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Spotlight

Wheaton BBQ

Saturday, August 24th is Wheaton's 55th annual BBQ event. BBQ starts at 11:30 a.m. There will be free children's rides, tractor pull, duck race and grandstand entertainment from 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. See ad on page 8B.

Self Defense Class

Saturday, August 24, at 10:00 a.m. Seligman will host a Stranger Danger (ages 6-12) and women's self defense class for residents. It is free for Seligman residents, advanced registration is encouraged. Call 417-662-3600.

Annual Land Tax Sale

On Monday, August 26, at 10:00 a.m. is the annual Barry County Land Tax Sale. See page 3A for more information.

Purdy Blood Drive

Purdy High School is hosting a blood drive Friday, August 23 from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. in the gymnasium. The drive is for those 18 years and older. Call 417-442-3216 for information.

Rockin P Ranch Rodeo

Rockin P Ranch has its Buckle Series Rodeo #4 on Saturday, August 31st at 7:00 pm at the Crowder College Roughrider Arena in Neosho. See ad on page 14A.

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Proposed electric lines outrage residents

Samantha Barberio

A recently proposed electrical power line could damage the natural beauty through southern Barry County, and residents are not happy about it. At the Seligman City Council meeting on August 13th, residents had a heated debate about the proposed electrical line route slated to go through southern Missouri and into Arkansas. The possible effects from this project could uproot residents from their homes, lower their property values and damage tourism to the area through land devastation.

Southwestern Electric Power Company (SWEPCO) is introducing a project that would claim a path of 150-foot-wide of land to be cleared for a new power line. In southern Barry County, 150-foot-tall electrical transmission towers will follow just north of the state line for about 25 miles, damaging the landscape. The effects of this 345,000-volt line could be devastating.

Seligman residents argued that they would not be able to live under the power lines, it would de-value land along its route and go directly through the city. Northwest Arkansas has already been battling this company to keep the 48 miles of power lines out of many tourist destinations.

SWEPCO states on their

website, “The proposed facilities will provide increased reliability and overload relief in eastern Benton County and Carroll County. They address long-term upgrades to the grid for north Arkansas and south Missouri region, as identified and mandated by the Southwest Power Pool.” However, Barry County residents claim it is unnecessary for the area.

Dr. Pat Costner, a native of Arkansas and public interest scientist since 1978, has many concerns regarding SWEPCO. Costner is in possession of a list of the 165 land owners in Missouri whose land is being traversed by SWEPCO's proposed route 109. She states, “I excerpted this information from SWEPCO's list of property owners that they allegedly notified. It now seems evident that no Missouri landowners were notified.”

Costner is also informing landowners about the meeting on August 26th in Little Rock. She is encouraging residents to get involved. “Tell the Arkansas Public Service Commission's (APSC) Judge Griffin that they are traversed by route 109 but received no notification,” she urges.

On July 25th, representatives of the Missouri Public Service Commission stated they were unaware of SWEPCO's proposal to build the high-voltage transmission line in the southwest corner



Many residents are displaying orange “No SWEPCO” signs on their lawns to raise awareness of the issue.

of the state. SWEPCO did apply to the Arkansas Public Service Commission to build the line, but no application has been filed with the Missouri Commission.

If SWEPCO chooses to proceed with route 109, the approval process is said to take several months, and this largely depends on the number of landowners wanting to intervene in the case. Route 109 was chosen by SWEPCO to provide an opportunity to avoid the congested Interstate 540, appeasing larger cities, but taking advantage of smaller communities.

Missouri's District 158 Representative Scott Fitzpatrick stated his opinion on the matter, “I am extremely concerned with the potential impact the proposed power lines would have on local property values. Very little information has been made

CO to provide an opportunity to avoid the congested Interstate 540, appeasing larger cities, but taking advantage of smaller communities.

Jeremy Huse presents at Chamber luncheon



Huse showcased tips and tricks for photography for business use at the Cassville Area Chamber of Commerce's quarterly luncheon.

available on the issue, but I have been in discussions with other Representatives from the affected areas, and we are in agreement that there is no positive impact that could be realized in the event this line is installed in Missouri.

“The idea that a line beginning and ending in the State of Arkansas, in order to serve Arkansas customers, should cross into Missouri in order to preserve property values in Arkansas is unacceptable, and void of concern for affected Missouri citizens. I am awaiting information from regulatory authorities in Missouri, and will be working with Senator Sater's office as well as our federal legislators offices in order attempt to mount opposition to this proposal.”

Barry County residents are eager to continue their opposition against SWEPCO and defend the natural beauty that is the Ozarks.

Charlea Mills

Cassville Area Chamber of Commerce hosted its quarterly luncheon Thursday, August 15, for Chamber members. This quarter's speaker, Jeremy Huse of Jeremy Huse Photography spoke on how to effectively use images in promotions and website design.

Huse presented to a crowd of 40 members of the community, including four guest students from a marketing class at Scott Regional Technical Center in Monett. He discussed the basic differences in resolution numbers and the sizing best suited for printing or a website.

The group was particularly intrigued by Huse's demonstration of how to use a white box to diffuse light and soften images when taking photos of products for online sale or promotion. Part of that was instruction of how to change a basic camera's exposure value or adjust contrast later so that products look their best.

Many members stayed after to ask questions. Huse will be offering head shots to members of the community at the Chamber office, date to be announced. Head shots will be free for Cassville Chamber of Commerce members and \$25 for non-members. Contact Mindi Artherton, Chamber of Commerce Director, for more information.

Kids' Fishing Day a roaring success



Cousins Belle Slaughter, Owen Fries, Jeb Slaughter and Lynlee Fries make a big catch at Kids' Fishing Day.

Charlea Mills

Another Kids' Fishing Day at Roaring River State Park was a huge hit, not only with the local community, but with many who travelled from far and wide to attend.

According to Park employees, 888 kids and their families attended this year. The number was slightly under the turnout for the fall 2012 event (904 kids and their families), perhaps due

to the recent flooding at the park being a deterrent.

Each Kids' Fishing Day provides an invaluable service to the community outside of free fishing for the kids: tourism and its added commerce. Many of those in attendance each year drive considerable distance and turn it into an annual tradition.

Many families hailed from Texas, Kansas and Oklahoma in addition to closer neighbors in Arkansas and Barry County residents.

This year, the largest fish was 6.82 pounds, caught by Deacon Grainger of Pryor, Oklahoma. The largest trout caught by a girl was 4.90 pounds by Jera Prewit of

Wheaton. The weather was perfect, and it was a fun-filled day for all.

Aside from the fishing, there were also classes for all ages and experience levels. Many tried their hands at shooting an air rifle or a bow and arrow, while others decorated critter stamp headbands or watched a Dutch oven cooking class with Dr. Larry Quinalty. Any child who attended three classes could enter into a drawing for prizes at the end of the day.

Classes on identifying snakes of the area, a bounce house for the younger kids, fish cleaning tutorials and fly fishing instruction were just a sampling of the activities for those who already caught their daily limit.

See Kids' Fishing Day on page 2A

Kids' Fishing Day from front cover

The park also provided a grilled hot dog lunch and refreshments with the help of many of the sponsors and volunteers.

At the end of the day, prize drawing commenced at 5:00 pm. Included in the prizes were bikes, camping chairs, tackle boxes, games, and 150 rods and reels donated by

Cabela's. Children who took special classes were entered into specialized drawings for a hunting bow and fly fishing outfits. One lucky Oklahoma parent even took home a canoe, while another parent got a one-night stay at the cabins on Stockton Lake.

It is community events like Kids Fishing Day that

introduces people from all over to the beautiful area we call home. The tradition of bringing their family down for a quiet weekend of fishing, camping, and enjoying a slower paced getaway in a small town is important to the commerce in our community.

Correction: On last week's cover, the new teachers at Cassville were listed incorrectly. The proper order is as follows. Front row (left to right): David Hopper, Julie Cupps, Whitley Alberson, Dionne Wilson and Garrison Earnest. Back row (left to right): Taliana Sloan, Robbie Artherton, Brandon Thompson, Aubry Kruse, Amanda Turner. We apologize for the error.

Barry County weekly court cases

Many citizens were tried this past week by Prosecuting Attorney Johnnie Cox. The following three cases range from resisting arrest, to assault and drug possession.

- **Maria Camille McNeill** from Exeter, age 23, was convicted for resisting arrest. On January 12, 2013, between State Highway 37 at Farm Road 2090 and State Highway W at Farm Road 1040, McNeil fled in her vehicle after four law enforcement officers attempted to make a lawful stop. McNeil created a substantial risk of injury to other persons by speeding on numerous city streets with her headlights off, as well as fleeing on Highway 76/86 in excess of 80 mph. McNeil was finally apprehended after hitting spike strips. A tire from her vehicle struck a Missouri Highway Patrol car causing severe damage to the front end. Repair costs for the vehicle exceeded \$750. McNeil then received a suspended imposition of sentence (SIS) resulting in two years unsupervised probation and must pay \$150.00 restitution to the City of Purdy.
- **Thomas Jason Holland**, age 36, from Monett, was charged with three misdemeanors on October 7, 2012, including domestic assault in the third degree. The defendant attempted to cause physical injury to the victim by grabbing her and throwing her out a door. He was also charged with possession

of a controlled substance (marijuana). Holland's third charge was possession of drug paraphernalia with intent to use. He possessed a pipe with intent to use it for inhaling a controlled substance.

