuit, announced that the circuit was one of 20 programs across the nation to receive a grant from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, part of the US Department of Health and Human Services.

These funds will allow the adult drug treatment courts in Stone, Barry and Lawrence counties to serve a total of 400

people over the five year span of the grant.

The new funds will allow more repeat felony offenders with substance use disorder (SUD), who also meet other criteria at screening to enter the treatment court program. The grant will increase access to medical preventative services, dentistry, recovery housing, Hepatitis/HIV testing and other treatments.

"The funding will enable Stone, Lawrence and Barry counties to serve more people and continue improving our programs," said Judge Alan Blankenship, who oversees the Stone County treatment court programs.

Historically, drug treatment courts have been shown to be more effective than other interventions. "Treatment court is not only more effective than prison, but it is also substantially cheaper," said Blankenship.

According to Stone County Treatment courts, the average cost to the state per participant is \$4,400. This contrasts sharply to the cost of incarceration of approximately \$26,000 per year.

Graduates of the treatment court program are also far less likely to re-enter the justice system.

For graduates of the treatment court program, re-

Cassville Schools begins Vision 150 projects

Vinnie Roberts

During the General Municipal Election on April 2, voters in the Cassville school district elected to pass Cassville's Vision 150 no-tax increase bond. Cassville voters elected to pass the bond by a margin of 74.71, and after the bonds were sold following the board of education meeting in May, the bond measure generated \$4.1 million for the purposes of making renovations to the various facilities within the district.

"After the election, the board took several different initial steps to initiate those project priorities with our teachers and our community, as well as the architect and our construction manager," said Dr. Richard Asbill, superintendent of Cassville Schools. "We're going ahead moving forward with all of our tentative plans that we had identified as part of Vision 150."

According to Asbill, the main focuses of the project have always been the construction of a new early childhood development center, renovations to the electrical system, general renovations to the school's "vintage wing," and updates to school playgrounds.

In order to facilitate these projects, the board of education elected work with Paragon Architecture, of Springfield. The board also elected to work with Branco Enterprises, a construction company with offices in both Neosho and Springfield, for their construction planning.

Asbill went on to explain that, due to the nature and



Even the administrators got in on the demolition action to kick off the Vision 150 project at Cassville Elementary. Pictured, middle school principal Jimmie Barton and high school assistant principal Nathan Carter haul out the old in preparation of the new.



Cassville primary principal Catherine Weaver helped to haul off the old materials during the demolition phase of classroom improvements in the elementary building.

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AD DEADLINES HAVE CHANGED

The ad and news deadline for the Barry County Advertiser permanently changed Friday, March 15.

The new display ad deadline is Friday by 4 p.m. for the paper printed the following Wednesday. To submit ads, contact Renée at ads@4bca.com.

Classified ads are due by Mondays at 5 p.m. for the paper that Wednesday. Submit classifieds to Elaine at class@4bca.com. Submitted news, sports and community calendar items for publication are due by Fridays at 4 p.m. Submit news to Charlea at editor@4bca.com.

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Chamber director hired as CCF director

Vinnie Roberts

Rachael Selby Freeman wears her fair share of hats. Currently, she serves as the director of the Cassville Chamber of Commerce, a role that she took over in since October 2017. Starting this month, she adds another title on top of her duties as chamber director: director of the Cassville Community Foundation (CCF).

The foundation exists as something of a middle-man for private citizens who want to donate money to their community but don't want the hassle associated with donating money as a private citizen.

"It's a way to relieve people of the financial hassle of donat-

ing and dealing with the IRS," said Selby Freeman. "It's a way for people to leave money for the community and know that it's always going to be there and know that there's a board designed to use it for the community."

The Cassville Community Foundation is under the direction and umbrella of Community Foundation of the Ozarks, based in Springfield. Both organizations manage various endowment funds, donated by members of the community and use the interest generated by those endowment funds to put money back into the community in the form of grants.

Currently, the CCF man-



Selby Freeman

ages approximately 20 endowment funds, operating off of the interest generated from nearly \$1 million in those collective

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DRUG COURT from FRONT

cidivism is less than 20%. According to the Missouri Department of Corrections, the average rate of recidivism for individuals released from prison is 60%.

“This grant award will now give the courts in the 39th Circuit the level of assurance that we can function for a significant period of time into the future. The circuit’s track record of success and the people behind that success made this grant award possible,” said Judge Johnnie Cox, who oversees treatment courts in Barry County.

This is the fifth consecutive grant awarded to the 39th Circuit since 2010. The \$1,999,965 grant is one of only 20 awarded in the United States. “This was a highly competitive grant,” said Fortner, who wrote the grant along with Dr. Vickie Luttrell, professor of psychology, and Dr. Jana Bufkin, associate professor of criminology. Luttrell and Bufkin will also serve as project evaluators. During a recent graduation ceremony, Judge Blankenship shared the news of the grant with those in attendance. “Thank you, Chrissy,” he said.

“This funding will expand Adult Treatment Drug Court capacity to increase the number of high-risk, high-need offenders receiving SUD treatment, mental health treatment, primary health care services and temporary housing assistance,” said Fortner.

“Because of growing demand, we have exceeded our circuit-wide admission goals every year since 2010,” she said.

Judges and staff throughout the circuit have emphasized the impact that treatment courts have on those who successfully complete the program. “The program strives to increase the personal, familial and societal accountability of offenders with substance use disorder and utilizes evidence-based strategies to ensure success,” said Fortner.

“The funding allows our treatment courts to effectively integrate evidence-based substance abuse treatment,

mandatory drug testing, sanctions and incentives and transitional services in judicially supervised court settings that have jurisdiction over offenders to reduce recidivism and substance abuse,” said Judge Scott Sifferman, who oversees treatment courts in Lawrence County.

2019 is the 15th year for treatment court programs in Stone County. The Stone County Adult Drug Treatment Court is also one of eight national mentor courts, providing training and support to new programs across the country.

Barry County drug court is now in its 11th year. This is also the 8th year of treatment court for Lawrence County.

Burgherr named to Dean's Honor Roll

Zachary Burgherr, of Monett, was recognized for outstanding academic work during the 2019 spring semester and has earned a listing on the Dean's Honor Roll at East Central University.

The Dean's Honor Roll lists students who have at least a 3.33 grade-point average. At least 12 credit hours must be completed successfully during the semester to be included on the Dean's Honor Roll.

Exeter moves on city hall relocation, equipment purchases

Vinnie Roberts

During the Exeter City Council's regular meeting on Wednesday, May 15, council members made several moves that will affect city business moving forward.

This meeting marked the first meeting in Exeter's new City Hall, the stand alone building next to the previous City Hall. The new facility features a secure entrance, with the city clerk seated behind a window in a lobby that is the only freely accessible point to the public. Behind the secure door that leads to the heart of the building are offices for various city officials, as well as a kitchenette that leads to the council chamber. The council chamber and kitchenette also act as the city's courtroom and court lobby.

Exeter city council previously voted to enter into a rent-to-own agreement with the building's owner Thomas (Rob) Sorensen, during a council meeting on March 27. Before moving into the facility, the council paid a \$5,000 down payment toward an overall cost of \$85,000. Rent at the new city hall is \$907 a month.

The first change involves law enforcement. Recent graduate of the Missouri Southern State University Police Academy and lifelong Exeter resident Kenneth Phillips asked the council for the opportunity to work with Exeter Police Chief Wil-

lie Stephens, which was approved. Phillips, a post-certified peace officer, will work free hours riding along with Stephens. Once Phillips receives the appropriate training patrolling in town, he will be added to the list of Exeter's reserve officers.

During the meeting, the council also opened and ruled on sealed bids for the surplus Dodge Charger, which previously served as the city's patrol vehicle. The 2009 Dodge Charger was deemed too costly to fix by the council due to structural and motor damage.

Two bids were received for \$300 and \$500. The council opted to take the larger offer, awarding the vehicle to Exeter Police Chief Willie Stephens for the amount of \$500.

The council recently purchased a new patrol vehicle for Exeter. The vehicle, a 2016 Ford Explorer, cost the city \$8,900 to purchase.

At the meeting, the council opened sealed bids from parties interested in providing police decals for the car. The city received two bids, one in the amount of \$460 from Country Mama and

another from John Hilburn in the amount of \$290. The council moved to accept the bid from Hilburn due to its preferable price and design aesthetic.

The council also ruled in favor of the purchase of a set of new blades and bolts for the city's backhoe-mounted cutter for approximately \$300.

