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Weekend offered entertainment options

"Ridin' With Mason Lowe" raises \$20,000



Shown above, left to right, are: Stacy Lowe, Mason's father; Chris Claunch, creator of the collage that sold for \$4,000 during the live fundraising auction; Marie Womack, highest bidder; coproducer of the event, Stu Crowe; and Crowe's wife, LaVeta. Photo by Adriana Keeton.

Elegant "Masquerade" Theme marked CHS Prom



Shown above, Kyren Postlewait and Lane Mitchell, were voted Prom Queen and King Saturday night's CHS Prom. Photos (above and on page 6) by Caden Swearingen.

Adriana Keeton

The second annual Ridin' with Mason Lowe Invitational, a PBR (Professional Bull Riding) Touring Pro Division event, was held this past Saturday at the Bill Hailey Arena in Cassville. Forty top athletes in the sport of professional bull riding competed for the championship, with Dakota Louis, of Montana, sealing the deal, with his eight-second ride on Generations Pro Rodeo Inc.'s world class bull, Panic But-

The annual event, held in honor of Exeter native, Mason Lowe, raised the \$20,000 goal they had set for this year, with all proceeds to be donated to St. Jude's Children's Hospital, in Lowe's name.

Co-producer of the event, Stu Crowe, expressed his gratitude.

"As we all rest and catch up from the long weekend, I just personally would like to say thank you to everyone who made Saturday night's event such a great success," he said.

Plans are already in the works for the third annual Ridin' With Mason Lowe Invitational, which will be held Mother's Day Weekend,

Cassville Cruisers begin 11th season



Sheila Harris

In spite of a dreary start to the day and many competing area events, Saturday night's Cassville Cruisers Cruise-In drew 85 (mostly) vintage vehicles, plus plenty of auto enthusiasts happy to

Member and past president of the Cruisers, Larry Daniels, said the club has cruise-ins planned for the second Saturday of every month through November, with gatherings scheduled to begin at 5 p.m.

The next cruise-in, scheduled for June 12, is labeled "Jammin' in June" and will feature live music. At the July 10 cruise-in, free watermelon will be available for attendees.

Beginning with this, the 11th season, Larry Daniels is passing the presidential baton of the Cassville Cruisers on to Bill Knapp, of Cassville.

Photo by Dave Powell.

Let the graduation ceremonies begin!

Sheila Harris

This week marks the beginning of a flurry of activities for area high school seniors as they prepare to make their exits from the schools that have represented a second home to them for the past 13 years.

Wednesday, Exeter and Purdy Schools have baccalaureate services scheduled for Wednesday, May 12 at 7

p.m., with graduation ceremonies to follow at the following dates and times:

- Wheaton High School:
- Thursday, May 13, 7 p.m. • Exeter High School: Friday, May 14, at 7 p.m.
- Purdy High School: Saturday, May 15, 7 p.m.

Commencement events for Southwest and Cassville High Schools are scheduled for the following dates and

- Southwest High School: Baccalaureate: Sunday, May 16,7 p.m. Graduation: Friday, May 21,
- 7 p.m. • Cassville High School:
- Baccalaureate: Wednesday, May 19, 7 p.m., in the HS
- Graduation: Sunday, May 23, 3 p.m., at the football field.

Cassville City Council gives green light to Element 79 Media

Sheila Harris

In its May 10 meeting, Cassville City Council approved entering into a contract with local marketing firm, Element 79 Media, to procure its services for the economic development of Cassville. The contracted

3A

annual price tag for the partnership is \$52,000, with \$26,000 due for the remainder of 2021.

"We already had \$15,000 set aside (for promotional purposes)," Cassville City Administrator Steve Walensky told council, "and we can

pull the additional sum out of our reserves."

Element 79 Media General Manager, Rachael Selby Freeman, says her company's long-term goal will be to draw people up the hill from Roaring River into Cassville, and thus promote Cassville

Purdy residents without power

as a destination of its own, through the use of digital and print media, the research of grant opportunities, and through partnerships with other area businesses.

The promotion of Trout

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Drug bust nets four **3A** after damaging winds



Purdy residents were without power for two hours Sunday morning after what are believed to be straight-line winds dislodged two electric poles on State Highway C, south of the cemetery. *Utility crews were quickly on site to reset the poles and restore electricity.*

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Cox Monett expands specialty care, adds orthopedic surgeon



Daniel J. Samani, MD,

Options for specialty orthopedic and sports medicine care continues to grow locally. Cox Monett Hospital is pleased to welcome Daniel J. Samani, MD, a full-time board-certified orthopedic surgeon, to its health care team.

"Increasing access to specialists for people living in rural communities continues to be a priority," said Darren Bass, president of Cox Monett. "It's been many years since we have had fulltime orthopedic coverage in Monett. After interviewing several candidates, Dr. Samani was the perfect fit because he is a talented and experienced surgeon, and that is exactly what we need for our vibrant and growing community."

Samani, who grew up in a small town of only 4,000 people in Iowa, offers highquality comprehensive orthopedic care for adults and children. He specializes in sports medicine and joint reconstruction of the hip, knee and shoulder, includ-

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ing anterior and lateral hip replacement, quad-sparing, minimally-invasive total and partial knee replacement, traditional shoulder replacement, rotator cuff reconstruction, and reverse shoulder arthroplasty.

"I'm very excited to join such a fantastic organization like CoxHealth and provide orthopedic care inside the new Cox Monett Hospital," he said. "My dad was a family practice physician for 45 years, so I witnessed him build those vital connections with his patients, and that is exactly what I want to do here in Monett. I want to help patients get back to doing the things they love to do."

Samani earned his medical degree at the University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine in Iowa City, Iowa, and completed his orthopedic surgery residency at Ohio State University Medical Center in Columbus, Ohio.

Samani's personal interests include golf, tennis, sailing, boating, reading history, flying, traveling, and spending time with his daughter.

His office is located at the new CoxHealth Monett Clinic, 1000 E. Highway 60 in Monett. It is attached to the new Cox Monett Hospital, which opened its new \$42 million hospital in January 2021. The new hospital features a spacious operating suite built for orthopedic procedures, in-house MRI, and diagnostic services conveniently located inside the specialty clinic.

A service that goes hand-

in-hand with orthopedic surgery is outpatient and inpatient rehabilitation therapy, which is also provided by the specialty-trained therapists at Cox Rehab and Sports Medicine. The rehabilitation clinic, located at 700 E. Cleveland, features a Hydro-

Worx pool and state-of-theart equipment to help return patients to normal activity after an illness or injury.

For more information or to make an appointment with Dr. Samani, please call 417-236-2440.

EEG tests now performed at Cox Monett

Patients who need an electroencephalogram (EEG) can now have the test performed at Cox Monett Hospital, eliminating a need to travel to other cities.

EEG is a noninvasive and painless diagnostic test performed to measure the electrical activity of the brain. The outpatient test is performed by strategically placing electrodes on a patient's scalp. The diagnostic tool is used to diagnose seizure disorders, such as epilepsy, and other brain conditions.

"Building the new hospital in Monett allowed us to look at what specific tests could be offered locally," said Matthew Scott, assistant director of neurosciences at CoxHealth. "We understand access to health care in rural areas can be a challenge, and it's important that we continue to look at what we can

Patients scheduled for an EEG should check in at the outpatient registration desk located inside the hospital's

bring to them."

main lobby.

Four arrested in May 5 drug bust

In the early morning hours of Wednesday, May 5, the Barry County Sheriff's Office conducted a search warrant on Farm Road 1218 in Eagle Rock.

Deputies Noah Whitehead, Anthony Larson and Stephen Nelson made two traffic stops where drugs and drug paraphernalia were discovered in the vehicles that came from the suspected residence. With that information, Deputy Whitehead asked for a search warrant which was granted.