- **Christopher Shawn Ferguson**, age 29, from Noel, was charged with two misdemeanors on May 24, 2013. The charges were driving while intoxicated and driving with a suspended license. The crime took place four miles before County Farm Road 1040 where the defendant was found operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated and in full knowledge of his suspended license.



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Letter to the editor

Dear Editor,

I have lived in poverty my entire life and have had to "do without" for most of it. As a single mother, I rarely splurge on myself, voluntarily wearing rags so that my children can wear nicer clothing than I did growing up. Recently, however, I did splurge on myself and ordered a lovely necklace through Tomblin's.

After a few weeks passed, I became dissatisfied with the necklace due to a design flaw. Normally, I don't like to return items, but I decided to make an exception. I took the necklace back to Tomblin's

and showed them the damage. Within moments, I was offered the opportunity to order a replacement necklace at no charge.

This may seem to be a trivial matter to most, but I read it differently. Had I walked into a jeweler's in a large city wearing my old t-shirt and worn-out shoes, I undoubtedly would have been met with disdain and a "we can't help you" attitude, but not in a small town.

Business in a small town is based on trust and common courtesy. Our children belong to the same soccer team, or they ride the bus together. We swap recipes and attend funerals of people we barely

know just because they were loved by the ones we do. Sure, in a small town there are rumors and resentment and incessant gossip, but there are also friendly waves and benefit dinners and a brotherhood of churches ready to help out those in need at a moment's notice.

It seems to me that, where it truly counts, the good of living in a small community far outweighs the bad. I, for one, am grateful beyond measure that my children live in a place where they feel like they belong. After attending college in the east and sampling Broadway plays in New York, it has taken me awhile to find my gratitude. But, after all this time, it only took a silver necklace and the kindness of the ladies from a little shop on the corner to help me find it.

Prix Gautney

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BC Annual Land Tax Sale to be largest in years

Charlea Mills

This upcoming Monday, August 26, is the annual Barry County Land Tax Sale at 10:00 am. The sale will be held at the Courthouse in Cassville.

Interested parties wanting to bid on land will need to sign in and get a bid number prior to the beginning of the sale. Eligible bidders must be residents of the state of Missouri. Non-residents will need to appoint a Missouri-resident agent to bid on their behalf. Forms for agent appointment are available in the Collector's office.

Bidding will begin at the taxes and costs against the property. All properties will

be sold to the highest bidder.

Janice Varner, Barry County Collector, said that this sale is the largest since she has been in office. 162 properties are listed to be sold. For a full list of the copies of land to be auctioned, contact Varner's office.

Subway moves location, doubles seating



New location is open with the drive-thru soon to follow.

Charlea Mills

Subway on Main Street in Cassville moved locations, doubling their seating space in the dining room and add-

ing a drive-thru this week. The new location is across the street from the old one. "It is a bigger, nicer store, and we are thrilled to still be



a part of the Cassville community," said Larry Eden, owner. The drive-thru will be opening August 26th. A grand opening will be coming shortly, he mentioned.

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Community Calendar

Friday, August 23rd

- Roaring River will hold a bluegrass music night on Friday, August 23rd, from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Roaring River Amphitheater. In case of rain, they will move indoors to the Emory Melton Lodge.
- Seligman Area Senior Center will grill hamburgers on Friday, August 23rd, at 5:00 p.m. Cost is \$5.00 and James Townsend will provide the entertainment.
- The Cassville Branch Library will have a movie night on Friday, August 23rd, at 4:00 p.m. They will show the new PG rated animated film featuring action, adventure, and a forest of tiny creatures. Bring your own snacks. Call 847-2121 for more information.

Saturday, August 24th

- Bingo will be held at the American Legion Building on Saturday, August 24th. Early bird will begin at 5:15 p.m. and regular session will begin at 5:45 p.m. Hot ball will be \$2,300.

- The 55th annual Wheaton BBQ will be held Saturday, August 24th. Festivities will begin at 9:00 a.m. See ad on pg. B5.
- The City of Seligman will host a "Stranger Danger" and womens self defense class on Saturday, August 24th, at 10:00 a.m. For more information, call Brian at City Hall, 417-662-3600.

Sunday, August 25th

- New Site Baptist will present "Gather the People" revival at their Church in Monett from Sunday, August 25th, to the 28th. Regular service times will be observed on Sunday, and revival services will begin at 7:00 p.m. nightly thereafter.
- Freedom Arena, located between Mt. Vernon and Aurora, will hold a ranch rodeo on Sunday, August 25th, at 6:00 p.m. For more information, call 417-678-6909.

Monday, August 26th

- Corinth Baptist Church will hold their bread ministry on Monday, August 26th, from 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Tuesday, August 27th

- Celebrate Recovery, a faith based recovery group for anyone with hurts, habits, or hang-ups, will meet weekly on Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. for a meal, 7:00 p.m. for worship, and 8:00 p.m. for small groups, at the FBC Family Life Center in Cassville. Childcare available.

- Barry County Council on Aging will hold their monthly meeting on Tuesday, August 27th, at 1:00 p.m. at 405 Dairy St. in Monett.
- Freedom Arena, located between Mt. Vernon and Aurora, will hold team roping practice on Tuesday, August 27th, at 7:00 p.m. For more information, call 417-678-6909.

Saturday, August 31st

- The Rockin P Ranch will hold the 4th Rodeo in their buckle series on Saturday, August 31st, at 7:00 p.m. at the Crowder College Roughrider Arena in Neosho. See ad on pg. 14A.
- The Cassville Branch Library will hold a ZOMBIE FEST on Saturday, August 31st, beginning at 10:00 a.m., featuring the first season of a popular television series and offering snacks and door prizes. Call 847-2121 for the gruesome details.
- The Hendrix family reunion will be held on Saturday, August 31st, at 12:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Washburn. Bring a covered dish.
- The Patterson family will hold their family reunion on Saturday, August 31st, at the main shelter in Roaring River State Park. Pot luck lunch and bingo following the meal.

Sunday, September 1st

- The Allen-Parrett family reunion will be held on Sunday, September 1st, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Cassville Senior Center. Bring a covered dish and table service for your family. For more information, call 417-847-0778.
- The descendants of John F. and Tina (Doty) Hall will hold their annual family reunion on September 1st at 1:30 p.m. at the Verona Baptist Church. The church will open at 1:00 p.m. and all are urged to bring a covered dish.

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CASSVILLE HIGH: Mon. B- Oatmeal, sausage patty, cinnamon toast, applesauce & jello or cereal, blueberry muffin, grapes. L- Corn-dog, mac & cheese, glazed carrots, yogurt cups, apple or chicken nugget meal or salad bar. Tues. B- Pecan spins, yogurt, peaches or cereal, pop tart, orange. L- Chicken sandwiches, french fries, broccoli casserole, fruit cocktail or pizza meal or salad bar. Wed. B- Breakfast burrito, hashbrown, pineapple chunks or cereal, cinnamon toast, peaches. L- Cheeseburger, doritos, baked beans, tropical fruit or chicken nugget meal or salad bar. Thurs. B- Biscuits & gravy, tropical fruit or cereal, banana nut muffin, apple. L- Frito pie, corn, pinto beans, chocolate pudding, graham crackers or pizza meal or salad bar. Fri. B- no

school. L- no school.

WHEATON: Mon. B- French toast sticks, banana, flatbread breakfast sandwich, cereal, yogurt, oatmeal. L- Cheeseburger, Italian grilled chicken sandwich, sweet potato fries, spinach salad, orange smiles, chilled fruit, turkey chef salad, peas, corn muffin. Tues. B- Scrambled eggstravaganza, fruit streusel muffin, peaches, fruit & yogurt parfait, grapes, cereal, toast & jelly, oatmeal, watermelon. L- Popcorn chicken w/breadstick, ham & cheese on a bun, garden salad, texas pintos, fresh grapes, chilled fruit, fajita chicken salad, hot roll. Wed. B- Breakfast pizza, watermelon, cinnamon roll, yogurt, cereal, oatmeal. L- Chicken patty, grilled chicken, meatloaf w/gravy, broccoli, carrot mix, pears, chilled fruit, chef salad, baby carrots w/dip, hot roll. Thurs. B- Pancake griddle sandwich, grapes, fruit & yogurt parfait, fruit streussel muffin, grapes, cereal, toast & jelly, oatmeal. L- spaghetti w/Italian breadstick, French dip, garden salad, green beans, honeydew, chilled fruit, popcorn chicken salad, corn, hot roll. Fri. B- Biscuits & gravy, sausage, mini pancakes, cereal, yogurt, oatmeal. L- Taco pizza, Italian sub, garden salad, apple, chilled fruit, ham chef salad, corn muffin.

