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More than meets the eye at local food pantry

Charlea Estes-Iones

As the holidays approach, most people are thinking about spending time with loved ones and big meals. However, for a lot of Barry County residents, food security is a big problem. Many people are one illness or unforeseen incident from being unable to make ends meet.

Cassville Food Pantry director Janet Mills took the time to talk about what helps people in need this time of year. She said, "People don't always realize that one hiccup in your life can turn things upside down. Compassion goes a long way."

Mills said that the food pantry's patrons aren't always what you would assume. Many people who rely on the service are elderly, between jobs or just had some bad luck.

With holidays approaching, many people will be utilizing the food pantry to cook their holiday meals, and people should be mindful when making donations.

Mills said, "I usually recommend people think about what they would desire to have in their homes for their personal celebrations. Things like that might be baking mixes and traditional goods." She added that convenience items are usually more helpful for families struggling. She recommended instant potatoes, gravy mixes, sauces, bread and cookie mixes.

She added, "Unfortunately, people don't know how to cook a lot from scratch. So try

to focus on convenient components and sauces. Things like Hamburger Helper are good all the time."

Mills continued that around the holidays, baking mixes are in higher demand because they allow families to have special treats they otherwise wouldn't be able to provide. She shared, "You've got family at home and you're entertaining them and that is where bread and cookie mixes come in handy. That way they have something on hand that is special to serve to them."

Other things that Mills said people don't usually think to donate are perishable food items. She said, "We do take perishable things such as margarine that people don't think about or a half a gallon of milk, something that a person in need might hesitate to spend money on. Ultimately, we want the food to be nutritious, so it's always great to have items with protein in them.

"We can use perishable things if people want to donate chicken pieces. A lot of the elderly don't even want a whole turkey." She said good protein sources are peanut butter and canned meats.

She said that considering how expensive some things are for people is a good indicator on their need for them at the pantry. She said, "Think about something that someone on limited income might want to buy that much of, like meat items."

She added that lesser thought of items include condiments and salad dressings,

spices and things that help people stretch meals, like rice and noodles. They also accept shampoo and soap, as well as household items like paper towels, toilet paper and dish soap. She said, "If people don't have money to buy things, even bringing in their hotel stashes of tiny shampoos and soaps helps. We can also use people's plastic bags from the grocery store."

However, this time of year isn't only about the donations, it's also about bodies to help at the pantry on days they are handing out food. Mills said, "The biggest need that I feel people in general don't want to have a hard look at is that people need to be involved. We need volunteers desperately. It doesn't have to be a whole lot of time. If they can even help for an hour a month, it would be so helpful."

Even though people work and are busy, Mills suggested taking a late lunch to come donate some time. "People could choose to take a late lunch hour because we do sorting of produce from 12:45 p.m. to 1:20 p.m.," she said. "We get produce as part of the Feeding America Program from Walmart. And we need helpers to sort it. Anybody could just drop in and lend a hand."

She continued, "As big of a need to have product, it would help just as much to have people come in and donate time."

While going in to help at the food pantry may seem daunting, Mills said that most people who come in to lend a hand are surprised at how much fun they have.

"I want to challenge some of the younger generation to see that there is a need. Most of our volunteers are retired, and the retired people can't do everything. The younger people I know who are motivated to lend a hand have so many ways they can help us down here."

For families struggling, there are three different options for them at the Cassville Food Pantry:

Feeding America Pantry

The first is the Feeding America Pantry. Mills said, "This is just supported by the community at large and supplemented by Feeding America through Walmart."

This is the daily walk-in food pantry. It is open Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 11:15 a.m. The pantry does not require income verification, but it does require recipients to prove that they live in Barry County.

Mills said, "They do fill out an application, and we need to verify their address. For all adults, I need a piece of mail that shows their current address for all adults age 19 and older. An adult does have to be present to receive the commodity.

"For a child, anything with the child's name on it, like a MOHealthnet card, a shot record, a grade card from the school. Anything with their name on it."

She continued, "Mostly they're proving where they live. They do have to meet an income criteria, but if people

Fall Carnival brings family fun



At the Mask and Gavel booth at the Fall Carnival, Samantha Baughs (left), 7, of Cassville, races Cyan Sloan (right), 4, of Cassville.



Alora Sartin, 5, of Cassville, shows off her favorite prize, a goldfish she named Goldie.

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Stolen truck recovered in wreck

A Springfield man was charged with the theft of a truck from a Shell Knob gas station after wrecking in Lawrence County.

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Police search for accused sex crime offender

The police are seeking tips on the whereabouts of a man accused of sexually assaulting a child. **3A**

Tax preparer retires after 40 years

Allene Patterson retiring after 40 years of preparing taxes in Barry County.

Driver injured near Aurora

A Republic man wrecks near Aurora, totalling his vehicle and suffering moderate injuries. **16A**

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Two implicated in alleged car theft at gunpoint, drug distribution

Charlea Estes-Jones

Two people are accused of stealing a car at gunpoint on October 28. According to the affidavits of probable cause, Angela Michelle Goetz, 37, of Rogers, Ark., and Jerrid Wayne Johnson, 26, of Seligman, stole a vehicle at gunpoint and when officers searched the vehicle, they found a syringe of methamphetamine as well as paraphernalia.

Officers reported that the vehicle, a 2005 Honda Accord, was stolen on October 28 when Johnson pointed a gun at the driver and ordered her out of the vehicle. Once out, the victim reported that Goetz pushed her. The victim stated she did not report the vehicle stolen because she feared for her and her family's safety. The victim then reported that Johnson and Goetz left in the vehicle.

The victim found her vehicle on Farm Road 2200 in Barry County on November 6. Officers later recovered the vehicle at the address where Johnson and Goetz reside.

Officers, with permission of the vehicle's owner, searched the car and found a loaded syringe that tested positive for methamphetamine as well as paraphernalia including digital scales and plastic baggies.

Goetz is charged with robbery in the first degree and delivery of a controlled substance. She is currently being held in the Barry County Jail in lieu of a \$50,000 cash-only bond. Johnson does not have any current charges related to this case. He is currently being held in the Barry County Jail on a \$35,000 bond related to other charges from earlier in 2017.

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Wrecked truck results in theft charges

Charlea Estes-Jones

A Springfield man has been charged with stealing a truck at a Shell Knob gas station after wrecking into a tree. Larry Antone Applegate, 27, of Springfield, is charged with tampering with a motor vehicle in the first degree and resisting arrest for a felony by fleeing and creating substantial risk of injury or death.

According to the affidavits of probable cause, the Missouri State Highway Patrol responded to a dispatch alert for a truck stolen from the Rapid Roberts in Shell Knob on November 1. A Ford F350 pickup was taken and was headed northbound on MO39. The Trooper met the truck while he was southbound and he turned and attempted to take the vehicle.

The trooper reported that the truck was going over 100 miles per hour and he followed him into Lawrence County. Eventually, the driver lost control and crashed the truck into a tree on Route T in Lawrence County.

It is reported that the driver, Applegate, fled on foot into a wooded area before the officer caught him.

Applegate admitted to taking the vehicle. He was currently on probation for tampering with a motor vehicle. He is currently being held in the Barry County Jail in lieu of a \$25,000 bond.

Car detailing drawings offered to veterans

To show appreciation to our veterans for their service, Ken's Collision Center is giving away free details to 12 veterans.

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Judicial Center raises funds to help local cancer patients



The Barry County Judicial Center recently presented checks to locals battling cancer to help pay for travel expenses. The Judicial Center raises funds through their Pink Out day, dress down days and their pumpkin carving contest each year. This year, they raised \$1,330 which was split between two Barry County residents.

Pictured above, Barry County Circuit Clerk Craig Williams (middle) presents checks to Rick Bowers (left), of Exeter, and Janice Truman (right), of Cassville.

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Golden man wanted for child sodomy

Charlea Estes-Jones

A Golden man is the subject of a search after allegedly sexually abusing a child. The Barry County Sheriff's Department posted on their Facebook page on November 2 that they are seeking tips or information about the whereabouts of Octavio Richard Ochoa, 33, of Golden. Ochoa is reported to be from the Arrow Point/Golden area.

According to the affidavits of probable cause, Ochoa committed both statutory sodomy and child molestation on a girl under the age of 12. The charges state that Ochoa assaulted the girl in June of this year. Ochoa allegedly touched the girl under her bra and

demanded she remove her pants so that he could touch her sexually. The victim told officers that she was afraid of Ochoa.

Ochoa is charged with sodomy in the first degree as an aggravated offender and child molestation in the second degree with a child under the age of 12. Ochoa has a warrant issued with a \$50,000 cash-only bond. If you have information about Ochoa's whereabouts, contact the Barry County Sheriff's Department at (417) 847-6556, Barry County 911 dispatch at (417) 847-4911 or the Barry/Lawrence County Crime Stoppers at (888) 635-TIPS (8477). Tipsters can remain anonymous.





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Community Calendar

Community Calendar page is free as a courtesy to local events. If your event is relying on advertising for attendance, then it is vital for you to place a paid ad. There is no guarantee that your event will be placed in community calendar. Deadline for community calendar is Monday at 5 p.m.

Notice:

<u>Cassville Farmers' Market</u> will be on the square every Saturday from 7 a.m. to 11 a.m. For information, call (417) 652-7308.

November 10th

American Legion Post 118 will host a free veterans lunch at the Cassville Senior Center at 11:00 a.m. on November 10.

<u>Purdy National Honor Society</u> will host a Veterans appreciation assembly in the high school gym on November 10 at 2:15 p.m.

Clio Community Building will host music on November 10 at 6:30 p.m.

<u>Eagle Rock Fire Department</u> will host a breakfast on November 10 from 7 a.m. to 10 a.m.

<u>Exeter School Veterans Day Assembly</u> will be November 10 at 1:30 p.m. in the multipurpose room.

Cassville High School will host a Veterans Day assembly on November 10 at 9 a.m. in the gym.

<u>Cassville Judicial Center and Courthouse</u> will be closed November 10.

<u>Southwest School</u> will host a Veterans Day program on November 10 at 12:30 in the gym.

<u>Stella Senior Center</u> will host a dance on November 10 at 7 p.m. For information, call (417)628-3314.

<u>Cassville Senior Center</u> will host a free lunch for Veterans and their spouse on November 10 from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

<u>Central Crossing Senior Center</u> will host a Veterans Day celebration on November 10 from 11:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

<u>Seligman Chamber of Commerce</u> will host a bluegrass and gospel night on November 10 at 7 p.m. at the event center. For information, call (417)662-3612.

November 11th

<u>Cassville Cruisers Cruise In</u> will be November 11 at 3 p.m. at the Barry County Museum with a special Veterans Day ceremony.

<u>Chatty Crafters</u> will meet November 11 at the Mane Station in Cassville at 10 a.m. For information, call (417)498-2202.

<u>Purdy School Talent Show</u> will be November 11 at 7 p.m. in the elementary gym.

Seligman Chamber will host a dance on November 11 at 7 p.m. For information, call (417)662-3612.

November 12th

Morgan Smith Benefit will be November 12 at Cassville Crowder College from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. This event will raise funds for medical expenses. For information, call (417)846-6021.

<u>Southwest School Project Graduation</u> will sponsor a Thanksgiving dinner on November 12 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the commons area. There is a cost for the meal.

November 14th

<u>Southwest Missouri Solid Waste Management District N</u> will hold its annual meeting at 11 a.m. on November 14 at 12:15 p.m. The meeting will be at the Angus Branch Steakhouse in Monett.

November 15th

Golden Baptist Church Single Moms Group will meet November 15 at 6 p.m. For information, call (417)271-

<u>Cassville Ministerial Alliance</u> will host a Thanksgiving service on November 15 at 7 p.m. at Blessing Heights Worship Center. The speaker will be Brad Hudson.

November 16th

<u>Seligman Community Center</u> will host a food pantry on November 16 from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. Must show Seligman address.

November 18th

<u>McDowell Golden Jubilee</u> will host music on November 18 at 6:30 p.m.

November 19th

<u>Benefit for Omar Alberto</u> will be hosted at Cassville El Marichi on November 19 from 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. For information, call (417)847-5565.

November 23rd

Washburn Mission Baptist Church invites you to a free traditional Thanksgiving meal on November 23 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

School Menus: November 13 - November 17

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<u>Purdy:</u> Mon: B: Blueberry muffin, cereal, fruit, toast. L: Cashew chicken, asian vegetables, egg rolls, fruit. Tues: B: Pancakes, cereal, yogurt, fresh fruit. L: Spaghetti/meat sauce, breadstick, tossed salad, peas/carrots, fruit. Wed: B: Biscuit, gravy, sausage patty, cereal, fruit. L: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, green beans, bread slice, fruit. Thurs: B: Scrambled eggs, toast, cereal, strawberry cup. L: Frito pie, vegetarian beans, corn, fruit. Fri: B: Breakfast wrap, cereal, yogurt, banana. L: Hamburger/bun, sun chips, baby carrots/ranch, fruit.