Sheriff Danny Boyd, Chief Deputy Angela Cole and the above-named deputies served the search warrant at 29482 Farm Road 1218. During the search of the property, suspected methamphetamine, paraphernalia and guns were located.

Deputies arrested George Phillip Dittmar IV of Eagle Rock, Ashley Renee West of Eagle Rock, Shelley Wilburn of Eagle Rock and Dyan Miller of Eagle Rock.

George Phillip Dittmar IV is being held in the Barry County Jail on a \$75,000 cash only bond for, Delivery of a controlled substance, Possession of a controlled substance, unlawful possession of a firearm, unlawful possession transport manufacture repair or sale of illegal weapon, unlawful use of a weapon-possesses weapon and a felony-controlled substance, unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia and possession of marijuana.

Ashley Renee West is being held in the Barry County Jail on a \$35,000 cash or surety bond for, Delivery of a controlled substance, possession of controlled substance, unlawful possession transport manufacture repair or sale of illegal weapon, unlawful use of weapon- possesses weapon and a felony-controlled substance, unlawful possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of marijuaa.

Both Shelly Wilburn and Dyan Miller were booked and released from the Barry County Jail with charges pending.

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Cassville PR-IN-Middle: Mon: B: biscuit & gravy or french toast, sausage, applesauce or cereal, Pop-Tart, apple. L: tangerine chicken or popcorn chicken, egg roll, rice, carrots, Sidekicks. Tues: B: biscuit & gravy or scrambled eggs, toast, applesauce or cereal, graham crackers, pears. L: beef burrito or chicken sandwich, nachos, pinto beans, pears. Wed: B: biscuit & gravy or breakfast burrito, sausage patty, mandarin oranges or cereal, cinnamon toast, pineapple. L: grilled cheese or turkey sandwich, Sun Chips, carrots, applesauce. Thurs: B: biscuit & gravy or mini cini, Go-Gurt, fruit cocktail or cereal, graham crackers, peaches. L: chicken & noodles or pork choppette, gravy, potatoes, peas, peaches. Fri: B: biscuit & gravy or cherry frudel, yogurt cup, peaches or cereal, Pop-Tart, applesauce. L: Frito pie or chicken quesadilla, refried beans, corn, fruit cocktail.

Purdy: Mon: B: cinnamon crunch parfait, fruit. L: tangerine chicken, brown rice, California blend, fruit. Tues: B: wg biscuit, gravy, sausage patty, fruit. L: baked pasta, ww breadstick, romaine salad, fruit. Wed: B: french toast sticks, syrup, Go-Gurt, fruit. L: taco salad, Mexican rice, black beans, fruit. Thurs: B: strawberry mini bagel, fruit. L: hotdog (K-6), chili cheese nachos (7-12), corn, fruit. Fri: B: banana muffin, fruit. L: bologna sandwich, Sun Chips,

Southwest: Mon: B: breakfast sausage pizza, applesauce cup, juice. L: general chicken, fried rice, mandarin oranges, fortune cookie. Tues: B: cereal, pears, juice. L: chicken fajita tacos, lettuce, cheese, fiesta corn, peaches. Wed: B: biscuit & sausage sandwich, grapes, juice. L: BBQ rib sandwich, cole slaw, tropical fruit, chips, icecream sandwich. Thurs: B: mini pancakes, apple slices, juice. L: turkey and cheese sandwich, lettuce, apple slices, Rice Krispy Treats. Fri: B: cereal, mini cinnis, grapes, juice. L: PB&J, mozz. cheese stick, applesauce, baby carrots, chips.





Mon: Chicken fried rice, egg roll, fruit cocktail cake Tues: Street tacos, mexican rice, mexican chef salad, fried ice cream

Wed: Olive garden soup w/ sub sandwich, Reeses Peanut Butter dessert, rotary stuffed peppers

Thurs: Stuffed green peppers, steamed vegetables, dirt dessert

Fri: Italian chef salad, garlic bread, buttermilk cake

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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. The deadline for community calendar is Friday at 4 p.m. The contact person is Elaine Phaneuf, class@4bca.com or (417) 847-4475. Thank you for keeping us informed of all updates/changes to local events.

Notice:

Exeter Maplewood Cemetery of Exeter requests that flowers be removed 2 weeks after Memorial Day. Flowers may be left on headstones and in vases only. Please notify the cemetery association with additional Veterans names. Any donations are appreciated, mail to Maplewood Cemetery Association, P.O. box 177, Exeter, MO 65647

The Old Church Gallery Farmers' Market runs every Thursday from 8 A.M. to 11 A.M. Visitors are encouraged to wear face coverings and practive six-foot physical distancing while shoppping. Old Church Gallery is located on Farm Road 1240 in Shell Knob and can be reached at (417) 858-2510.

Bluegrass Music at Roaring River State Park is a family friendly free event every Friday night 7 P.M. to 9 P.M. starting May 28 through September 24. Performances will be held at the River Shelter.

Cassville Pantry is currently well stocked and offering free food assistance via a curbside method. The agency is a Feeding America Pantry located at 800 W. 10th Street, Cassville. It provides fresh produce, meat, bakery, dry goods, and personal care products. Pantry is open every Monday through Thursday morning from 9 A.M. to 11:15 A.M. and every Thursday afternoon from 3:15 to 6 P.M. Pantry director, Janet Mills, can be reached at (417) 846-7871.

The Wheaton Depot Museum in Wheaton will be open on Sundays from 2 P.M. to 4 P.M. Visitors are encouraged to check out the history of Wheaton and the Missouri and North Arkansas Railroad (M&NA).

OATS Transit is open for regular transportation service, however, face masks are required on the bus due to COVID-19. Please call the OATS Transit office at 417-887-9272 or 800-770-6287 to schedule a ride or find out about service in your area. Visit their website at www.oatstransit. org and click on the bus schedules tab for your county to see the full schedule. OATS Transit is available to the rural general public of any age, seniors, and individuals with disabilities. They also contract with a number of agencies to serve their clients.





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The Helping Hands Food Pantry services the citizens of Eagle Rock, Golden and Mano and is open from 9 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. every Saturday and Tuesday, and also 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. on the first Thursday of every month. Questions for the pantry can be answered by calling 417-271-1301 or visiting at 32685 State Hwy. 86 in Eagle Rock. (Just 1/4 mile east of the Hwy. P intersection). The pantry is supported by area churches, business associations and private donations.

Southwest Missouri Coalition of Charities provides a network where non profits can belong, share knowledge and support one another. The organization hosts meetings via Zoom. More information can be found on their Facebook

Soil samples need to be received at the MU B.C. Extension office by 12 P.M. on Thursday. Shipments go out once per week on Friday. The fee for the soil sample test is \$15. A \$6 shipping fee will be added if you choose to have your soil samples mailed the same day you bring it in. Contact the Extension Office at (417) 847-3161 with any questions.

May 13

Barry County Health Department will be holding a COVID-19 Moderna vaccination opportunity at the Cassville office on Thursday, May 13, 2021. Please call 417-847-2114 to sign up to get vaccinated and for times available. They will also have COVID-19 J&J vaccine available for those interested.

May 14

Shell Knob Community Building Garage Sale Fundraiser will be held Friday, May 14, 8 A.M. to 5 P.M., and Saturday, May 15, 8 A.M. to 3 P.M. Items 1/2 price Saturday 12 P.M. to 3 P.M. Donations (furniture, toys, dishes, outdoor equipment, other misc., no clothing) will be accepted Tuesday through Thursday, May 11-13 from 10 A.M. to 3

May 16

Southwest High School Baccalaurete will be held at 7 P.M. in the High School gymnasium. Everyone is encouraged to wear a mask and families are encouraged to please sit together.

May 18

The Oak Ridge Cemetery Association will hold their annual work day/meeting beginning at 5 P.M.