EXETER: Mon. B- Biscuit & gravy, sausage link, peaches, cereal. L- Fish sticks, potato wedges, broccoli, pineapple. Tues. B- Mini pancakes, fruit, cereal, toast. L- Spaghetti w/meat sauce, wheat breadstick, romaine

salad w/tomato, ranch dressing, peaches.

Wed. B- Breakfast pizza, fruit, cereal, vertical bar. L- Chicken patty, mashed potatoes w/gravy, peas & carrots, fruit mix. Thurs. B- Scrambled eggs, wheat toast, fruit, cereal. L- Chicken quesadilla, black beans, corn, mandarin oranges. Fri. B- Blueberry muffin, yogurt, fruit, cereal, pop tart. L- Hamburger w/wheat bun, sweet potato fries, green beans, apples.

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JAMES F. “JIM” COLLINS

James F. “Jim” Collins, age 81, of Golden, Missouri, passed away at his home Friday, August 2, 2013. He was born in Chicago, Illinois, August 7, 1931, the son of Joseph Ferdinand “Joe” and Frances Mathilde (Grosklaus) Collins. On November 12, 1977, he was united in marriage to Diane C. Holmes, who survives. He is also survived by his five daughters, Janice Louise

Collins, Lorna Lee Collins Baker and her husband, Kendall LeRoy, Maureen Frances Collins and her husband, Mike Acquaviva, Pamela Jane Collins Groh and her husband, Leon, and Beverly Lee Collins; eighteen grandchildren, Nicole Andrea Schude Kehoskie and her husband, Mark, Ryan Schude, Collins Schude, Garrett Schude, Allison DeBiase, Darcy DeBiase, Jordan Scott Barton and his wife, Andrea Jones, Jessica Jane Barton Epps and her husband Jeremy Blake, Sadie Constance Barton Flynn and her husband, Gerald, Lacy, Woody and Grant Gutierrez, Shannon Lee Joseph Koridek and her husband, Michael, Erin Maureen Joseph, Emily and Carly Groh, Hannah and Miriam Brown; eleven great grandchildren, Ava Grace, Leo and baby boy

Obituaries

Kehoskie, Myranda Gayle, Jordan Kiane and Khyln Stone Jones, Chapel Blake and Collins Elizabeth Epps, Charlie and Quinn Koridek, Josephine Bella Bishop; son-in-law, Thomas Eugene Schude; brother and sister-in-law, Charles E. and Laurel Holmes; niece, Amy Holmes; nephews, Matthew and Timothy Holmes.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and one daughter, Kathleen Molly Collins Schude.

Jim grew up in Chicago during the 30’s and 40’s. As a small child, he and his “Nana” went to the movies (mostly Nelson Eddie movies) especially on “free dish” night. He often recalled his week-end adventures with friends, taking streetcars to explore the many museums. He attended Catholic grade school and St. George High School in Evanston (still attending his class reunions) and then went on to Wright Junior College. He was a Chicago Life Guard on several Lake Michigan beaches and was also a City Diving Champion. Jim loved swimming and played water polo at the Chicago Park Districts. He played semi-pro football for Chicago, but his passion was for the

Chicago Cubs (maybe they’ll win the pennant next century) and also for “Da Bears”. He was also a member of the Sea Scouts.

During the Korean Conflict, he joined the Navy and was a Naval Air Cadet at Pensacola and the Florida Keys. There he became a member of the “Key Cudas” (skin diving organization). As the conflict ended, he chose to leave the Navy.

Jim was a union brick layer and stone mason and went “on the job” with the Chicago Fire Department along with several of his friends. His family was started and he liked the security of a steady paycheck. He joined the Chicago Fire Department Chorus and thus sparked his passion for “Barbershop” music. He was a bass in the “Ragtimers” quartet for many happy years. He loved the brotherhood of the men of his “houses” especially his first house, Truck 22 and Engine 83, his time on Engine 79, and retired after thirty-three years as Lieutenant on Truck 55 in December of 1988.

Jim had six daughters, the foundation of a fantastic family. He met Diane Holmes in the apartment complex where they both resided. She happened to work at Truman

College which was across the street from Truck 22 and Engine 83, where her phone extension happened to be 2283 (go figure) and they were married on 11-12-1977.

Jim and Diane retired to Center Lake, Wisconsin, before moving to Golden, Missouri, in 1990, gaining many new friends.

Jim loved living in the middle of the woods and boating on Table Rock Lake. He was a volunteer with the Eagle Rock, Golden, Mano Fire Department for several years.

His two nephews had always enjoyed their visits with Uncle Jim at the fire house and both are now Chicago Firemen.

After Jim’s health issues in 2007, Diane opened Precious Possessions in the “Park” in Holiday Island, Arkansas, and Jim joined the Elks club. He was asked if he played poker and that was all it took for him to become a loyal participant of the Wednesday Poker Club, forming great friendships. Jim often said he lived for Wednesday poker and his many Saturdays with his friends at the Pub in Eagle Rock.

Jim loved life and was always a happy, upbeat person. Anyone who knew “the Jimmers” knew of his many sayings; if asked he would always reply, “You’re here for a good time not a long time.”

A memorial service with military honors will be held at 12 noon, Saturday, August 31, 2013, in the Elks Lodge, Holiday Island, Arkansas, under the direction of Fohn Funeral Home, Cassville, Missouri. Reverend John Braun will conduct the services.

Last Call will be presented by the Eagle Rock, Golden, Mano Fire Department.

The family will receive friends from 10:00 a.m. until service time at the Elks Lodge.

In lieu of flowers memorials in memory of Jim may be made to the Haven of the Ozarks, in care of the funeral home.

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RICHARD LAPKIEWICZ

Richard Lapkiewicz, age 61, of Shell Knob, Missouri, passed away on August 17, 2013, in his home.

Burial will be held at Holy Cross Cemetery in Arlington, New Jersey.

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

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We would also like to express our gratitude to Bob Neeley for a beautiful service, Corinth Church for the dinner they provided and Community Faith Church for letting us use their facility to serve dinner to our family, Bob Cantwell & Carolyn Biggs for the beautiful music and a very special thank you to Fohn Funeral Home for their kindness and wonderful support and services.
We will always remember your kind expressions of solice.

Christine James
Linda Grimes, Debbie Stephens
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Obituaries



LILLIAN L. COOK
Lillian Cook, age 90, of Cassville passed away on Wednesday, August 14, 2013, at the Ozark Methodist Manor in Marionville, Missouri, after a short illness. She was born in Elizabeth, New Jersey, on November 9, 1922. She lived in Elizabeth until 1999 when she moved to Ft. Myers, Florida, and on to Cassville in 2011.

Preceding her in death were three husbands and a grandson. She is survived by her two children, Merian Finneran and husband Tom and John Murin and wife Jenny. She is also survived by four grandchildren, nine great grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

Lillian was an accomplished and generous oil painter. She traveled many times to Italy to study art and several of her paintings hang in a convent outside of Rome, as well as around the world. She began painting at age 60 and was working on two pieces at the time of her death.

The other passion in her life was her many cats. Memorial donations for Lillian may be made to the ASPCA or any animal shelter.

Mass will be held at St. Edward's Church in Cassville on September 8, 2013, and at St. Cecilia's Church in Fort Myers to be announced at a later date.

BRICE NATHANIEL MORK

Brice Nathaniel Mork, age 37, of Eagle Rock, Missouri, passed away Saturday, August 17, 2013, as a result of injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

Services will be held at a later date in Roaring River Baptist Church in Eagle Rock.

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

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BOBBY HILTON JAMES
Bobby Hilton James, age 77, of Cassville, Missouri, passed away Tuesday, August 13, 2013, in his home.

He was born April 2, 1936, in Cassville, Missouri, the son of Luther and Chloe (Hilton) James. On June 6, 1953, he was united in marriage to Christine Cantwell, who survives. Also surviving are five daughters, Linda Grimes and her husband, Randy, of Rogersville, Missouri, Debbie Stephens and her husband, Harry, of Exeter, Missouri, Leasa Lightfoot and her husband, Garland, of Brighton, Missouri, Carol Myers and her husband, Daryl, of Bolivar, Missouri, and Christy McDaniel and her husband, Donnie, of Pleasant Hope, Missouri; a daughter-in-law, Regina James of Bolivar, Missouri; sixteen grandchildren; and thirty-one great grandchildren.

Preceding him in death were his parents; one son, Bobby Allen James; one sister, Betty Banks; and one

granddaughter, Destry James.

Bob grew up and received his education at Cassville, where he graduated from high school. He had been employed for Herschel Stehlik Lumber Yard, Central Crossing Lumber in Shell Knob and for thirty years, he worked for Toombs and Company in Springfield, Missouri, from which he retired. He owned B & D Check Cashing Store in Arkansas. He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Neosho, Missouri.

Funeral services were held Saturday, August 17, 2013, in Fohn Funeral Home, Cassville. Burial was in Corinth Cemetery, Cassville.

Contributions may be made to American Cancer Society in memory of Bob.