Finally, the council heard an appeal from Exeter court clerk Marissa Robbins. Robbins stated that court's current scheduled meetings every other month was insufficient to process the number of infractions and civil cases that pass through the city's court. Heeding Robbins' claims, the council moved to hold court every month with payment reviews to be heard on one month and traffic tickets to be dealt with the next month.

Additionally, Robbins stated, due to the size of the public meeting room in the new city hall facility, some court attendees are kept in a separate room behind the public meeting area. In order to cut down on confusion caused by the people in the other room missing the

judge's opening statements on hearing procedure, Robbins asked that the council purchase a \$54 two-way intercom system. The council approved the purchase of the intercom.

For more information on these or any other city council business, contact Exeter City Hall at (417) 835-2823.

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Notice:

School Readiness Fair registration will be from May 28 to July 10, 2019, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the OACAC Barry County neighborhood center, 700 East Hwy. 248. Call (417) 847-2140 for an appointment. Social Security cards will be needed for all household members. Students Pre-K to 12th grade are eligible. Each participant must be pre-registered. The School Readiness Fair will be August 3, 2019.

The Arnhart Cemetery Assn. requests all flowers on the ground be removed by June 10, 2019, so normal mowing may resume.

Bluegrass in the Park will be at the Amphitheatre in Roaring River State Park every Friday from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Exeter Maplewood Cemetery of Exeter requests that flowers be removed two weeks after Memorial Day. Flowers may be left on headstones and in vases only. Please notify the cemetery association with additional veterans names. Mail donations to Maplewood Cemetery Association, P.O. Box 177, Exeter, MO 65647.

OATS Transit Schedule for May: to Springfield, 1st Monday each month; to Joplin, 2nd & 4th Mondays each month; to Rogers, 3rd Monday each month; to Neosho, 1st & 3rd Wednesdays each month; to Mt. Vernon, 4th Wednesday. To schedule a ride and for more information, call the OATS transit office at (800) 770-6287.

Old Church Gallery Farmers’ Market takes place every Thursday 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. There will be fresh local produce, eggs, baked goods, and craft items. The market will be on Farm Road 1240 in old Shell Knob. Phone (417) 858-2510.

Cassville Farmers’ Market will be on the square every Saturday from 7 a.m. to 11 a.m. (417) 652-7308.

Seligman Chamber will host a dance every Saturday at 7:00 p.m. For information, call (417) 662-3612.

Golden Baptist Church Single Moms Support Group will meet every Wednesday night at 6 p.m. For information, call (417) 271-3605.

Washburn First Baptist Church Clothes Closet/Free Store will be open Wednesdays, 1 p.m. to 4 p.m., and Fridays, 3 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

May 31st

Annual Salad Luncheon Fundraiser will be held from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the First Methodist Church, 1600 N. Central in Monett. Cost is \$8 per person (\$10 at the door). Proceeds from the event will benefit the Auxiliary’s contribution to the Cox Monett Momentum Campaign. Call (417) 354-1404 for more information or visit the Cox Monett Facebook page.

The Monthly Birthday Lunch will be held at Cassville Senior Center from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

A Special Senior Prom Night Out Dinner and Dance will be hosted at the Stella Senior Center with roast beef being served at 5:30 p.m. The dance will begin at 7 p.m. with music by the band New Silverado. The cover charge is \$6. Call (417) 628-3314 or (417) 476-3079 for information.

June 1st

Barry County Fair 1st Annual Poker Run will be at 1 p.m. The cost is \$20 per player, \$15 per extra rider. Entertainment and meal included. Walking tacos and entertainment by The Flyin’ Buzzards at 4 p.m. All vehicles welcome. Starting and ending location is Cassville Crowder Activity center. Contact Sherri Sanders at (479) 903-2683 for more information. All proceeds support the Barry County Fair.

The Annual Picnic for Former Employees of Anderson Uniforms Company in Mt. Vernon will start at 1 p.m. at the Gary Ewing Park in Mt. Vernon. All former employees are invited to attend and asked to bring a covered dish, serving ware and drinks. Call (417) 737-2601 for more information.

June 2nd

The Veterans Taskforce of America, Inc. will be meeting at the Angus Branch Steakhouse in Monett at 4 p.m. All honorably discharged men, women, war time or peacetime are welcome.

June 3rd

The Barry County Democrats will meet at the Cassville Library to meet and greet with Lisa Kalp, candidate for the Missouri 158th District Representative. Snacks will be served at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will begin at 7 p.m. There will be a focus on recruiting volunteers for summer booths.

Monett Summer Reading Club will begin at 4:30 p.m. at the Monett Library with a visit from author Payton Stringer for the Teen Book Club. For more information about the Monett Summer Reading Club or other library programs, call the library at (417) 235-6646.

The Monett Dance will be at the Monett Park Casino from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. Attendees are encouraged to bring a snack or dish to share.

June 4th

Computer Class will be held at Central Crossing Senior Center, Shell Knob, from 12:45 p.m. to 3 p.m. All ages are welcome to bring their questions on technology issues.

Universe of Stories with “A Book and a Beast” from Wonders of Wildlife is the theme of the Monett Summer Reading Club meeting at 3:30 p.m.

June 5th

A Presentation by the Better Business Bureau will be held at the Cassville Senior Center at 11:30 a.m.

June 6th

Cassville Senior Center will host a paint class at 9 a.m. and Bingo at noon.

A Seashell Craft Activity will be hosted by the Monett Library at 1:30 p.m.

June 7th

A Learn About Keto Event including author visit and book signing with Dennis and Patty Burge will be hosted at the Monett Library at 10 a.m.

June 8th

Cassville Cruisers will have a Cruise In from 5 p.m. until dusk at the Barry County Museum, Cassville. The theme of the night is Summer is Here.

The Eagle Rock Summer Reading Program Kickoff will be at the Eagle Rock Library at 10 a.m. They will have special guest Rusty Pliers performing “A Universe of Magic and Ven-triloquism”. For more information about the program, or to sign up, contact the library at (417) 271-3186.

Chatty Crafters will meet at the Mane Station in Cassville at 10 a.m. There is no charge. Please call (417) 498-2202 for more information.

Breakfast will be served at the fire station in Eagle Rock from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m.

June 11th

Universe of Reading and Magic with D. J. Edwards is the theme of the Summer Reading Program event at 3:30 p.m. at the Monett Branch Library.

June 13th

The Habitat ReStore, Cassville will have 50% off all day. Exclusions are paint and bundled wood.

June 14th

Gospel Group Master’s Voice will be performing at Lohmer Full Gospel Church, Jct. 76 & 39, Shell Knob, at 7 p.m. All are welcome.

Author Visit and Book Signing with B.J. McCauley will be at 10 a.m. at the Monett Branch Library.

June 15th

Barry County Genealogical & Historical Society will meet at 1 p.m. at the Bayless House located on the corner of Townsend Street and West 9th Street, Cassville. The public is welcome.

A Benefit Fundraiser Dinner and Auction for the family of David Brooks will be at 6 p.m. in the Southwest High School commons area. Everyone is welcome to attend. Proceeds will help the family pay for funeral expenses.

Summer School Menus: June 3 - June 7

All meals served with milk and subject to change.

Purdy: Mon: B: blueberry mini pancakes, mixed fruit, or cereal, toast, mixed fruit. L: burrito, cantaloupe, Mexican corn, Spanish rice. Tues: B: pancake on a stick, tropical fruit, or cereal, toast, tropical fruit. L: chicken tenders, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, carrots. Wed: B: french toast sticks, peaches, or cereal, yogurt, peaches. L: pasta bake, strawberries, salad, garlic bread, ranch. Thurs: breakfast pizza, mandarin oranges, or cereal, toast, mixed fruit. L: bologna sandwich, peach cup, veggie sticks, nacho cheese Doritos, ranch. Fri: egg and cheese sandwich, banana, or cereal, yogurt, banana. L: hot dog, tropical fruit cup, Shape-Up, Lay’s potato chips.

Cassville: Mon: B: cereal, blueberry muffin, sausage patty, applesauce. L: hamburger, french fries, green beans, mandarin oranges. Tues: B: cereal, Rice Krispy Treat, hashbrown, apple. L: chicken sandwich, nachos, salad, Go-gurt, juice. Wed: cereal, cinnamon toast, sausage patty, pears. L: ham and cheese sandwich, Doritos, baked beans, apple. Thurs: B: biscuit & gravy, cereal, Teddy Grahams, mandarin oranges. L: sub sandwich, BBQ chips, vegetable mix, peaches. Fri: B: cereal, banana muffin, sausage patty, peaches. L: hot dog, carrot sticks, potato chips, Rice Krispy Treat, juice.

