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KISS Rebreathers CEO

and exploration leader, Mike

Young, has released the fol-

lowing summary of the 2021

dives into the spring at Roar-

month the team ran a survey

line to the entrance of the re-

striction. The water flow was

too heavy to allow divers to

pass through the restriction.

Heavy Spring rainfall had

the spring flowing very hard.

General familiarization with

the cavern began and many

survey markers were estab-

lished as were survey lines.

The dome room was also vis-

ited and an initial survey was

month divers were able

to place the gold line also

known as the main line with

a tie off at 220 feet. Divers

were able to get a closer look

at the restriction and dis-

covered there were actually

two small restrictions. The

flow was still very heavy as

it was the month before. The

air chamber known as the

June 18-20, 2021- This

started there.

May 8-10, 2021- This

ing River State Park.

## **2nd Annual Spring Fling Open House held in Cassville**

#### Adriana Keeton

The weather was perfect for the second annual Spring Fling Open House held Saturday, April 2, in Cassville. Several local businesses participated in the annual event including Tomblin's Jewelry and Gifts, Whitley's Pharmacy, Sports World, Forever Yours Embroidery, Diva Bling and Tiny Highlander, Designs By Debbie and Carey's Cassville Florist.

Businesses opened the spring season with special sales, discounts at checkout, door prizes and refreshments for shoppers.

"It's always a pleasure to see the public shop, mingle and enjoy the refreshments. We work really hard to put this together," Bonnie Resz, with Whitley's Pharmacy, said. "It's the perfect opportunity to sample our fruit dips, veggie dips and local products."



It was a full-house at Whitley's Pharmacy's refreshment table, where shoppers were treated to samples of fruit dips, veggies dips and other local products offered in the store. Photo by Adriana Keeton.



#### Adriana Keeton

The Missouri State Highway Patrol Troop D worked a total of five crashes in Barry County, from April 1-4, 2022, which resulted in one moderately injured, one seriously injured and five fatalities.

On Friday, April 1, at 8:25 p.m., Kimberly Andrews, 59, of Fair Grove, was northbound on Missouri State Highway 39, two miles south five miles west of Seligman,

cape, when the vehicle ran off the roadway and overturned. Andrews was ejected from the vehicle. She was transported to Mercy Hospital in Springfield, where she was pronounced deceased.

On Saturday, April 2, at 4:30 p.m., Ricky Sanchez, 20, of Pea Ridge, Arkansas, was traveling westbound on Farm Road 2290, approximately of Madry, in a 2006 Ford Es- on a 2004 Polaris ATV, when

"Great Cavern" was located approximately 150 feet from where the waterfall area is at the caves entrance. The first clear video was taken by divers as well.

KISS Rebreathers summary of 2021 dives at RRSP

Missouri DNR renews permits for 2022 exploration

July 16-18, 2021- On July 17, at 930 a.m., Mike Young became the first diver to ever breach the restriction at Roaring River Spring. He did not penetrate very deeply past the restriction sticking to the dive plan. He did report that he was amazed how large the cavern past the restriction actually was. Jon Littestolen provided the first maps from his previous two months of diving. Heavy rainfall on the evening of July 17 prevented passing through the restriction on July 18.

August 27-30, 2021- This month three divers passed through the restriction and video was taken for the first time of divers passing through it. The plan was to determine the size of the cavern and the depth if possible. The cavern was so large it was decided at this point that safety bottles would have

he swerved to avoid a dog,

overturned and was ejected.

Sanchez was pronounced de-

ceased at the scene and was

transported to Fohn Funeral

12:22 p.m., a female juvenile,

17, of Rogers, Arkansas, was

traveling southbound one

On Sunday, April 3, at

Home in Cassville.

to also be placed on both sides of the restriction. The use of safety bottles have always been used on each dive as well as safety divers and a surface manager. The deepest depth dove this month was 305 feet.

September 24-26, 2021-This month a new depth was established by Mike Young to 344 feet. Randall Purdy began getting video past the restriction and another 120 feet of survey line was pushed beyond the 200 feet of survey line already laid. Survey also continued in the dome room above the restriction by several divers. On the evening of September 25, there was a meet and greet for the divers at the park pavilion. Over 60 interested visitors along with park personnel and park rangers attended. A presentation was presented and the visitors asked many very good questions.

October 22-24, 2021- This month Mike made an amazing dive to 454 feet. Randall

See KISS pg. 3A

san Sentra, when she crossed

the centerline and struck a

northbound 2008 Chevrolet

Trailblazer, driven by Salley

Daugherty, 77, of Monett,

head on causing both vehi-

cles to overturn. Both drivers

were pronounced deceased

at the scene. The female juve-

### First week of April shows five crash fatalities reported

#### nile was transported to Fohn See Crash pg. 3A

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Dana Kammerlohr (above, left), of Tomblin's Jewelry and Gifts, is shown assisting customer Susie Jacobs (above, right) during Tomblin's Jewelry and Gifts Spring Fling Open House. Photo by Adriana Keeton.

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### Leaked body cam footage leads to investigation

#### Adriana Keeton

Leaked body cam footage of alleged misconduct at the Barry County Jail surfaced online on Sunday, April 3.

Barry County Sheriff Danny Boyd was contacted for comment but declined at this time. His staff did advise an investigation is underway by the Missouri State Highway Patrol.