Exeter: Mon: B: Biscuit & gravy, peaches, juice or cereal, biscuit, peaches, juice. L: Pepperoni pizza, tossed salad, carrots, peaches. Tues: B: Blueberry muffin, yogurt, apple, juice or cereal, pop tart, apple, juice. L: Cashew chicken, brown rice, broccoli, fortune cookie, pineapple. Wed: B: Cereal, toast, fruit, juice. L: Burrito/cheese, pinto beans, corn, fruit. Thurs: B: Mini pancakes, fruit, juice or cereal, toast, fruit, juice. L: Sliced turkey, mashed potatoes/gravy, green beans, roll, pumpkin pie, fruit. Fri: B: Eggstravaganza, toast, banana, juice or cereal, vertical bar, banana, juice. L: Corn dog, sweet potato fries, yellow squash, sidekick.

Southwest: Mon: B: Pancake on a stick, fresh fruit or cereal, juice. L: Chicken chunks, cauliflower/broccoli, mashed potatoes, fruit cocktail or salad/fruit bar. Tues: B: Biscuits & gravy, fresh fruit or cereal, juice. L: Beef pasta bake, green beans, breadstick, pears, or salad/fruit bar. Wed: B: Cereal, yogurt cup, fresh fruit, juice. L: Pepperoni pizza, garden salad, applesauce or salad/fruit bar. Thurs: B: Mini pancakes, sausage links, fresh fruit or cereal, juice. L: Cheeseburger, lettuce, tomato, baked beans, tropical fruit or salad/fruit bar. Fri: B: Hot ham & hashbrown sandwich, fresh fruit or cereal, juice. L: Corndog, mac & cheese, peas & carrots, apple cobbler or salad/fruit bar.

Cassville: Mon: B: Biscuits & gravy or honey bun, go-gurt, peaches or ce-

real, banana muffin, mandarin oranges. L: Corndog, or chicken strips, mac & cheese, green beans. Tues: B: Biscuits & gravy or brfst burrito, hashbrowns, mandarin oranges or cereal, pears. L: Chicken noodles or country steak, whipped potatoes, gravy, peaches. Wed: B: Biscuits & gravy or mini cinnis, sausage patty, peaches or cereal, cinnamon toast, applesauce. L: Cheese pizza or chicken crispitos, corn, carrots, fruit cocktail. Thurs: B: Biscuits & gravy or pancakes, sausage patty, orange or cereal, graham crackers, peaches. L: Spaghetti or popcorn chicken, tossed salad, broccoli & cheese, breadstick, side kick fruit. Fri: B: Biscuits & gravy or brfst. pizza, hashbrown, pineapple chunks or cereal, go-gurt, apple slices. L: Turkey/gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, pumpkin cake, cranberry sauce.

Cassville High: Mon: B: Biscuits & gravy or cinnamon bun, yogurt cups, fruit cocktail or cereal, banana nuffin, applesauce. L: Cheeseburger, potato puffs, corn, mandarin oranges or pizza meal or salad meal. Tues: B: Biscuits & gravy or chicken nuggets, hashbrown, peaches or cereal, nutri-grain bar, apple. L: Pork sandwich, ranch doritos, baked beans, or chicken nugget meal or salad meal. Wed: B: Biscuits & gravy or brfst burrito, sausage patty, pineapple chunks or cereal, cinnamon toast, applesauce. L: Chicken strips, mac & cheese, green beans, fruit salad, or pizza meal or salad meal. Thurs: B: Biscuit & gravy or eggstravaganza, hashbrown, toast, tropical fruit or cereal, graham crackers, peaches. L: General chicken, brown rice, egg roll, glazed carrots, pineapple chunks or sweet & sour meal or salad meal. Fri: B: Biscuit & gravy or brfst pizza, hashbrown, pears or cereal, granola bar, orange. L: Turkey & gravy, whipped potatoes, corn, cranberry sauce, pumpkin pie or pizza meal or salad meal.





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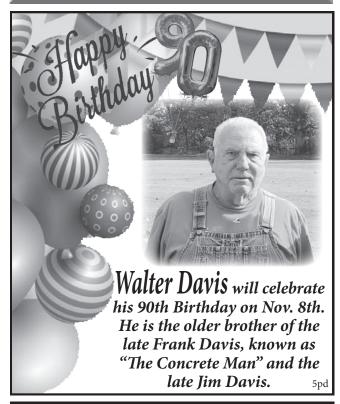
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ARLIN ALBERT "AL" **CAMPBELL**

Arlin Albert "Al" Campbell, 86, of Cassville, passed away Monday, November 6, 11:00 a.m. Thursday, Novem-

2017, at his home. the son of William Albert and Eva (Morgan) Campbell. On December 27, 1950, he was united in marriage to Rozella Also surviving are one son, Murray Albert Campbell and his wife, Rachél, of Joplin; Klubeck and her husband, Brian, of Murphysboro, Ill., and Andra Lea Florer and her husband, Gary, of Butterfield; one sister, Velma Stoneking, of Monett; thirteen grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Preceding him in death were his parents; two brothers, Ernest Richard Campbell and Ralph Emmett Campbell; and one sister, Joyce Admire Campbell.

Al moved from Kansas to Wyoming as a child and graduated from high school in Casper, Wyo. For a few years, he was employed in the oil fields for Standard Refinery and served in the National Guard. He then moved to

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Colorado where he worked for Coors Brewing Company for twenty-five years. He was a member of Arvada Fire Protection District in Colorado. In 1987, he moved to Jenkins where he retired and later made his home in Cassville. He was a member of Cassville United Methodist Church. Working with wood was his favorite pastime and he was known for his bird houses. He also enjoyed fishing.

Services will be held at ber 9, 2017, at Fohn Funeral He was born June 20, Home in Cassville. Reverend 1931, in Arkansas City, Kan., Don Beeson will conduct the services. Burial will be at Sparks Cemetery in Butter-

The family will receive "Rose" Sparks, who survives. friends from 9:30 until 11:00 a.m. Thursday at Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville.

Contributions may be two daughters, Vickie Gail made to National Kidney Foundation in memory of Al.

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PATRICIA "TERRI" BLANKENSHIP

Patricia "Terri" Blankenship, 74, of Wheaton, went to meet Jesus on November 5, 2017.

Terri, as most knew her, was born October 13, 1943, to Claud and Alta (Shaffer) Taylor in Covington, Okla.

She met her first husband, Marvin Jones, and married in Dodge City, Kan. on April 30, 1959. To this marriage two daughters were born, Sasha "Lynne" and Rebecca Ann. She lived in Rocky Comfort until 1980 when she divorced and later met her second husband, Jimmy Blankenship. She worked at Granby Manufacturing, Teledyne and later Talbot Industries until her health declined. She pre-

viously attended Bethlehem Freewill Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Jim Blankenship; infant daughter, Rebecca Ann Jones; and two brothers, Kenneth and Harry, Jr.

Surviving are her daughter, Sasha "Lynne" Jones, of Rocky Comfort; grandson, Shane Jeffries, of Ozark; three sisters, Shirley Wallace, of Duncanville, Texas, Betty Hensley, of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Helen Godsey, of Flower Mound, Texas; and one brother, Leland Taylor, of Hot Springs, Ark.

Graveside services will be held at 1:00 p.m. Thursday, November 9, 2017, at Rocky Comfort Cemetery in Rocky Comfort, under direction of McQueen Funeral Home in Wheaton. Pastor Frank Smith will conduct the services.

The family will receive friends from 5:00 until 7:00 p.m., today, Wednesday at McQueen Funeral Home in Wheaton.

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MARY "JOSEPHINE" FISHER

Mary "Josephine" Fisher, 99, of Cassville, passed away Tuesday, October 31, 2017, at Cassville Health Care and Rehabilitation.

She was born August 21, 1918, in Cassville, the daughter of Otis A. and Etta (Reams) Fisher, who preceded her in death. Also preceding her in death were a brother, R.G. Fisher; and a sister, Norma Ledgerwood.

Surviving are two nephews, Carl Ledgerwood and his wife, Linda, of Collierville, Tenn., and Dennis Ledgerwood and his wife, Charli Jo, of Cassville; three greatnephews, Matt, Nate and T.J.; and five great-great-nieces and nephews.

Josephine grew up and received her education in Cassville, graduating from Cassville High School in 1936. For sixty-four years, she worked for Barry County Abstract and Title Company as an abstractor and later as manager. She was a life-long member of First Baptist Church in Cassville. She was an avid reader, loved her cat and dogs, enjoyed family history, Barry County History and she especially liked driving her car.

Graveside services were held at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, November 4, 2017, at Corinth Cemetery in Cassville under direction of Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville. Pastor Rick Cooper conducted the services.

Visit fohnfuneralhome.com for online obituaries, guestbook and praivate condolences.

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OBITUARIES



KATHRYN I. SMITH

Kathryn I. Smith, 91, of Washburn, passed away Thursday, November 2, 2017, at her home.

She was born March 31, 1926, in Stella, the daughter of Walter and Sarah (Pogue) Ward. She was united in marriage to Lee R. Smith, who preceded her in death. Also preceding her in death were four brothers, Harlan, Melvin, Dallas and Ralph Ward; two sisters, Lucille Merritt and Nadine Pogue; and a special friend, Ed Banks.

Surviving are one daughter, Linda Jones and her husband, Carl, of Washburn; one sister, Clyda Gideon, of Anderson; three grandchildren, Kevin Jones and his wife, Tonya, Karla Renkoski, and Kelly Catron and her

husband, Donald; five greatgrandchildren, Cody Renkoski and his wife, Jessica, Lacey Gibbs and her husband, Brett, Kathy Williams and her husband, Zack, Mickie Fletcher and her husband, D.J., and Sarah Catron; and six greatgreat grandchildren, Natalie, Gabby, Koda, Ashtyn, Briley and Smith.

Kathryn received her education at Wanda School. For a few years, she was a hospital employee and then became a homemaker. She had been active in Cassville Senior Center and was a member of Mission Baptist Church. One of her favorite pastimes was working in her garden and she loved working with farm animals.

Funeral services were held at 1:00 p.m. Sunday, November 5, 2017, at Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville. Rick Hendrix conducted the services. Burial was in Rocky Comfort Cemetery.

The family received friends from 6:00 until 8:00 p.m. Saturday at Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville.

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THURMAN WILLIAM "BILL" BARGAY

Thurman William "Bill" Bargay, 71, of Seligman, passed away Friday, November 3, 2017, at his home.

He was born January 14, 1946, in Barry County, the son of William and Lotty May Ward Bargay. On October 8, 1980, he was united in marriage to Judy Lothes, who survives. Also surviving are four daughters, Kelly Bargay, Billie Ann Bargay, Cindy Treslure Francisco and her husband, Jerry, of Pea Ridge, Ark., and Angela Dawn Anderson and her husband, Tommy, of Seligman; one son, James Dell Frazier and his wife, Kerry, of Centerton, Ark.; one brother, George Truman Bargay and his wife, Judy, of Portland, Ore.; one sister, Joyce Tripp, of Pea Ridge, Ark.; eight grandchildren; and five greatgrandchildren.

Preceding him in death were his parents; four sisters, Ona Stanley, Florence Skelton, Loretta Loyd and Merel Spain; one brother, Herman

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Bargay; and five grandchildren.

Bill grew up and received his education in Barry County. For several years, he was a Park Attendant for the Corp of Engineer at Beaver Lake, which he loved. He was also a self-employed carpenter. Some of his favorite pastimes were camping, fishing and visiting with family and friends

Services were held at 11:00 a.m. Monday, November 6, 2017, at First Baptist Church in Seligman under direction of Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville. Pastor Bob Scott conducted the services. Burial was at Union Chapel Cemetery in Garfield, Ark.

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LILLIAN RAE WELKER

Lillian Rae Welker, 77, of Holiday Island, Ark., passed away Sunday, November 5, 2017, at Mercy Hospital in Springfield.

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

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RONALD GLEN EWING

Ronald Glen Ewing, 60, went to be with the Lord on Thursday, November 2, 2017, at 7:50 a.m. Ron was born on July 7, 1957, in Des Moines, Iowa, to Glen Ewing and Roberta (Wheeler) Curnes. He graduated from Madrid High School in 1975, and then went on to further his education at Bolivar Technical College, graduating with a Bachelor's degree in Accounting. Ron later received a Bachelor's degree in Computer Science from the University of Phoe-

Ron was an avid outdoors man and dabbled in bee keeping, raising hogs, goats, chickens of many varieties, horses and cows. He was ornery and loved to make others laugh. Ron loved to tinker and always said that he was a "jack of all trades and master of none". His love for cooking was loved and enjoyed by his family, friends and acquaintances.

Ron served his country proudly in the United States Army as an E5 Staff Sargent. He was a member of Corinth Baptist Church in Cassville. Ron was a friend to many and will be greatly missed.

Ron is survived by his loving wife of thirty-seven and half years, Deborah Lynn (Millard) Ewing. They were united in marriage on May 30, 1980, in Rippey, Iowa.

Ron was a very loving father and grandfather. He leaves behind two sons, Jerome Ewing and his wife, Patty, of Cassville, and Jerad Ewing and his wife Becky, of Springfield; one daughter, Autumn Ewing, of Webb City; and nine grandchildren, Trin-



ity Ewing, who he raised as his daughter, Grason Ewing, Kalie Eighmy, Malakai Ewing, Jadon Ewing, Garrett Ewing, Corben Eighmy, Emrald Ewing, and Connor Ewing.

A celebration of Ron's life will be held at a later date for family and friends.