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Table Rock Master Plan controversy

Kathee Baird

The Tri-Lakes Board of Realtors is expressing concern about the future of Table Rock Lake and property along its shoreline prior to the reveal of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers master plan in December.

The master plan for Table Rock Lake hasn't been updated since the 1970's. Recently, the Corps initiated a year-long building moratorium for new docks on the lake.

Board President Shannon Duvall said Tri-Lakes became concerned when the Corps of Engineers scoping meetings began late last year. The Board was not involved in any of the planning discussions. Duvall stated, "We found that of 365 members, the Tri-Lakes Board of Realtors actively engaged in buying, selling and developing real estate adjoining Table Rock Lake...none were included in the invited focus groups."

There are 217 pages of information in the four proposals of the master plan, and Board Chairman Booker Cox III says the one chosen could affect the area for decades.

"The next step will be the shoreline management plan,"

Cox said. "This will handle the specific use of permits for new docks and how the shoreline will be managed in the future."

Cox continued, "We have concerns that the Corps could use this new plan to restrict the use of boat docks on our lake. If allowed, this would affect property values and the local economy."

Cox says he received a statement from the Corps of Engineers that claims, "Ownership of land adjacent to government-owned land does not convey any rights

to the adjacent landowners that would allow private and exclusive access to government property," Cox said. "We believe that wording, such as this, that is included in the plan, could restrict future uses for our lake."

The purpose of last week's press conference was to urge the community to get involved and voice their opinion as to what happens to the area, said Duvall.

To read the master plan proposals go to www.swl.usace.army.mil.

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The wedding will take place Saturday, Aug. 24, 2013, at First Baptist Church of Exeter. The couple plans to reside in Exeter following the wedding.

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Soroptomist Club Member of the Year



Kasey Gauss (right) presenting Michelle Bredeson (left) with the Soroptomist Member of the Year award.

The ladies of the Soroptomist Club of Barry County elected Michelle Bredeson as the Soroptomist Member of the Year. This honor is given

to a club member that exemplifies extraordinary leadership within the community and club.

Kasey Gauss, 2011 recipient, presented Bredeson with the award. The Soroptomist Club volunteers to work toward social and economic empowerment for women and girls

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Local farmers thrive supplying Ramey/Price Cutter

Charlea Mills

Farmers’ markets, cooperative buys, and community supported agriculture shares (CSAs) are a growing trend, particularly in larger cities where people are less likely to have access to a garden or a local farm..

Now, grocery stores are jumping on the bandwagon. A change is hitting the local

Ramey / Price Cutter market in Cassville, as well as other Price Cutters and groceries across the state: the addition of locally-grown produce. Ramey, and other Price Cutters all over the state, are carrying locally grown tomatoes through their distributor, Pyramid Foods. Pyramid buys tomatoes from Ozark Agriculture Farmers Co-Op

of West Plains, headed by Craig and Patrice Jennings. The tomatoes are then labelled as Missouri-grown and sold to groceries in the area.

The Jennings’ co-op has twelve farmers contributing with a total of 10,000 plants. For their first year, the sole focus is tomatoes. Next year they plan to expand to 25,000 tomato plants and also add green beans. Craig said they are in conversations with Price Cutter management as to how much acreage they will need to fill the needs of the stores in the area with other varieties of crops.

Craig stated, “We are in the process of recruiting more farmers. The biggest plot anyone has is 1/2 acre with 3,000 plants. A full aacre will grow 7,000 plants.”

As with any type of fruit and vegetable, the importance of quality cannot be understated. The co-op gets the tomatoes they grow to the market within 48 hours

to ensure freshness. Without cold-storage available, the window of time is shortened to 24-36 hours.

Craig went on, “Larger chains really want local produce, but no one has the quantity that they need. That’s where the cooperative comes in.” With more farmers, the demand can be met, still satisfying the desire for locally grown.

When asked what Craig considers “local” to mean, he said, “Anything within the state, as long as you can get it out of the field to the market in a reasonable amount of time. Once you go beyond 150 miles, that probably isn’t local.”

When buying local produce, the consumer is ensured a product that is picked fresh. All local tomatoes are defined as “vine-ripened.” If the tomatoes aren’t ripened on the vine, that means they’ve been picked green and then gassed to get their color. In that case, the quality



Cooperative locally-grown tomatoes at Ramey don “Vine-Ripe Missouri Home Grown” produce stickers.

and taste really suffer.

“We need to support our own local economy. The farmer used to be able to make a living on 40 acres... You only need 3-4 acres to make a living, and we need to bring the small farmer back,” Craig continued.

When chopping at the local store, many consumers don’t notice the signs that say, “Product of Chile” or “Product of Mexico”. What farmers like the Ozark Agriculture Farmers Co-Op are trying to do is bring awareness to the importance of real, fresh produce versus the commercially-grown piece of fruit or vegetable that’s travelled thousands of miles.

By pooling resources, farmers can collectively meet the larger demands of grocery store chains, but also carry the multi-million dollar liability insurance they

need to be able to compete in the market against commercial farms.

Craig and Patrice Jennings got the idea of starting a local, regional growing cooperative while taking classes at the West Plain campus of Missouri State University. The idea blossomed, just like their tomato plants, and now locally-grown can be a part of everyday purchases, making a big impact on the environment, and more importantly, the local farmer.

Unfortunately, the growing season for Missouri farmers has been affected by the recent rains and flooding. However, locally-grown produce has found its niche and it won’t be going away anytime soon. Expect to see big increases in cooperative-grown fruits and vegetables available in bigger groceries.

shipments of produce. While produce may be able to travel the distance, the cost is much higher because of the resources used in transportation.

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CHS football ready for Parkview Jamboree

Rachael Freeman

As school resumes, so does football season. The Cassville Wildcat football team have been enjoying the premature fall weather in preparation for the new season.

The Wildcats are entering a new season under new leadership, Head Coach Lance Parnell.

Parnell is no stranger to the program having spent the last 15 seasons as an assistant coach for the Wildcats with 11 seasons under former head coach David Large.

"The transition has gone very smooth so far. There have not been any huge changes. When you are apart of a program for elev-

en years, many of the things you've been doing in the past become routine for you as a coach as well," said Coach Parnell.

"I have enjoyed the new responsibilities that go along with my new position. I have a whole new respect already for Coach Large with some of the little things that I've had to deal with that I never thought about in the past."

The Wildcats will travel to Springfield on Friday to participate in the Parkview Jamboree. The official season will begin Friday, August 30th, as the Wildcats travel to Branson to take on the Pirates.

"Our jamboree is always a good test for our kids. Our kids will be challenged on

every snap which will allow us to see quickly the areas we need to improve on."

Parnell has seen exciting improvements already during practices and is ready to get the season started.

"The work ethic of this year's team excites me very much. This group works very hard every day. That has shown in the work our offensive line has done in summer camp and practices to improve. We are very excited to see them against someone other than ourselves."

Friday's Jamboree will begin at 7:00 p.m. at Parkview High School in Springfield. The Wildcats will take on Parkview, Neosho and Willard.

Lady Cat softball welcomes 11 freshmen

Rachael Freeman

The Cassville Lady Cat softball program lost five powerful players to graduation last season and has welcomed 11 freshmen to the program. The young team, with no seniors on the roster, will not use youth as an excuse to not having a winning season.

Coach Ben Abramovitz is looking to his seasoned juniors and sophomores to help lead the upcoming class.

"We are a young team and with that being said, to these kids, winning is important and they have the 'whatever it takes' attitude to win. Many of our freshmen were exposed to varsity play this summer in the Ozark Summer League."

Coach Abramovitz stated it is important to get players

innings for experience and see improvements and confidence built quickly.

"We need to get those initial young jitter innings out of the way and let them settle."

Coach Abramovitz will look to his upper classmen to make a statement at the plate this year.

"Callie Meek has worked hard in the offseason on driving the ball harder. She was a consistent hitter as a freshman and we look for her to fall into a cleanup-type role this year.

"Raeghan Blisard returns from her leadoff position as an all conference, all district and all region player. Her focus is to keep with tradition and have success in that role this season as well."

The Lady Cats have seven

sophomores and four juniors this season to help guide new players.

The team will take to the diamond next Thursday at the Crowder College Tournament in Neosho.

YMCA fall sign-ups

Rachael Freeman

The Cassville YMCA is encouraging young athletes to participate in fall activities. Currently, the YMCA is holding registration for youth soccer, flag football and tumbling.

For guaranteed placement into the tumbling program, registration forms should be submitted by August 23rd. The program will begin the week of September 2nd and will end the week of November 18th.

Those wanting to sign-up for soccer or flag football have until August 26th for guaranteed placement. Practices will begin the week of September 2nd with games beginning on Saturday, September 21st.

Tumbling classes are available for children ages 18 months and older.

Soccer has age divisions for kids aging from six and under to 15 and under. Flag football will be available youth age four through fifth grade.

Soccer and flag football fees for non-members is \$45 and \$15 for members. Three-month tumbling classes beginning at \$75 for non-members and \$45 for members.