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#### **KISS from front**

dropped down to 280 feet to video Mike's descent, while Jon continued survey work beyond the restriction. The bottom was not found but Mike could see more than 12 feet below his depth. Knowing for sure that Roaring River cavern was the deepest in the United States.

November 12-14, 2021-On November 13, Mike Young and Randall dropped down to 472 feet, officially making Roaring River cavern the deepest in the United States. The importance of this historic event for the Missouri State Park system cannot be overstressed. American history was made. At this depth, the bottom has still not been reached.

The Missouri Department of Natural Resources has renewed the permits for KISS Rebreathers exploration of the Roaring River State Park spring for 2022.

Mike Young and the exploration crew completed their first dive of the year February 11-13. Due to the high flow of water, they were unable to pass through the restriction site. They used the time to continue surveying the upper cavern for mapping.

The second dive of the year was completed March 11-13, during the snowstorm which dropped several inches of snow in the area. Due to the continued high flow of water the team was unable to pass through the restriction site. They used the time to install "habitats", designed by KISS Rebreathers CEO Mike Young.

"We placed two habitats in the upper cavern, one at 24 feet and one at 40 feet." Young stated, "Habitats are like air bells, they have a breathable

ing northbound in a field on

gas mixture in them to help accelerate the decompression session. It allows us to talk to each other, have some hot chocolate, warm up and even watch movies on our waterproof phone."

When asked how long it normally takes for decompression, Young said, "It can take several hours. It took three hours of decompression for the record setting dive last year to 472 feet."

The March dive also allowed new safety divers in the exploration crew to get accustomed to the deeper parts of the cave.

The KISS Rebreathers exploration crew are scheduled to return to the spring on April 7-10, 2022. The third dive of the year will be used to continue surveying the upper cavern for mapping. Due to the current high water flow, they do not plan to pass through the restriction site.

### **Bowfisher swipes** first state record of 2022



Josh Lawmaster, of La Russell, shot an 8-pound, 5-ounce quillback from Table Rock Lake.

The Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) confirms Josh Lawmaster, of La Russell, is the first state-record holder of 2022 after shooting an 8-pound, 5-ounce quillback from Table Rock Lake. Lawmaster was bowfishing March 15 when

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he shot the fish. His current record breaks the previous record of 7-pounds, 10-ounces set in 2015.

Lawmaster said he was out with his bowfishing team the day he shot the record.

"We were actually fishing for common carp that day when I had just come across this little dude," said Lawmaster. "We knew it was pretty good size, but it wasn't until the next morning we were thinking about it and decided to contact the department."

Quillback is a non-game species that's often confused with river carpsucker. This species is widely distributed, and most common in the clearer prairie streams of central and northeastern Missouri. It's also fairly common in the upper Mississippi River and in large reservoirs of the Ozark Uplands.

MDC staff verified the fish's weight on a certified scale at MDC's Southwest Regional Office in Springfield.

"I wasn't at all expecting to get a state record, so it's pretty neat," said Lawmaster. "Now I can say I actually accomplished something!"

Missouri state record fish are recognized in two categories: pole-and-line and alternative methods. Alternative methods include: trotline, throwline, limb line, bank line, jug line, gig, bow, crossbow, underwater spearfishing, snagging, snaring, grabbing, or atlatl.

For more information on state record fish, visit http:// bit.ly/2efq1vl.

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of Nodaway County

#### **Crash from front**

Funeral Home in Cassville. Daugherty was transported to Wormington Funeral Home in Monett. Passenger to Daugherty, Rebecca Daugherty, 41, of Pierce City, received moderate injuries and was transported to Cox South Hospital in Springfield.

On Sunday, April 3, at 6:10 p.m., Tol Thompson, 45, of Washburn, was travel-

Farm Road 2270, approximately three miles south of Washburn, on a 2011 Yamaha 450 dirt bike, when he Arkansas.

9:25 p.m., Martin Marshall, 23, of Rocky Comfort, was traveling eastbound on State

Any person with information are asked to contact the

Cassville Police Department

at 417-847-4700 or dispatch

### **Cassville PD seeking** information

The Cassville Police Department is seeking information regarding the recent theft of a camouflage 2022 Honda Pioneer 520 UTV from a loca-

tion in Cassville.

at 417-847-4911.

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experienced a vehicle malfunction and ran into a tree. Thompson received serious injuries and was transported to Mercy Hospital in Rogers, On Monday, April 4, at

Highway 76, one mile east of Rocky Comfort, in a 1994 Ford Escort, when he struck cycling pedestrian Charles Peterson, 50, of Rocky Comfort, on the roadway. Peterson was pronounced deceased at the scene and was transported to Fohn Funeral Home.



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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 dance with live bands every Saturday night from 7 P.M. to vital for you to place a paid ad. There is no guarantee that your 10 P.M. No alcohol allowed. Admission is \$10 per person. 18 event will be placed in Community Calendar. The deadline for community calendar is Friday at 4 p.m. The contact person is For more information, call (417) 662-3612. Elaine Phaneuf, class@4bca.com or (417) 847-4475.

#### Notice:

Garden Sass Farmer's Market will be held every Saturday from 8 A.M. to noon on the south side of the Cassville square through the end of October. Various vendors provide baked goods, farm-raised meats, plants, wood crafts, jewelry, honey, jams & jellies, eggs and more. For vendor information, contact Kathi Zornes at (417) 489-9592.