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



DAVID JOSEPH LIBERTUS

David Joseph Libertus, 51, of Phoenix, Ariz. was born May 5, 1966, to Wanda "Susie" Henry, of Eagle Rock, and Jimmy Libertus, of Oak Grove, Ark. David spent his youth in Emporia, Kan., and moved to Missouri in 1980. He was a welder and did construction by trade. His best times were working with Clydesdale horses. He was a rover and moved on to Seattle, Wash., and then Phoenix,

Preceding him in death were his four grandparents; two sisters-in-law, Mary Libertus and Cindy Libertus; and brother-in-law and best friend, John Easley.

David is survived by three siblings, Gina Marie Easley, of Eagle Rock, James (Jimbo) Libertus, of Cassville, and Christina Libertus, of Chatanooga, Tenn.; eight nieces and nephews; and nine greatnieces and nephews.

Donations to help with expenses can be made to any Freedom Bank or Cornerstone Bank. All donations are appreciated.

Memorial service will be held November 11, 10:00 a.m., at Lighthouse Gospel Church in Eagle Rock.



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PATRICIA BLEDSOE

Patricia Bledsoe, 72, of Simco, passed away on Thursday, November 2, 2017, at her

Memorial contributions may be made to the Body of Christ Ministries and entrusted to the White Funeral Home and Crematory, P.O. Box 890 Cassville, MO 65625.

A celebration of life will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 12, 2017, at Body of Christ Ministries in Wheaton with Pastor Gene Robinson officiating. Burial will be held at Union Cemetery in Longview.

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

White Funeral Home and Crematory www.whitefuneralhome.org 417-847-8400 or 417-858-8400



DOYLE GLEEN WILLIAMS

Doyle Gleen Williams, 79, of Colorado Springs, Colo. passed away October 27 after a bout with cancer.

Doyle was born April 22, 1938, to Opal G. and Hazel Lawson Williams in Selig-

Doyle was preceded in death by his parents; maternal grandparents, Wyatt and Belle Rose Lawson; his paternal grandparents, Amos and Clara Pippin Williams; his wife, Lourdes Williams; brothers, Darrell, Pharis, Norris and Kevin Williams; and son, Brian Williams.

Doyle is survived by his children, Rolando Williams, Shawna Orr, Christine Biorndahl, Pacita Williams, Doyle Williams Jr.; sister, Ramona Fletcher, of Seligman, and brother, Knial Williams, of Bentonville, Ark.; numer-

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ous grandchildren and great grandchildren. Doyle was a loving and devoted father, brother and friend whose loss is keenly felt by all who knew

Doyle was a veteran of the US Navy. Doyle was a family historian and enjoyed working on family genealogy.

Doyle will be buried in California with his wife. A local memorial service will be held at a later date.



JAMES ELIAS "JIM" LONG

James Elias "Jim" Long, age 64, of Cassville, passed away Thursday, November 2, 2017, at Mercy Hospital in Springfield.

Services were held at 7:00 p.m., Monday, at Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville. Bob Long conducted the services. Burial will be held 10:00 a.m. Saturday, November 18, 2017, at Prospect Cemetery in Ozark.

The family received friends from 6:00 p.m. until service time Monday at Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville.

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Patterson retiring from tax service after 40 years

Charlea Estes-Jones

One of Cassville's most prolific tax preparers, Allene Patterson, is retiring after 40 years in the business. Before women were business owners, she built her business and built it to last.

Patterson's business was Allene Patterson Tax Service. Now it is Burchfield Tax Services, and she talked about what made her business successful for so many years.

Patterson was born and raised in Barry County. She said, "I live on the same place I was born. So when I say native, I'm really native to here."

She graduated in 1949 from Washburn High School, and then moved with her husband for seven years before returning in 1956.

As the mother of five children, she dedicated her time to them solely until her youngest began kindergarten. She said, "Then I was the secretary to the home economist at the extension office from 1969 to 1976."

She resigned and decided to move on to a new career path.

Patterson said, "I enrolled in the tax course through H & R Block, and halfway through, they asked if I wanted to buy the business. I said no, and then they asked if I would work for them. So I did, but by the next year I bought it."

However, buying the business wasn't without its challenges. Patterson shared, "The only trouble I had was with the bank. I'd been with that bank my entire life, but back in 1977, women couldn't borrow money from the bank.

"Finally, they said they would go to the board and if my husband would come in and sign they would try. But I told them, 'This is my business, not my husband's.' I had to borrow money against a life insurance policy. It wasn't even much money."

She said now it's much different. "I can see the difference in how women are treated in this area now."

But despite the hurdles of being a woman business owner when very few women owned businesses, Patterson proved to be successful and prolific. She owned the H & R Block franchise from 1978 to 1988, then opened her own business without the H & R Block name until 2013 when she sold her business to the current owner, Melissa Burchfield, which is also when the tax service changed its name. Burchfield was involved in the business since 1993.

Patterson said, "Melissa has hung in there and we've discussed through the years that I would give her the first opportunity to buy the business when I decided to retire."

She added, "She's allowed me to work for the business for the last couple years so that made it easy for the transition."

When asked why he decided it was time to retire, she laughed, "Because I'm 86.



Patterson

I thought I would at 65, but I couldn't give up the work."

She said her filling her time in retirement is the challenge she sees in the future. "That is a problem. I'm sure I'll visit some of my children more. Now I have greatgrandchildren to spend time with. I have lots to do outside at home. I love to be outside. And I'll find some places to volunteer." She added that she has already volunteered for 40 years on the OACAC local and area board.

She added, "Most of my

time has been filled with taxes, but I need to move on.

"Sooner or later, all good things come to and end. I loved this area to work in. There are good people here."

In the four decades Patterson has been doing taxes, she said the difference is huge. She said, "Back then, we did everything by hand with a pencil and paper. You couldn't do them by hand today."

Patterson stated, "In 1983, I took training to take a test to become an enrolled agent."

Being an enrolled agent meant that Patterson was able to represent clients in front of the IRS, including for audits. She also spoke with different accounting classes and community groups, including churches. She also taught tuition-based tax courses in the fall.

When asked why she thinks she was so successful over the years, she said, "I think it's my client service. I was always there. I was open full time, year-round and developed personal relationships with my clients. It was word of mouth.

"The first year with H & R Block, I did 300 returns.

When I sold it, I'd done 1,800 returns. I tried to make every client feel like they were the only one I was seeing that day."

She continued, "When you treat clients well, you develop a relationship with them. It's almost like family. It's a very involved relationship. I don't know that all tax offices are that way, but its always been that way for me.

"It's been a great business for me and I've had really great employees."

With Burchfield at the helm, Patterson said the company will have more focus on payroll and bookkeeping, which she didn't focus on. Patterson stuck with tax returns.

"Melissa has always been a good employee and a good friend. I'll be around to bounce things off of if she needs to," said Patterson.

Now that Patterson is taking her time in retirement and learning to slow down, she said, "I would work night and day. But I loved it. I loved my clients. I've had a good life and it's been a blessing. I've made friends with my clients."







Abramovitz takes Grand Champion at State Fair



Dawson Abramovitz, member of the Purdy FFA Chapter, attended the Missouri State Fair in Sedalia, August 10 to 13. Accompanied by Purdy FFA Alumni member Joe Grissom and family, Dawson came to the fair with one goal in sight: to show to the best of his abilities and have fun doing it. While showing the Hereford cow/calf pair, Dawson did an outstanding job, achieving Grand Champion. Abramovitz noted of the event, "When the judge stepped up to shake my hand, I felt a wave of pride come over me as I realized I had done something that not many people get the opportunity to achieve. I'm very thankful for the Grissom family and their contribution in helping me get this far in showing." Abramovitz is pictured, right, with Morgan Grissom, left, and his Grand Champion.

Cassville to receive Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Gifts Nov. 13-20

Cassville residents will transform empty shoeboxes into gifts filled with toys, school supplies and hygiene items Nov. 13 through 20. The gifts will then be delivered around the world by the Samaritan's Purse project Operation Christmas Child to children who are living in the midst of poverty, war, disease or natural disaster.

First Baptist Church in Cassville will serve as one of approximately 4,500 U.S. locations collecting gift-filled shoeboxes for children living in poverty overseas through the Samaritan's Purse project Operation Christmas Child, the world's largest Christmas project of its kind.

During National Collection Week, November 13 through 20, area residents will donate shoeboxes filled with school supplies, hygiene items, notes of encouragement and fun toys, such as a doll or soccer ball for Operation Christmas Child to deliver to children in need around the world. This year, residents in Cassville and surrounding communities hope to contribute toward the 2017 global goal of reaching 12 million children.

The Cassville drop-off location will be receiving shoebox gifts during the following times:

First Baptist Church 602 West Street Cassville, MO 65625 Operating Hours:

Monday, Nov. 13, 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 14, 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 15, 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 16, 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. Friday, Nov. 17, 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 18, 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 19, 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. Monday, Nov. 20, 8 a.m. to 10 a.m.

For more information on how to participate in Operation Christmas Child, call (417) 732-1405 or visit samaritanspurse. org/occ. By going online to give the suggested donation of \$9 per shoebox gift, participants can follow their box to discover where in the world it will be delivered. They can also pack a shoebox gift online and even upload a photo and note of encouragement.

Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan's Purse, an international Christian relief and evangelism organization headed by Franklin Graham. The mission of Operation Christmas Child is to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to children in need around the world, and together with the local church worldwide, to share the Good News of Jesus Christ. Since 1993, Operation Christmas Child has collected and delivered more than 146 million gift-filled shoeboxes to children in more than 160 countries and territories. For many of these children, the gift-filled shoebox is the first gift they have ever received.

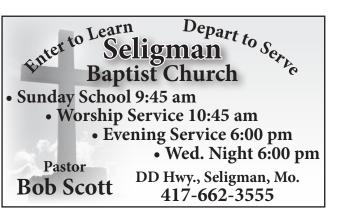
Exeter FFA attends Animal Science Exploration Day

Madelyn Cole, Chapter Reporter

On Friday, October 13, two Exeter FFA Chapter members attended the Animal Science and Exploration Day at Mizzou. Kiley Lyons and Vanessa Ward, both juniors, applied to the event, and were two of 50 students chosen to attend.

High school juniors and seniors from across the state in hands on activities which taught them about various areas of Animal Science. They worked and learned in diverse lab settings, met cur-

got to attend and participated rent Animal Science students and alumni, toured the farms at University of Missouri, and toured the MU College of Veterinary Medicine.









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Commodities Program

The commodities program is a government subsidy program paid for by tax dollars. The commodities program day includes a class put on by OACAC with a general distribution of food after the program. Programs focus on things like dietary plans, budgeting, money management and more. Mills said, "It's all directed to making your life work and function well, even on a budget. How to make our lives work in a healthy balanced way."

The classes are on the fourth Tuesday of the month from 12:45 p.m. to 3 p.m. then food is distributed from

3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. In the event of holidays, the class day can change. Classes aren't required to receive a subsidy.

Senior Citizens Commodities Program

The senior commodities program is also a government subsidy program. It is offered to senior citizens aged 60 and over who are low-income. Mills said, "That program involves an application process. It's a little more of a participation-expectation thing. You apply and become a part of a program ongoing. The date varies. It's the Friday that follows the third Monday. Contact the church for specific dates."

Diaper Bank

One of the lesser known programs at the pantry is a diaper program. Mills said, "We are also representing

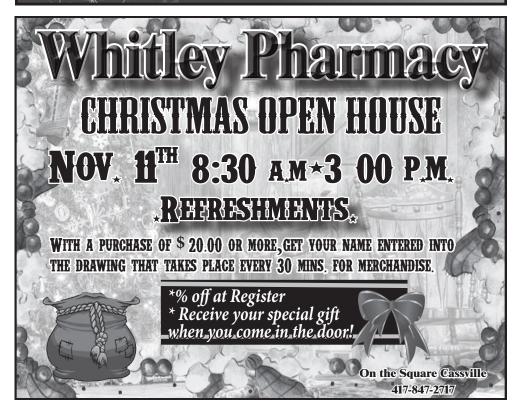
Diaper Banks of the Ozarks. We do get diapers, as well. People can come in and ask. We don't get a lot, but people can come in when they get food." She said that usually they will get a package of ten diapers. She added, "People can donate baby wipes if they want to help with that program."

For more information, to ask about programs or to volunteer, call the Cassville United Methodist Church Food Pantry at (417) 847-2328 Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Mills concluded, "If you want to help, just think. Put yourself in someone else's shoes. You're going to make dinner and open the cupboard and what do you see? What do you need? And start







Cassville class of 1977 celebrates at 40th anniversary class reunion



Cassville class of 1977 met for their 40th class reunion Friday, October 6 and Saturday October 7. A Tailgate party for the Wildcat vs. Aurora football game at the Cassville High School football field was the planned event for Friday night. Saturday was the main event with a barbeque still dinner prepared by Dan Weaver at the Shell Kob Recreation Center. Music was provided by J Rock & the 3rd Street Band.