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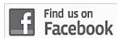
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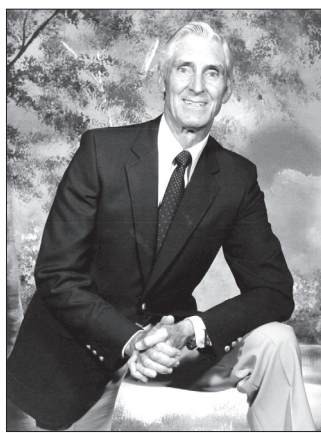
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McQueen recounts Wheaton story and joining the CCC



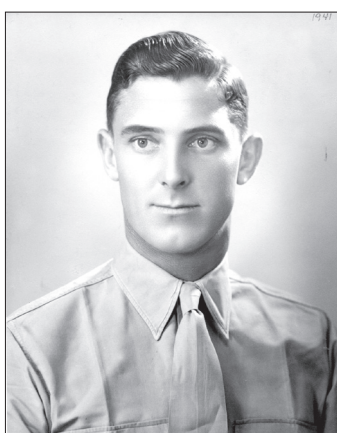
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DeVere McQueen lived in Cassville from 1988 until his death on July 4, 2013. He passed while at the Mt. Vernon Veterans Home. DeVere, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison McQueen was born and raised in the Wheaton community.

In going through his father's papers recently, DeVere's son, Barry McQueen, found an account his father had written relative to his service in the Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC).

The CCC, a federal relief agency founded early in 1933, has been in the news recently since celebrating its formation 80 years ago. Roaring River State Park and Shell Knob are two sites of the CCC.

Mr. McQueen's letter is self-explanatory and a re-



minder of the extremely hard times of the 1930's when the CCC camp at Roaring River State Park was in full operation.

Although Mr. McQueen was never stationed during his CCC days in Barry County, the camps were all structured about the same throughout the 48 states.

The Barry County Advertiser carried an extensive story on the Roaring River CCC in its May 8th edition recently which may have prompted Mr. McQueen's story which follows:

Seeing the article about the restoration of the Train Depot in Wheaton prompted me to write this short story about my departure from and return to that Depot. August, 1934, I departed from there, by train, on my way to Grand Marias,

Minnesota, which is on Lake Superior and near the Canadian boarder.

At that time I was 15 years old 5'11" tall and weighed 115 pounds. I had never been farther from home than Cassville and Purdy, MO.

The 3-C's (Civilian Conservation Corp) had been in existence for a few months. This program was implemented to provide employment for young men ages 17-23. Due to the financial hardship of my parents, my Uncle Silas McQueen who was the Barry County Representative, was able to get a waiver at the minimum age limit for me.

My mother wanted me to have new clothes to wear (my wardrobe was limited to worn

overalls and shirts). Saving her egg money, she used it to buy me a pair of seersucker (98 cent) trousers, dress shirt, shoes, bill cap, jacket, and socks. She also bought a cardboard suitcase, plus a tooth brush and tooth paste (which I had never owned or used before). I'm sure she put a towel and washcloth in my suitcase. I also had sandwiches to eat when I felt hungry. I now have some idea of how mom and dad might have felt when they saw me leave and not knowing how I would get along at return.

The only memory I have of the train ride was a large area of land under water. I guess it was in Missouri and/or Iowa. When the train arrived at

Duluth, the driver of a camp truck was there to take me to the camp. I was taken to my assigned barracks and later to the supply room to receive my clothing. That evening I ate my first meal in the "mess hall," and I felt like I was in "hogs' heaven." My job was to pick up tree limbs which had been cut and carry them to a fire.

We were not allowed to go out on the lake which was across the road from our camp. However, we could see the fishermen, their fire pots, and small tents.

February 1935, the camp was disbanded and transferred to a camp on a site near

Medford, Oregon. We left from Duluth on a troop train and arrived in the Medford three or four days later. One of the cars was equipped with a kitchen, and we were served a morning and afternoon meal. The new camp bordered on the Applegate River and was to be my home until I left for home September or October '36.

I won't go into any detail about my time spent in the new camp other than it was very rewarding. During this time, I became a skilled heavy equipment operator, which included: bulldozers, caterpillars, dump and stake body trucks. My foreman was my

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The specific element of this proposed action is the construction of two additional poultry broiler house. When completed, the operation will consist of a total of six poultry broiler houses. The site is on an 204 acre farm tract located approximately three miles southwest of Exeter, MO. More specifically, the location is in Section 5, Twp 22, Rng 28, Barry County Missouri.

The Farm Service Agency has assessed the potential environmental impacts of this proposed action and has determined that it will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment. Therefore, FSA will not prepare an environmental impact statement for this proposed action.

FSA is accepting comments on this FONSI and EA. Written comments regarding this determination should be provided within fifteen (15) days of this publication/notice to: Russell D. Neill, Farm Loan Manager, 76 Main Street, Cassville, MO 65625. FSA will make no further decisions regarding the proposed action during this fifteen-day period.

The final EA upon which this determination is based can be reviewed in person at the FSA office between 8:00 am and 4:30 pm Monday through Friday.

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The 39th Circuit Drug/DWI Courts, which includes Barry, Lawrence, and Stone Counties, in conjunction with Fair Christian Family Academy of Excellence, have all joined together to raffle off a beautiful 1972 Nova donated by Phil Hutchens. Cost of each raffle ticket is \$5. The four organizations will use the proceeds to help support ongoing programs. Tickets are being sold by the participants and Drug Court team members within each county. Tickets may also be purchased at the Law office of Michael Riehn and Hutchens Construction Company. Nancy Foulke, probation and parole officer, and Mary Stearns, Drug Court coordinator, will also be available for tickets and to answer any questions about the drawing.

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friend as well as my instructor, and I hated to leave him.

Before leaving for home, I had gone to Medford to buy some new clothes. I had saved money from the \$5.00 per month pay, which I was allowed to keep, and had enough to buy a pair of charcoal gray trousers, gray dress shirt, gray suspenders, black shoes, socks, underwear, and a suitcase. I packed all of my new clothing in it and planned to change in Kansas City. For the trip, I would wear my 3C uniform. I was fortunate to have a friend from Wheaton who would be traveling with me.

We were given transportation to Medford where we would take a train for our journey home. When we arrived in Topeka, Kansas, we were told there would be a 20

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minute stop. Most everyone went outside to stretch, and after a short 10 minutes, the conductor called "all-aboard." As my friend and I started back to board, a lady and her children were making a mad dash for the step. Being the gentleman that we were, we stepped aside. By the time we started to step up, the train had barely started to move and the conductor would not let us get aboard.

We were yelling that our suitcases were on the train. He yelled that they would be left in the K.C. station. We arrived in K.C. about four hours late and missed the train to Wheaton. This meant we would be delayed until mid afternoon the next day. My friend decided to hitch hike and took off. I stayed in the station waiting for the train to Wheaton. I arrived there about 3 p.m., 26 months after my departure.

When I got off the train, my dad and mom were waiting for me, they looked in my direction, but didn't recognize me. I was no longer the skinny boy who left home. I had gained

60 pounds and was no longer a teenage kid. By using sign language, I asked if they knew me. You can imagine how excited and happy they were to be taking me home with them. I hadn't eaten anything but a candy bar since my last meal on the train. After buying my new clothes, I had 25 cents in my pocket. In K.C. I bought the biggest candy bar I could get for a quarter. When mom learned I hadn't eaten a meal in the past 36 hours, she prepared a big feast for me. My parents had moved and now lived close to Wheaton.

The '36/'37 school year had started, and I immediately enrolled for my sophomore year.

To end my story, I want to point out that members of the CCC's were paid \$30.00 per month. \$25.00 of my pay went to my parents for their use. This was literally a God-send for them; they had no cash income and depended on the government-provided commodities for most of their groceries. I hope my children never experience such hardship.

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Wheaton FFA Brings Top Honors



Michael Priest with his White Butcher rooster, Monster. Monster won Champion, two first place blue ribbons and best of breed.

Members of the Wheaton FFA Chapter had a successful run at the Ozark Empire Fair this summer. Michael Priest exhibited his game chickens for the first time at the Ozark Empire Fair, only his second time showing overall, and had a very successful day. After judging, his White Butcher rooster was the Grand Champion and Best of Breed in the show.

Michael's Mille Fleur hen was named the class winner and Best Variety in her division. His Ginger Red hen stood third in class, and his two Old English Black hens were named the Class Winner, second place in class, Best Variety and Reserve Variety. Michael also exhibited the Grand Champion at the Barry County Fair and received the Brownfield KRMO 2013 Ag Youth Award.

Bryce England and Brayden England exhibited market hogs at both the Ozark Empire Fair and the Barry County Fair. Bryce and Braden each qualified for the premium sale at Barry County, where Bryce's hog was selected as the County Grand Champion.

At the Ozark Empire Fair, Bryce's hog won second in class, and Brayden's stood third. Bryce's hog qualified for the premium sale at Ozark Empire Fair where only the top 20 hogs exhibited qualified. The Wheaton FFA Chapter received the top junior exhibitor herdsman-ship award for the third time in five years.