Farm Road 1162 off of F Highway will be closed until further notice for bridge repairs.

Emerald Beach Drive off Farm Road 2260 will be closed until further notice for bridge repair.

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 5:30 P.M.

Wheaton Church of Christ will have clothing available the 2nd Saturday of each month from 9 A.M. to 3 P.M. For more information, call (417) 652-3873 or (417) 669-6935.



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Seligman Chamber Event Center is having a country and under are free. There is pot luck, 50/50 and door prizes.

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 School reunion this year. It will be held Saturday, May 28, 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.

The Wheaton Depot Museum in Wheaton will be open on Saturdays 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).

#### Friday, April 8th

Southwest Band Boosters will be having a band meeting at 5:30 in the band room.

The Stella Senior Center will have a Dinner and Dance with doors opening at 6 P.M. Soup and salad is on themenu. The dance will start at 7 P.M. with The Timberline Contry Band playing. The cover charge is \$5 and refreshments will be available all evening. No alcohol is permitted. This is always a family friendly event. Please call (417) 628-3314 or (617) 640-6742 for more information.

There will be Music at the Clio Community Building located on Hwy. 39 south of the junction of Hwy. 248 beginning at 6 P.M.

### Saturday, April 9th

The Table Rock Quilt Guild is hosting a fundraiser for the Kimberling Area Library at the library from 10 A.M. to 2 P.M. There will be food, a quilt shop vendor, a gift boutique and a presentation of numerous flower themed quilts with discussion on how they were made. The tickets are \$10 at the door.

Firehouse Fundraiser Breakfast will be served from 7 A.M. to 10 A.M. at the Eagle Rock, Golden, Mano Fire Station, 30625 Hwy. 86, Eagle Rock. The cost for adults is \$7 and the cost for under age 10 is \$4. All proceeds benefit the fire station. All are welcome and encouraged to come out and support our volunteer firefighters.

#### Thursday, April 14th

A Free Landscaping 101 Class is being presented by Nashon Bishop and hosted by Harvick Farms at their new nursery location, 16062 Hwy. 76, Cassville, from 5 P.M. to 6 P.M. Tickets may be obtained on the Harvick Farms website harvickfarms.com.

### Thursday, April 21st

The Barry County Republican Club will hold its monthly meeting at 6:30 P.M. at the Angus Branch Steakhouse in Monett.

The Shell Knob Chamber of Commerce is hosting a meeting of local businesses for potential employees through the His House Foundation at 6 P.M. at the His House Building, 25832 State Hwy. YY, Shell Knob.

Friday,

April 22nd



Hickman Cemetery Clean Up will begin at 8 A.M. All volunteers are greatly appreciated.

### Save the date

The Southwest Class of '72 is hosting the annual All-2022, at the Southwest High School commons area. Anyone who attended school at or graduated from Seligman/Washburn/Southwest School is welcome to attend the annual All-School Reunion. This reunion has not been held in two years, so the Class of '72 would like to invite all fellow SW Alumni to come and get reaquainted with former classmates. More information will be made available as the date approaches.

#### **Monett Branch Library Activities** MONTHLY PROGRAMS

Scrap Quilting with Cheryl 1st and 3rd Wednesdays at 1:00 beginning March 16th, 6-8 week course Beginning Crochet with Sharia 2nd Thursdays at 1:00 For more information on these events or other services offered by our Monett Branch Library, call the Library at 417-235-6646 or visit the library at 213 6th Street, Monett.

#### Cassville Branch Library Activities

April 3 - 9 is National Library Week. Come to the library for special activities: Scavenger Hunts All Week. Adults, go on the hunt, put your name in for a drawing. Children, go on the hunt and choose a prize. Teens, write a poem about National Library Week and get a chance to win a gift card. Thursday, April 7, 10 am: Preschool Storytime.

Thursday, April 7, 4 pm: B.H.A., a club for 3rd graders, registration required. Call the library.

Friday, April 8, 4 pm: Movie. Come see what happened to the librarian who didn't want to be a hero, he only wanted a job. Popcorn provided. Bring your own drink.

Saturday, April 9, 9 am: Adult painting. "Garden Gnomes". Pre-register by Friday, April 8. \$5 fee due at registration. All materials provided.

Monday, April 11, 2 pm: Adult painting "Garden Gnomes" pre-register by Friday, April 8. \$5 fee due at registration. All materials provided.

For more information on these events or other services offered by our Cassville Library, call the Cassville Branch Library at 417-847-2121 or visit at 301 W. 17th St., Cassville.

#### School Menus: April 11 - April 15

All meals served with milk and subject to change.

Cassville R-IV High School: Mon: B: biscuit & gravy or breakfast burrito, sausage patty, pineapple or cereal, cinnamon toast, applesauce. L: shrimp poppers or BBQ rib sandwich, mac & cheese, green beans, cookie, peaches or salad meal. Tues: B: biscuit & gravy or french toast, go-gurt, peaches or cereal, Pop-Tart, orange. L: soft taco or quesadilla, salad, refried beans, applesauce or salad meal. Wed: B: biscuit & gravy or scrambled eggs, hashbrown, toast, tropical fruit or cereal, graham crackers, peaches. L: general chicken or nuggets, rice, carrots, egg roll, pineapple or salad meal. Thurs: B: biscuit & gravy or pancake on stick, graham crackers, applesauce or cereal, cinnamon

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An Appreciation Lun-

cheon for Local Law En-

### Saturday, April 23rd

A Craft Fair will be held at the Washburn First Baptist Church Activity Center from 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

toast, orange. L: cheeseburger or pizza, lettuce, tomato, Sun Chips, carrots, mandarin oranges or salad meal. Fri: No school.