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Fulp Automotive joins Cassville Chamber



On Thursday, May 16, Fulp Automotive, of Cassville, officially joined the Cassville Area Chamber of Commerce. The event was celebrated with food, drink and a ribbon cutting at the new business, located at 1100 Old Highway 37. Fulp Automotive is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. They can be contacted on Facebook or at (417) 665-1290. In attendance at the ribbon cutting were, from left to right, in the front row: Rachael Freeman, Marty Jenkins, Jim Fulp, Katie Fulp, Sue McDonald holding Bodhi Fulp, Mason Fulp, Randy Essary, Ronald Addison and Mary Addison. Back row: Clara Hermansen, Emily Jackson, Laura Holycross, Kyla Moore, Rick Ragsdale, Traci Mitchell, Wade Hermansen, Steve Slagle, Jon Horner, Chelsi Arnold, Jim Craig, Lindy Lombard, Jeremy Marple, Chad Johnson, Millard Andrews and Kathy Andrews.

Quick named Mercy Cassville Co-Worker of the Month



Jessica Quick, RN was named Mercy Hospital Cassville’s Co-Worker of the Month. She has worked for Mercy for 14 years and currently works in the Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation. She resides in Washburn with her husband, and they have four children. Quick enjoys coaching YMCA soccer, going to sporting events and loves to travel. She came to work for Mercy because her dad worked there for many years, and she wanted to be part of a great team. Quick loves what she does and says that patient care is amazing and she wouldn’t trade it for anything. She also loves her co-workers and agrees they are a second family to her: they support her, love her and keep her in line.

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LEO H. HUDSON
Leo H. Hudson, age 104, of Springdale, Arkansas, passed away Wednesday, May 22, 2019, at Northwest Medical Center of Springdale.
He was born March 9, 1915, in LeAnn, the son of Jess R. and Clara (Hilton) Hudson. On August 24, 1940, in Carr Lane, he was united in marriage to Ola Keeland, who preceded him in death on August 28, 2003. Also preceding him in death were his parents; two daughters, Connie and Bev; one son, Donnie; one sister, Virginia; and one brother.
Surviving are two brothers, Charles Hudson, of Waco, and Glenn Hudson, of Blackwell, Oklahoma; one sister, Betty, of Webb City; two granddaughters, Denise Stockburger, of Rogers, Arkansas, and Chrystal Adams, of Fayetteville, Arkansas; five great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.
Leo received his education in LeAnn. After he and Ola were married, they moved to a farm east of Viola. From 1948 until 1976, they ran a dairy farm near Hilltop

and also owned and operated Hudson's Dairy Inn for two years in the 1960's. In 1994, they moved to Springdale to make their home.
Services were held at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, May 28, 2019, at Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville. Pastor Milford Baker conducted the services. Burial was at McCullough Cemetery in Viola.
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JOHN A. RAUCSTADT
John A. Raucstadt, age 63, of Seligman, passed away at his home on May 14, 2019. Mr. Raucstadt, son of Dwain and Rita (Bialke) Raucstadt, was born on April 26, 1956, in Cambridge, Minnesota. He loved working in the outdoors on bulldozers, excavating and riding his motorcycle. Mr. Raucstadt was a friend to many and will be greatly missed.
Survivors include two sons, David Fowler, of Acworth, Georgia, and Anthony Raucstadt, of Seligman; one daughter, Angela Raucstadt,

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of Chattanooga, Tennessee; six grandchildren; three brothers, Don Raucstadt and his wife, Susan, of Seligman, Dean Raucstadt and his wife, Deena, of League City, Texas, and Mark Raucstadt, of Seligman; four sisters, Kay Nix and her husband, Jim, of Milner, Georgia, Jean Raucstadt-Farkas and her husband, Joe, of Seligman, Ann Wells and her husband, Dean, of Grand Island, Nebraska, and Lisa Norris and her husband, Larry, of Seligman; and several nieces and nephews.
In addition to his parents he was preceded in death by an infant brother, David, and infant sister, Dorothy.
Memorial services were held at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 18, 2019, at the family farm located in Seligman.
Cremation arrangements are under the direction of the White Funeral Home and Crematory, Cassville.

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RONALD EUGENE JAMES
Ronald Eugene James, age 75, of Exeter, passed away Sunday, May 19, 2019, at Roaring River Health and Rehabilitation Center in Cassville.
He was a member of Living Word Mission Church in Simco, where services were held at 2:00 p.m. Sunday, May 26, 2019. Pastor Billy Joe Gentry conducted the services.
Cremation arrangements

are under direction of McQueen Funeral Home in Wheaton.
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ORVILLE EUGENE "GENE" MILLS
Orville Eugene "Gene" Mills, age 81, of Jenkins, passed away Friday, May 24, 2019, at this home.
He was born August 12, 1937, in Shell Knob, the son of Orville John and Mildred Pearl (Holt) Mills. On April 23, 1996, he was united in marriage to Eula Mae Dotson, who survives. Also surviving are one son, Kelly Mills and his wife, Tina, of Aurora; one daughter, Angela Burmylo, of Cassville; a daughter-in-law, Donna Mills, of Cassville; three sisters, Patsy Stockton, of Aurora, JoAnn Houston, of Billings, and Carole Whisman, of Cassville; eight grandchildren, and 11 great-grandchildren.
Preceding him in death were his parents and one son, Rocky Mills.

Gene was a 1955 graduate of Cassville High School. His entire life was spent in Barry County, where he farmed and worked as a highway equipment operator. He was a member of Fairview Country Church in Shell Knob. Some of his favorite pastimes were playing bluegrass gospel music and his work horses.
Services were held at 11:00 A.M. today, Wednesday, May 29, 2019, at Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville. Pastor Rick Cooper conducted the services. Burial was at Clio Cemetery in Jenkins.
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WILLIAM "T" SIMMONS
William "T" Simmons, age 86, formerly of Amarillo, Texas, and then moving to Shell Knob, went to join his Savior on Saturday, May 25, 2019. "T", as everyone called him, the son of William and Zeffie (Thomas) Simmons, was born on February 3, 1933, in Tulia, Texas. On September 16, 1956, he married the love of his life, Lola Chisum. They were married sixty-two years when she passed October 31, 2018. He served the National Guard proudly and then had a very successful career starting out as a lineman and ending in electrical sales. He retired in 1998 and moved to Shell Knob to live on Table Rock Lake. T was a very loving and giving man and nothing made him happier than spoiling his wife and girls. He loved a good game of golf with friends and he will be missed by all that knew him.
Daddy, you gave so much

of yourself to make sure us and our families were safe and happy and asked for nothing in return. Thank you for all the lessons in life. Thank you for helping and forgiving us always. Thank you for being the best daddy anyone could ever ask for. But most of all, thank you for loving us. You will be so terribly missed.
T had three brothers, Clarence Elvin Simmons, Gordon Jean Simmons, and Lewis Simmons. All preceded him in death.
Survivors include two daughters, Deana Hooten and her husband, Sheldon, of Cassville, and Joni Walker and her husband, Chris, of Amarillo, Texas; five grandchildren, Sean Hooten, of Branson, Kala Hooten Webster and her husband, Josh, of Gentry, Arkansas, Shayla Walker, Charles Walker, and Kerri Walker, all of Amarillo, Texas; five great-grandchildren, Steven Hooten, Silas Webster, Cade Webster, Aliyah Walker, and Avery Walker.
Graveside services will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 30, 2019, at Memorial Park Cemetery in Amarillo, Texas.

Service arrangements are under the direction of the White Funeral Home and Crematory, Cassville.

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ROBERT "BOB" STANLEY DEMSKI
Robert "Bob" Stanley Demski, age 82, of Lampe, passed away Saturday, May 18, 2019, at his home.
Memorial services were held at 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, May 28, 2019, at Holy Family Catholic Church in Shell Knob. Father David Baunach conducted the services. Burial with military honors was at Missouri Veterans Cemetery in Springfield.
Cremation arrangements are under direction of Fohn Funeral Home in Shell Knob.
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LOWELL D. NANCE

Lowell D. Nance, age 83, of Cassville, passed away Thursday, May 23, 2019, at Mercy Hospital Northwest Arkansas in Rogers.

He was born January 19, 1936, in Golden, the son of Raymond and Gladys L. (Stiles) Nance. On August 24, 1956, in Jenkins, at Shiloah Baptist Church, he was united in marriage to Lois “Alberta” Call, who survives. Also surviving are one brother, Rodney Nance and his wife, Mabel, of Berryville, Arkansas, and nieces and nephews.

Preceding him in death were his parents and one brother, Carl.