May 20

Corinth Cemetery Annual Meeting will be held at 6:30 P.M. at the cemetery shelter.

May 27

The Barry County Republican Club will hold its monthly meeting on in Cassville at the Barry County Mu-

May 29

The Annual Cassville High School Alumni Association Banquet will be held in the CHS Commons Area. Doors will open at 5:00 P.M. with dinner served at 6:00 P.M. Dinner and dues are \$15. Any class having a special reunion may contact Kay Baker at 417-847-4219 to make reservations.





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Fitzpatrick announces May **MO Money incentive**

Missouri State Treasurer Scott Fitzpatrick today announced MO Money for Your Account for MOST 529 Education Plan participants. Throughout the month of May, Missourians who open a MOST 529 account and schedule recurring contributions will receive a \$25 contribution to their new account. Those who already save using a MOST 529 account will be entered in a grand prize drawing of up to \$5,290 when they increase or establish a recurring contribution.

"As Treasurer, one of my most important jobs is help-Missourians prepare for their financial future," Treasurer Fitzpatrick said.

"MOST 529 is a valuable program for Missourians preparing for education expenses from K-12 to higher education. Missouri's tax benefits mean plan participants can save money on their taxes now while saving for the future. I hope Missourians will consider MOST 529 and get MO Money for their accounts this May."

MOST, Missouri's 529 Education Plan, is a tax-advantaged savings plan for education expenses. Money in MOST accounts can be used to pay for K-12 tuition, and trade, college, and graduate school tuition and expenses. Contributions are eligible for state tax deductions, which can save families up to \$864 a year, and assets in MOST 529 accounts grow tax free.

Treasurer Fitzpatrick is committed to making MOST as cost effective and accessible as possible. Earlier this year, the Treasurer announced the launch of READYS-AVE™ 529, an education savings mobile application for MOST 529 account owners. In 2020, Treasurer Fitzpatrick announced changes to the MOST 529 Plan that save Missourians millions of dollars in program management

For full sweepstakes rules and to learn more about how to enter, visit MissouriMost. org/MoMoney.

WGU launches scholarship for nurses

In recognition of the dedication exhibited by area nurses throughout the past year, WGU Missouri celebrated National Nurses Week - which runs from May 6 through May 12 - with the launch of a new Nurses Appreciation Scholarship for nurses and other healthcare workers who are interested in furthering their education.

The fully online, nonprofit university is offering \$100,000 in scholarships to new students wishing to pursue a CCNE-accredited BSN or MSN degree, or a bachelor's or master's degree from WGU in specialties that include healthcare management, health information management and more. Applications can be submitted online at https://www.wgu. edu/financial-aid-tuition/ scholarships/general/nurses-appreciation.html through June 30.

Each Nurses Appreciation Scholarship is valued at up to \$4,000 and will be applied at a rate of \$1,000 per sixmonth term, renewable for up to four terms. This year's amount for the annual scholarship has been increased by \$1,500 - compared to last year – to help meet the needs of area nurses who have been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. Applications are currently open, and new students can apply through June

In most cases, students will complete courses on their schedule, with 24/7 online access to learning materials and the ability to take tests as soon as they master the material. This competencybased approach often allows students who work hard and take advantage of the knowledge and skills they already have to graduate early.

To learn more about WGU Missouri's health professions programs or the Nurses Appreciation Scholarship, visit missouri.wgu.edu.

About WGU Missouri: WGU Missouri is a competency-based, online university created to expand access to higher education for Missouri residents. The university offers more than 60 undergraduate and graduate degree programs in the fields of business, K-12 teacher education, information technology, and health professions, including nursing. WGU Missouri faculty members provide one-on-one guidance, support, and instruc-

Established through a partnership with nationally recognized Western Governors University, WGU Missouri is open to all qualified Missouri residents. The university is nonprofit and self-sustaining on flat-rate tuition of about \$7,000 per year for most pro-

Degrees are granted under the accreditation of Western Governors University, which is accredited through the Northwest Commission on Colleges

See NURSES 6A





Fish like a pro!

Tim Homesley

The water is looking so much better. The CFS (cubic feet per second) is down to 113 as of Sunday morning.

The water is still off color, so we are using 2 - 4 lb. line on spinning and casting reels. On our fly rods, we are using 9' 7X for dries, and 9 - 6X for nymphs and buggers. If you are using a big streamer, you should probably be fishing 4X leaders, 9'.

From my experience, when the CFS hits 100 and lower, the dry-fly bite gets better.

We have been catching several trout on beetles, caddis, para-adams and on stimula-

The dry-fly fishing should really be good this week, if the rains hold off. Blue-wing olives, caddis, and midges will be the main hatches, but with the warmer weather, terrestrials should be better during the next few weeks.

Ants, and beetles are so much fun that the trout will hit them hard most days.

Black wooly-buggers, and olive wooly-buggers were very effective this week. I used black and did very well. When the sun is shining, the olive seems to be a bit more effective.

Copper-John nymphs, pheasant-tail nymphs, and hare's-ear nymphs worked well all week. Some peo-



ple were doing well fishing tandem-rigs. San Juan worms(red) and a black or brown zebra-midge fished about 12" from the San Juan were very effective.

I fished a mega-worm in the C&R area and did very well last Tuesday. There are lots of nice trout. The fishing should be even better this week.

The water has dropped quite a bit and cleared some. When the sun is shining, and if you are wearing polarized sunglasses, you can see into the water pretty well. The river should clear a lot more this week.

Plastic baits still are your best bet for a quick limit. White, yellow, orange, and pink worms worked well.

Power-bait 1" crawlers are still catching lots of trout; cheese is still the best color.

Marabou jigs did very well as the water started to clear last week; white, tan, black, and dark olive seem to be working best this week.

I like a two-color jig best;

black/yellow, black/orange, and white/black always seem to do best. Sizes 1/32 - 1/8 jigs worked best this week.

spinners and Spoons, crank-baits worked really well in the murky water we had last week; I think it is hard to beat a small gold spoon fished in Zone 1 or Zone 2 if it has been appropriately rigged. Black, brown, olive and white spinners worked well this week; 1/16 or 1/8 are still your best sizes.

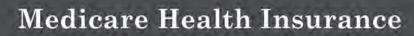
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CHS PROM from FRONT



Shown above, Ryleigh Burnette, Kailey Artherton and Makenzi Dilbeck paused for a photo op at Saturday night's CHS Prom. Photo by Caden Swearingen.



Taylor McCorkle snaps a photo of Rylan Wilson (left) and Lexi Ross (right) at the CHS Prom. Photo by Caden Swearingen.



Above, left to right, prom-goers dress for the occasion at the CHS Prom: Emma Forester, Lannin Prior, Wesley Stockton, Hunter Chasteen and Haley Donovan. Photo by Caden Swearingen.



Ally Kloss (left) and Mitchell Schmidt (right) enjoy a moment in the spotlight at the CHS Prom Saturday night. Photo by Caden Swearingen.

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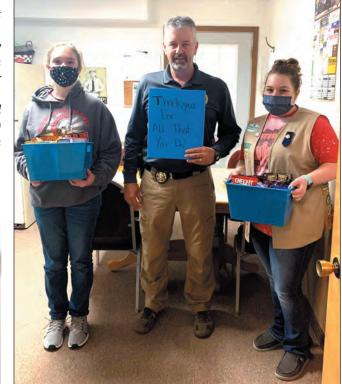
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Sheriff Thanks Seligman Girl Scouts

Members of Girl Scout Troop #71611, of Seligman, recently presented the Barry County Sheriff's Office with pizza, snacks, and cookies for the deputies.