Cassville R-IV PR-IN-Middle: Mon: B: biscuit & gravy or pancakes, sausage, blueberries or cereal, cinnamon toast, orange. L: pizza or alfredo, salad, mixed vegetables, graham crackers, fruit cocktail. Tues: B: biscuit & gravy or mini cini, Go-Gurt, applesauce or cereal, banana muffin, peaches. L: tangerine chicken or chicken nuggets, rice, green beans, egg roll, fortune cookie, mandarin oranges. Wed: B: biscuit & gravy or scrambled eggs, hashbrown, toast, pears or cereal, granola bar, fruit cocktail. L: chicken & noodles or country steak, corn, gravy, potatoes, peaches. Thurs: B: biscuit & gravy or breakfast pizza, graham crackers, mandarin oranges or cereal, blueberry muffin, pears. Thurs: B: corndog or fish sticks, mac & cheese, glazed carrots, pears. Fri: No school.

Purdy R-II Schools: Mon: B: cini minis, Go-Gurt, fruit. L: tangerine chicken, brown rice, California blend, fruit. Tues: B: wg biscuits & gravy, sausage patty, fruit. L: taco salad, corn, beans, fruit. Wed: B: mini waffles, syrup, Go-Gurt, fruit. L: chicken tenders, mac & cheese, green beans, fruit. Thurs: B: breakfast pizza, fruit. L: turkey sandwich, Sun Chips, baby carrots, fruit. Fri: No school.

## BITUARIES



#### **ZOE EMMA GRACE** BONNER

Zoe Emma Grace Bonner, age 17, of Purdy, passed away Sunday, April 3, 2022, near Monett.

Private services will be held at a later date. Cremation arrangements are under direction of Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville.

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

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#### **BOBBY L. "BOBBIE"** CARR

Bobby L. "Bobbie" Carr, age 88, passed away on Wednesday, March 30, 2022.

Bobby was born August 24, 1933, in Gainesville, Texas. As an infant, the family moved to Purdy, where she graduated from Purdy High School in 1951. After high school, she moved to Long

Beach, California, where she met Dennis L. Carr. They married on January 2, 1955, and subsequently raised three children, Susan, Randall, and Greg, in the Wichita, Kansas, area.

She lived her life as a homemaker, par excellence, and was a wonderful, nurturing mother. She was a fabulous cook and the "hostest with the mostest" for others. She was a mother to many.

Bobbie was an active member at Cleveland Avenue, Central, and RiverWalk Churches of Christ. Her faith in God and our Saviour Jesus Christ led her to live life in a gentle appreciative manner. She walked humbly before the Lord and extended love and graciousness to all those she met. There was not a baby around that was around that did not get held by those loving arms.

Bobbie was preceded in death by her fathers, Robert Bennett and Billy David Hemphill; mother, Freddie Akin Bennett Hemphill; and her husband, Dennis L. Carr.

She is survived by daughter, Susan (Joe); son, Randall; son, Greg (Debra); brothers, Russell Hemphill (Janet), Ike Hemphill (Judy); grandchildren, Jessica Maddox (Kyle), Lauren Greer (Sam), Maranda Stebbins Carr, Katie Carr, Andrew Couey (Jaime), Jennifer Bowman (Quinn), Christopher Wiechman (Colleen), Dustin Wiechman; great grandchildren, Jocelyn, Hardie, Jocelynn, Reagan, Colton, Liam.

Celebration of Life service will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, April 8, 2022, at RiverWalk Church of Christ. Private family graveside services

#### have been held at Resthaven Gardens of Memory, Wichita.

In lieu of flowers, a memorial has been established with RiverWalk Church of Christ, for the benevolence and missions fund, 225 N. Waco, Wichita, Kansas 67202 or Carpenter Place, 1501 N. Meridian, Wichita, Kansas 67203.

Fond memories and expressions of sympathy may be shared at www.Resthaven-Mortuary-Cemetery.com for the Carr family.

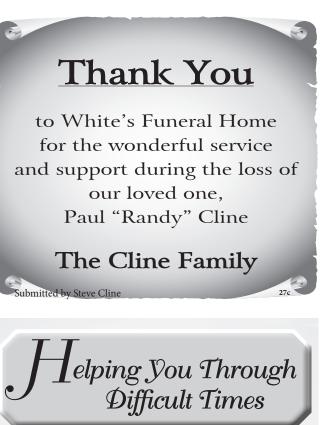
#### **RHONDA KAY ADAMSON**

Rhonda Kay Adamson, 48, of Monett, passed away Tuesday, March 29, 2022. Arrangements are under the direction of Buchanan Funeral Home, Monett.



NICHOLAS LEE HARPER

Nicholas Lee Harper, age 64, of Rudy, Arkansas, passed



# MDC invites you to celebrate native trees through Arbor Days in April

The Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) invited people to celebrate the value of Missouri trees and forests during Arbor Days in April by planting native trees and practicing proper tree care. Missouri Arbor Day was Friday, April 1. Missouri has been observing the state's official Arbor Day on the first Friday in April since 1886 when the General Assembly declared that day be set aside for the appreciation and planting of trees. National Arbor Day is recognized on the last Friday of April, which is April 29 for 2022.

away at his home on Thursday, March 31, 2022.