Life jacket loaner program promotes water safety

Colonel Sandra K. Karsten, superintendent of the Missouri State Highway Patrol, is pleased to inform the public of a special partnership between the Missouri Department of Natural Resources and Missouri State Highway Patrol. Beginning in July 2017, the Patrol's Water Patrol Division worked closely with the Johnson Shut-Ins State Park to implement the Life Jacket Loaner Program. This program promotes water safety by offering the use of a life jacket to those visiting Johnson Shut-Ins State Park. When the swimmers finished using the life jacket, they returned it to a hanging rack for the next visitor. The Life Jacket Loaner Program received positive feedback from visitors and Johnson Shut-Ins State Park employees. It is expected the Life Jacket Loaner Program will operate at Johnson Shut-Ins State Park next year for the entire season.

"We are pleased to work with the Missouri Department of Natural Resources to promote water safety," said Colonel Karsten. "Life jackets save lives and this program is a great way to reinforce the importance of wearing one."

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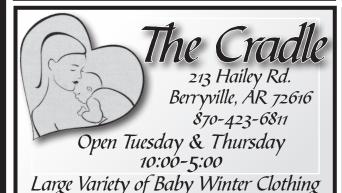
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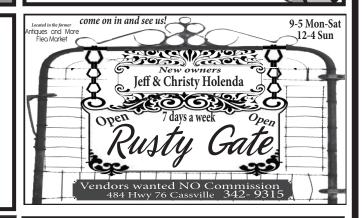
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Wenkel-Rhea marriage announced



Gary and Susan Wenkel, of Kimberling City, are proud to announce the marriage of their daughter, Shannon Illine, to Kyle James Rhea, son of Darren and Shari Rhea, of Cassville. The bride graduated from Reeds Spring High School in 2011. She attended College of the Ozarks and Ozarks Technical College to pursue Emergency Medicine and E.M.T. licensure. She is an active volunteer with the Cassville Fire Protection District and is currently employed as an E.M.T. for Herschend Family Entertainment. The groom graduated from Cassville High School in 2010. He attended Baker University and Missouri Southern State University Law Enforcement Academy. He currently is employed by Barry County Sheriff's Department. The wedding was November 4, 2017, at Sycamore Creek Ranch in Hollister. The happy couple plans to reside in Cassville.

What is Plaid Friday?

Plaid Friday is an effort to encourage holiday shoppers to shop local on the day after Thanksgiving, a day that many know as "Black Friday." Conceptualized in Oakland, CA, Plaid Friday has spread beyond northern California to cities across the United States. While Black Friday is often associated with big box retailers, Plaid Friday focuses on small, locally owned businesses. But why plaid? According to OaklandGrown. org, an organization that celebrates and supports in-

trails and a creek.

dependent business leaders, artists and activists in the city of Oakland, plaid symbolizes the weaving together of a creative and diverse community of small businesses. Consumers interested in learning about Plaid Friday events and sales in their communities can contact local businesses or small business organizations in their areas to find out more and learn the various ways to support locally-based businesses this holiday season.

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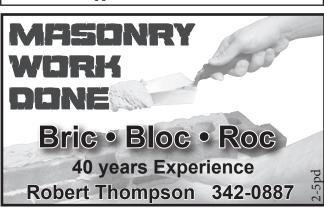


Maye Tilford retires from Able 2 Products Company



Maye Tilford retired from Able 2 Products Company on November 14, 2017, after 42 years of service to the local manufacturing company. A retirement luncheon in Maye's honor was held at the plant on November 1, 2017. Tilford plans on taking it easy, watching the wildlife, quilting and spending time with her two children, four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.





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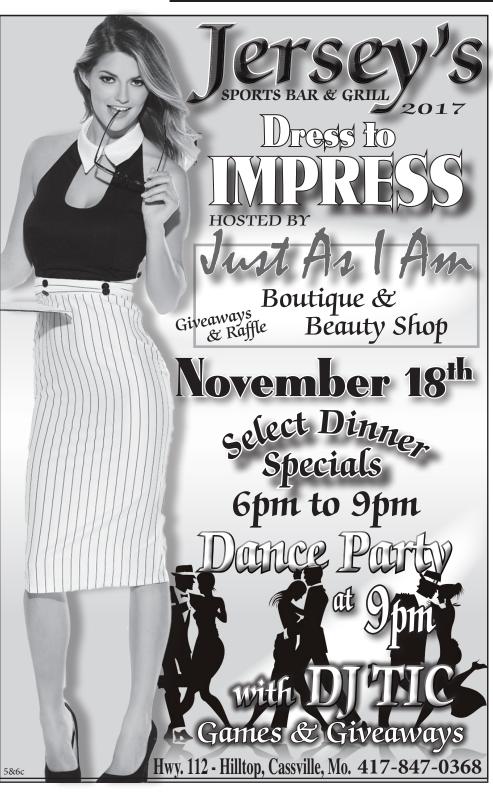












Successful youth hunters



Evan Eaton, age 7, from Alba, shot 10 point buck Alba, shot a doe opening day. opening day. He is the son of Jacob and Tanya Eaton, of Alba, and the grandson of David and Judy Eaton, of David and Judy Eaton, of Jenkins, and Joe and Beverly Bacon, of Roaring River



Levi Eaton, age 8, from Levi is the son of Jacob and Tanya Eaton, of Alba.

He is the grandson of Jenkins and Joe and Beverly Bacon, of Roaring River.



Tucker McCorkle, 9, shot his first deer. He shot the deer from a stand with his proud grandpa. The deer was hit with one-shot from over 150 yards.

Smith brings home National Champion title



Rachael Freeman

Cash Smith, a Cassville first grader, might look tiny but this cowboy is full of grit and determination.

Smith has spent his year competing in the Missouri Junior Rodeo Circuit riding sheep, also known as mutton busting.

While riding sheep requires toughness, Smith takes that to a whole new level for a kid who turned seven in September.

Smith suffered a broken arm after an accident riding horses, but that didn't keep him from competing in the

Smith won the title of Reserved Champion in the Missouri Junior Rodeo Circuit, missing the saddle by just two points.

In July, Smith rode in the Shawn Elliot Memorial Rough Stock Rodeo where he won first place and earned an invitation to the National Junior Bull Riding Finals in Amarillo, Tex., October 25 through October 28.

The finals were a threeday event for those riders who were able to advance. Smith was one of those riders. He earned a combined score of 205.5 points which earned him the title of 2017 National Champion.

Smith wrapped up the 2017 rodeo season with winnings of over \$2,000 and

three belt buckles. Smith plans to use the money he's earned to start his own cattle

Smith has been riding sheep for two and half years now and has also competed in Goat Undercorating where he took third place in his age division.

Smith's passion for horses and the rodeo is a trait he comes by honestly. His parents own a horse ranch in Cassville and many remember seeing his mother, Leslie, riding her horse along Highway 248 when she was a young cowgirl herself.

Smith has aged out of sheep riding and will move up to calf riding next season.

Cassville's Wilson medals at State

Lee Stubblefield

The Cassville girls made a lot of noise in their Class 3 race at the State cross country championships at Jefferson City on Saturday. Brylee Wilson, a freshman, placed 19th in 20:16.52, and Zoey Brookes, a sophomore, followed in 24th with a time of 20:20.98. Both earned allstate medals in a race dominated by freshmen. Seven of the top 25 runners were 9th graders.

In Class 3 boys, Cassville's Austin Wilson and Devon Brookes placed 49th and 51st respectively in 17:40.69 and 17:42.21.

Brylee Wilson may be a freshman, but she handled this race like a pro. After disappointing finishes at Reeds Spring and districts, she was determined to improve at

"At Reeds Spring I was just sick, and then at districts, nerves got to me," she said. "I've never really felt like that before, so I didn't exactly know what it meant. Coach Shore talked to me about it and I got it a little more under control."

The daunting state course offered its own unique challenges for Cassville's top run-

'Comparing this course

to all the others, this one was the hardest," Wilson stated. "It was just hill after hill after hill, they never seemed to end. Pretty much like Monett but bigger.'

Certain that his prodigy would be running at State this year, Shore took Wilson to the championships last year after her undefeated 8thgrade season to watch and get a little experience.

"I'm glad he did that," said Brylee. "I already had an idea of what the course looked like so I was a little more comfortable running on it."

In the race itself, Wilson and Brookes ran in tandem for nearly the entire race, with Brookes doing the heavy lifting over the first two miles. Wilson shot past in the final stages of the race, but the two were never more than five seconds apart over the entire 5K course.

"I didn't try to pace with the other runners, I stayed with my watch and listened to the crowd shouting places to the runners around me. The start was what worried me. There were so many girls trying to get out, and I got a little trapped but everybody spread out quickly," she said.

Wilson is already thinking about next year. By nailing an all-state position as a freshman, she is over the first hurdle of being All-State all four years of her high school career. Next year, she hopes to move into the Top 10, and she knows what that will

Wheaton's Sean Lowry placed 12th in 17:36.81 - the fastest time of all area runners - and earned an all-state medal in the Class 1 boys race. His Wheaton Bulldogs placed 11th in the 16-team

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Charlea Estes-Jones

A Republic man was injured after crashing outside of Aurora Tuesday evening. According to the Missouri State Highway Patrol crash report, the driver, Steven C. Calverly, 26, of Republic, sustained moderate injuries in the crash.

The crash report states that Calverly was driving northbound on Farm Road 1190

about four miles south of Aurora in a 2017 Ram truck. Calverly ran off the roadway, struck a ditch and some trees.

Calverly was not wearing a seatbelt at the time of the crash. He was taken to Mercy Hospital in Aurora by a private vehicle.

The Ram was totalled and towed from the scene by Hillbilly's Wrecker, of Marion-

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All judges are invited to eat in the free hospitality room. If you have any questions or wish to judge, please contact Talana Hinson at (417) 847-5312.

Driver injured in single-truck wreck near Aurora Herrin Animal raises funds for Haven







Herrin Animal Hospital recently held a fundraiser to help the local shelter Haven of the Ozarks. Dr. Brent Herrin and staff held a raffle for a Fit Bit Charge 2 at the annual Cassville Chili Cook-Off. The clinic donated \$384 to Haven. The Fit Bit Charge 2 was won by Terry Nicholas, of Monett. A gift basket of pet toys was given to Barbie Stillings, of Cassville.

Pictured above, Dr. Herrin and staff presented a check to a representative of Haven of the Ozarks. From left to right: Kendra Nance, Jori Dodson, Sara Crass, Dr. Brent Herrin, and Sherah Farris.





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Cassville man accused of meth-fueled assault, car break in

Charlea Estes-Jones

A Cassville man is charged with allegedly assaulting and attempted to break into his girlfriend's car while high on methamphetamine. According to the affidavits of probable cause, David Joseph Corral, 28, of Cassville, physically assaulted her and then kicked and jumped on the windshield of a car, attempting to break in.

Officers reported that on October 31, the victim, the girlfriend of Corral, reported that he grabbed her arm, causing physical pain and would not allow her to leave the residence. The victim and a minor child under the age of 17 got away to a vehicle, but with Corral pursuing them, according to their statement. Corral allegedly followed them, jumped on the hood of the car and began kicking and elbowing the windshield.

Corral allegedly broke the windshield of the vehicle while intoxicated on methamphetamine.

Corral is charged with domestic assault in the third degree and endangering the welfare of a child in the first degree with no sexual contact. He is currently being held in the Barry County Jail in lieu of a \$25,000 cashonly bond.

Barry County Health Department October Food Service Report

The Barry County Health • Peking Palace Monett Department divides food service code violations into two categories: Priority and Core items. Priority items are more likely than other violations to contribute to food contamination, or illness and/or injury. Core items, although important to the overall hygiene of the establishment, do not necessarily present an immediate threat to food contamination or illness and/or injury.

A report for each establishment that is inspected shows the number of priority items, along with a short statement as to the nature of the violations. The report also shows the number of core items but doesn't list the nature of those violations.

*Corrected on spot

• Bailee-Greys Coffee Lounge Cassville

Permit Issued 10/2/17: Permit issued.

- Happy House Monett Follow-up 10/2/17: Priority Violations: 1
- 1. The potato peeler was soiled, and equipment was not taken apart and cleaned after previous day's use.*

Core Violations: 0.

- Burger King Monett Complaint 10/2/17: Priority Violations: 2
- 1. Hamburgers, held by time as a public health control, had no documented discard time. Sliced tomatoes and cheese with a discard time of 1 p.m. had not been discarded at 1:45 p.m.*
- 2. The handicap stall in the women's bathroom had a clogged toilet.*

Core Violations: 3

Routine 10/2/17: Priority Violations: 5

1. An uncovered employee drink was on the kitchen prep table.*

- 2. Raw chicken was stored above raw beef and raw chicken was stored above cooked chicken in the walk-in cooler.*
- 3. Cooked chicken was stored in the raw chicken boxes until it was used.
- 4. Screens used to sift chicken during the breading process were soiled with dried flour from previous uses.*
- 5. No one was ServSafe certified on duty.

Core Violations: 1.

• Jersey's Bar & Grill Cassville Follow-up 10/2/17:

Priority Violations: 1

1. There was no consumer advisory on the menu for animal products that may be served raw or undercooked.

Core Violations: 1.