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Purdy High School angler signs to fish for Drury, named to Bassmaster All-State Fishing Team



Purdy High School Senior Clay Henderson was joined at the table by his family and current and future coaches as he signed his Letter of Intent to attend Drury University and join its Bass Fishing Team. Seated from left are Hallie Henderson (sister); Shelley Henderson (mother); Henderson; Jay Henderson (father) and Jayse Henderson (sister). Standing are Drury Bass Fishing Coach Rick Emmitt (left) and Purdy Bass Fishing Coach Sam Harkey (right).

Purdy High School Senior Clay Henderson has signed a Letter of Intent to further his education and represent Drury University on its bass fishing team in Fall 2021.

Henderson made his commitment in a special ceremony attended by a host of family, friends and supporters, including his current bass fishing coach, Sam Harkey, and his future coach at Drury, the legendary Rick Emmitt.

Emmitt is in his sixth season as head coach of the highly successful Drury Bass Fishing team, whose accolades include a recent National Championship. The Drury Bass Fishing program currently ranks seventh in the Nation in the Bass Pro Shops School of the Year points race.

Emmitt, a Missouri Sports Hall of Fame member, noted of Henderson, "Clay is the exact kind of angler I am looking for. I am excited to see what the future holds. We are building a really strong program at Drury. I think in the next four years with Clay our future is very bright."

In his introductory remarks Coach Harkey applauded Henderson's strong work ethic, which has brought great success to the Purdy team of Henderson and Mason Harkey. The team's accomplishments in four years of competition include a Missouri Bass Nation State Championship in 2020; 11 high school tournament Top 10 finishes; two qualifications for the Bassmaster National Championship in 2018 and 2020 and selection

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for the Bassmaster All State Fishing Team in 2021.

Prior to signing his letter Henderson thanked his family and friends for their constant support and encouragement. He offered special gratitude to his dad, Jay Henderson, and Coach Sam Harkey.

"They've always done everything for us to catch fish. They've put their hearts and souls into it, just like we have. My success is due to them."

Of his future as a Drury angler Henderson noted, "I really appreciate Coach Emmitt recruiting me. I am excited to get started. I am very happy and blessed to be a part of the Drury Bass Fishing team."

Henderson, who began fishing in area creeks when he was young, said he didn't really become interested in lake fishing until he was in 8th Grade.

"There's definitely a technique to catching fish in the lake," he explained. "Every tournament is different, so my fishing strategy will be different depending on the weather, the water temperature, and what lake I'm fishing on."

Henderson says he switches up his bait while he's fishing unless he's really getting a lot of bites on a particular

"My favorite is crankbait," he said.

When asked if he ever fishes for trout, Henderson laughed.

"I do go to Roaring River with my Uncle Jeff (Swadley) once in a while," he said, "but mostly just to make him happy. I prefer fishing in lakes."

With a position on the Drury bass fishing team, he will receive plenty of opportunities to do so.



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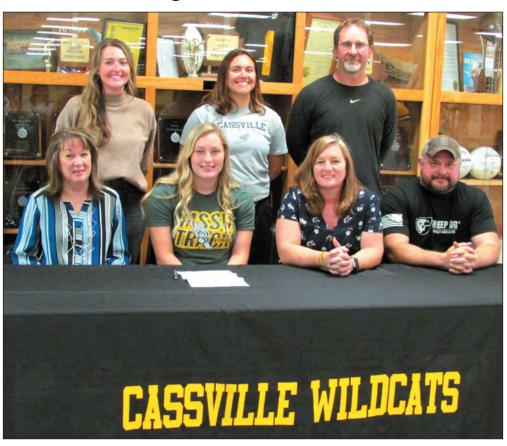
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Postlewait signs with Missouri Southern



Cassville High School Senior, Kyren Postlewait, signed a letter of intent on May 3 to participate in track and field for Missouri Southern State University in Joplin. While there, she plans to pursue a degree in Kineseology.

Postlewait is the daughter of Jennifer Young and Barry Postlewait, of Cassville. She is shown above (front row, second from left) with her parents, grandmother and coaches. Photo by Sheila Harris.

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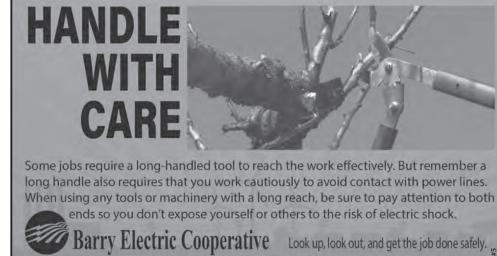
Fest as an annual Cassville event - scheduled this year for September 18 - is a pending priority.

Council approved extending electricity into South Park, as well as a bid for submitted by Hale Fireworks for a fireworks display the night before the festival.

A decision regarding joining the National Flood Insurance Program remains pend-

"We are trying to coordinate with FEMA representatives, so we can schedule some type of open house/

question and answer sessions for the community," Public Works Director David Brock said. "So far, FEMA has not given us a date when someone will be available to come to Cassville."





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MAETTA JUNE COONES

Maetta June Coones, 94, of Cassville, passed away Thursday, May 6, 2021, in her home.

She was born August 12, 1926, in Cato, the daughter of George T. and Olivia (Bradley) Blythe. On April 24, 1947, in Columbus, Kansas. She was united in marriage to Gene Coones, who preceded her in death on August 2, 2017. Also preceding her in death were her parents and two brothers, Bob Blythe and Wayne Blythe.

Surviving are two sons, Mike Coones and his wife Nevada and Lyn Coones and his wife Tonya all of Cassville; two daughters, Connie Lauderdale and her husband Charles of Purdy, and Gail Byrd and her husband Ken of Cassville; eleven grandchildren and thirty great grandchildren.

Maetta was a life-long resident of Barry County, and graduated from Cassville High School. She enjoyed attending Mill Street Church of Christ and loved her church

family. Some of her favorite pastimes were sewing, reading, cooking, traveling, viewing Victorian houses and most of all taking care of her grandkids.

Services will be held at 2:00 P.M. Monday, May 10, 2021, at Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville. Ken West will conduct the services. Burial will be at Clio Cemetery in Jenkins.

The family will receive friends from 1:00 p.m. until service time Monday at Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville.

Contributions may be made to Fair Haven Children's Home in memory of Maetta.

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KAREN E. ROBERTS

Karen E. Roberts, 79, of Cassville, passed away Thursday, April 29, 2021, at Mercy Hospital in Joplin.

Memorial services will be held at 1:00 P.M. Saturday, May 15, 2021, at United Methodist Church in Cassville. Pastor Jeff Fuggit will conduct the services. Cremation arrangements are under direction of Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville.

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STEPHEN MICHAEL **ROWDEN**

Stephen Michael Rowden, 50, passed away at his home in Exeter, on May 5th, 2021. He was born on November 7th, 1970, in Springfield, to Roy and Elizabeth (Cantrell) Rowden.

Steve attended Exeter Schools. He was in the military and assigned to the 2nd Ranger Battalion. Steve was an avid outdoorsman and bee keeper.

He is survived by one son, Trey Rowden and one daughter, Riley Rowden, both of Cassville; two brothers, Roy Rowden and his wife Rhonda of Exeter, and Loren Wesley Rowden of Cassville; three sisters, Karen Snook and her husband Jack of Ozark, Lorna Doss and her husband Mike of Monett, and Connie Coo Coo Ford of Cassville; cousin Matt Chapman and best friend, Danielle Rowden.

Steve was a member of Combat Veterans Association, Disabled American Veterans and Freedom Riders.

A private memorial will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Haven of The Ozarks in memory of Steve.

Cremation arrangements are under direction of Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville, Missouri.

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BETTY CARSTENS

Betty Carstens was born February 21, 1934, in Holstein, Iowa, to Harry and Olga Groepper Carstens. She attended a country school from the first grade to seventh grade, when the schools were consolidated. She started the eighth grade in Holstein Public School and graduated in 1952. She attended Electronic Radio Institute in Omaha, Nebraska, in 1952, and was hired by Boeing Aircraft Company in Wichita, Kansas in 1952 and took retirement after 38 years. She then moved to Shell Knob in September of 1989, where she lived until her passing on May 7, 2021.