Memorial contributions may be made to Maplewood Cemetery in memory if Nick 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

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

Get information on backvard tree care - including types of trees for urban and other landscapes, selecting the right tree for the right place, planting tips, watering and pruning info, and more at mdc.mo.gov/trees-plants/ tree-care.The MDC George O. White State Forest Nursery near Licking offers a variety of low-cost native tree and shrub seedlings for reforestation, windbreaks, erosion control, and wildlife food and cover. Orders are accepted to April 15. For more information, visit mdc.mo.gov/seedlings.Communities around the state also hold local Arbor Day activities. For more information on Arbor Day and Missouri's Tree City USA communities, visit the Arbor Day Foundation at arborday. org/.Missouri forests cover about one-third of the state and provide outdoor recreation, wildlife habitat, natural beauty, and watersheds for stream and rivers. Spending time in Missouri forests can provide a natural health benefit, too. Exposure to nature contributes to physical wellbeing, reducing blood pressure and heart rate, relieving stress, and boosting energy levels. Get more information at mdc.mo.gov/trees-plants/ forest-care.



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Worship Service									
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APRIL 13: Pepper steak, buttered noodles, cauliflower, hot roll, coconut cream pie

APRIL 14: Grilled chicken salad, broccoli cheese soup, cornbread, cheesecake swirl brownies

**APRIL 15: Easter Lunch** 

Baked ham, sweet potatoes, green beans, hot roll, Easter cake

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### 60th wedding anniversary



On March 5, 2022, James and Gladys Hargis celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary at a party hosted by their children and grandchildren. It was attended by over 110 family members

How to Get Help as an **Elder Orphan** 

Dear Savvy Senior, I need to find someone honest and reliable to look after my estate, health and long-term care when I'm no longer able to do it myself. I'm a 67-year-old recent widow with no children and one sibling I rarely talk to. Any suggestions? Solo Ager Dear Solo,

This is big concern for millions of older Americans who don't have a spouse, children or other family they can depend on to watch out for their well-being. While there's no one solution to this issue, here are some tips and resources that can help you plan ahead.

#### **Essential Documents**

If you haven't already done so, your first step, before choosing a reliable decision maker, is to prepare a basic estate plan of at least four essential legal documents. This will protect yourself and make sure you're wishes are

carried out if you become seriously ill or when you die.

These essential documents include: a "durable power of attorney" that allows you to designate someone to handle your financial matters if you become incapacitated; an "advanced health care directive" that includes a "living will" that tells your doctor what kind of care you want to receive if you become incapacitated, and a "health care power of attorney," which names a person you authorize to make medical decisions on your behalf if you're unable to; and a "will" that spells out how you'd like your property and assets distributed after you die. It also requires you to designate an "executor" to ensure your wishes are carried out.

To prepare these documents your best option is to hire an attorney, which can cost anywhere between \$500 and \$2,000. Or, if you are interested in a do-it-yourself plan, Quicken WillMaker & Trust 2022 (\$199, Nolo.com) and LegalZoom.com (\$179) are some top options.

**Choosing Decision Mak**ers & Helpers

Most people think first of

Those outstanding paintings

have been enjoyed by many

people. There were painting

by Margaret Jump and Vida

Finch and are an important

Lovely homemade quilts

have been created and dis-

played there over the years.

Occasional fund-raising ac-

tivities brought in money

to provide financial help to

the center. Fundraisers like

square dances, garage sales

and donations helped the

center keep operating. Also,

a yearly grant from the Barry

played a special role in help-

ing the seniors who come

there. Very good noon meals

are prepared and served daily

for a suggested contribution

of \$3.50 for those 60 years

Lunches can also be picked

up and frozen meals are de-

livered to senior's homes by

and over.

also

County Senior Tax Board.

Volunteers have

part of the center.

naming a family member as their power of attorney for finances and health care, or executor of their will. If, however, you don't have someone to fill those roles, you may want to ask a trusted friend or associate but be sure to choose someone that's organized and younger than you who will likely be around after you're gone.

Also be aware that if your choice of power of attorney or executor lives in another state, you'll need to check your state's law to see if it imposes any special requirements. If, however, you don't have a friend or relative you feel comfortable with, you'll need to hire someone who has experience with such matters.

To find a qualified power of attorney or executor for your will, contact your bank, a local trust company or an estate planning attorney. If you need help locating a pro, the National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys (NAELA. org) is a great resource that provides online directory to help you find someone in your area. Another resource that can help you manage and oversee your health and

volunteer drivers. Dominos

are played on Tuesday and

Friday. Bingo is played on

Wednesday, giving seniors

an opportunity to meet, eat,

and play games while enjoy-

In the past they used Se-

nior Spotlighting with ar-

ticles, including pictures, to

describe people who came

and participated at the cen-

ter. They also still observe

holiday celebrations, birth-

Over the years, the Cass-

ville Senior Center has made

some changes, adapting to

meet certain needs, but it

is still a special place where

seniors can gathers to spend

time with others. Seniors can

also come there to have their

needs met. The Cassville

Senior Center offers help

with many things, including

Medicare counseling, free

tax consulting, blood pres-

sure clinic, exercising, ben-

days and special dinners.

ing each other's company.

long-term care needs as they arise, and even act as your health care power of attorney, is an aging life care manager. These are trained professionals in the area of geriatric care who often have backgrounds in nursing or social work. To search for an expert near you, visit AgingLifeCare.org.