Lowell was a 1954 graduate of Cassville High School and spent most of his life in Barry County. He joined the

United States Army and was stationed for sixteen months in Germany. After the service, he worked for MODOT in Jefferson City then Monett District 7 doing bridge repair and later was an Area Supervisor. He was a member of Pythagoras Masonic Lodge #383 and Abou Ben Adhem Shrine.

Services were held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, May 28, 2019, at Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville. Ken West conducted the services. Burial with military honors was at Clio Cemetery in Jenkins.

Contributions may be made to the Charity of your Choice in memory of Lowell.

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JOHN DIXON

John Dixon, age 65, of Shell Knob, passed away Sunday, May 19, 2019, at his home.

He was born September 11, 1953, in Jerome, Idaho, the son of John Pritchett and Gertie Levone (Lewellan)

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Dixon. On September 12, 2005, in Eureka Springs, Arkansas, he was united in marriage to Debra C. Dixon, who survives. Also surviving are three sons, Brad Dixon, of Indio, California, Robert Clark, of San Diego, California, and Aaron Clark and his wife, Amy, of San Diego, California; one daughter, Alex Koupal, of Phoenix, Arizona; one brother, Wally Dixon, of Wendall, Idaho; two sisters, Reta Strout and Kay Bowcutt, both of Idaho; and five grandchildren, Mazie, Audra, Sadie, Kayla and Olive.

Preceding him in death were his parents; one brother, Steve; and one sister, Valerie.

John grew up in Idaho and graduated from Wendell High School and then received further schooling to become a licensed mortician. For many years, he was the owner and CEO of High Tech Irrigation. In April of 2018, he moved from Indio, California, to Shell Knob to make his home. Some of his favorite pastimes were bass fishing, hunting, nature pho-

tography, being outdoors and enjoying nature. He enjoyed his family and friends and was known for telling very good jokes. He was a member of Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Memorial services will be held June 22, 2019, in Palm Desert, California.

Cremation arrangements are under direction of Fohn Funeral Home in Shell Knob.

Contributions may be made to Camp Table Rock or University of Kansas Cancer Center in memory of John.

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MARY JANE MOORE

Mary Jane Moore, age 65, of Cassville, passed away Saturday, May 25, 2019, at Roaring River Health and Rehabilitation Center in Cassville.

She was born March 2, 1954, in Los Angeles, California, the daughter of

Leonard V. and Cletta Jane (Buchanan) Moore, who preceded her in death.

Surviving are her brother, Robert Moore, of Lake Elsinore, California; sister, Sunny Schofield, and nephew DJ Schofield, both of Sunland, California; and the many family members and dear friends who touched her life.

Mary was a licensed practical nurse and was employed at Integrity Hospice. Thirty-five years ago, she moved to Cassville to make her home. She was a spiritual teacher and owned Green Angel where she sold natural essential oils. Mary was a gifted teacher in holistic medicine and touched thousands of lives. Her legacy will live forever in our hearts. So many people came together to make her last days special, and we thank all of you from the bottom of our hearts for your wonderful, loving support.

No services are scheduled at this time. Cremation arrangements are under direction of Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville.

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WALTER LARRY BETTS

Walter Larry Betts, age 76, of Washburn, passed away on Wednesday, May 22, 2019, at Mercy Hospital in Springfield.

Memorial services were held at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 28, 2019, at the Washburn First Baptist Church with Pastor Jim Erwin officiating.

Cremation arrangements are under the direction of the White Funeral Home and Crematory, Cassville.

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The spiritually blissful are those who consider themselves absolutely destitute: Webster’s - “without the basic necessities of life.”

To be blissful we must recognize we are spiritually penniless before God. Until we become aware of and admit to our spiritual poverty, our spiritual dependence, we cannot respond or will not respond to Jesus Christ.

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scale of the projects, physical work has yet to begin, though the projects are currently in the planning and design stages.

“Those are all construction-based projects,” said Asbill. “We have not started digging footers or tearing out walls or any of that because we need to get approved architectural plans, engineering plans and all of the scopes of work for those plans would need to be identified.”

“Our goal is that we want those projects to begin in August or September,” Asbill continued. “Hopefully, we’ll start to see demolition, renovation and new construction begin at that time.”

Asbill continued, stating that it is the goal of the administration to bring about this construction in the least disruptive way possible.

“We know that starting school in August is going to happen, so if we can get our first couple of weeks underway before we put up construction fence and bring in the backhoes, that won’t necessarily be a delay. We don’t want to overwhelm kids and parents. We want to phase that in as school starts up,” said Asbill.

Though the main component projects funded by Vision 150 have yet to begin construction, school employees and contractors have already begun work on several other minor projects.

“Dusty Reid (Cassville’s Director of Facilities and Operations) is working on our security cameras,” explained Asbill. “We’ve already taken care of the server updates, so

all we need now is to place the new cameras in the new places to give us additional security.”

Additionally, the administration is awaiting bids on upgrades to the school’s intercom and communication systems with the expectation that they will be presented to the board during the next board meeting in June.

Of the more minor projects associated with the bond, the one most progressed is the removal and replacement of the cabinets in the first and second grade classrooms.

The previous cabinets and the classroom sinks, many of which were no longer functional, were removed from all 15 of the rooms associated with the project.

“We’re in progress of the replacement of the cabinets,” said Asbill. “Our crews took care of that and the plumbing repair. We’re currently evaluating a cabinet vendor this week for the install.”

Asbill explained that in order to save money, the school’s maintenance staff, as well as teachers and members of the administrations from all Cassville buildings, set to work on Monday, May 20, demolishing the cabinets and exposing the ceramic wall behind them. Maintenance staff then set to work on repairing and removing the plumbing elements from the rooms.

“We have saved some money because we have done some demolition and prep work with our own staff in-house. Our administrative team jumped in and did a lot of work,” explained Asbill. “I am really honored and hum-

bled work with people who understand that there is not only a fiscal value, but a love for your district enough to be hands on with it. I’m really proud of what our teachers and our administrators did jumping in to work with our custodial staff.”

Asbill also explained that the district’s maintenance staff has been an invaluable part of the remodelling process.


“Our maintenance and custodial staff do an exceptional job at keeping that work in house and helping us use those taxpayers dollars as efficiently as we can,” said Asbill.

For the rebuilding of the cabinets, the board opted to hire Bud Lowe Construction, of Cassville, to frame the cabinets. Lowe’s company has also been hired to work on the construction of the new concession stand, a project unrelated to the Vision 150 projects.

Cassville administrators are currently reviewing bids on the cabinets themselves, with proposals and recommendations expected to be made to the board at the June board meeting.

Once completed, each of the classrooms will house five upper cabinets and five lower cabinets, as well as two floor-to-ceiling cabinets. In total, the project will see the placement of 185 cabinets throughout the first and second grade classrooms as well as the elementary art room.

The cabinet project will cost the district approximately \$150,000 once completed. According to Asbill, this phase of the project is expected to be completed by July 25.




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Alms, a dentist, made false reports of dental work on 26 different patients to Missouri Medicaid that he did not do between August 2014 and June 2016.

Alms is to serve probation until March 18, 2024.

- **Hank Edward Archer**, of Monett, pled guilty to delivery of a controlled substance and possession of a controlled substance. Archer received a suspended execution of a seven year incarceration sentence with the Department of Corrections and five years supervised probation.

On June 12, 2018, Archer was investigated by the Ozark Drug Enforcement Team. In his residence on 7th Street in Monett, officers found 33 grams of marijuana in a tub, three grams of marijuana in a bag and 76 grams packaged in 14 bags for sale. There were also grinders,

scales, marijuana pipes and rolling papers. There was also a loaded shotgun in the closet.

Archer is to serve probation until March 19, 2024.

- **William Elza Bensley, Sr.**, of Rogers Ark., pled guilty to passing a bad check in July 2018. Bensley's probation has since been revoked, and he is to serve two years incarceration with the Department of Corrections.

• **Randell Scott Bowman**, of Joplin, pled guilty to stealing \$750 or more. Bowman received a suspended imposition of sentencing and five years supervised probation.

On September 22, 2017, Bowman accepted a check to install a sign for Crown Double K Realty in Monett for \$1,300. He never installed the sign and no longer worked for the company he claimed to be employed by.

Bowman is to serve probation until March 18, 2024.

- **Amy Marie Brannan**, of Cassville, pled guilty to two counts of burglary in the second degree. Brannan received a suspended imposition of sentencing, 100 hours of community service and

five years supervised probation.

In May 2018, Brannan was seen on security footage breaking into a cabin, doing drugs inside and stealing things. In all, over \$750 worth of items were stolen, including a wall heater, propane tank, furniture and more.