She was preceded in death by her parents, two sisters and one brother. She is survived by numerous nieces and nephews; her brother-inlaw, Patrick Cline of Neosho and a very dear friend, Donna Cosgray. Betty was kind, loving and caring and never met a stranger. She will be horribly missed.

Graveside services will be

held on Thursday, May 13, 2021, at 10 a.m. at the Neosho IOOF Cemetery and she will be interred by her loving sister, Joanne Cline. Contributions in memory of Betty may be made to the Lupus Foundation, c/o Clark Funeral Home, PO Box 66; Neosho, MO 64850.

Online condolences may be posted at www.clarkfuneralhomes.com

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CLARICE WINIFRED WILSON HEAGERTY

Clarice Winifred (Dillbeck) Wilson Heagerty, 97, of Marionville, passed from this life to her eternal home in Heaven on Tuesday, October 20, 2020, while at the Ozark Nursing Center in Ozark, MO.

A memorial visitation will be held from 2-4:30 p.m. on Sunday, May 23, 2021 at the Monett City Park Casino. Arrangements are under the personal care and direction of Buchanan Funeral Home, Monett, MO.



TRACY ANNETTE **BUNTIN**

Tracy Annette Buntin, 47, of Cassville, went to be with her Lord and Savior on Sunday, May 9, 2021. Mrs. Buntin, daughter of Robert Duane and Georgia (Stringer) Jones,

was born August 27, 1973, in Monett. She graduated in 1991 from Union High School in Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, and subsequently received her Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education degree with magna cum laude honors from Missouri State University in 2015. On September 4, 2010, Tracy was united in marriage to Caleb Buntin at the First Baptist Church in Cassville.

Tracy was such a kind woman with a heart of gold who always saw the good in every situation. She would always greet you with her infectious smile and a warm hug. She was very giving and always wanted to help others succeed, and that's why being a teacher was the perfect job for her; she taught 5th and 6th grade science at Purdy Middle School until she became ill.

One of her greatest accomplishments in life was that of being a mother and grandma, or Nona as she was called. She was very proud of each of them and loved spending any time she could with them. Tracy enjoyed gardening and loved her flowers; she also volunteered her time as a cheer coach for Upward, and went on mission trips to McPherson Womans' Prison and Cornerstone Transition House, both in Newport, Arkansas, to witness to women and tell of God's wondrous works. Tracy was a member of the First Baptist Church in Cassville, where she taught 5th and 6th grade Sunday school, helped in the nursery and with the Single Moms' Study Group. She was a dear friend to so many and touched so many lives in her short time with us and will be forever missed.

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ing husband, Caleb Buntin, of Cassville; three sons, Tyler Clere and his wife Kayle, of Knob Noster, Jacob Clere, of Kirbyville, and Silas Buntin, of the home; two daughters, Savannah Buntin, of Monett and her fiancé Ricky Test, of Cassville, and Elizabeth Buntin, of the home; four grandchildren, Hallie Jo, Gabriel, Jase, and Eli; her mother, Georgia Fryar, of Cassville, her mother and father-in-law, Jared and Cindy Buntin, of Cassville; two sisters, Cindy Ontiveros and her husband Ray, of Coweta, Oklahoma, and Kelly Williams and her husband Brandon, of Tulsa, Oklahoma; one nephew, Ethan Markwardt, of Tulsa, Oklahoma; one niece, Jenna Giesow, of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma; four uncles, Vernon "Butch" Stringer and his wife Rita, and John Stringer and his wife Gina, all of Eagle Rock, and Thomas Stringer, and Kenny Stringer and his

Tracy was preceded in death by her father, Robert Jones; her son, Caleb Clere, on October 17, 2016; her aunt, Patricia Williams; her uncle, Earl Kimble; and Freddy Fryar, who she loved dearly and considered her father.

wife Gina, all of Cassville;

four aunts, Jeannie Stednitz

and her husband Bill, Myrtle

Kimble, and Linda Anstaett

and her husband Gene, all

of Cassville, and Joyce Cook

and her husband Kervin, of

Wheaton; her brother in-law,

Jeremiah Buntin, of Cassville;

two sisters-in-law, Sarah

Buntin and Abigail Buntin,

both of Cassville; and several

cousins and many extended

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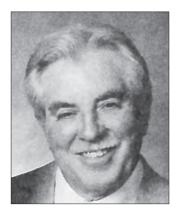
Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, May 14, 2021, at the First Baptist Church in Cassville, with Pastor James Weaver and Pastor Milford Baker officiating; burial to follow at Munsey Cemetery in Eagle

The family will receive friends on Thursday, May 13th from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the White Funeral Home and Crematory in

In lieu of flowers the family request that memorial contributions may be made to the Cornerstone Transition House in Newport, Arkansas, and entrusted to the White Funeral Home P.O. Box 890, Cassville, MO 65625.

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





WILLIAM "BILL" CHARLES HENNING

William "Bill" Charles Henning, 96, of Cassville, passed away at his home on Wednesday, May 5, 2021. Mr. Henning, son of William and Rose (Boyle) Henning, was born on July 5, 1924, in St. Louis. He left Missouri and moved to California where he started his own upholstery company. Bill served his country proudly in the United States Army Artillery Division from 1943 to 1945 and was awarded four bronze stars during his time of service. He was united in marriage to Jeanne Fitch; she preceded him in death on October 20, 2017. Bill later moved back to Missouri to enjoy farm life.

Bill is survived by his daughter, Mary Ruth Henning; his son, William R. Henning; his grandchildren, Sarah Taylor and Amanda Martinez; and step-daughter, Susan Ragsdale.

The family will receive friends from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Monday, May 17, 2021, at the White Funeral Home and Crematory in Cassville.

A private burial will take place at the Missouri Veterans Cemetery in Springfield.

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





TERRY J. FARRIS

Terry J. Farris, 64, of Monett, passed away on Wednesday, April 21, 2021, after a long battle with cancer. He passed peacefully with his wife and son by his side. Terry was born on July 22, 1956, in Joplin. He was the son of the late Rev. Ray and Delores Farris.

Terry was the kind of person that gave chances to people who wouldn't be given a chance by others. The kind of person who would give you the last dollar he had. The kind of person that was the living embodiment of the golden rule. He had tremendous compassion for those who were less fortunate and for those who were struggling. His love for others was matched only for his love for music. He was an exceptionally talented musician and was proficient in many instruments, especially guitar.

Terry married Jackson on August 30, 1980. He is survived by his wife Vonna; two daughters: Aubrey Lavonda (Andy) Slyter of Bentonville, AR, and Valeria (Dennis) Young of Pea Ridge, AR; one son: Dr. David (Amanda) Farris of Columbia; two brothers: Ted (Dixie) Farris of Purdy, and Tone (Beth) Farris of Hermann; and eight grandchildren: Cory, Kristen (Nathaniel), Brianna (Gabe), Taylor, Gabbie, Lorelei, Jackson, and Jonathan; one great-grandchild: Alexander.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents: Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Quillin, Luther Farris and Cecil Farris; his parents: Rev. Ray and Delores Farris; one uncle: Dale Quillin; his Father-in-law: Oran Jackson; one Sister-in-law: Viva Jackson.

Private graveside services were held Friday, April 23, 2021, under the direction of Bach-Yager Funeral Chapel in Columbia.

BILLIE JO ALLEN

Billie Jo Allen, 73, of Cassville, passed away Thursday, May 6, 2021, at her home.