Or, if you need help with bill paying and other financial/insurance/tax chores there are professional daily money managers (see AAD-MM.com) that can help. Aging life care managers typically charge between \$75 and \$200 per hour, while hourly rates for daily money managers range between \$75 and \$150.

It's also important to note that if you don't complete the aforementioned legal documents and you become incapacitated, a court judge may appoint a guardian to make decisions on your behalf. That means the care you receive may be totally different from what you would have chosen for yourself.

Send your senior questions to: Savvy Senior, P.O. Box 5443, Norman, OK 73070, or visit SavvySenior. org.

efit counseling, monthly foot clinics and art classes.

The Cassville Senior Center also needs additional board members and volunteers for other various occupations. If you are interested, go into the office at the Cassville Senior Center, or contact them at 417-847-2229. The next board meeting will be held at the Cassville Senior Center on May 20, 2022, at 9 a.m.

Every senior is welcome to come to the center to meet others, join in the activities, and find help and advice for some of the problems they may be facing. Feel free to drop in and get acquainted. The center is open Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-3:30 p.m. with lunch served from 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

You will always be welcome.

Barbara Warren

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# and friends. Thanks to everyone who helped them celebrate.

#### Letter to the Editor

The Cassville Senior Center, located at 1111 Fair St., has been an important part of Cassville's history. Not just to our general area, but especially to our senior citizens. Being around others can determine a quality of life they probably couldn't develop on their own.

The center in Cassville has

been open for many decades. In 1965, the Older Americans Act was approved by Congress to enhance and up-grade the lives of seniors. That was accomplished here by providing social services through the Cassville Senior Center.

Establishing a Senior Center in Cassville, was first considered in 1981. They served

the first meal on July 17, 1983, and continued for two years with monthly carry-inmeals served at the Cassville City Hall, mostly to groups of elderly people.

The ground breaking of the existing Senior Center began in 1997. The building was completed in 1998. Beautiful Ozark Inspirational murals now cover the walls.

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### **Cassville Community Foundation 2021 grants**

The Cassville Community Foundation holds a grant round at the end of every year. In 2021, the Foundation was able to give a record amount back to the community, totaling \$13,000. Grant recipients must be a 501(c3) nonprofit within Barry County.

"This year, we were able to give back more than we ever have in a calendar year," said Cassville Community Foundation Director Rachael Freeman. "It was great to be able to make a larger impact to our local organizations than we ever have been before."

The grant round opens on September 1 each year. Applicants will be able to access the grant application on the Foundation's website or by emailing cassvillecf@ cfozarks.org. Applicants will then have a month and a half to fill out the application and return it. Next, the CCF Board along with an advisory committee will listen to each applicant give a 5-10 minute overview of their application. From there, the Board and the committee will award grants on need and the largest impact.

Grant recipients awarded in 2021 are as follows: • Cassville YMCA, \$1,000,

Water Safety Program. • Cassville Food Pantry,

\$2,000, food. • Life Change, \$1,000,

new projector. • Jenkins Bridge Project, \$500, bridge restoration.

- Cassville High School Backpack Program, \$2,000, d food.

• Horner Ridge Runners 4H, \$500, Veteran's Breakfast.

• SonBeam Preschool, \$1,000, scholarships.

• Central Crossing Fire Department, \$2,000, training

and education.Cassville High School

l Success Lab, \$2,000, class in-, centives.

• Haven of the Ozarks, \$500, Fixin' to Save Lives Program.

• Cassville High School Communication Department, \$500, independent reading magazines.



The Cassville Foundation awarded the Haven of the Ozarks \$500 for their Fixin' Lives Program. Pictured left to right: Rachael Freeman, CCF Director; volunteer; Wesley Farris, Director of the Haven of the Ozarks; and Chad Johnson, CCF Board President.



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Cassville Methodist Church's Sonbeam Preschool received a \$1,000 grant for scholarships for students. Pictured above, front row, left to right: Lindy Gibson and Gayle LeCompte with Sonbeam Preschool. Back row: Jeff Fugit, Cassville Methodist Church; Laura Holycorss, CCF Board; Angela Seymour, CCF Board; Rachael Freeman, CCF Director; Mindi Artherton, CCF Board; and Devon Forsythe, CCF Board.



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# **UNOFFICIAL RESULTS** OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2022

	TOTAL	ABSENTEE	BUTTERFIELD/ MCDONALD	MONETT RURAL/ CAPPS CREEK	CASSVILLE CITY	CASSVILLE RURAL/ MINERAL	EXETER	GOLDEN	JENKINS	KINGS PRAIRIE/ PLEASANT RIDGE	OZARK/ CRANE CREEK	PURDY/ MCDOWELL	Roaring River	SELIGMAN	SHELL KNOB	WASHBURN/ASH	WHEATON
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GARETT COX	224	0									24						
CORI DYKES WRITE-IN	41 0	0									41						
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BOBBY BJ SARTIN WRITE-IN	6	0							6								
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JASON TAYLOR	35	3				23			2						7		
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ROAD COMMISSIONER CLAYTON TAYLOR	105	1														104	
DAVID EWBANK	46	2														44	
JASON TOWNSEND	62	1														61	
WRITE-IN	1	0														1	
CITY OF BUTTERFIELD FOR CITY MAYOR TONY COPE	19	1	18														
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CHERYL STATTS	23	0											23				
DONALD PATTERSON	10	0											10				
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ROBERT MOSER	26	0										26					
WRITE-IN	0	0										0					
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KATHY DAVIS	26	0										26					
WRITE-IN	0	0										0					
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JEREMY MARTELL	23	2															21
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The Veterans Clinic is partnering with Mizzou Extension to provide meeting spaces for veterans in select Missouri counties at either the local county extension office or other locations in order to provide virtual meeting assistance.