LOCAL FFA MEMBERS ATTEND MISSOURI LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

Members from the Wheaton FFA Chapter recently attended the Missouri FFA Association's 2013 Leadership Adventure in Springfield. It was held Friday, August 2, at the Christopher L. Bond Learning Center in the Darr Agricultural Center at Missouri State University.

Agricultural careers, leadership development and positive role models were the focus of the 23rd annual conference. Columbia was one of two locations for this conference; the other in Springfield. Over 250 members and advisors registered for the two conferences from 38 chapters across Missouri. Nearly 6,500 Missouri FFA members and advisors have attended The Leadership Adventure since its beginning in 1990.

According to Conference coordinators Marvin and Karen Hoskey, "This conference annually provides an excellent opportunity for Missouri FFA members to interact with other chapter, state and national leaders. The sessions foster development of leadership skills and encourage students to practice teamwork and goal setting as they get motivated for the coming school year."

The leadership training was headed by Andrew McCrea, former state and national officer from Missouri and Corey Flournoy, former state and national officer from Illinois. They were assisted by Sonja Perry, National Officer Candidate from Missouri. Current State FFA officers from Missouri guided small groups during the training sessions, which were designed specifically for high school age FFA members' personal leadership development and planning for future success. Students wanting to learn the basics of self-discovery and understanding their leadership potential were taken through activities to develop teamwork and people skills. The training focused on helping students create an advanced plan for lasting impact on the world through utilizing personal leadership traits and healthy relationships to make their goals a reality.



Attending the conference from the local FFA chapter were (left to right): Logan Moore, Christina Yang, Toby Banks, Yia Yang, Kim Day, Riley Brattin, Kayla Mason, Matt Hickman. Seated left to right in the picture are: state officers Mitchell Blehm; first vice-president from Area 10; and Carlee Buckner, first vice-president from Area 16.

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SATURDAY, AUG. 24th, 2013 • 10 AM

LOCATION: MONETT, MO. (333 N. Bel Air) From the light at Hwy. 37 & Hwy. 60, go south on Hwy. 37 approx. 1/2 mile. Turn west on Southern Height St. Follow signs.

(Estate of William Howard (Judge) Pinnell)

FUR COATS - VINTAGE & ANTIQUE FURNITURE
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NOTE: There is a lot of smalls' in this auction and sure to be many surprises as we unpack for this auction. Judge Pinnell was very well known and respected. The family has sold the home and we will be selling the following items to the highest bidder. Come spend the day with us. Restroom and catering on site.

TERMS: Cash or good check w/2 forms of current ID. Must have current drivers license to obtain bidder number. All sells as is w/no warranty or guarantee. Any announcements made day of auction takes precedence over any and all printed material.

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SATURDAY, AUG. 24th, 2013 • 9:00 AM

LOCATION: CASSVILLE, MO. (305 Gravel St.) Turn by Sunrise Restaurant. Follow signs.

2100 SQ. FT. HOME, bidding to start at \$20,000, then selling absolute to the highest bidder!!!

REAL ESTATE: Large 2100 sq ft home 5 or 6 bedroom, 2 & 1/4 bath. Main level of the home consists of 2 or could be 3 bedrooms, 1 & 1/4 bath, large living room, plus a large family room w/ a lot of large upgraded windows. lg kitchen w/lot of cabinets. Just off of the kitchen is a back porch area w/utility sink, closet for storage and fruit cellar w/double outside entry. Upstairs consist of 3 nice size bedrooms and 1 bath. This home has central heat, a newer metal roof and all city utilities. Outside features detached 2 car garage w/work shop area, patio area just off of side door w/sidewalk leading to garage. Nice big yard w/clothes line, privacy fence on west side. All this on nice big corner lot. Only a couple blocks to Main St.

NOTE: Pat has owned this home for several years. She has decided it's time for her to downsize. We will start the bidding at only \$20,000.00 then the property will sell absolute to the highest bidder from there. Come prepared to buy a large home. It would be a great rental or for a large family. See you at 9:00 AM sharp.

TERMS: Cash or good check. Qualified buyers only with pre-approved bank letter of credit. Nonrefundable 10% paid day of auction with balance due in cash or certified funds within 30 days or less. Buyer and seller will be responsible for their own portion of the closing costs. Taxes will be pro-rated to date of close. Sells as is where is w/no warranty or guarantee expressed or implied. 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. A 10% buyer's premium will apply. Bidding will start at only \$20,000.00 then sells absolute to the highest bidder after that. Any announcements made day of auction supersede any and all printed material.

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Central Crossing dedicates lot

Paula Andersen

When the Central Crossing Senior Center opened its doors in August 2003, the community welcomed the building as an indispensable asset to the older citizens in the southern Barry and Stone county area.

However, the center had one disadvantage for seniors: a parking lot difficult for those with stability and walking issues. The gravel and small holes made entry to the building challenging. Glenn Phillips, CEO, and the Board, were determined to find funds to pave the parking lot and provide safer walkways for the seniors entering.

Fundraising events, donations, and private contributions made paving the first half of the lot possible by late 2010. The improvement was greatly appreciated by those that use the center daily for meals and entertainment.

In June of this year, the final section was poured and the project completed. Howard Trimble and Dave Felder completed the layout and most of the work on the project. "Something like this takes hours and hours of planning and work to complete," Jerry Arnold, COO, stated.

In celebration of this achievement, the community that donated and supported the improvements are invited to the Senior Center on Saturday, August 24, at 11:00 am for a brief ceremony and refreshments. The Central Crossing Senior Center appreciates all of the support from the Shell Knob community to make the project possible.

Purdy teachers receive supplies from Cox-Monett Laboratory



Cox-Monett Hospital Laboratory representative Monica Dodson (front left) presented kindergarten teachers Beth Abramovitz (front center), Janie Cunningham (front right), and Sarah Skiles (back right) with over 1,000 school supply items for their students. The laboratory team collected the supplies over a three month period as part of their Continuous Quality Improvement Community Service Project. Principal Jeff Swadley (back left) was on hand for the presentation and noted, "We are so thankful for the gift of school supplies and for the givers. Cox-Monett Hospital employees have filled a great need in the lives of our students."

Fatal crash near Eagle Rock

Early Saturday morning, Brice Mork of Hurst, Texas, crashed and died two miles east of Eagle Rock on MO-86. The crash occurred at 4:10 a.m. and the victim was pronounced dead by the Barry County Assistant Coroner at 5:00 a.m.

The driver of the 2001 Jeep Cherokee veered off of

the roadway, struck a ditch, utility pole, fence, and tree. The driver was not wearing a seat belt, causing him to be ejected from the vehicle according to the Missouri Highway Patrol.

Mork was 37 years old. His vehicle was the only one involved in the crash.

Seligman Chamber welcomes new member

Joe's Flea Market recently joined the Seligman Greater Area Chamber of Commerce. Joe and Jennifer Foster opened their store in November 2012. They purchased several of the old stores in downtown Seligman. Joe said he liked the old buildings and wanted to do something with them.

They use one for the store,

live in another, and use one for storage at this time. They plan on renovating them in the future. They also buy aluminum cans and have old bricks from one of the buildings for sale.

They are located at 28360 Main Street, Seligman. Store hours are 11:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.



Pictured from left to right: Jennifer Foster; Joe Foster; Angie Van Petty, director; David Van Petty, Chamber president; Diana Vigil, director; Benny Vigil, director; and Neal Stanley, vice president.

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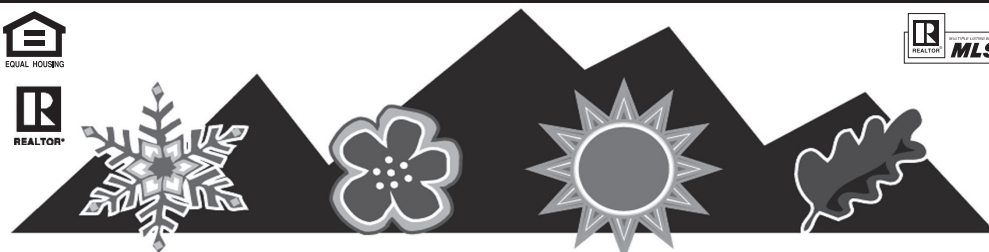
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93424-TOP OF THE LINE HOME! 3 bd 2.5 ba home with lots of extras. Chlorinated well, 2 laundry rooms, sprinkler system. Ch/a, pellet stove & gas stove for back up. 3-car garage. **\$389,750**



93453-HOME IS LIKE BRAND NEW! 3 bd 2.5 ba brick. Walkout bsmt is partially finished. Additional garage in basement. 2 fireplaces. Deck. House sits on 2 lots. **\$249,900**



93518-FANTASTIC HOME with walkout basement. 4 bd 3 ba home on 1 ac m/l. Ch/a & fireplace. Kitchen appliances. Lots of built-in storage. In-ground pool with power cover. Textured concrete outside. **\$239,000**



93405-PRICE REDUCED! MOST BEAUTIFUL 20 acres m/l. 3 bd 2 ba mfg home w/vaulted ceilings, huge rooms, covered decks. 2-car garage, storage shed, storm shelter & more. Fireplace. **\$184,900**