Brannan is to serve probation until March 19, 2024.

• **Trevor Ryan Brown**, of Cassville, pled guilty to possession of a controlled substance. Brown received a suspended imposition of sentencing and five years supervised probation.

On December 15, 2018, Brown was stopped by the Barry County Sheriff's Department. Inside the vehicle, they located a glass pipe and a baggie of crystal substance that both field tested positive for methamphetamine.

Brown is to serve probation until March 12, 2024.

• **Hester Nicole Burton**, of Billings, pled guilty to possession of a controlled substance in May 2018. Burton's probation has since been revoked, and she is to serve 120 days shock time with the De-

partment of Corrections as part of the initial seven year sentence.

On April 8, 2017, Burton was booked in the Barry County Jail. While being dressed out, a corrections officer found a syringe that fell out of her clothing. The officer also found a methamphetamine pipe inside a roll of toilet paper concealed in her genitals.

- **Phillip David Clow**, of Wheaton, pled guilty to possession of controlled substance and DWI combined drug, alcohol intoxication and assault in the fourth degree in July 2016. Clow's probation has since been revoked. His new sentence is a suspended execution of a four year incarceration sentence with the Department of corrections and five years supervised probation.

On January 11, 2016, Clow was stopped by the Missouri State Highway Patrol for a seat belt violation. When officers made contact, Clow smelled of alcohol and admitted to drinking prior to driving. He failed a field sobriety test and had prescription pills he did not have a

prescription for. He had two prior DWI convictions.

Clow is to serve probation until March 19, 2024.

- **Miracle D. Cooney**, of Aurora, pled guilty to possession of a controlled substance. Cooney received a three year incarceration sentence with the Department of Corrections.

On July 3, 2014, Cooney concealed items from the Walmart in Monett in her purse and was arrested for shoplifting. When officers searched Cooney's purse they located 0.9 grams of alprazolam pills in an unmarked bottle she did not have a prescription for.

• **David Joseph Corral** of Highlandville, made an Alford plea to domestic assault in the third degree and endangering the welfare of a child in the first degree as a first offense with no sexual contact. Corral received a suspended execution of a seven year incarceration sentence with the Department of Corrections and five years supervised probation.

On October 31, 2017 Corral grabbed the victim's arm and would not let her

leave the residence. The victim and a second victim, a minor, tried to leave in a car and Corral kicked the vehicle and jumped on the hood, and then smashed the windshield while intoxicated on methamphetamine.

Corral is to serve probation until March 19, 2024.

- **Harley Ray Davis**, of Pierce City, made an Alford plea to burglary in the second degree in February 2014. Davis' probation has since been revoked, and he received seven years incarceration with the Department of Corrections.

On January 8, 2013, Davis damaged property in Monett Laundry. There was \$400 in change stolen, and he attempted to break into a quarter game machine.

• **Connie Marie Faragher**, of Monett, pled guilty to delivery of a controlled substance and possession of a controlled substance. Faragher received a suspended execution of a seven year incarceration sentence with the Department of Corrections and five years supervised probation.

On June 12, 2018, Faragher was investigated by the Ozark Drug Enforcement Team. In her residence on 7th Street in Monett, officers found 33 grams of marijuana in a tub, three grams of marijuana in a bag and 76 grams packaged in 14 bags for sale. There were grinders, scales, marijuana pipes and rolling papers. There was also a loaded shotgun in the closet.

Fargher is to serve probation until March 19, 2024.

- **Bill Jay Gibson I**, of Half Way, pled guilty to possession of a controlled substance. Gibson received a suspended imposition of sentencing and five years supervised probation.

On May 12, 2018, Gibson was in a vehicle stopped by law enforcement. When taken into custody, Gibson had marijuana in his pocket. They also found a bong, one hitter pipes and a methamphetamine pipe.

Gibson is to serve probation until March 19, 2024.

- **Sheena Guterrez-Garcia**, of Verona, made Alford pleas to three counts of passing a bad check. Guterrez-Garcia received a suspended execution of a three year incarceration sentence with the Department of Corrections and five years supervised probation.

In June 2014, Guitierrez-Garcia wrote a bad check to Race Brothers in Monett for \$219.94.

Guiterrez-Garcia is to serve probation until March 18, 2024.

• **Devin Drew Hobbs**, of Cassville, pled guilty to assault in the third degree. Hobbs received three years incarceration with the Department of Corrections.

On October 31, 2018, Hobbs was in the Barry County Jail and assaulted another inmate by hitting him

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• **Roy Wayne Johnson**, of Seligman, pled guilty to theft/stealing of \$500 or more but less than \$25,000 in July 2016. Johnson's probation has since been revoked, and he was given a suspended execution of a seven year incarceration sentence with the Department of Corrections and five years supervised probation.

On August 7, 2015, Johnson was involved in stealing from the Monett Walmart. The total value stolen was \$906.04.

Johnson is to serve probation until March 19, 2024.

• **Nathan Daniel Klinefelter**, of Seligman, pled guilty to tampering with a motor vehicle in the first degree and property damage in the first degree in October 2017. Klinefelter's probation has since been revoked, and he is to serve seven years incarceration with the Department of Corrections.

On June 24, 2016, Klinefelter was driving a car involved in a crash. He and the occupants fled the scene. He was found to have a blood alcohol level of 0.087.

• **James Edward Maxwell**, of Marionville, pled guilty to tampering with a motor vehicle in the first degree and burglary in the second degree in October 2018. Maxwell's probation has since been revoked, and he is to serve 120 days incarceration with the Department of Corrections as part of a seven year incarceration sentence.

On June 7, 2018, Maxwell broke into a structure and stole a toolbox and speaker for a stereo in Exeter. He was also in possession of a stolen vehicle.

• **Marc Jeffrey Miller**, of Eagle Rock, pled guilty to possession of a controlled substance and DWI - drug intoxication in July 2018. Miller's probation has since been revoked, and he is to serve 120 days incarceration with the Department of Corrections as part of a five year sentence.

On December 31, 2018, Miller crashed his car at Sonic. He appeared to be intoxicated, and officers found multiple prescription pills in his vehicle. He also admitted to smoking marijuana. A passenger and a child were in the vehicle. Once at the police station, Miller hallucinated and confused an officer for friend and thought he was at the park.

• **Christopher Jermaine Montgomery**, of Aurora, pled guilty to driving while revoked/suspended in December 2018. He pled guilty to driving while revoked/suspended again in March 2019. Montgomery's probation has since been revoked, and he is to serve 120 days shock incarceration with the Department of Corrections as part of a three year incarceration sentence.

On September 15, 2015, Montgomery was stopped by officers after being reported to possibly be selling drugs in a parking lot. When officers made contact, they found he

had a revoked drivers license. He had three prior driving while revoked convictions.

On January 6, 2018, Montgomery was found to be driving while revoked again.

• **Sheila Rhea Ogborn**, of Bentonville, Ark., pled guilty to DWI alcohol as a persistent offender, making a false report and driving while revoked/suspended as a first offense in February 2018. Ogborn was sentenced to a suspended execution of a four year incarceration sentence with the Department of Corrections and supervised probation for five years.

On October 24, 2015, she was pulled over for driving while intoxicated. Ogborn gave officers a fake name, but when they discovered her identity, they found her to have two prior DWI convictions.

Ogborn is to serve probation until March 28, 2024.

• **Kyndall Ryan Phillips**, of Monett, pled guilty to DWI alcohol as a persistent offender. Phillips received a suspended execution of a one year incarceration sentence in jail and two years unsupervised probation.

On June 18, 2016, a crashed a car on Route WW. Phillips' blood alcohol was above the legal limit. He had two prior DWI convictions.

Phillips is to serve probation until March 18, 2021.

• **Joshua David Planchon**, of Monett, pled guilty two counts of delivery of a controlled substance in April 2018 and an additional two counts of delivery of a controlled substance in March 2019. Planchon's probation was revoked on the initial two charges and in all, he was sentenced to eight years incarceration with the Department of Corrections on each charge.

On May 13, 2017, officers were dispatched to a domestic incident at Planchon's residence. When officers arrived, they found a jar of 35 grams of marijuana in plain sight. Officers also found smoking devices and a drug ledger.

On November 16, 2017, Planchon's residence in Monett was the subject of a search warrant. They located 39 grams of marijuana, \$642 in cash, a digital scale and baggies. Planchon said he self-medicated with marijuana and sold his pain pills.

On December 4, 2018, a search warrant was executed at Planchon's residence. Officers found an eight ball of methamphetamine and half an ounce of marijuana. He told officers he used half an ounce of marijuana a day. They also found scales, paraphernalia and synthetic urine.