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

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JANET LYNN (JOHNSON) LOVE

Janet Lynn (Johnson) Love, 51, passed away on Saturday, May 1, 2021, at her home in Shell Knob, with her husband, Steve by her side. Mrs. Love, daughter of Dick and Anna (Hein) Johnson, was born on June 30, 1969, in Fairbury, Nebraska, where she grew up and received her education. On September 12, 2014, she was united in marriage to Steven Love in Eureka Springs, Arkansas. Janet enjoyed the outdoors, taking care of her animals, gardening, and painting. She was a loving and caring mother who always put her children and family first. Janet was a friend to so many and will be greatly missed.

Survivors include her loving husband, Steve Love, of Shell Knob; one son, John Stephens, of La Vernia, Texas; four daughters, Nicollette Stephens, of San Antonio, Texas, Mariah Anderson, of Warrensburg, Randa Johnson and Amber Johnson, both of Shell Knob; one granddaughter, Ashtyn Schwab; one sister, Brenda Johnson, of Shell Knob; three brothers, Kevin Johnson and his wife Lory, of Fairbury, Nebraska, Luke Johnson, of Shell Knob, and Mark Johnson and his wife Carrie, of Archie; and several nieces and nephews.

Janet was preceded in death by her parents.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, May 7, 2021, at the White Funeral Home and Crematory with Pastor Jake Buckner officiating; cremation arrangements to follow.

A private family burial will be held at Field's Cemetery in Shell Knob at a later

Memorial contributions may be made to Janet's children and trusted to the White Funeral Home and Crematory, P.O. Box 890, Cassville, MO 65625, or an account has been set up at Freedom Bank in Shell Knob.

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



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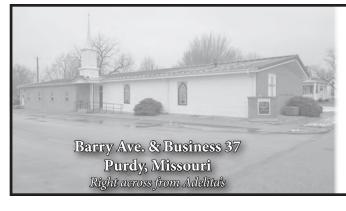


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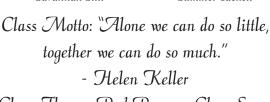




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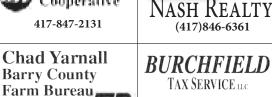
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Elaine Phaneuf and children

My original intention was to write about the various celebrations of mothers, and various collaborations of mothers throughout history in time for the May 5, Mother's Day edition of our Advertiser. Life does not always go as planned, so my Mother's Day column is one week late.

I recently learned about the pacifist Julia Ward Howe and her 1870 "Appeal to Womanhood Throughout the World", later to be known as her "Mother's Day Proclamation". This proclamation was born both as a reaction to the horror of the American Civil War and Franco-Prussian and Howe's conviction that - while still denied the right to vote - women are morally obligated to shape our society at a political level. In 1872, Howe campaigned for a "Mother's Day for Peace" to be held every year on June 2. Howe was unsuccessful.

While never a mother herself, Anna Jarvis was the force behind our modern Mother's Day, established 36 years later. Jarvis was inspired by her own mother, Ann Maria Reeves Jarvis, a social activist and community organizer in West Virginia during the

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In honor of mothers

by Elaine Phaneuf

one woman. The accounts of history often state that Anna Jarvis established our official Mother's Day. That is not exactly true. On May 9th, 1914 President Woodrow Wilson signed a proclamation calling for the display of our American flag on the second Sunday of every May as "...a public expression of our love and reverence for the mothers of our country...' Anna Jarvis did not establish Mother's Day. She fought for it, campaigned for it, petitioned for it. No woman has ever had the authority to sign

to a day when that could hap-

On this Mother's Day of 2021, I was inspired to write a sort of poem. I hope it can be an inspiration to honor mothers throughout the year by collaborating to make the world a more nurturing place. On our next Mother's Day of 2022, we can pause and take measure. I hope we will find ourselves pleased with our success.

Our children deserve a more compassionate world. We all deserve a more compassionate world. to nurture and make sacri-

for our fellow human beings as those mothers we honor

May we all be more willing to honor the sacrifices our mothers made by honoring the children they raised - each other.

May we all be more willing to understand

the overwhelming pain a mother feels at the loss of her child, whether to illness. whether to combat, whether in her arms, or on the street.

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MDC offering permits during May for fall bear hunting

The Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) reminds Missourians interested in hunting black bears in the state to apply during May for one of 400 permits being offered by MDC for the state's first black-bear hunting season this coming fall, Oct. 18-27. The maximum total harvest for the season

Bear hunting in Missouri is limited to Missouri residents and restricts bear hunting to three designated areas of southern Missouri called Bear Management Zones (BMZ). Hunters must apply for a specific Black Bear Management Zone. Permit and harvest quotas for the upcoming Oct. 18-27 bear season will be:

- BMZ 1: Permit quota of 200 issued with a harvest quota of 20 bears.
- BMZ 2: Permit quota of 150 issued with a harvest quota of 15 bears.
- BMZ 3: Permit quota of 50 issued with a harvest quota of five bears.

Each permit will be for a specific BMZ and may be property within the BMZ. Hunters who are issued permits must call MDC prior to hunting each day to determine if the BMZ-specific harvest quota has been met. Quota information will be updated no later than midnight on each day of the black bear hunting season. If a BMZ-specific harvest quota is met, the season for that BMZ will be closed. If harvest quotas are not reached, the season will close at the end of the 10 designated hunting days.

Apply May 1 - 31 online mdc.mo.gov/buypermits, through MDC's free MO Hunting app, through a permit vendor, or by calling 1-800-392-4115. There is a \$10 non-refundable application fee. Missouri residents 11 years of age or older by the start of the bear season are eligible to apply.

Permit selection will be determined by July 1 through a random drawing of all eli-

gible applicants. There will be no "sit-out" period for those selected to receive permits. Applicants can check to see if they have been selected for a permit at mdc.mo.gov/ buypermits by logging into "Manage Your Account" and selecting "View My Special Hunt History." Those selected to receive a permit must have their hunter-education certification or be exempt by age (born before Jan. 1, 1967) before they may purchase the permit at a cost of \$25.

MDC is not issuing landowner-specific black bear hunting permits, however, a minimum of 10 percent of zone-specific resident black bear permits will be allocated to approved landowners. To qualify, landowners must have at least 20 contiguous acres within the BMZ for which they are applying. Qualifying landowners must first have their property information approved through MDC's Landowner Permit Application before completing a black bear permit application. Details can be found at mdc.mo.gov/landowner-

Hunting hours will be a half-hour before sunrise to a half-hour after sunset. Hunters will be allowed to use both archery and firearms equipment with allowable methods being the same as those for deer and elk, except the use of an atlatl. Baiting and the use of dogs will not be allowed.

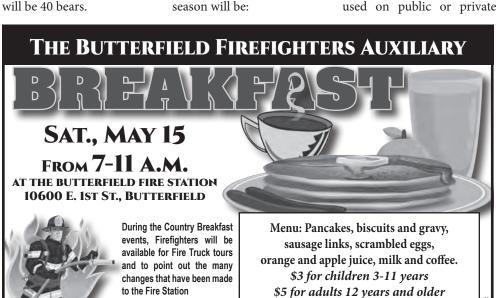
The harvest limit will be one bear per permit. Only lone black bears may be taken. Hunters may not take bears that are known to be in the presence of others bears, including female black bears with cubs. Bears may not be disturbed, pushed, harassed, or taken from a den. Bear hunters must wear hunter orange, make reasonable efforts to retrieve shot bears,

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All harvested bears must be Telechecked by 10 p.m. on the day of harvest. Harvested bears must remain intact, as a field-dressed carcass, or quartered with evidence of sex retained, until the bear has been Telechecked. MDC will also require the submission of a tooth from each harvested bear within 10 days of harvest. This will help MDC staff with black bear research and management.

Learn more about bear hunting in Missouri at mdc. mo.gov/bearhunting or view and download MDC's new online Black Bear Hunting Digest at huntfish.mdc. mo.gov/hunting-trapping/ regulations/black-bear-hunting-digest.