• Ramey #26 Purdy Routine 10/3/17:

Priority Violations: 10

1. The permit and most recent inspection were not posted in a conspicuous place for the public to read.*

- 2. No one was ServSafe certified on duty.
- 3. Foods held by time as a public health control had discard times of 2:45 p.m. and 3 p.m. but had not been discarded at 3:30 p.m.*
- 4. The meat department cart for food was heavily rusted and no longer smooth and easily cleanable.
- 5. Trays in the meat department and produce area were soiled by food debris, and the

meat slicer was soiled by food debris.*

- 6. The produce counter, knives and scale were not washed, rinsed and sanitized after use from earlier in the day.*
- The meat department hand washing sink was clogged.
- 8. Ceiling tiles were missing in front of the entrance to the store room. (Third repeat violation.)
- 9. Numerous mouse pellets were found on the shelves and the floor for customers.

10. Laundry soap and softener were stored above canned foods.*

Core Violations: 5. Follow-up 10/17/17: Priority Violations: 2

1. No one was ServSafe certified on duty.

2. Ceiling tiles were missing from in front of the doorway to the back next to the meat department.

Core Violations: 0.

Southwest Elementary School Washburn

Routine 10/3/17: Priority Violations: 0. Core Violations: 2.

· Southwest High School Washburn

Routine 10/3/17: Priority Violations: 0. Core Violations: 1.

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• Dollar General Shell Knob Complaint 10/4/17:

Priority Violations: 3

- 1. The permit and most recent inspection were not posted in a conspicuous place for the public to read.
- 2. Nine over-the-counter time-release drugs were past their expiration date and had not been discarded.*
- 3. Numerous areas throughout the store chemicals and toxins were stored above food or food-related items.

Core Violations: 1. Follow-up 10/9/17:

Priority violations were corrected.

• Timberock Grill Shell Knob Routine 10/4/17:

Priority Violations: 6

1. An employee was cutting raw onions for sandwiches that were to receive no further cooking with their bare hands.*

- 2. Foods were not dated with a seven-day discard date.*
- 3. Raw egg whites were stored above lettuce in the walk-in cooler, and raw sausage was above ready-to-eat corn beef.*
- 4. Raw chicken was prepared and left on the same cutting board as ready-to-eat peppers and onions.*
- 5. One knife, put away on the magnet strip as clean, was soiled.*

6. Soup #2 on the stove top

did not have time or temperature control; soup was 119°F. Cream cheese pumpkin rolls and cream cheese cupcakes were held in a cooler which was not capable of maintaining a temperature lower than 50°E

Core Violations: 3.*

• El Mariachi Restaurant Cassville

Routine 10/5/17:

Priority Violations: 1

1. Four knives put away as clean on the magnet strip were soiled by food debris.*

Core Violations: 3.

• Emory Melton Conference **Center** Cassville

> Routine 10/9/17: Priority Violations: 0.

Core Violations: 0. • Price Cutter #16 Cassville Complaint 10/10/17: Priority Violations: 2

- 1. Salmon was given greater than a seven-day discard date.*
 - 2. Bratwursts were begin-

ning to mold, and chicken and ground turkey with a discard date of 10/8 had not discarded.*

Core Violations: 0. Cassville Senior Center

Cassville Routine 10/11/17:

> Priority Violations: 0. Core Violations: 1.

Cassville Primary/Middle

School Cassville Routine 10/11/17:

Priority Violations: 0. Core Violations: 0.

- The Coffee Café Purdy Routine 10/16/17: Priority Violations: 0.
- Core Violations: 0. • Purdy RII School Purdy Routine 10/16/17:

Priority Violations: 1* 1. Salsa with a discard date of 9/28/17 had not been discarded.*

Core Violations: 0.

• Sunrise Family Restaurant Cassville

Routine 10/16/17:

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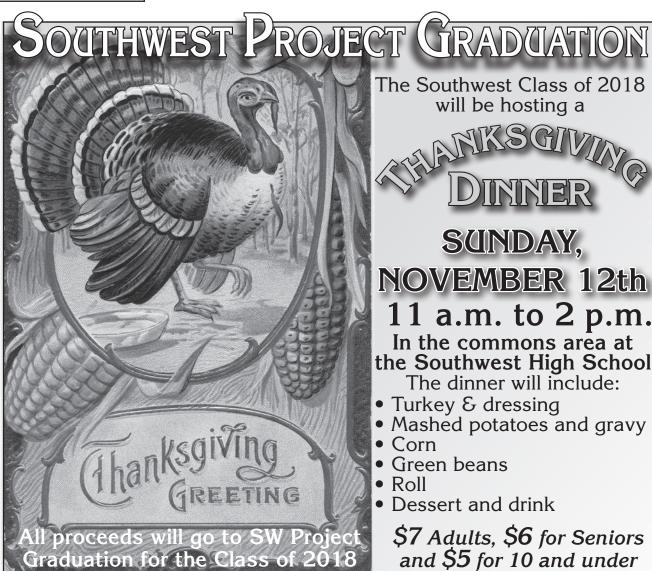
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Hunters check 2,899 turkeys during Missouri's fall firearms season

Preliminary data from the Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) shows that hunters checked 2,899 turkeys during Missouri's fall firearms turkey season, Oct. 1-31. Top harvest counties were Greene with 100, Texas with 95, and Dent with 94. Last year's fall firearms turkey harvest total was 3,698.

Barry County brought in only two turkeys: an adult gobbler and an adult hen.

MDC's turkey biologist says this year's low fall firearms turkey harvest total can be attributed to several factors, including a poor turkey hatch, a decline in hunter participation, and aboveaverage acorn production.

"As was the case last year, this year's turkey hatch was exceptionally poor, so there were far fewer young birds for hunters to pursue this fall," said MDC Turkey Biologist Jason Isabelle. "Young turkeys are typically the most easily lured into hunters' calls, so poor production made for some challenging hunting this fall."

The poor hatch wasn't the only thing that contributed to this year's low fall firearms turkey harvest. Isabelle noted that participation in the fall firearms turkey season has been declining in Missouri, as it has in a num-

ber of states.

"This year's fall firearms turkey permit sales total of 10,243 was the lowest on record since the season started in 1978," Isabelle said. "During our peak year in 1987, nearly 53,000 permits were purchased."

Another factor that impacted this year's fall turkey harvest was the good acorn crop throughout much of the state, which typically results in fewer turkeys being taken. Isabelle explained that when acorns are abundant, turkeys don't have to range far to locate food, and spend less time in open fields where they're more visible to hunters.

For several years prior to 2016, production had been considerably better than the poor hatches that plagued the state's turkey population in the late 2000s. However,

2017 marks the second year of poor turkey hatches in Missouri.

"Poor production the past couple years has certainly been a setback, but we've dealt with periods of poor production before," said Isabelle. "Turkeys can make a fairly quick rebound with a couple years of good production. I'm hoping that the 2018 hatch will get us started back in the right direction."

Fall archery turkey hunting continues through Nov. 10 and then resumes again from Nov. 22 through Jan. 15, 2018.

For fall firearms turkey harvest results by county and type of bird, go online to MDC's website at http://on.mo.gov/1jjz7Ew.

Exeter FFA's Fall Fundraiser closes

Madelyn Cole, Chapter Re-

On Wednesday, September 27, the Exeter FFA's Fall Fundraiser came to a close. The chapter exceeded its goal of items sold, the goal being 540 and the final total being 608. Two members were rewarded with gift cards for their outstanding amount of sales, Jessica Bush for top salesperson of weeks one and two, and Reanna Berry for top salesperson of weeks three and four.

On top of the chapter goal, the members each had a goal of selling 15 items. Those who had met the goal got to attend the pizza party held on Thursday, October 19. Nineteen members attended, including Macy Barrett, Reanna Berry, Yvonne Bradford, Jessica Bush, Abbi Caddell, Chloe Carpenter, Madelyn Cole, Mykah Estes, Bobby Fletcher, Mackenzie Fuller, Hailey Mattingly, Jamison Nichols, Logan Rayburn, Clayton Rose, Shayla Sports and Riley Still.

OACAC Share Your Christmas sign-ups open

Share Your Christmas signups will be from November 6 through November 17 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the OACAC Barry County Neighborhood Center, 700 E. Hwy. 248, Cassville. Social Security cards for all household members and proof of all household income for the month of October is required.

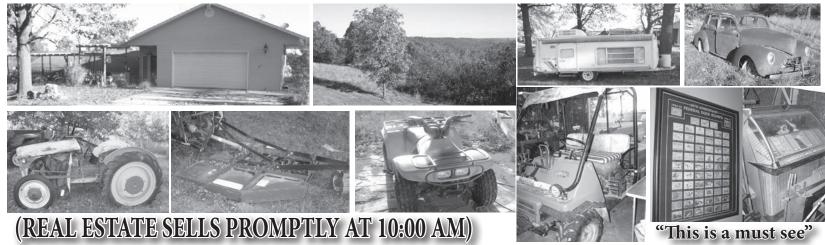
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ESTATE AUCTION

Friday Nov 10th "2017" 10:00 AM

LOCATION: Cassville, MO. From Cassville go East on Hwy 76 toward Shell Knob 7 1/2 miles. Turn North on PR 1186. Go to the end of the road. Or from Shell Knob at the Jct of 39 & 76 go West on Hwy 76 3.2 miles then North on PR 1186.

REAL ESTATE: 34 ACRES M/L PLUS A 1900 SQ FT HOME – + ADDITIONAL 30 AC. TO BE OFFERED MAKING A TOTAL OF 64 AC M/L. PONTOON BOAT & OTHER BOATS – OLD CAMPER – ATV – CARPORT – KAWASAKI MULE 4X4 – COLLECTOR CARS, NEED RESTORED – TRACTORS – LOTS OF HUNTING & FISHING ITEMS – FURNITURE & APPLIANCES – COLLECTIBLES – TOOLS – MISC.



PONTOON BOATS & MORE: Sun Tracker 16' Bass buggy pontoon & trailer – Apporx 9' or 10' Camo V flat bottom boat – 1976 Ranger boat w/ Johnson motor & trailer – old boat & trailer (no title) – old canoe. **CAMPER:** Approx 12' Hi-Lo camper (rough) **ATV:** Honda 200 Fourtrax ATV (no title) MOWERS: Yard Man 46", 19.5 hp riding mower – old riding mower (rough) – push mower. TRACTORS: Avenger 4x4 compact tractor w/front loader (needs work) – Ford Ferguson tractor, good rubber, (don't run) – old Ferguson tractor (rough, don't run). <u>IMPLEMENTS:</u> 3 pt. box blade – 3 pt. 6' blade – 5' 3pt brush hog – Woods RM 360 finish mower. Kawasaki Mule: Kawasaki 2510 Mule 4x4, UTV, older. (no title). COLLECTOR CARS: 1941 Willis 4 door (needs restored) – 1958 Morris Miner convertible (needs restored). GUN: 50 cal black powder. AMMO: 22 cal, 12 ga shot gun shells, 22-250. **CARPORT:** Approx 16'x18' carport (buyer responsible for moving). **TOOLS:** Stihl BR 550 back pack leaf blower (like new) – Honda GX 340 11.0 pressure washer – Honda ES 3500 generator – 125 PSI air compressor – Craftsman 12 gal 5.5 hp shop vac (like new) – misc generators – mini tiller – limb saw – rear tine tiller – 12 v sprayer – sm elect concrete mixer – grinder on stand – misc elect & gas weed eater misc chain saws – sm air compressor – air hose – sm battery chargers – table top drill press – 2 ton floor jack – 2 wheel dolly – lots of hand tools such as pipe wrenches, open wrenches, sockets, vices, clamps, pry bars, oil wrenches, levels, screwdrivers, hammers, etc – misc sm power tools & cordless tools - nuts & bolts - propane torch - misc fittings of all kinds - gas cans. HUNTING & FISHING ITEMS: lots of duck decoys - lots of fishing tackle – rod & reels – hard sided bow case – recurve bow – camp stove – buddy heater – SS turkey fryer pot – misc boat paddles – hunting blinds HD camo sleeping bag – lots of misc camo clothing, bags, etc – commercial meat grinder – more misc camping items not listed. COLLECTIBLES: Fish mounts such as Tiger Muskie, Bass, Trout - 65th Anniversary Federal Duck Stamp collection - train mdl rail road cars - milk can tractor seat – old Wurlitzer Juke Box – old nail keg – deer antlers – hub caps – minnow bucket – lg old trunk – old reel mower – misc cast iron – fishing creel – sm cast iron dog – sure to be many more collectibles as we unpack. FURNITURE & APPLIANCES: Leather sofa – camo rocking/ recliner - computer desk - file cabinets - office chair - office desk - misc chairs - full size air bed - sofa table - cedar chest - oak cabinet - sm trunk – flat screen tv – VCR – patio glider – misc patio furniture – concrete top roll around table – upright freezer. MISC: Homemade smoker – misc smokers & grills – misc kitchen wares – sm 110 window ac – elec heaters – pressure cooker – game camera – Pro Form Crosswalk Advanced 525X treadmill - misc duck décor - misc office supplies - birdbath - misc water toys - sm folding tables - misc lawn chairs - EZ up tent - JVC speakers old batteries – lg lot of clay tile – old truck bed trailer – chain link dog pens – roll around cart – homemade rifle target – dog house – sm Chimenea – kerosene heater. REAL ESTATE: Home & 34 acres m/l. backed up to the National Forest. Country living here it is. Hunting Retreat!! Horseback Riders !! or whatever your heart desires, with Big M Marina and Table Rock Lake only 8 or 9 miles away. This is a berm home featuring 4 bedrooms & 2 ½ baths w/2 car attached garage. Enter through the front door at ground level into a nice foyer w/door leading out to the garage, or go upstairs a couple of steps or can go downstairs, split level. Upstairs a bedroom then down the hall to what could be bedroom, office, etc w/1/2 bath and lots of windows looking out the back w/fantastic view of the Ozarks and a door leading out to a raised deck w/same view. Downstairs, large living room w/coffin ceiling, ceiling fan & patio door leading out to back yard. Kitchen/dining combo w/lots of windows looking out to the back. Kitchen features a Quick Meal Old Time wood burning cook stove, Whirlpool smooth top range, Bosch dishwasher, SS sink, Maytag side by side refrigerator, pantry & lots of cabinet space. Utility room just off the kitchen woutside entry. Master bedroom w/hot tub, also jacuzzi tub, walk in shower & walk in closet. Then small bedroom & full bath. Central H/A & also a wood burning furnace. The land is approx. 85% wooded. TRACT #2: An Additional 30 AC m/l that boarders the Arthur property. Owned by a separate party to be offered at auction at approx 10:15 following Mr. Arthur's property. ***PRIME HUNTING LAND*** NOTE: With the passing of Mr. Arthur, the kids live out of state and have decided to sell. The home could use