On February 7, 2018, Planchon sold 19 grams of

methamphetamine to an undercover peace officer with the Missouri State Highway Patrol.

• **Trevis Monroe Sizemore**, of Washburn, pled guilty to tampering with a motor vehicle and receiving stolen property in July 2016. Sizemore then pled guilty to unlawful possession of a firearm and possession of a controlled substance in March 2019. Sizemore's probation was revoked on the initial charges. In all, Sizemore received a suspended execution of a six year incarceration with the Department of Corrections and five years supervised probation.

On December 8, 2014, officers received a tip that Sizemore and another man stole a tractor worth \$20,000 and were trying to sell it. Officers determined Sizemore helped steal the equipment.

On August 5, 2017, Sizemore was pulled over by law enforcement officers and found to be in possession of two firearms, which he legally could not do as a felon. He also was in possession of a baggie of methamphetamine. Sizemore is to serve probation until March 29, 2024.

• **Mark Allen Stevens**, of Riverside, Calif., pled guilty to burglary in the second

degree in August 2017. Stevens's probation was revoked, and he received a suspended execution of a five year incarceration sentence with the Department of Corrections and five years supervised probation.

On December 19, 2015, a break in and theft was reported. Fingerprints at the scene implicated Stevens of stealing a mig welder valued at \$450 and a drill set valued at \$55. He also caused about \$150 worth of damage.

Stevens is to serve probation until March 29, 2024.

• **Jealousy Jade Stidham**, of Monett, pled guilty to possession of a controlled substance. Stidham received a suspended imposition of sentencing and five years supervised probation.

On July 28, 2018, officers found Stidham to be in possession of three used syringes, an empty baggie that had contained methamphetamine and a spoon.

Stidham is to serve probation until March 18, 2024.

• **Jon Patrick Stingley**, of Lampe, pled guilty to possession of a controlled substance and DWI in February 2019. Stingley received 120 days incarceration as part of a five year sentence and two years unsupervised probation.

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On January 18, 2018, the Missouri State Highway Patrol responded to a vehicle crash on Missouri 13 in Lampe. Officers believed Stingley to be intoxicated. When officers responded to the scene around 1:21 p.m., Stingley said he had been there since 7:30 a.m.

Stingley told EMTs he needed to use the restroom and during that time, he kicked a tin of drugs away from him. Inside was marijuana, methamphetamine, oxycodone, and other pills. He also had pills in an envelope on his person and failed field sobriety tests.

Stingley is to serve probation until March 7, 2021.

- **Mary Louise Tipton**, of Cassville, made an Alford plea to possession of a controlled substance. Tipton received a suspended execution of a four year incarceration sentence five years supervised probation.

In October 2018, Tipton was reported to be consuming drugs in the Casey's restroom. Tipton was found to have multiple prescription drugs in her purse.

Tipton is to serve probation until March 19, 2024.

- **Brandyn Edwin Turner**, of Cassville, pled guilty to stealing \$750 or more. Turner is to serve four years incarceration with the Department of Corrections.

On January 13, 2019, Turner broke into Auto Pro Detailing in Cassville and stole jewelry, tools, a Nintendo system and a floor jack. She stole more than \$4,000 worth of items and was found trying to sell the jack in the Mercy parking lot.

- **Robert P. Waite, Jr.**, of Carthage, pled guilty to murder in the second degree on a change of venue case from Lawrence County. Waite received 30 years incarceration with the Department of Corrections.

On August 9, 2015, the Mt. Vernon Police Department was dispatched to a stolen outdoor table and grill. The victim said his girlfriend stole the items. Officers made contact with her and then her mother contacted officers saying her husband, Waite, was enraged and driving to Mt. Vernon.

When officers arrived, the victim was sitting on his couch and had been shot in the head and was deceased. Waite admitted to shooting the victim and the gun was in his vehicle.

- **Micheal Lee Warren**, of Berryville, Ark., pled guilty to tampering with physical evidence in a felony prosecution. Warren received a suspended execution of a four year incarceration sentence with the Department of Corrections and supervised probation for five years.

In September 2018, Warren was in the Barry County Jail and concealed urine to pass a drug test.

Warren is to serve probation until March 19, 2024.

- **Shawn Norris Wheeler**, of Gravette, Ark., pled guilty to 12 counts of passing a bad check of \$500 or more in August 2017. Wheeler's probation has since been revoked, and he received a suspended execution of a six year incarceration sentence with the Department of Corrections and five years supervised probation.

In November and December 2015, Wheeler wrote multiple checks to different entities drawn on a nonexistent account.

Wheeler is to serve probation until March 18, 2024.

- **Justin Michael Willhite**, of Verona, pled guilty to resisting arrest for a felony, burglary in the second degree and tampering with a motor vehicle in the first degree in May 2017. Willhite's probation has since been revoked and he is to serve 120 days as part of a four year incarceration sentence with the

Department of Corrections.

On November 11, 2016, Willhite fled on a bike when officers attempted to arrest him for an active warrant.

On March 7, 2017, officers were dispatched to a residence in Cassville for an open line 911 call with sounds in the background of a disturbance. Willhite had kicked in the front door of the residence and done \$630 worth of damage. A witness was present at the time of the crime and saw Willhite flee into the woods.

On February 11, 2017, the Monett Police Department received a report from Wellbaum Tire Shop. A vehicle worth \$4,500 was stolen from the residence. The vehicle was involved in a crash later, and Willhite was driving.

- **Dylan Rixon Williams**, of Carthage, pled guilty to two counts of resisting arrest by fleeing creating a substantial risk of serious injury or death to any person. Williams received a suspended imposition of sentencing and five years supervised probation.

On June 21, 2018, Williams was driving over 70 miles per hour on Business 37 and other roads in Cassville fleeing police officers on a motorcycle. He also failed to stop at stop signs.

Williams is to serve probation until March 19, 2024.

Emalee Davis receives Roark Family Health Scholarship



Roark Family Health Scholarship for \$1000 to Emalee Davis, of Exeter High School. This is a scholarship for a student from Dr. Lisa Roark's alma mater, Exeter High School, who is planning to go into the medical field and has a financial need. Davis has been accepted to Missouri State University and plans to go into the field of psychology.

Pictured, left to right, are Dr. Lisa Roark and Davis.

Cassville FFA's Jackson takes second in job interview

Cole Jackson, of the Cassville FFA Chapter, placed second in the job interview leadership development event at the 90th Missouri FFA Convention. Sixteen students from six districts were selected to compete at the state level. Jackson's advisors are Jimmy Hinson and John Littlefield.

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Cassville fourth graders honored for MAP scores



Fourth grade students were honored for scoring advanced on their MAP tests as third graders in 2017-18. Students were tested in mathematics and communications and had to score advanced in at least one area. Pictured, from left to right, in the front row: Audrey Kennedy, Brynn Whittenburg, Rose Love, Gunner Bowling, Dennis Craig, Shane Harvey, Cheney Kelley and Tyler Matthew. Second row: Addison Elkins, Annabelle Holliday, Benji Elliott, Coleson Cupit, Eli Roark, Mason Rillstone, David Rehbach and Anabelle Mills. Back row: Charles Diediker, Cannon Rose, Kami Stough, Bradyn Alley, Maura Boise, Riley Ragsdale and Libby Corter.



Fourth grade students were honored for scoring proficient on their MAP tests as third graders in 2017-18. Students were tested in mathematics and communications and had to score proficient in at least one area. Pictured, from left to right, in the front row: Harley Madison, Carlos Barrientos, Cyrus Ganoung, Jesse James, Kamden Beebe, Savannah Conner, Kadya Greene and Dale Stockton. Second grade: Analeigh Winchell, Taylor Yarnall, Amber Davis, Emilee Kimberlin, Taylor Kennedy, Abby Robertson, Delight Otto and Sadie Koehler. Third row: Parker Clory, Xaina Lewallen, Rylen Holman, Hugh Thao, Kyle Brown, Diego Ibarra, Terrance Kettner and Roper Taylor. Fourth row: Isabelle Costner, Ethan Sanders, Kamille McElheney, Mackenzie Quinn, Hayden Roberts, Sterling Zucca, Ian Wallace and Brextin Sprague. Back row: Chance Bowling, Zebulun Blankenship, Gracie Maher, Zoey Moylan, Kendal Allison and Zach Boyd.

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During the summer, Cassville's cheer team is undergoing a training camp to prepare them for the season. On May 22, the team participated in a 'stunt-off' wherein their abilities with various cheer stunts were tested and awarded. Pictured above, from left to right, winners of the extension contest: Sam Cochran, Andrew Prier, Lexi Yockey and Nolan Crain.