92685-CUSTOM WOODWORK. 3 bd 2.5 bath home on 1.15 acres m/l. Updated floors. Newer water heater, roof, paint, etc. Unfinished walkout bsmt. Heated 3-bay shop building. 2-car garage. **\$179,900**



93160-RANCH-STYLE HOME. 3 bd 2 ba & small room below for "Hid-E-Hole". Garage & shop. Well house. Barn. All on 22.9 acres m/l. Fenced for livestock. **\$174,900**



93493-LIKE BRAND NEW. 3 bd 2 ba home on .816 ac in newer subdivision. Open floor plan. Bedrooms have walk-in closets. Nice walk-in tiled shower. Part of yard fenced for your puppy. **\$154,900**



91949-Nice 2 bd 2 ba home on 3.34 acres m/l. Ch/a & wood stove. Appliances. New garage with roll up doors and insulated roof. 20'x20' storage building. **\$149,900**



92491-REMODELED. Home on 1 acre m/l in subdivision. Newer stainless steel appliances. New bathroom fixtures. Covered deck. Storage bldg. 2-car garage with circle drive. **\$143,900**



93421-PRICE REDUCED! MOVE IN READY! 3 bd 2 ba home with open floor plan. Porch length of house. Kitchen island & extensive cabinetry. Ch/a & wood stove. 2-car garage. **\$135,900**



92900-COMpletely REDONE! 4 bd 3 ba home has newer roof, bamboo flooring, newer carpet, appliances, newer heat pump & deck. All in mint condition! Handicap accessible. **\$134,900**



93390-WINTER LAKE VIEW. 2 bd 2 ba home on 3.5 acres m/l. Large master suite. Newer floor & exterior paint. Large fenced garden area. Beautiful landscaping. **\$134,900**



93568-NEW CONSTRUCTION. 3 bd 2 ba home just out of city limits. Range, microwave, dishwasher. Ch/a. 23'x23' garage. Stamped concrete to be in front. Gutting. **\$125,900**



92347-BEAUTIFUL LANDSCAPING in front & back. Newer wood floors, vaulted ceilings, walk-in closets, ceramic tile counter tops. **\$119,900**



92249-CONCRETE DRIVE LEADS TO 2-CAR GARAGE next to 3 bd 2 ba home on 2.5 acres m/l. Covered porch & screened deck. New roof 2012. Fireplace. Kitchen island. **\$119,900**



93546-CLEAN AND NEAT! 3 bd 2 ba home. Insulated windows, deck, split bedroom plan. Ch/a. 2-car garage. Storage building. **\$113,900**

RESIDENTIAL



93589-GREAT LOCATION on 15 acres m/l. Like new condition, 4 bd 2 ba mfg has been added on to & looks great. Range & dishwasher. **\$94,900**
Would consider selling additional acreage



92956-LARGE MODULAR HOME ON PERMANENT FOUNDATION. 4 bd 3 ba on 2.5 acres m/l. Formal dining. Some appliances. Whirlpool tub & Satellite dish. Workshop/storage. **\$89,900**



93523-MOVE IN READY! This 4 bd 2 ba home is very clean. Ch/a. Dishwasher & disposal. Satellite dish. Storage building. City utilities. **\$84,900**



93449-PRICE REDUCED! OVERSIZED GARAGE designed for the handyman is insulated, heated & cooled. 3 bd 1 ba home. Wonderful garden spot. New metal roof 2007. **\$69,900**



93525-NEW HEAT & AIR. 4 bd 1.5 ba home on large lot. Walkout bsmt. Fireplace. Covered deck. House is move-in ready. **\$78,900**



92576-PRICE REDUCED! NEWLY UPDATED. 3 bd 1 ba home. Newer carpet, ceramic tile, interior paint & water heater. Chain link back yard, shaded front yard. **\$78,500**



93140-RANCH-STYLE HOME has newer tilt windows & vinyl siding. 2 bd 2 ba. Large patio, workshop in back fenced yard. Garage. **\$69,900**



92976-2 bd 2 ba home. Large lot with several outbuildings. Log sided house with newer roof, newer ch/a. 2-car carport. **\$64,900**



93521-UPDATED HOME. 2 bd 2 ba home on 1 acre m/l. Updates include new paint, new metal roof, new heat & air, light fixtures, and more. Fireplace. Attached garage. **\$59,900**



93308-BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY SETTING. 3 bd 2 ba mfg home on 1.3 ac m/l. Newer metal roof with covered front deck. Incl range and dishwasher. Well & septic. **\$59,900**



92791-CLOSE TO DOWNTOWN, churches, schools & post office. Excellent rental location. **\$59,900**



91729-WHY RENT??? PRICE REDUCED! 3 bd 2 ba home on 10 acres m/l. 9'x18' storage shed. Second septic in stalled for future shop building. Some fencing. **\$55,000**



93411-DRY WALK-OUT BASEMENT. 2 bd 1 ba home. Central heat & air heat pump. Patio. Basement could be finished into additional bedrooms. **\$54,900**



93374-ACREAGE. 3 acres m/l with some outbuildings, and a house that needs interior work. Septic installed few years ago and has it's own well & pump. **\$33,900**



93288-LOCATED ON CUL-DE-SAC. Peaceful surroundings. Dirt work for bsmt has been done. Area has been cleared for septic and lateral lines. Perc tested. Electricity & water on property. **\$32,000**



93543-ONE BEDROOM mfg home needs some cleaning up. Range and refrigerator. Well & septic. 2 room cabin next to mfg. home. Easy walk to the creek. **\$26,000**

VACANT LAND/LOTS



93332-LAKE FRONT. 26.5 acres m/l. Waterfront, easy walk down to lake. Electricity at the road. Boat slip available for purchase at dock near property. Timber. **\$530,000**



91127-READY TO BUILD ON. 18 acres m/l with barn and pond. Part in city limits. City utilities near by. Fenced for livestock. **\$99,900**



24051-3.5 acres m/l on First Street. Ideal building location with 2 entrances, city utilities. Lots of potential!!! **\$59,900**



92960-ON THE WAY TO ROARING RIVER OR THE LAKE. Great piece of land for RV park or mobile home park. Rural water and 2 older septic systems. **\$55,000**



92918-WONDERFUL BUILDING LOT in Southern Hills. .1 acres m/l. **\$51,900**
Owner would consider dividing and selling part.



23428-NEAR CASSVILLE. 7.2 acres m/l partially fenced. Rural water. Electricity available. **\$39,900**



92852-RURAL WATER. Nice 11 ac m/l with cattle tight fencing on all 4 sides. Scattered timber. Pond. Rural water just across the road. **\$37,500**



93456-Nice 20 acres m/l with scattered large timber. Property has one pond. Fenced on three sides. Great building spots with great views. **\$32,900**



91848-CLOSE TO DOWNTOWN for convenient shopping, church & post office. Ready to build your new home on this vacant lot. **\$35,000**



93519-INSIDE CITY LIMITS. 1.8 acres m/l with city water and city sewer. Nice building site with lots of shade trees. Owner would consider trade of equal value. **\$27,000**



93413-TWO GREAT BUILDING LOTS. Lot #44 & #45 in Wildwood Estate w/city water, city sewer, elect. & natural gas right by the property. Build two houses; or one larger house. **\$23,900**



92888-VACANT LOTS. Two building lots ready to build on. City utilities. Cattle tight fence. **Each lot \$21,450**



93258-LOT #1 in Roaring River across the stream from the Old Lodge. Farm Road 1135. Lot size is .130 acre m/l. **\$20,000**



93514-LARGE LOT. Residential or commercial. 2.26 acres m/l, faces State Hwy 37 in Seligman. Will sell cash or conventional **\$17,000**



93484-ALMOST 2 acres of nice flat land. Plenty of room to build a nice home and have the blueberries too. Shared well & electricity at the property line. Surrounded by upscale homes. **\$10,900**



93266-RURAL SUBDIVISION. 75'x100' m/l lot. **\$2,000**

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93163-READY TO GO! This is a turn key operation and includes all equipment, furniture, decor, dishes, computer system, coolers, etc. Ch/a. Inside storage. Security system. **\$379,000**



92579-RENTAL PROPERTIES. One 4-plex, two duplexes, & a house with a basement. Total of 9 rentals. Interested buyers should contact agent for additional information. **\$295,000**



93013-2 BEDROOM 2 BATH FULL BRICK DUPLEX. Kitchen appliances. Washer/dryer hookup. Patio. Attached, individual garages with paved drives. Ch/a. City utilities. **\$204,000**



93244-HOUSE AND STORAGE BUILDING with 10 units totaling 3,000 sq ft m/l. Located on corner of State Hwys 248 and 39, near Jenkins. All storage units were rented at time of listing. **\$179,900**



93280-BEAUTIFUL DUPLEX on 15.10 acres m/l. Live one side & rent the other. Both have deck and back yard with privacy fence. Both have range, refrigerator, dishwasher, and washer/dryer. **\$159,900**