PRIME HUNTING LAND NOTE: With the passing of Mr. Arthur, the kids live out of state and have decided to sell. The home could use some TLC however, is a large home w/some fantastic views of the Ozarks and is a beautiful place. This is a must see. Come prepared to buy. Someone is going to get a great deal. Call to preview the property before auction day. 417-847-2507. Go to www.stumpffauction.com to view photos and more info. TERMS: Cash or good check w/2 forms of current ID. Must have current driver's license to obtain bidders number. All sells as is where is w/ no warranty or guarantee. If paying by check on lg items, those items will not be released until check clears the bank unless arrangements have been

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Exeter FFA Attends National Convention



Exeter FFA members attending the American Degree Ceremony are pictured above, from left to right: adviser Joe Moore, Mykah Estes, Abbi Caddell, Madelyn Cole, Chloe Carpenter, Macy Barrett, Reanna Berry, Wyatt Hoppes and Lane Willis.

Madelyn Cole, Chapter Reporter

Between October 25 and October 28, the Exeter FFA Chapter attended the 90th annual National FFA Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana. A total of eight members attended: Macy Barrett, Reanna Berry, Abbi Caddell, Chloe Carpenter, Madelyn Cole, Mykah Estes, Wyatt Hoppes and Lane Willis, as well as chapter adviser Joe Moore and female chaperone Sonva Swope.

Members attended several of the general sessions,

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listened to speakers such as Laila Ali, Mick Ebeling, Secretary of Agriculture, Sonny Purdue, National FFA Secretary Victoria Harris, and National FFA Eastern Region VP Ashley Willits. Members watched the Stars Over America Award ceremony,

Honorary American Degree ceremony and the American Degree ceremony.

Members also attended a Rascal Flatts concert and toured several businesses including Beasley's Orchard, Dixie Chopper and Cummins Engine.

Southwest High School First Quarter Honor Roll

A Honor Roll:

Kaitlyn Bernard, Carley Black, Caitlin Blevins, Amber Cannady, Lane Cargile, Leland Colf, Allison Corwin, Gracelyn Gentry, Caid Harrison, Rachell Hedden, Rylie Hill, Karlea Holder, Rachel Jimenez, Blanche Kirk, Laney Moore, Jennifer Quintanilla, Lacey Reeves, Hope Robbins, Travis Sickles, Trevor Sneed, Isaac Starr, Vincent Suchowski, Heidi Sutter and Heather Windes.

A/B Honor Roll:

Zoe Albertson, Timothy Bee, Emily Berry, Zach Blair, Shelby Blevins, Kaleigh Booher, Alice Cannady, Dezaray Cannady, Renae Dalton, Keith Davis, Madison Decker, Alexander Dalton, Keith Davis, Madison Decker, Alexander Dunton, Jealouise Durro-

sette, Willow Ellis, Robert Embrey, Reid Fosse, Jesse Foster, Michael Foster, Dylon Hamilton, Charlie Henderson, Landon Hendrix, Khloe Holder, Hannah Hougland, Harleigh Jester, Kamryn Jones, Nathaniel Jones, Tanner Joyner, Tanner Leonhardt, Hailey Littrell, Mariah Long, Sydney Moore, Lane Morgan, Justin Munday, Liliana Outhouse, Samantha Owens, Shelby Pike, Austin Pippin, Adan Ramirez, Danielle Reed, Kaitelyn Resz, Bonnie Robbins, Maggie Robbins, Brianna Roller, Grace Roller, Karma Romine, Dakota Saunders, John Scannell, Allison Serrano, McKenzie Smith, Emily Snyder, Evan Still, Taylor Swindle, Sarah Terry, Alexis Thomas, Anna Trimble, Caison Uthe and Kaylea Young.



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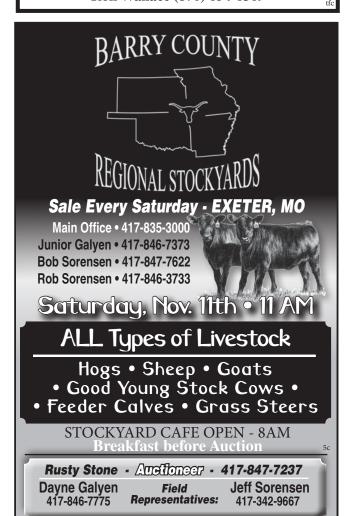
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★PUBLIC AUCTION★

Monday, November 13th "2017" 1:00 PM

LOCATION: Cassville, MO. (500 High St). From Main St turn West on 6th St at the Chamber of Commerce. Follow signs.

VERY LARGE KNIFE COLLECTION -COLLECTIBLES – FURNITURE – MISC



more items not listed.





KNIFE COLELCTION: Very large knife collection such as Frost cutlery, single blade, double blade, hook blade, lg blades, toothpicks, decorative knives, lots of commemorative knives & more.

COLLECTIBLES: Pearl Lager beer clock – stained glass in frame – collector plates, Knowles, etc – Maisto Special Edition Collector car mdls – old colander – brass horn – Jukar AR Black Powder pistol. **FURNITURE:** Ant dresser – corner what knot shelf – sofa table – several office chairs – 2 & 4 drawer file cabinets – sm elect fireplace – approx. 4'x2' show case - sm wood desk - sofa - what knot shelf – area rugs – computer desk – Kenwood stereo & speakers – VHS player – DVD player – misc patio furniture – kitchen table. <u>TOOLS</u>: Craftsman tool box – 7' fiberglass step ladder – ext ladder – misc hand & yard tools. MISC: Total Gym exercise system – Body form exerciser – printers – fax machine – computer – 7" Pandigital Photo frame (new) – sm animal crate – bathroom vanity (new) – wine rack – kitchen wares such as, pots & pans, knives, sm kitchen appliances, etc – house plants – asst yard ornaments – cook books – jewelry box – gun rack –

NOTE: Mr. Patsel has moved to an assisted care facility and is in the process of selling his home so we will be offering all of the above listed items to the highest bidder on Monday Nov 13th at 1:00 PM. We will be selling a large knife collection. Most are all new and in boxes. Just in time for Christmas. They will make great gifts. This is not a large auction so be on time. See you there.

pellet pistol – asst wall hangings – Visual Land tablet

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Auctioneer: Kenny Tucker

The Ozark Festival Orchestra, soloists and a community choir will perform selections from Handel's "Messiah" at 7 p.m.

On Saturday, Dec. 16 at the Family Life Center of the First Baptist Church, 602 West St. in Cassville. Singers from the Cassville area are still welcome to join rehearsals for the community choir, which are being held at 2 p.m. Sundays at the First United Methodist Church, 1600 N. Central in Monett. Scores will be provided. Jerry Ragsdale is preparing the choir. A second performance will be given at 3 p.m. On Dec. 17 at the Monett High School Performing Arts Center.

For additional information, people may call Todd Borgmann, OFO music director, at (417) 635-2004.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH "2017" 10:00 AM

LOCATION: Seligman, MO. From the Jct of Hwy 112 & hwy 37 go South on Hwy 37, 1/10 mile. Turn East on Berry Ave. Follow signs. Or From the Jcts of Hwy 62 & Hwy 37 go North on Hwy 37, 2 1/2 mile. Turn East on Berry Ave. (7995 Berry Ave).

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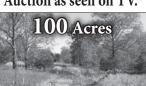
REAL ESTATE: Large home & 100 acres m/l plus 1997,16x80 mobile home. Developers dream!!!

4X4 PICKUP – TOOLS – ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES -FURNITURE & APPLIANCES – 16X80 MOBILE HOME 1000 GAL PROPANE TANK – MISC.

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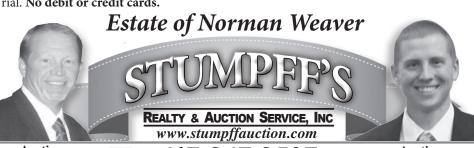




REAL ESTATE: 100 acres m/l w/large 4 bedroom 3 bath double wide home on permanent foundation w/inground swimming pool. Large detached garage, shop & lg pole barn. Enter this home into a large living room w/corner fireplace, patio door leading out to a lg covered back deck overlooking the inground pool. Also joined by a dining room w/built in hutch. Kitchen features Whirlpool side by side refrigerator, Whirlpool trash compactor, Whirlpool smooth top elect cook stove, vent hood, lg sink, Kenmore dishwasher, built in microwave, double sky lights & lots of cabinets, family room or den w/built in entertainment center, ceiling fan & skylight. Utility room w/outside exit door & bathroom. On one end of the home is lg master bedroom w/his & her walk in closet, master bath w/garden tub, shower & double vanity. Opposite end of the home is 3 bedrooms & 1 bath. OUTSIDE FEATURES: lg covered front porch, lg covered back porch overlooking a 16x36 in ground pool. Detached 30x50 garage/shop & a 30x48 pole barn. This home has central H/A, the shop has outside wood burning furnace, concrete floor & elect. Also on this property is a 1997, approx.16x80 3 bedroom, 2 bath mobile home that we will offer separate, then together. It is currently set up w/its own utilities. Whoever purchases the 100 acres will have the opportunity to purchase this 16x80 mobile and leave it as a rental or separate family living quarters. Also, there is a 7 ac tract that is part of the 100 acres where a mobile home used to be w/sm shed, that you get to on the Butler Holler Road. We will offer separate then all together. Lots of mature landscaping, lg pine trees, oak trees & lots of ornamental grass. NOTE: Only a few short miles to Rog Beaver Lake & everything Northwest AR has to offer. This property boarders the city limits of Seligman MO. 100 acres m/l w/road on 3 sides. A fantastic opportunity to sub divide into sm acreages, developers, landlords, entrepreneur's, someone w/a lg family, here's your chance. If you like privacy, hunters retreat, etc. Don't miss this opportunity. With the passing of Mr. Weaver, his daughter lives out of state and has decided to auction all of the above listed property. Come prepared to buy. Someone will get a deal. Call to preview the property before auction date. 417-847-2507.

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Cassville names Red Ribbon essay winners



Cassville Intermediate fifth graders had the opportunity to submit essays during Red Ribbon Week. The winners read their essays during the Cassville Intermediate Red Ribbon Assembly held on October 24, 2017. The theme for the essays was "Your Choices Are the Key to Your

Essay winners are pictured above, from left to right: Violet Rillstone, Tierany Sloan and Jagger Miller.

Extension offers help with energy costs

Rural Missourians can save money on energy bills with help from University of Missouri Extension and the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

MU Extension specialist Willard Downs says USDA's Rural Energy for America Program (REAP) helps Missourians lower costs through energy audits, financing and grants.

Farmers who earn at least 50 percent of their income from agriculture and small businesses in eligible rural areas qualify.

MU REAP audits cost only \$112.50, a savings of thousands over standard energy audit costs, Downs says.

Audits show wasteful energy systems, he says. Auditors figure savings and suggest changes for all or part of an operation.

"It is important to be aware of the energy efficiency of your facilities, which may easily reduce your utility payment substantially with a small additional investment," Downs says.

MU Extension helps with the first step of the program: a full farm or business energy audit. Audits show which upgrades reap the largest savings in the long term. Audits are necessary to qualify for the second step: financial incentives through REAP's loans and grants program for renewableenergy systems and energyefficiency improvement.

USDA offers funds to buy, install and build renewable energy systems or improve existing systems.

REAP makes loan guarantees on loans up to 75 percent of total eligible project costs, Downs says. Grants can fund up to 25 percent of eligible project costs. Combined grant and loan funding can be up to 75 percent of eligible project costs.

Loans range from \$5,000 to \$25 million, with loan guarantees up to 85 percent. Bor-

rowers and lenders negotiate loan rates, which are subject to USDA approval.

Grants range from \$2,500 to \$500,000 for renewable-energy systems and \$1,500 to \$250,000 for energy-efficiency grants.

USDA offers funds now to March 2019. This is the third generation of the REAP project. During the 2010-2013 MAE-STRO program, more than 200 audits were performed and 153 agricultural operations installed energy-saving systems.