Pictured above, from left to right, winners of the cheer team's cradle competition: Maddy Riley, Kairi Berry, Steven Collinwood and Jillian Hang.



During the competition, one stunt group the won two awards one for the hang drill competition and the other of most improved. Pictured above, from left to right: Whitney Koenig, Jillian LeCompte, Madison Barnes and Trestyn Periman.

Cassville Rotary Club to host 77th annual rodeo

Vinnie Roberts

Starting Friday, June 7, Cassville's Bill Haley Arena will once again serve as the location for the 77th Annual Cassville Rotary Rodeo. The event will take place on both Friday, June 7, and Saturday, June 8. The rodeo begins at 8 p.m. on both nights.

Admissions prices for the rodeo are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children ages 6 to 12. Tickets are available in advance by contacting mem-

bers of the Cassville Rotary Club. Advanced adult tickets receive a \$2 discount.

Both evenings will include many standard rodeo events, such as: bareback riding, saddle bronc, bull riding, calf roping, team roping, steer wrestling, cowgirl barrel racing and cowgirl break-away roping.

The rodeo will also feature two children-specific events. First is a 'Kid's Scramble,' in which children under

ten will be released into the arena with calves, to remove the ribbons from their tails for a cash prize.

The rodeo will also feature mutton busting for children six and under, or 50 pounds and under, attempting a full ride on a sheep. This will take place sometime during the rodeo and not prior to the event, as it had in previous years.

Registration for all events will take place at the start of

the rodeo and will be open until that event begins.

During the rodeo, there will also be a crowd participation segment in which members of the audience will be asked to share a teeter-totter. The rodeo staff will then release a bull into the arena, and the winner of the game will be the person who makes it the longest without abandoning the teeter-totter.

This will mark the second rodeo event put on by C.R.

McKellip's Inc., a rodeo company based out of Hardwood. According to Dr. Chad Johnson, member of the Rotary Club's rodeo committee, the switch was made to bring new life and a sense of family fun back in to the annual rodeo.

"They're more family oriented, so they really engage the crowd more," said Dr. Johnson. "It's a family business: the mom and dad own it; the son is an announcer;

and the daughter carries the flag out to start the rodeo, so they understand the family orientation."

The 77th annual Cassville Rotary Club Rodeo will run from June 7 to June 8 and will begin at 8 p.m. on both nights. Admission at the gate will be \$10 for adults and \$5 for children.

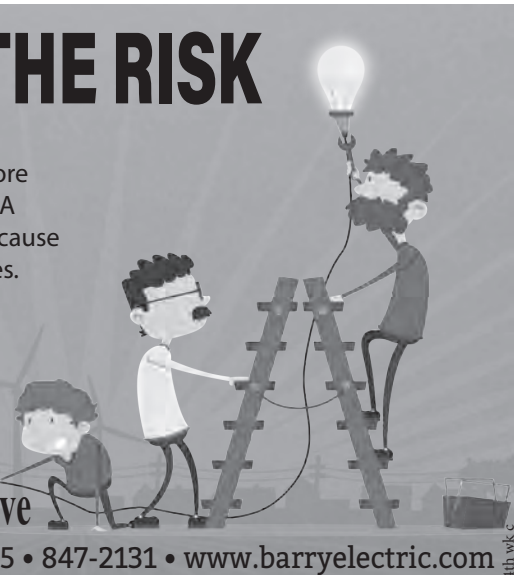
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the American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences Conference. Cosper is active in MSTA and has served as officer of her local CTA chapter. Cosper is a leader in both her school and among Family and Consumer Science teachers. Cassville superintendent, Dr. Richard L. Asbill, said of Mrs. Cosper, "She builds student confidence and focuses on key efforts in career pathway readiness. Mrs. Cosper incorporates high levels of technology into her lessons, while also ensuring that individual student's needs are the priority." One of Mrs. Cosper's students, Jossie Guevara, the Regional Office of STAR events, says of Mrs. Cosper, "She has taught me lessons that I will forever cherish and implement into daily life. She has pushed me to my fullest potential."

Mrs. Samantha Cosper will be recognized July 24, 2019, at the MoEFACS Awards and Recognition Luncheon and Awards Ceremony. In addition to being recognized in July, the Missouri Educators of Family and Consumer Sciences will be forwarding her application on to the Missouri Association of Career & Technical Educators (MoACTE) as well as the National Association of Teachers of Family and Consumer Sciences (NATFACS), where she will be competing for the Teacher of the Year, Distinguished Service Award there as well.

Two CHS seniors awarded for four years of perfect attendance



Cassville High School seniors Mary Hayse and Kobe Blisard have achieved perfect attendance for all four years of their high school career. During the CHS awards assembly, both Mary and Kobe were presented with a plaque and a \$100 Visa gift card. Mary Hayse is the daughter of Carrie and Steve Jabben. Kobe Blisard is the son of Tina and Mitchel Blisard.

Jordan Eagan named Exeter Student of the Month



People's Community Bank chose Jordan Eagan as the Student of the Month for March 2019. Jordan is a senior from Exeter. In addition to the certificate, Jordan will receive a \$50 Graduate Certificate of Deposit. Jordan is being recognized for having good character and citizenship. Pictured is Taylor House presenting the award to Jordan Eagan.

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Lauren Turner: CHS A+ Scholarship.

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Kaylin Whitlock: Shell Knob Thrifty Closet Scholarship, Shell Knob Lions Club Scholarship and CHS A+ Scholarship.

Garrett York: Freedom Bank of Southern Missouri Scholarship and CHS A+ Scholarship.

Mason Lowe Memorial Rotary Scholarship awarded to Luu



The first Annual Mason Lowe Memorial Rotary Scholarship for \$1000 was presented to Phoebe Luu. This is a scholarship for an Exeter student who has shown exceptional academic achievement and has financial need. Exeter was Lowe's alma mater.

Luu has been accepted to Missouri State University and plans to go into Special Education or Communications Sciences.

Rotary also gave out five \$500 scholarships to Jamison Oliphant, Shannon Haney, Avery Brown, Clara Hermansen and Zack Burton, all graduating from Cassville.

Pictured, from left to right, are Luu and Dr. Lisa Roark, Rotary Club president.

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LOCATION: Cassville, MO. From the Court House, go north on Main St. (Bus. 37) 2.4 miles. Then, turn east on FR 1102. Go 3/10 mile to end of road. Auction on left. (10328 Farm Road 1102).

Real Estate: 2 bedroom 1 bath metal sided home. Mostly maintenance free on 10 acres m/l. Enter through the front door into the living room then on into the kitchen/dining combo with wood burning stove and a door leading out to covered side porch. Down the hall to 2 bedrooms with ceiling fans and a shared full bathroom w/shower and jacuzzi tub. Also there is a ¼ finished basement/ storm shelter with utility room. **Outside:** Covered front porch and partial covered side porch. Storage shed & carport, well & septic all on 10 acres m/l. **Note:** Reason for sale. Court ordered. This property sells to the highest bidder Friday, May 31st, 10:00 AM. **Real Estate Terms:** Qualified buyers only w/pre-approved bank letter of confirmation. Nonrefundable 10% paid day of auction w/ balance due in cash or certified funds within 30-45 days. Buyers and sellers will be responsible for their own portion of their closing cost. Taxes will be prorated to date of close. Sells as is where is with no warranties or guarantees. Bidders, buyers or agent of the buyer is responsible for conducting own inspection of property prior to auction and should rely solely upon their own due diligence and inspection. Seller has the right to accept or reject final bid. A 10% buyer's premium will apply. Any announcements made day of auction supersede any and all printed material. Possession to the property will be 45 days from the closing. **No debit or credit cards.**

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Cassville names May Character Award winners



Cassville Intermediate counseling staff and teachers team up to present a different character trait every month. Classroom teachers then nominate students for awards in recognition of exemplifying that trait. Students were selected during the month of May for empathy.

Third grade award winners are pictured above, from left to right. In the front row: Emaly Costlow, Savanna Holanda, Brooklyn Homewood, Chloe Henry and Alexis Burdiss. Back row: Wyatt Hollingsworth, Jameson Barnes, Isaac Cornett, Carson Hutchens, Nadija Radoncic and Lillian Graef-Miller. Absent from photo: Shevy Smith.



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Fourth grade award winners are pictured above, from left to right. In the front row: Abby Robertson, Riley Ragsdale, Marisol Salas and Addison Elkinss. Back row: Trenton Pyle, Zane Gallardo, Sterling Zucca, Parker Clory and Cyrus Ganoung. Absent from photo: Ayla Holeman and Savannah Conner.