Black bears were historically abundant throughout the forested areas of Missouri prior to European settlement but were nearly eliminated by unregulated killing in the late 1800s, as well as from habitat loss when Ozark forests were logged. Over the last 50 years, bear numbers and range in Missouri have grown to around 800 black bears with most found south of the Missouri River and primarily south of Interstate 44. Missouri bear range is expanding. Bear numbers in Missouri are increasing each year by approximately 9% and are expected to double in less than 10 years. As bear numbers continue to increase, MDC will use a highly regulated hunting season as an essential part of population management. MDC's 2020-2030 Black Bear Management Plan will guide bear management in Missouri for the next decade. Learn more about black bears in Missouri and MDC management efforts at mdc.mo.gov/



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This year's teams were Floriculture, Soils, Dairy Cattle and Knowledge.

Floriculture (shown in top, right photo) placed 8th, with a group 2 rating. Teammates are Amy Reeves, Bonnie Robbins, Macy Colf, and Laney Moore.

Soils (bottom, right) placed 6th, with a group 1 rating. Teammates are Ty Howard, Andy Cornell, and Samuel Jennings.

Dairy Cattle (bottom, center) placed 7th with a group 1 rating. Teammates are Travis



Sickles, Teresa Thompson, Zak Starr, and Allison Corwin.

Knowledge (top, left) placed 8th, with a group 1 rating. Teammates are Ali Shrum, Lilly Wolf, Caleb Ayer, and Dylan Rainwater.

The Southwest R-5 FFA Chapter is very proud of everyone for the hard work they have put into this contest sea-

Southwest FFA had three State Degree participants this year. Shown in photo above, at bottom left are: Juniors, Ty Howard and Teresa Thompson; and Senior, Laney Moore. These three students worked hard and put in many hours into the FFA to earn their degrees. The Southwest FFA

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ceiling, ceiling fan, wood beams, large windows & (2) sliding patio doors looking out to Table Rock Lake. Sliding doors that lead out to a large wrap around deck with a fantastic view of the lake. The living room is open to the dining room where there is a patio door leading out to the wrap around deck. Stairs leading to upstairs and open to the kitchen. The kitchen features a bar area, double sink, custom oak cabinets, beautiful tile flooring in the kitchen & dining rooms, GE smooth top range, built in microwave/exhaust hood & Kenmore side by side refrigerator/freezer. Just off the kitchen go down the hall to stairs going down to the basement, linen closet, 3/4 bath & utility room & 2 bedrooms with ceiling fans, closets & windows. Upstairs: Setting area or sm den w/private balcony & balcony to living room below & looking out lakeside. Full bath with tile floor, large tiled walk in shower, jetted tub & private balcony. A nice size bedroom with his & hers walk in closets & ceiling fan. Downstairs: Walk out basement with separate living quarters, sm kitchen area, full bath & sm living room, tile flooring, a door leading to the 2 car attached garage with automatic door openers & the mechanics/storage room. Outside Amenities: This home sets on a double lake front lot with fantastic views of Table Rock Lake. Tiled sidewalk to the front door where there is a large wrap around deck with view of the lake. Concrete drive into the garage, storage shed. This beautiful home has central heat/air, well water & septic. Note: Leo was a master tile layer, he built this home, beautiful tile work & very well built. It is in immaculate condition, move in ready. Home buyers you won't be disappointed here !!! Boat Slip: 2nd we will offer the boat slip. Boat slip is just down the street. A short walk or golf cart ride away. It is slip #6 in Chain O Lakes 1A dock association. Permit #8036. Slip size is 10'x24' with approx. 2'overhang plus boat lift. Updated dock with wide walkway & large newer swim platform. (Very Nice). Note: This slip will be offered after we offer the home. Then we will offer the home & boat slip together as one. Garage28'x40': 3rd we will offer this really nice garage Leo built that is just up the street. It is on its own lot, 28'x40' garage with (2) approx. 10'x10' overhead doors with automatic door openers & a walk door. This would be great to store your lake toys, jet skis, boats, etc. Note: With the passing of Mr. Lupini, Mrs. Lupini will be moving closer to family. So, if you or someone you know is looking tor a super clean, move in ready, well built home on Table Rock Lake, with a million dollar view and an opportunity to own a really nice boat slip, you won't want to miss this auction. Everything in this auction is very nice!!! Call 417-847-2507 and learn how to get qualified to come and bid on this fantastic property. Please read the terms of the auction. If you have questions give us a call. Catering and port a pot on site. In case of inclement weather, we can sell inside. *** Real Estate sells first thing promptly at 10:00 AM*** Real Estate Terms: Qualified buyers only w/pre-approved bank letter of approval. Nonrefundable 10% paid day of auction w/balance due in cash or certified funds within 30-45 days. Buyers and sellers will be responsible for their own portion of their closing cost. Taxes will be prorated to date of close. Sells as is where is with no warranties or guarantees. Bidders, buyers, or agent of the buyer is responsible for conducting own inspection of property prior to auction and should rely solely upon their own due diligence and inspection. This property is offered with absolutely no contingencies of any kind, no contingencies on financing, surveys, appraisals, or final walk throughs. Seller has the right to accept or reject final bid. A 10% buyer's premium will apply. Any announcements made day of auction supersede any and all printed material. No debit or credit cards. ***See next weeks paper for full listing***

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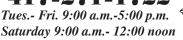
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Southwest's Fab Four advance to track sectionals

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"I get by with a little help from my friends" - John Lennon/Paul McCartney

The state track series kicked off on Saturday with eight district meets in Classes 1 and 2. Reeds Spring hosted the District 6 meet for both classes, with athletes from Southwest, Purdy, Wheaton, and dozens of other schools in attendance.

School of the Ozarks won the boys team title with 90 points. Ash Grove piled up 146 points to win the girls di-

The district meet is a lesson in perspective and priorities. The main goal for athletes is to finish in the top four in their events and qualify to compete at sectionals the next week. With that in mind, some coaches only enter athletes who have a reasonable chance at qualifying. Others treat the district meet no differently from regular season competitions, giving their athletes one more opportunity to: 1.compete, 2. Set a personal season or career best, and 3. Represent their school and community in a positive manner.

Coach Daniel Lewis of the powerhouse College Heights Christian Cougars and Lady Cougars put it bluntly, "If they don't come to the district meet, they don't

The weather forecasters got it all wrong for Saturday morning. Instead of clearing skies and warmer temps, a steady cold rain pelted the athletes in the early field events. Southwest's Fab Four distance squad - Coach Steve Voyak's best hopes for sectionals - wondered if they might need a yellow submarine when the 4 x 800 meter relay rolled around. All Travis Sickles, Christian Long, Caden Uthe, and Otis Rainer could do was find a dry spot and hunker down out of the

And that brings up the change in the event schedule.

Because of covid 19, MSHSAA changed this year's state track meet to a oneday affair for each class. To give the distance runners a little more recovery, the 3200 meter run moves to the first running event at state and will be contested during the morning field event session. Then after the lunch break, the meet will continue on a normal schedule, except there will be no long race between the 200 meter dash and the 4 x 400 meter relay.

Now it's the sprinters who run both the 200 and that relay who get no recovery. Oh well.

By rule, the district and sectional meets have to mirror the state meet, so the 3200 meter races began at 10:45 at Reeds Spring. Just as Travis Sickles was reporting for the metric two mile, the announcer made the first call for the 4x800 meter relay.

"Whoa!" said Sickles. "What happened to the break?'

There would be no break. But with both boys and girls races in both classes, the relay runners were guaranteed at least 30 minutes of recovery. That's still a short turnaround for a high school distance runner, and much less than originally expected.

"Here comes the sun" -George Harrison

Sickles threw caution to the wind, taking advantage of the improving weather to lower his own school record in the 3200. He led with a lap to go before Spokane's Sam Shuman torched a 66-second last 400 meters for the vic-

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tory. Sickles picked up the silver medal with his 9:57.49 performance.