To learn more about MU Extension energy audits, visit the MU REAP website at REAP.missouri.edu, or contact MU REAP at mufsbreap@missouri.edu or 573-882-2731. You may also contact the USDA Rural Development state office at 573-876-9321, or your local MU Extension center.

To learn more about USDA REAP, go to 1.usa. gov/1FDLl1W.

FLAHERTY ESTATE AUCTION

Saturday, November 11 · 9:30 a.m.

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Priority Violations: 2*

- 1. The meat slicer, vegetable chopper and can opener blade had food debris on them.*
- 2. The sanitizer in the kitchen and server area was weak.*

Core Violations: 1.

• Wheaton RII School Whea-

Routine 10/17/17: Priority Violations: 2*

- 1. Chili and diced tomatoes were given more than seven days on their discard dates.*
- 2. Tomato sauce and beans with discard dates of 10/16/17 had not been discarded.*

Core Violations: 1.

- Main Street Café Wheaton Routine 10/17/17: Priority Violations: 1*
- 1. Perfume was stored above food items.*

Core Violations: 2.

- **Fastrip** Wheaton Routine 10/17/17:
- Priority Violations: 2*
- 1. Gravy was held at 124°F but should be held at or above 140°F.*
- 2. Four boxes of timerelease drugs past their expiration dates had not been discarded.*

Core Violations: 0.

• Adelitas Mexican Restaurant Purdy

> Routine 10/17/17: Priority Violations: 2

- 1. Raw meat was stored on a box of lettuce; raw eggs above onions and butter; and raw chicken above meat in the reach-in.*
- 2. Pork with a discard date of 10/12/17 had not been discarded and cooked meat with a discard date of 10/16/17 had not been discarded.*
- 3. The reach in refrigerator was holding heavy cream, salsa and dressing at or above 45°F.
- 4. The breakfast menu did not have a consumer advisory for the products that can be ordered raw or undercooked. Core Violations: 3.

Follow-Up 10/24/17: All priority violations from the 10/17/17 inspection were

• Taqueria El Rancho (Mobile) Monett

Permit Issued 10/19/17.

Mercy Hospital Cafeteria

Routine 10/23/17: Priority Violations: 0. Core Violations: 0.

- Viney Creek Store Golden Routine 10/23/17: Priority Violations: 2
- 1. Eight packages of timerelease drugs were past their expiration date.*
- 2. Numerous rodent pellets were observed in the back storage rooms. Numerous spider webs and cob webs were in the storage rooms.*

Core Violations: 0.

- Cassville Bowl Cassville Routine 10/23/17: Priority Violations: 1*
- 1. The ice chute of the Pepsi machine had bacteria growth.

Core Violations: 0.

• Viola Country Store Shell

Routine 10/23/17: Priority Violations: 0. Core Violations: 0.

 Save A Lot Monett Complaint 10/24/17: Priority Violations: 2* 1. Chicken packages were given an eight-day discard date and a ten-day discard date.*

2. Baby foods with a expiration dates of October 12, 2017, and July 12, 2017, had not been discarded.*

Core Violations: 0.

Barry Lawrence Development Center Monett

> Routine 10/24/17: Priority Violations: 0. Core Violations: 0.

- Daylight Donut Monett Routine 10/24/17: Priority Violations: 0. Core Violations: 0.
- Chic-Fish-Kin Monett Routine 10/24/17: Priority Violations: 2*
- 1. Ranch, baked beans, stewed tomatoes and chicken were not labeled with sevenday discard dates.*
- 2. Bone-in chicken and chicken strips were held in the hot hold unit at 118°F and

Core Violations: 0.

• Tyson's Cafeteria Monett Routine 10/24/17: Priority Violations: 4

- 1. Marinara sauce with a discard date of 10/18/17 and dressing cups of 10/22/17 had not been discarded. *
- 2. The reach-in fridge was

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or above 45°F.*

- 3. The hand washing sink was clogged and not draining once used.
- 4. A spray bottle with blue chemical was not labeled. *

Core Violations: 4.

• Pizza Hut Shell Knob Routine 10/25/17:

Priority Violations: 3

- 1. The drain board for clean dishes was dirty. The can opener blade had dried food debris on it.*
- 2. There was an uncovered employee beverage.*
- 3. Clean spatulas were stored in a soiled container that had debris in the bottom.*

Core Violations: 7. • Harter House Shell Knob

- Complaint 10/25/17: Priority Violations: 8 1. There was an uncovered
- employee beverage on the meat prep table.*
- 2. Raw chicken was stored above whole cuts of raw beef, and raw ground beef stored above whole cuts of raw beef in numerous places.*
 - 3. Numerous potentially

hazardous foods were not labeled with a discard date or were dated improperly.*

- 4. Disinfectant wipes were stored over coffee grinder.*
- 5. The meat slicer in the meat department was not clean from the previous day's
- 6. A case of turkey with a sell by date of October 23 had not been discarded.*

7. Food grade oil was stored in a spray bottle that had previously held a toxic chemical.*

8. Effluent was surfacing due to a failed septic system.

Core Violations: 6. • George's Cafeteria Cassville Follow-Up 10/26/17:

All priority violations from the 9/18/17 inspection were corrected.

• Lai Lai Asian Restaurant Monett

Routine 10/26/17: Priority Violations: 4

- 1. BBQ chicken was held at 128°F and sushi rice held without time or temperature control. *
 - 2. Sushi rice from the pre-

vious day was not labeled with the discard date. *

- 3. The sanitizer in the kitchen, the ware washing machine, and at the server station were too weak.
- 4. The can opener blade was soiled.*

Core Violations: 6.

 Angus Branch Steak House Monett

Routine 10/26/17: Priority Violations: 4*

- 1. An uncovered employee beverage was on the prep table in the kitchen. *
- 2. A container of raw chicken was stored on top of a container of raw fish. *
- 3. The meat slicer was soiled by food debris.*
- Core Violations: 6. Central Crossing Senior Center Shell Knob

Routine 10/30/17: Priority Violations: 0. Core Violations: 0.

• Exeter School Exeter Routine 10/31/17: Priority Violations: 0. Core Violations: 0.

Corinth Baptist Church holding foods at or above 51°F. Salsa, sliced tomatoes, ranch Pastor, Donnie Spears - 417-236-2145 dressing and torn lettuce were held on the condiment bar at Where It's All About Jesus Any job, large or small we do it right, or not at all. Therefore, If anyone is in Christ, he is a new

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Hospice looking for Christmas Store gifts

Dream Team volunteers are busy collecting new items for their Christmas Store. They are collecting new items for all ages, from infants to seniors. The items will be used for a mobile Christmas Store that will be taken to area nursing homes in December. Residents will have the opportunity to shop, at no charge, for the important people in their lives. The Dream Team's goal is to create memorable opportunities that help both the residents and those closest to them better cope with life limiting circumstances. "By providing opportunities for residents to once again experience the joy of holiday giving, and to watch their loved ones as they experience the joy of holiday receiving, well.... it just doesn't get more memorable than that," stated Brenda Smith, Dream Team and Hospice Compassus Volunteer Coordinator.

The Dream Team is looking for merchants willing to donate close-outs and seasonal items, as well as individuals willing to donate new unused items that are simply hanging-

* Decks

* Add Ons

* Remodels

New Homes

out in their basements and closets. They hope the community will embrace their project as a meaningful way to 'pay it forward'.

In addition to the gifts items, the Dream Team is seeking donations of gift bags, gift wrap, ribbon, bows, tape, and name tags. They are seeking partnerships with local scout troops, clubs, churches, and other organizations interested in collecting the gifts, assisting the resident shoppers, and giftwrapping.

The Community Hospices of America Foundation's Dream Team and Compassus Hospice volunteers established the Dream Team Christmas Store in 2012, as a means of promoting their mission to honor life and offer hope to individuals within their community facing a life-limiting illness.

The Community Hospices of America Foundation is a non-profit organization; all donations are tax-deductible. For additional information or to request a pickup, contact Brenda Smith at (417) 235-9097 or brenda.smith@

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Cassville upcoming Library events

- Need help with your e-reader, smart phone or other device? Tech Tutor is available each Thursday at 10 a.m.
- There will be adult crafting sessions on Thursday, November 9, featuring a fall canvas painting. Call the library at (417) 847-2121 to register for the 1 p.m. or 6 p.m.
- The 3:30 Thursday after-school activity will be Creative Crafts for Kids. Materials are supplied.
- All branches of the Barry-Lawrence Regional Library will be closed on Friday, November 10, in observance of the Veterans Day holiday. The Cassville Branch will be open for regular hours on Saturday,

November 11.

- · Crochet class meets each Friday at 10:30 a.m. Beginners are welcome and instruction is available.
- Call the library to learn more about these ongoing programs: sewing, preschool story time, exercise, Monday Movie Matinee, and Crazy 8s Math Club.
- · Library cards are free to residents of Barry and Lawrence County. Bring a photo ID and proof of current address to get
- The newly formed Ozark Herb Club will meet the third Friday of each month. Join us for the November 17 session at 1

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Regina McIlrath Retirement. The great day has finally arrived and a whole wide world of possibilities opens up. What to do first?

I've lived in Shell Knob for over 35 years and have a knowledge of volunteer opportunities available, but I want to have some fun too.

To that end, I went to the Central Crossing Senior Center to see what grins and giggles are offered there. The first to catch my eye on their impressive list of past times was Pickle Ball.

I haven't a clue how this interesting game got its odd name but what's in a name if it's fun? Imagine a ping pong table enlarged to fill the floor. The net is bigger too, of course. The players play exactly like ping pong, singles or doubles and they have a great time.

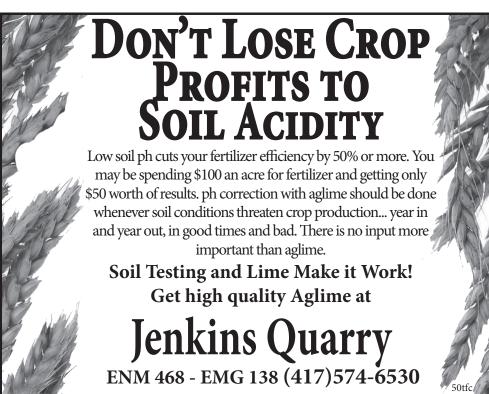
Pickle Ball is played at the Central Crossing Senior Center on Monday, Thursday and Friday at 1 p.m. Oh, and if you arrive around 11:30 you can enjoy a great lunch for a suggested donation of \$3.50. (Under 60 is just \$6.00.)

So if you want to see me attempt to keep my pickle ball on the "table" or if you want to give it a try, come to the Central Crossing Senior Center on YY-15, Shell Knob, the more the merrier.

Note: no pickles are harmed (or consumed) in the course of this game.

See you there.







CHS to honor veterans

Cassville High School is inviting all veterans and their families to the 29th annual Veterans' Day Assembly on Friday, November 10, at 9 a.m. in the Cassville High School gymnasium. A reception will follow the assembly.

For questions, call Cassville High School at (417) 847-3137.



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Fourth Grade:

Lillie Andrews, Diana Arguelles, Kailey Atnip, Logan Barnes, Ayden Bates, Jeremiah Blankenship, Joei Blankenship, Wyatt Bohanan, Jerry Bouyear, Trevor Brookes, Will

Brooks, Daniel Brust II, Mercedes Burdiss, Belinda Burnette, Dalton Burbette, Jessica Butts, Timothy Cash, Oliver Cooper, Paxton Daniels, Rystin Daniels, Logan Deister, Emma Elliott, Kierstan Fare, Marissa Freeman, Jewell Frieze, Cameron Ginther, Andon Goutney, Gracie Gray, Mackenzie Gray, Amelia Hagins, Cameron Hall, Jacob Hall, Kimberly Hang, Diego Haros, Ansley Harris, Bethany Hernandez, Isabel Herrin, Liberty Hilburn, Jacob Hudson, Linda Hurd, Hailey Isley, Riley James, Nevaeh Johnson, Kierstyn Kalbaugh, Adriana Kelley, Ryan Knight, Kailee Lauck, Brooklynn Lowery, Logan Marple, Gabriel McCormick, Blanca Medina, Landon Messbarger, Donovhan Middleton, Audrey Mitchell, Carlee Mitchell, Klayton Moore, Paul Mounce, Victoe Ortega, Emily Powers, Jackson Pyle, Payton Ray, Claire Reuter, Corbin Rhoads, Colton Roark, Ayla Roberts, Cayden Rohde, Margarita Ruiz, McKinley Runnels, Glandy Salas, Isabel Serrano, Rylee Sleeth, Cheryl-Jo Smith, Hunter Stephens, Jadyn Stewart, Caysee Stillings, Sara Stockton, Aubrey Stoufer, Tyra Sturgell, Makenzie Thompson, Tera Tippings, Kennedy Truman, Shae Turner, Angela Vail, Aliyah Waibel, Izyk Walker, Belle Washam, Logan Williams and Logan Wingo.