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Fifth grade award winners are pictured above, from left to right. In the front row: Audrey Mitchell, Kierstan Fare, Joei Blankenship, Angelly Herrera-Beltran, Aubrey Stoufer and Payton Ray. Back row: Allen Pulliam, Ethan Sizemore, Isaac Luney, Colton Roark, Aiden Cuyler and Belle Washum.

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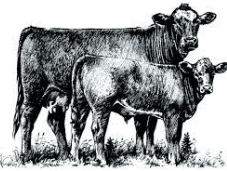
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Extension: Ragged
stand better than no stand

In a year of uneven crop emergence, University of Missouri Extension agronomists say not to count out runts that emerge late. "A late-emerging corn plant is better than no corn plant," says MU Extension agronomist Bill Wiebold.

In a weekly teleconference of MU Extension agronomists on May 7, reports varied from "no corn in the ground at all" to 40% planted. Regional agronomists expressed concern about uneven emergence of corn in fields already planted.

Yield loss can happen when smaller plants compete for nutrients and sunlight with larger, earlier-emerging plants. Smaller plants likely produce barren or small ears.

Seeds that emerge 10 days behind their row mates lessen in-row yield potential. Studies vary, but agronomists in Wisconsin and Illinois estimated losses at 8-10% in older research, says MU Extension corn specialist Greg Luce.

The numbers remain relevant, Luce says, even though improved precision-planting equipment reduces irregularities. Skips and smaller plants are still likely. "Skips are what you don't want," he says. "Doubles are a planter issue and certainly not desired, but they don't have the negative impact on yield like a skip."

Luce says uneven emergence happens for several reasons: soil crusting, compaction, inconsistent and especially shallow seeding

depth, and differences in soil temperature. Seed-to-soil contact matters as well. This year, cool weather provided fewer growing degree units, which are needed for corn to develop strong root systems and emerge uniformly.

"In a perfect world, we would have a picket fence and the world would look beautiful," Wiebold says. That's not the case in 2019, when flooding and excessive rain delayed planting and prompted early concerns of replanting.

But most uneven stands do not warrant replanting. "A ragged stand is better than no stand," Wiebold says.

Luce agrees that replanting is not justified when only due to uneven stands. "Although uniformity is the goal, the most important factor is the total plant population," he says. "Too many skips and a low plant count is what calls for replanting."

The MU Extension guide "Corn and Soybean Replant Decisions" is available for free download at extension2.missouri.edu/g4091, where you can also download MU Extension economist Ray Massey's updated replant decision-making tool.

For more than 100 years, University of Missouri Extension has extended university-based knowledge beyond the campus into all counties of the state. In doing so, extension has strengthened families, businesses and communities.

Cassville FFA takes first in Food Science at State

The Cassville FFA Chapter won the food science career development event at the 91st Missouri FFA Convention. There were 16 teams in the competition.

Team members include Cole Jackson, Andrew Littlefield, Juliette Okel and Drew

Speakman. Individually, Jackson placed first, Littlefield placed second, Okel placed 12th and Speakman placed 14th out of 63 participants. Cassville FFA advisors are Jimmy Hinson and John Littlefield.

The food science and

technology career development event allows students to gain an awareness of career and professional opportunities in the field of food science and technology. The event is made up of both individual and team activities.

Southwest's Ross takes fifth in public speaking

Elizabeth Ross, of the Southwest FFA Chapter, placed fifth in the Division I prepared public speaking leadership development

event at the 91st Missouri FFA Convention. Sixteen students from six districts

were selected to compete at the state level. Ross' advisors are Lena Alsup and Bill Caldwell.

MFA Inc. sponsors the competition, which requires contestants to deliver a three- to four-minute speech based on an agriculture topic they have selected and researched. The contestants present their speech in front of a panel of judges and then undergo an additional three minutes of questions. The event helps students to polish logical thinking and verbal skills needed in the classroom.

The Missouri FFA has 25,375 members representing 347 chapters. The national organization has more than 669,000 members representing 8,630 chapters in all 50 states, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands.

The FFA makes a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education.



The Cassville FFA Chapter won the food science and technology career development event during the 91st Missouri FFA Convention in Columbia, April 25-26, 2019. From left to right: John Littlefield, Juliette Okel, Andrew Littlefield, Drew Speakman and Cole Jackson.



Elizabeth Ross of the Southwest FFA Chapter placed fifth in the Division I Prepared Public Speaking leadership development event during the 91st Missouri FFA Convention in Columbia, April 25 and 26, 2019. Pictured with Ross is her adviser, Lena Alsup.

Cassville Library events

- Sign up today for the Summer Reading Program: A Universe of Stories. Stop by the branch or register online at the Barry-Lawrence Regional Library website. Programs for all ages.
- The Monday Movie Matinee for June 3 is the classic Don Knotts film The Reluctant Astronaut. It starts at 1:30 p.m. and is fun for the whole family. Bring your own snacks.
- Sign up by June 3 to attend the Out of This World Decorating Party and glow-in-the-dark tee shirt craft. The event is for teens and adults and will be held on Tuesday, June 4, beginning at 4 p.m.
- Summer sewing group will be making bookmarks and grocery bag holders on Wednesday, June 5, at 1 p.m.
- Preschool story time returns on Thursday, June 6, at 10 a.m. in the downstairs meeting area. The theme is Shoot for the Moon. Books, music and movement are featured. Registration is not required.
- Juggling in Space with Brian Wendling will be the kick-off children's program of the summer on Thursday, June 6, at 3:30 p.m. All ages are encouraged to attend.
- The adult program on Thursday, June 6, at 6 p.m. will be "Spaced Out" Trivia. Fun and prizes for all.
- Crochet sessions are held Mondays at 6 p.m. and Fridays at 10:30 a.m.

Exeter names Elders April Student of the Month



People's Community Bank chose Clayton Elders as Student of the month for April 2019. Elders is a senior from Exeter High School. In addition to the certificate, Elders will receive a \$50 Graduate Certificate of Deposit. Elders is being recognized for having good character and citizenship.

Pictured, from left to right: Elders, and Taylor House, presenting the award for People's Community Bank.

Copy Cat joins Cassville Chamber



On Monday, May 2, Cassville print shop Copy Cat formally joined the Cassville Chamber of Commerce, celebrating the event with a ribbon cutting at their office. Copy Cat offers a variety of printing, packing and shipping services from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday or after hours by appointment. For more information, contact their office at (417) 847-0120 or visit their website at www.cassvilleprinting.com.

Pictured front row, left to right, are: Marla Shore, Arvest Bank; Charlea Estes-Jones, Barry County Advertiser; Danny Smith, Copy Cat; Missy, the print shop pup; Lyndi Utter, Copy Cat; Rachel Smith, Copy Cat; Diana Smith-Vigil, Copy Cat and Jenny Madson, At The River Consignment. Second Row: Laura Holycross, goBEC Fiber Network; Traci Mitchell, Cassville Schools; Kyla Moore, Johnson Chiropractic; Emily Jackson, Mercy Hospital; Patti Daniels, Four Seasons Realty; Whitney Craig, Arvest Bank; Rhonda Stafford, Regal; Wade Hermansen, Dry Gulch Manufacturing; Rick Ragsdale, Cassville YMCA; and Rachael Freeman, Cassville Chamber. Back row: Chad Johnson, Cassville Community Foundation; Kay McCullah, Four Seasons Realty; Isaac Petersen, City of Cassville; Jerry Marple, City of Cassville; Ryan Stockton, Arning; and Taylor Weaver, Mercy Clinic. Not pictured: Vinnie Roberts, Barry County Advertiser; and Shirley Taylor, Copy Cat.

Moseley inducted into Delta Tau Alpha Ag. Honor Society

John Hilsden Moseley, of Wheaton, was recently inducted into the Delta Tau Alpha – Agriculture Honor Society at Crowder College in Neosho.

To be eligible for Delta Tau Alpha, students must be in the top 33% of all Crowder students based on GPA, and must have completed 24 credit hours, including 6 credit hours in Ag, prior to the fall semester of the induction year. Moseley is currently pursuing an Associates in Animal Science and has maintained a 4.0 GPA while attending Crowder. He is the son of Jay and Natalie Moseley, and the

grandson of John and Billie Jean Higgs.

Delta Tau Alpha (ΔTA) is a scholastic honor society that recognizes academic achievement among students in the field of agriculture. The society was founded at Southwest Missouri State College on March 19, 1960, and admitted to the Association of College Honor Societies in 1992. Delta Tau Alpha honor society has 31 active chapters across the United States, and a total membership of approximately 16,000.

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