The virtual event is offered to veterans in the following select Missouri counties: Atchison, CaldGentry, Grundy, Harrison, Henry, Hickory, Holt, Iron, Knox, Maries, Mercer, Monroe, Oregon, Ozark, Putnam, Reynolds, Saint Clair, Schuyler, Scotland, Shannon, Shelby, Sullivan and Worth.

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The Veterans Clinic is located in the MU School of Law. Under the supervision of experienced attorneys, law students help veterans, at no charge, with their claims in front of the Department of Veterans Affairs. The Tigers for Troops program was created by the Veterans Clinic to remedy unmet legal needs of rural veterans in Missouri. Under the program, the clinic parts of Missouri to reach veterans without access to services for veterans.

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The Veterans Clinic also assists veterans in receiving discharge upgrades, trains attorneys to help veterans navigate the VA system, holds annual symposiums highlighting the stories of veterans and developments within veterans' law, and contributes to amicus briefs and other advocacy projects in support of veterans. Since the Veterans Clinic's inception seven years ago, it has secured more than \$7 million in benefits for veterans in Missouri and has helped more than 600 veterans.

April 22

Veterans can register for an appointment at https:// bit.ly/StatewideTFT or call Martha Bradley at 573-882-7630. Registration for this event will close at noon Friday, April 15.

8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Friday,

If a veteran cannot secure an appointment or is unavailable on April 22 but would still like information about the clinic or help with one of the above-described issues, please call 573-882-7630.

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### **Cassville Dispensary donates** CBD pet treats to Haven of the Ozarks



Cassville Dispensary, a Missouri medical marijuana facility, recently donated over \$500 of CBD pet treats to local no-kill shelter Haven of the Ozarks Animal Sanctuary. The dispensary partnered with the shelter to help aid aging and injured dogs in need of CBD by using all of the profits on pet products sold to purchase CBD to donate. Cassville Dispensary offers a full line of CBD treats, CBD oils, collars and more for patients and non-patients' pets. Non-patients can order online and pick up through the drive through or place their order in the lobby.

Cassville DIspensary is located at 15335 St. Hwy. 76, Cassville MO 65625. Their website is CassvilleDIspensary.com or call 417-665-1990.

Pictured above, from left to right: Brittany Pinnell, Cassville Dispensary patient care associate; Heidi Lowe, Haven of the Ozarks administrative director; Darin Creed, Cassville Dispensary lead supervisor; Charlea Estes-Jones, Cassville Dispensary general manager; Nick Sleeth, Cassville Dispensary security manager; and Monise Silvas, Cassville Dispensary administrative assistant.



## **Garden Sass Farmer's Market** opens in downtown Cassville



Garden Sass Farmer's Market opened for the season on Saturday, April 2, on the south side of the square in downtown Cassville. Vendors provided baked goods, farm-raised meats, plants, wood crafts, jewelry, honey, jams/jellies, eggs and Easter decor.

The farmer's market will be held every Saturday, from 8am-noon through the end of October. For vendor information, contact Kathi Zornes at 417-489-9592. Photo by Adriana Keeton.

## PSC sets deadline in Spire case

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in matters before the Com-

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The Missouri Public Service Commission has established the deadline for those wishing to intervene and participate in a natural gas rate case filed by Spire Missouri, Inc. (Spire).

Applications to intervene and participate in this case must be filed no later than April 25, 2022, with the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102, or by using the Commission's Electronic Filing and Information System (EFIS) at www.psc.mo.gov.

Individual citizens wishing to comment should contact either the Office of the Public Counsel (Governor Office Building, 200 Madison

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### **Barry Electric Co-op annual** meeting

The 75th annual Barry Electric Cooperative meeting of members will be held on Thursday, April 21, at 1 p.m. at the Family Life Center, located at 200 E. 5th St., in Cassville.

Candidates nominated in District No. 1: David Dalton.

Candidates nominated in District No. 2: Jake O'Neill.



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Candidates nominated in District No. 3: Jason Hudson and Roy Frank Edmondson. Early registration and voting will be held during regular business hours, Thursday, April 14, through Thursday, April 21, at 10 a.m., in the office of Barry Electric Cooperative. The office will be closed on Friday, April 15, in observance of Good Friday. Registration and voting at the meeting will begin at noon and the business session will be called to order at 1 p.m. Members who voted early will not be allowed to vote again at the annual meeting, but are welcome to attend. Each member registering and voting will receive a \$20 credit on their electric bill. Drawings will be held for door prizes at the annual meeting. You must be present to win.