Then the 4x800 meter quartet garnered Southwest's only gold medals of the meet. Rainer and Uthe spotted Long to third place to start the third leg. Long, a junior, powered into the lead and gifted the baton to Sickles.

"Don't let me down" John Lennon

The original plan was for anchorman Sickles to just breeze to a top four relay finish to qualify. But Long's excellent leg put Sickles on the

"I couldn't not win," he said later. "I wanted to win so my teammates could be district champs."

He did, and they are. Sickles hit the finish line in 8:46.97, a season's best performance for the Trojans.

"It's getting better all the time" - John Lennon/Paul McCartney

By mid-afternoon, the temps had climbed from the wet mid-50's into the sunny low 80's. In the 1600 meter race, a wobbly Sickles paced behind eventual winner Tanner Talley of New Covenant and Shuman, taking third in 4:50.76.

Uthe Then Caden shocked the 400 meter field, running a personal best 54.08 to claim second place and a sectional berth.

Christian Long held Southwest's last hope for sec-

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tionals in the 800 meter run. Long's season-best 2:08.2 was the fifth seed. He was in fifth place with a lap to go, but Spokane's Grant Stewart - a 2:04 runner - passed him on the backstretch.

With 100 meters to go, Long looked hopelessly boxed in and doomed to finish in sixth place, But Israel Reynolds of School of the Ozarks wobbled at the head of the stretch, leaving a sliver of daylight on the rail. Long shot past, tightroping the curb, and edged Stewart at the finish line, 2:07.09 to

The Fab Four move on to compete in four sectional events at Sarcoxie on Satur-

Purdy's Elijah Webb qualified for sectionals - the only Eagle to advance - taking 4th in the discus with a throw of 31.39 meters.

Wheaton boys third in Class 1 District @ Reeds

The Wheaton Bulldogs rolled to third place in the boys team standings in the Class 1 District 6 track meet at Reeds Spring on Saturday. Wheaton athletes excelled in the sprints, relays, and field events, scoring 71 points.

Chad Meyer won the javelin and the 200 meter dash, and took 2nd in the 100.

Fernando Gonzalez finished 2nd in the high hurdles in 18.77, and 4th in the lows in 46.33. Zander Dutra placed 4th in the high hurdles in 20.26.

Steven Chavis took 4th in the shot, throwing 11.31 me-

Wheaton quartets placed 4th in both the 4x100 meter and 4x400 meter relays.

Monica Hinojosa led the Wheaton girls, winning the shot with a toss of 9.57 meters, and placing 4th in the javelin with a throw of 23.27

Jenny Par placed 4th in the shot, throwing 8.68 me-

Wheaton qualifiers will compete at the Class 1 sectional at Sarcoxie on Satur-

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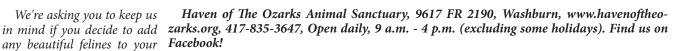
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Cassville R-IV School District

is requesting sealed proposals from Qualified Providers for energy efficient facility improvements under a guaranteed energy savings contract. Request for Proposal notice can be obtained at the District's Administration Office.

Proposals shall be sealed and addressed to Dr. Richard Asbill, Superintendent of Cassville R-IV School District, 1501 Main St., Cassville, MO 65625, clearly marked "Guaranteed Energy Conservation Measures Proposal". All proposals are to be received no later than May 21, 2021, at 3:30 PM Central Standard Time, and shall be opened immediately thereafter. No extensions will be granted.

Any questions and all discussions regarding this Request for Proposals shall be directed to Dr. Richard Asbill, Superintendent of Cassville R-IV (417) 847-2221.

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Applications will be accepted until all positions are filled. Applications are available 8am to 4pm at the Barry County Sheriff's Office Administration building at 505 East Street Cassville, Mo 65625 or you can call 417-847-6556 to request an application be sent to you. Return all applications to Sheriff Danny Boyd.

The Barry County Sheriff's Office is an Equal Opportunity Employer

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JOB OPENING

Barry County Soil and Water Conservation District 74 S. Main, Cassville, MO 65625 Located in the USDA Service Center

Technician/Program Specialist

Starting salary will be based on qualifications and level of experience.

Job duties and responsibilities will include: Proficient computer skills, working in remote locations with landowners, collecting GPS coordinates for surveying, planning and designing using ArcGis and other technical duties as assigned. Applicants must have the ability to communicate effectively with the public and co-workers, exercise sound judgement and discretion, and work independently.

High School Diploma or GED, agricultural and/or conservation experience required. College degree in a related field is preferred. Must have a valid driver's license and be able to pass a federal background check. Must be comfortable pulling and loading large trailers or other agriculture equipment as necessary.

Applicants must also have the ability to work outdoors in all types of weather conditions on all types of terrain.

This position will be stationed in Barry County, with additional work responsibilities in Lawrence, Newton and McDonald Counties.

This position is jointly funded between the NRCS and the Soil and Water Conservation Program. Funding for this position will continue until the budget for each agency can support the position.

Interested applicants can drop off a resume in the dropbox at the address listed above, M-F between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., or submit a resume by mail to the same address. Resumes must be received by 4:30 p.m. May 21, 2021

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ROAD DEPUTY

The Barry County Sheriff's Office currently has openings

for full-time Patrol Deputies

All applicants must be post certified, have all training hours up to date and be able to work weekends and nights. Starting Salary of \$31,200.00 per year. Barry County also provides a benefit package which includes paid employee health insurance, CERF Retirement Benefits, paid sick leave, 13 paid holidays and paid vacation leave after 1 year.

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JOB OPENING

Barry County Soil and Water Conservation District 74 S. Main street, Cassville, MO 65625 Located in the USDA Service Center

The Barry County Soil & Water Conservation District is accepting applications for a full time

District Specialist

Job duties and responsibilities include, but are not limited to technical and clerical tasks, accounting, billing and scheduling of district rental equipment.

Applicants must have the ability to communicate effectively with the public and co-workers, exercise sound judgement and discretion, and work independently. General agriculture related knowledge and advanced computer skills required.

High School diploma or GED required, college degree in a related field preferred. Knowledge of technical field equipment and be willing to work outdoors under all types of weather conditions and terrain.

Starting wage is \$13/hour with promotion potential. Must have valid driver's license and be able to pass a federal background check.

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Cicadas are coming, but not to Missouri

Periodical cicadas are coming in 2021, but probably not to Missouri.

University of Missouri Extension horticulturist Tamra Reall says Missourians may see some straggler cicadas from other states but not the massive swarms of noisy insects that more eastern states will see. The next brood to emerge in Missouri will not appear until 2024.

Periodical cicadas, as opposed to their larger annual counterparts, emerge every 13 or 17 years in late May to early July.

Cicadas are noisy and overwhelming. But they are also magical, says Reall.

"They are magical because of how rarely they emerge. Their scientific genus reflects this – Magicicada," says Reall, who has a background in entomology. "Just take time to reflect on the cool factor."

This heavy-bodied insect features large, red compound eyes and membranous wings.

Adults are an inch long and have a 3-inch wingspan.

While some find them annoying, periodical cicadas are mostly harmless, Reall says. They might damage young trees when the female deposits her eggs into small stems. Prevent this by covering with cheesecloth or mosquito netting. Generally, healthy trees will do fine without chemical treatment, she says.

Before they emerge, periodical cicadas may build earthen chimneys or towers that extend two to four inches above the soil surface. Soon after they emerge, the males make their shrill, rhythmic mating call from dawn until evening. The volume increases as the temperature rises.

Though sometimes confused with locusts, which are a type of grasshopper, periodical cicadas are more closely related to leafhoppers and aphids. They emerge in such large numbers that predators cannot eat all of them.