Fifth Grade:

Anahi Aguirre, Vanessa Alexander, Ashley Alonso, Devon Archuleta, Carlos Barrientos, Hanna Blankenship, Kyla Bowling, Aleigha Bryan, Traiton Burnette, Evan Butler, Jonathan Cash, Mallery Cornell, Abraham Cortez Garcia, Dylan Criswell, Dillon Dannaldson, Autumn Davis, Xavier Day, Dalton Deiser, Curtis Ellis, Clayton Ennis, Rebekah Fry, Sera Gaither, Simon Gates, Lydia Godsey, Rebecca Gomez, Angela Gonzalez Cortez, Monty Hang, Matthew Harris, Kyler Hayward, Adelee Hendricks, Olivia Hermansen, Gracen Hilburn, Shayden Hilburn, Makayla Hollingsworth, Kinlee Holman, Kyler Regina McIlrath Holman, Saige Holman, Isabella Hopper, Nathan Hunsucker, Zhoi Jagger, Steven Johnson, Isabelle Jones-Tice, Jazmyne Kelley, Bradly Kraft, Anjolina Luper, Jessica Marlowe, Austyn Meltabarger, Jagger Miller, Samuel Miller, Drake Mitchell, Kinzey Mizer, Ryker Nelson, Spencer-Brody Osborne, Ella Pearman, Isaac Pickett, Brooklyn Powers, Rylee Quinlan, Elly Ramaeker, Alexis Rayburn, Laramee Reynolds, Isabella Rodriguez Muise, Bodee Rose, Dustin Simon, Tierany Sloan, Kamryn Smith, Lauren Sparkman, Melody Stephens, Kricket Stockton, Eli Stokes, Jonathan Stults, Bradley Stumpff, Kade Swolley, Kendall Taylor, Malcolm Terry, Nathan Todd, David Turner, Lorelei Vanderhoef, Brooklyn Vincent, Mackenzie Watkins, Kaylyn Weiser, Jadyn Williams-Reed and Kaden

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Costume contestants were, left to right: Arlene Sloop, 1st place; Rita Warner, Joyce Forkner, 2nd place; Joni Herzog; and Rita Goodhead.

The Central Crossing

Senior Center was the scene of a Halloween Spooktacu-

lar on October 31 featuring a costume contest and lunch on Pile of Bones (ribs), Bat Wings (chicken wings) and Mummies in a Blanket (hot dogs) with mac and cheese. A large selection of desserts including dirt pudding, cup cakes and punch rounded off the feast the kitchen staff worked so hard to prepare.

All in attendance had a great time and you can come enjoy good food and fellowship Monday through Friday at the Central Crossing Senior Center, YY-15, Shell Knob. Check out Novembers' menu and activities schedule at www.centralcrossingseniorcenter.org.

Local students admitted to Culver-Stockton

Local students were admitted into Culver-Stockton's fall 2018 incoming class in September 2017.

Sarah Atkinson, of Seligman, was admitted to C-SC and was awarded the President academic scholarship.

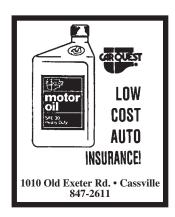
Haley Glueckert, of Washburn, was admitted to C-SC and was awarded the Hilltop academic scholar-

Madison Bentley, Crane, was admitted to C-SC and was awarded the Hilltop academic scholar-

Culver-Stockton College, located in Canton, is a four-year residential institution in affiliation with the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ). C-SC specializes in experiential education and is one of only two colleges in the nation to offer the 12/3 semester calendar,

where the typical 15-week semester is divided into two terms, a 12-week term and a 3-week term.

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Cassville's October Character Kids



Cassville Intermediate Schools announced the winners of their Character Kids awards for the month of October. Students were selected by their classroom teachers for exhibiting a character trait presented in conjunction with counseling staff. The character trait for the month of October was honesty.

Third grade students awarded for their honesty are pictured above, from left to right. In the front row: Elizabeth Fohn, Sadie Koehler, Annabelle Holliday, Addison Elkins, Jacob Whitt and Bradyn Alley. Back row: Baxton Cornell, Kevin Haas, Troy Tiner, Mason Rillstone, Daniel Hunter, Brextin Sprague and Avery Stokes. Not pictured: Kamden Beebe.



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Fourth grade students awarded for their honesty are pictured above, from left to right. In the front row: Linda Hurd, Joei Blankenship, Adriana Kelley, Rylee Sleeth, Glandy Salas and Angelly Herrera-Beltran. Back row: Corbin Rhoads, Jerry Bouyer, Westly Dice, Gunner Knight, Tristan Antonio, Jacob Hudson and Hunter Stephens.



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Fifth grade students awarded for their honesty are pictured above, from left to right. In the front row: Isabelle Jones-Tice, Kinzey Mizer, Anahi Aguirre, Kyler Hayward, Kyla Bowling and Cole Cash. Back row: Eli Stokes, Brody Osborne, Colt Cox, Evan Butler, Kyler Holman, Shayden Hilburn and CJ Brophy.

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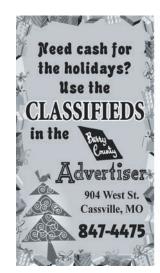
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Pretty pear trees invasive, hard to kill

Bradford pear and its cousins may spread more than springtime beauty as these popular ornamental trees escape and become pests.

University of Missouri plant scientist Reid Smeda and graduate student Matt Terry study the movement of Bradford and other types of Callery pear from rural areas to the suburbs.

Cultivars of Callery pear include Bradford, Aristocrat, Whitehouse and Capital, among others.

It's not known if escaped trees grow in every county in Missouri. "But it is a matter of when and not if," Smeda

"Once escaped, Callery pears grow in dense stands and outcompete native vegetation for light and nutrients," he says. Smeda studies invasive species in Missouri and serves on the recently formed Missouri Invasive Plant Task Force.

Individual Callery pear trees self-pollinate and produce few fruit with viable seeds. However, trees crosspollinate when different cultivars grow within several hundred feet of each other. This produces many fruit with viable seed. Birds such as starlings eat the fruit and spread the seed through their droppings. Pastures, wooded areas and field edges in rural areas invite invasion.

Established pear trees grow to 2-3 feet tall within two years of establishment. The tree's large root system makes mature trees difficult to kill, says Terry. No herbicides specifically labeled for control exist, so research is necessary, Terry says.

Mechanical controls such as mowing or cutting plants at ground level worsen the problem because many stems can arise from root systems. Methods such as digging or pulling, as is done with shallow-rooted invasives such as bush honeysuckle, don't work.

Terry recommends a foliar spray for trees up to 5 or 6 feet tall. Many herbicides that are effective on brush also appear to work on Callery pear. It may take 10-12 months to kill all growing points in the extensive root system.

Smeda and Terry tested

several foliar, basal bark and cut-stump treatments in their study. "The takehome message is that we have plenty of options," Terry says. However, preventing the establishment of new trees remains the best option. The larger the tree, the fewer effective options for control.

For more information on the Missouri Invasive Plant Task Force, go to http:// moinvasives.org/.

About Callery pear trees Callery pear trees are a "good idea that went bad," says MU Extension horticulturist David Trinklein.

Native to Asia, Callery pear is named after Joseph Callery, a 19th-century French missionary who sent samples to Europe. The trees owe their existence in the U.S. to fire blight, a disease that threatened the commercial pear industry during the 1920s. Because Callery pear resisted fire blight better than common pears, the U.S. Department of Agriculture transferred Callery pear germplasm to common pears in the 1920s.

In the 1950s, the Callery pear's ornamental qualities led to the release of the first commercial variety, Bradford pear. This cultivar became popular with landscapers because it grew quickly in soil types common to the Midwest. It

also resisted diseases and insects. Homeowners liked its natural dome shape, brilliant white spring blooms and colorful autumn leaves, Trinklein says.

One drawback, however, is its poor branch angle. This causes the soft-wooded trees to split during wind and ice storms. Breeders released cultivars with wider branches to combat splitting.

The groundwork for invasion was laid when new cultivars were planted in areas adjacent to Bradford pears. Cross-pollination of newer cultivars with Bradford led to trees bearing small fruit with viable seed. The fruit attracts birds, which spread the invasive seeds.

Because the plants originated in China, there were no natural enemies to keep them in check. What was an appreciated ornamental has become a self-spreading invasion, Trinklein says.

Unfortunately, the only way to stop the invasive spread is to cut down mature trees that produce seed and stop planting new Callery pears, Smeda says.

"Yes, that means cutting down Bradford pears and preventing the sale and planting of new Callery pears," he says. "If the source of the seed is not stopped, we will continue to spread Callery pear into rural areas."





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MDC will be conducting mandatory CWD sampling of harvested deer in 25 counties opening weekend of the fall firearms deer season, Nov. 11 and 12. Hunters who harvest deer in any of these select counties of MDC's CWD Management Zone during opening weekend MUST present their harvested deer at one of the Department's 56 CWD sampling stations so staff can collect tissue samples to test the animals for CWD.

The 25 mandatory CWD sampling counties are: Adair, Barry, Benton, Cedar, Cole, Crawford, Dade, Franklin, Hickory, Jefferson, Knox, Linn, Macon, Moniteau, Ozark, Polk, St. Charles, St. Clair, St. Francois, Ste. Genevieve, Stone, Sullivan, Taney, Warren, and Washington.

The 25 mandatory sampling counties include ones recently added to the CWD Management Zone after cases of CWD were found there in 2016-2017, counties with previous CWD positives, and counties very near where cases of CWD have been found.

Find mandatory sampling stations online at mdc.mo.gov/cwd, and in MDC's 2017 Fall Deer & Turkey Hunting Regulations and Information booklet, available where permits are sold.

MDC is also offering voluntary CWD sampling throughout the entire deer hunting season at more than 55 participating taxidermists and designated MDC offices in and around

the CWD Management Zone. Find voluntary sampling locations online at mdc.mo.gov/cwd.

Info To Know For Mandatory Sampling

Sampling locations will be open from 7:30 a.m. until at least 8 p.m.

Deer must be presented by the hunter who harvested the animal.

Hunters will be asked to identify the location within the county the deer was harvested.

Deer may be field dressed before being taken to a sampling station.

Hunters can also present just the deer head with about six inches of neck attached.

For bucks bound to a taxidermist, the cape may be removed prior to being taken to a sampling station as long as about six inches of the neck is left attached.

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Hunters will be given information on getting free test results for their deer.

Time-Saving Tips

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Have completed permit information ready.

Be prepared to locate the harvest location on a map.

Position deer in the vehicle so the head and neck are easily accessible.

Have the detached head or cape with about 6 inches of neck ready for sampling.

CWD sampling takes only a few minutes and consists of cutting an incision across the throat of harvested deer to remove lymph nodes for testing. Tissue samples are sent to an independent lab for testing

Emphasis On Opening Weekend

Opening weekend of the firearms season is the most popular two hunting days for most deer hunters in Missouri. During those two days, hunters take about a third of the state's total annual deer harvest of about 275,000 animals.

"Focusing on this key weekend gives us the best opportunity to collect the most tissue samples during a very concentrated time period," explained MDC Wildlife Disease Coordinator Jasmine Batten. "Prior to conducting mandatory sampling for the first time last year, we collected about 7,600 tissue samples through voluntary sampling over the entire deer season. Thanks to deer hunters, last year we collected 19,200 samples during opening-weekend mandatory sampling."

Batten added the increased number of samples collected gives MDC scientists a much better understanding of the distribution and prevalence of the disease -- where it is and how many deer may have it. It can also help find new cases in new areas.

Find more information on CWD from the MDC website at mdc.mo.gov/

Wheaton Junior, Senior High first quarter Honor Roll

7th Grade A Honor Roll: Joselyne Juarez, Zoey Martell, Kadence Mestas, Joshua Vang and Allison Whitman.

7th Grade A/B Honor Roll: Adriana Barrientos, Haylea Cookson, Emily Daniel, Elijah Holenda, Lisa Lee, Lily Ray and Rowan Wise.

8th Grade A Honor Roll: Ian Castro, Zane Smith, Pa Vang and Patti Vang.

8th Grade A/B Honor Roll: Caitlin Blades, Abbey Bowling, Blake Brattin, Monica Hinojosa, Zane Johnson, Candace Lee, Lori McNeill, Kelton Park and Bentley Stephens.

9th Grade A Honor Roll: Charlene Chang, Zachary Leverich and Jack Mitchell.

9th Grade A/B Honor Roll: Giovanna Hinojosa, Sarah Mattingly, Haley Parks and Cade Woolaway.

10th Grade A Honor Roll: Taylynn Banks, Calista

Burns and Ariana Williams.

10th Grade A/B Honor Roll: Sarah Brattin, Allie Reed and Zolanna Simpson.

11th Grade A Honor Roll: Viola Castro, Tori Goostree, Payton Harper, Rachel Lacey, Ethan Lombard, McAla McManus and Klay Reed.

11th Grade A/B Honor Roll: Sarah Burton, Adrian Chang, Kaylee Hutsell, Aspen Lewis, Farrah Loftis, Hallie Mitchell, Audrey Shockley and Marek Smith.

12th Grade A Honor Roll: Joshua Bowling, Bo Brattin, Bill Hang, Lina Hang, Sean Lowry, Marius Lupescu and Samantha Sherwood.

12th Grade A/B Honor Roll: Rodney Cook, Kimberly Graves, Richard Hang, Efren Hinojosa, Baylee Musick, Emily Pendergraft, Kayla Vang and Thomas Yang.





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