91756-DOWNTOWN ON MAIN STREET. Brick office building. Approx 23'x80'. Divided into 2 offices and another room with kitchenette. Full unfinished bsmt. Central heat & air. **\$79,000**



90908-Commercial shop bldg with finished apartment inside. Apt has 1 bd 1 ba. Attic storage. Neat as a pin. All on 1.9 acres m/l. **\$84,900**



92952-VERY NICE DUPLEX. Newer carpet, roof. Each unit has walkout bsmt, deck, newer paint, nice appliances. Very clean! Incl stove, dishwasher & refrigerator. **\$79,900**



91844-HIGHLY VISIBLE FROM STATE HWY 37. 30'x40' insulated metal shop building & mfg home used as an office. City water and sewer on site. **\$59,900**



23446-LOCATED ON MAJOR STATE HWY, close to large employer. Vacant corner 3 acre lot. **\$49,000**

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93481-LARGE FARM. 232.9 acres m/l rolling acreage; 90% m/l open pasture; 3 wells, some freeze-proof hydrants. Good cattle tight fencing & cross fencing. Two homes & several outbldgs. **\$850,000**



92939-BEAUTIFUL PROPERTY with two ponds. One pond is spring-fed. 109 acres m/l w/cattle tight fence & cross fence. Great location, close to lake. Beautiful building sites. **\$327,000**



93501-MFG HOME ON PERMANENT FOUNDATION has 5 bd 2 ba. 6 poultry houses & 2 stacking sheds on 2 separate tracts. Total 38 ac m/l. Incl kennel set up w/pens & washout. **\$279,000**



92932-73 ACRE FARM. 4 bd 2 ba 2-story house. Washer & dryer. Lots of outbuildings. Rolling ground with some scattered trees. **\$269,900**



93189-50 ACRES M/L of slightly rolling land. Fenced & cross fenced. Barn with loafing shed. Working pens. 1 pond. 3 bd 1 ba farm house with hardwood floors. **\$169,900**



92940-BEAUTIFUL BUILDING SITE with pasture for livestock. 37 acres m/l with paved road frontage. Great location. Close to lake. **\$144,000**

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Fri. and Sat. 8-4

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Big M / Mano Community Sale

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Fri. & Sat., Aug. 23-24
7:00-5:00

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Perez, Brittany Sanchez, and Lindsey Nolan.

Clayton Perez & Jorden Fisher

Cassville FBLA officers recently attended a leadership confer-
ence at Lake of the Ozarks. This conference was intended to help
our officers become closer as a team and gain valuable leadership
skills. President Brittany Sanchez commented, "This conference
gave us an opportunity to network with officers from schools all
over the state of Missouri. Each of us came home with a lot of
ideas and excitement for the upcoming school year."

**Sheriff to
issue conceal
carry permits**

Beginning August 28, 2013,
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ther apply for a Conceal Carry
Permit or renew their exist-
ing permit should do so at the
Barry County Sheriff's office.
Recently passed SB75 shifts
permit responsibility from the
Department of Revenue to lo-
cal sheriffs' offices.

Existing permits are still
good until their original ex-
piration date. New permit
request paperwork should be
filled out and returned to the
sheriff's office of the county of
residence with the application
fee of \$100. Renewals will still
be \$50.

Permits needing a name
change, address change, or
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should also be reported to
Sheriff Mick Epperly's office,
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Washburn Fire Dept receives grant

During July and August, matching funds grant checks for rural fire departments are being distributed by the Missouri Department of Conservation, Forestry Division staff.

One hundred eighty-two fire departments are receiving checks for up to \$4,000 each to help with the purchase of personal protective gear and fire fighting equipment, for wildfire, as well as structure fire suppression efforts. The total funding awarded to Missouri fire departments through the matching funds grant program this year is \$354,467.

Fire departments are required to match 50% of the funds, which are provided by the Missouri Department

of Conservation and the US Forest Service, Volunteer Fire Assistance Program.

Throughout the last 30 years, over \$7 million has been distributed to rural fire departments to help them increase the safety of their fire fighters and provide them with better fire fighting equipment.



From left to right: Danial Dalton, President, was presented a check from MDC Forestry representative Jerry Craig for \$1435.54 through the VFA FD Matching Grant Program.

Bright Futures to host video competition

Bright Futures USA will be hosting a video competition sponsored by KODE/KSN and Missouri Southern State University open to all groups within affiliate communities beginning immediately and ending on September 23, 2013, in an effort to collect videos that tell the story of Bright Futures.

Winning categories will include best overall, most creative and viewer's choice. The winner of best overall will receive \$750, most creative will receive \$500, and viewer's choice will receive \$250.

Videos should portray how Bright Futures has impacted people and communities and can vary in scope, ranging from individual stories of success to the success story of an entire community.

Please return a registration form by September 13, 2013. Videos will be shown at Bright Future's Community Engagement Conference at Missouri Southern State University in Joplin on October 14-15, 2013.

Bright Futures inspires community partnerships that open a way for all students to learn, lead and serve to their full potential now and in the future. For more information, contact Kelsey Kent at (417) 625-5200 x. 2340 or at kelsey@brightfuturesusa.org.

KY3 to air news from RRSP August 28th

In celebration of KY3's 60th anniversary, they are shooting the 5:00 pm and 6:00 pm news broadcasts at Roaring River State Park on August 28, 2013. Members of the community are encouraged to attend.

The news broadcast at

Roaring River is part of a three-month long promotion featuring a different smaller community within the KY3 broadcasting area each Wednesday evening. KY3 has paired with the Cassville Area Chamber of Commerce to shoot a commercial pro-

moting the Cassville area as well.

The news crew is hoping for a large crowd for their shooting. The crew will be setting up starting in the early afternoon to film at Roaring River State Park.

Zombie Fest at the Cassville Library

The Cassville Library kicks off Zombie Fest Saturday, August 31, at 10:00

am. They will show the first season of a popular, zombie-feature television show and offer snacks and door prizes.

This will be a weekly event, beginning every Saturday at 10:00 a.m. through October 12th. For more information, contact the library staff at (417)847-2121.

For those wanting a tamer entertainment experience, the library is also offering sign-ups for the preschool story time, homeschool enrichment classes and hosting movie nights featuring family-friendly films. Call for more details.

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Sponsored by the Wheaton Volunteer Fire Department.

Saturday Aug. 24th

Always doing what's best for Wheaton and the surrounding Communities, the Wheaton Volunteer Fire Department will be able to offer **ALL RIDES FREE** for the kids of the community. This is made possible through the sponsorship of area businesses.

Menu

Food service begins at 11:30am.

1/2 BBQ CHICKEN \$6 Adults / 3\$ Kids
Baked Potato, Baked Beans, Bread, Milk or Coffee

HOMEMADE PULLED PORK SANDWICH \$5
& Baked Beans

FIREMEN'S ICE CREAM BOOTH

HOMEMADE PIES by Wheaton United Methodist Women

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

9am Show & Shine Car Event
For more info (417) 847-7909

11am Spud McCracken Memorial Horseshoe Tourn.
For more info call (417) 835-3003

11:30am Food Service Begins

1pm FREE Children's Rides Begin

1pm Hot Rod Garden Tractor Pull

GRANDSTAND ENTERTAINMENT BEGINS

2pm Kelly Brattin and Tyler Brattin

3pm Down and Out

4pm Ozark Mountain Revival

5pm Wilderness Road

6pm Spur of the Moment

7pm Glory Bound

8pm Duck Race in the park - 1st prize \$500
2nd - \$250 / 3rd - \$125 / 4th - \$75 / 5th - \$50

8:30pm Edwina Tichenor's Karaoke

FREE RIDES!
for the kids

Children's Carnival rides beginning at 1pm

ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW

FREE Booth Spaces Available. Large tent with plenty of shade.

Information on craft show, call 652-7359

2013 WHEATON FD BBQ FREE RIDE SPONSORS

FOHN FUNERAL HOME	SPEARS ABCD FARMS	HOLLOWAY TRUCKING	HARLEY'S PERFORMANCE	CASEY'S	GEORGE'S	US BANK	WHITE'S INSURANCE	MR. PAWN					
WHEATON AUTOMOTIVE	MFA WHEATON/CASSVILLE	FLAT CREEK X-Press LUBE	RAMEY'S	CHERRY WARREN	ABLE 2	SOS	JOHN SULLIVAN	D & D	CASSVILLE FASTRIP	WALMART			
SCHREIBER FOODS	MEVIN PRIEST	FREEDOM BANK	L & L STOP and SHOP	SECURITY BANK	SEVEN VALLEYS CONSTRUCTION	WHEATON GRAIN	LES JACOBS FORD	HOLMES FARM SUPPLY	L&S TRACTOR	BOB HUGHES SW AUCTION	SENSENEY TREE SERVICE	FAIRVIEW AUTO	HENDRIX CONST. T.J. MARNEY

Stolen 8/9/13 or 8/10/13 from Washburn, MO

1994 Ford F350 with Deweze bale bed & My-D Han-D feed box

STILL MISSING

2002 Honda Foreman 4-Wheeler

If you have any information please contact Barry County Sheriff's Dept 417-847-3183

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