### New CBCO campaign: "Hungry to Help"

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Community Blood Center of the Ozarks (CBCO) has an exciting new campaign for April and May. During the Hungry to Help event, weekday drawings will be held to award a \$150.00 grocery gift card to one lucky donor that gave the day before. Weekend blood donors will be rolled into Monday's drawing. All participants at any CBCO blood drive or donor center will be eligible for the prize.

Successful donors during the Hungry to Help campaign will receive a colorful T-shirt that reminds donors to "Donut Forget" to donate. As a bonus, an additional vintage CBCO T-shirt will be donated to an area charity for each blood donation given.

"We are looking forward to rewarding dozens of donors during the Hungry to Help event," CBCO Media Representative



1195 (across from Shiloah Baptist Church). Go 9/10 of a mile. Turn left on FR 2107 and go 1.7 miles then follow drive to auction. (18611 FR 2107, Aurora, MO)



Real Estate: 1996 doublewide mobile home, 1904 sq ft 3 bedroom 2 bath. Enter this home into a large living room with vaulted ceiling, ceiling fan, wood burning fireplace, large window & patio door leading out to the back deck. On the South end of the home is 2 bedrooms with walk in closets and a full bathroom. On the North end is the master bedroom with walk in closet, master bath with garden tub & shower, dining room next to the kitchen. The kitchen features cabinets, double SS sink, Built in Whirlpool dishwasher, Whirlpool smooth top elect range w/exhaust hood and Whirlpool side by side refrigerator/freezer. The kitchen is joined by the utility room with a door leading out back. Outside Features: Front deck, back deck, well & septic. Also, an old homestead on the property and a well at the homestead location as well. All this on 60 wooded acres m/l with mature trees, wet weather spring and lots of wildlife. Note: If you or someone you know is looking for seclusion, here it is. Chip and seal county road to the driveway. 60 wooded acres m/l. Hunter's paradise with lots of deer and turkey. The double wide could use some TLC however is very private, secluded and live able with just over 1900 sq ft, room for the whole family. Get your financing in order and come prepared to buy. Someone will get a deal. Call to learn how to get qualified to bid at auction or to preview the property before auction day. 417-847-2507. 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.

# **X ESTATE AUCTION**

### Saturday, April 9, 2022 • 10:00 AM

LOCATION: Eagle Rock, MO. From the jcts. of Hwy. 86 & Hwy. E, take E Hwy, 3 miles then turn right on FR 1195 (E 16). Go 1 mile, stay right on FR 1197. Go 1.6 miles to auction. (27602 FR 1197, Eagle Rock, MO)

\*TABLE ROCK LAKE REAL ESTATE – BOAT SLIP\* ZERO TURN MOWER - CYCLONE RAKE - GUNS - GOLF CART - BOAT -TOOLS – FURNITURE & APPLIANCES – GENERAL HOUSEHOLD – MISC







Real Estate: Nice home on 3 acres m/l. Just a short golf cart ride away to Table Rock Lake the boat dock. bedroom 2 bath ome. Enter this home. home into a nice size foyer with coat closet. Then open to a nice size living room with vaulted ceiling, ceiling fan & patio door leading out to a

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raised back deck. Living room is open to the dining area where there is a patio door leading

out to the raised back deck overlooking a private back yard with lots of wildlife. The dining area is joined to the kitchen. The kitchen features sm bar area, oak cabinets, double SS sink, GÉ gas range, side by side refrigerator (like new) and built in Whirlpool dishwasher. Just off the kitchen is the utility room with door leading out to the oversized 2 car garage with built in cabinets/workbench, walk doors and garage door with automatic opener. Also on the main floor is 2 bedrooms with ceiling fans, windows, closets and a full bathroom. Upstairs there is a master bedroom with ceiling fan, walk in closet, a patio door leading out to a private balcony and a <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> bathroom. Central H/A. Outside Amenities: Outside decks, asphalt driveway, storage shed, 18'x21' carport on 3 nice acres. Boat Slip:10'x24' boat slip with boat lift. We will sell the boat slip right after we sell the home, only people that live in the community or the home buyer will have the opportunity to bid on the boat slip. Boat: 1985 bass tracker bass boat with mercury 150 motor and trailer. Zero Turn Mower: Cub Cadet Z Force LZ commercial 60" zero turn mower – Cub Cadet metal yard wagon. Cyclone Rake: Cyclone Rake Z-10 with hose. Golf Cart: Club Car gas golf cart. Guns: Winchester 30-30 bolt action rifle - Black Powder rifle. Tools: Grizzly roll around tool chest - Cub Cadet 3200 PSI pressure washer – Porter Cable 150 PSI air compressor – Stihl BR 600 backpack leaf blower - misc weed eaters - hand tools such as, socket sets, screwdrivers, open wrenches, pipe wrenches, misc long handle tools - nuts and bolts bins - 6' step ladder - Craftsman Sawzall – tabletop drill press – gas cans – hedge trimmer. Furniture & Appliances: Sofa with electric recliners on both ends also has heat and massage, matching love seat with same options and rocker/recliner – full size bed with headboard & matching dresser, chest of drawers & wall mirror - dining table & 4 roll around chairs - (2) bar stools - (3) dining chairs – (2) wicker rocking chairs – (3) drawer wood file cabinet – table lamps – pictures - Home Interior Décor – dresser w/ mirror. Appliances: Whirlpool elec cook stove (new) – Whirlpool refrigerator/freezer (new) - Amana chest freezer - Whirlpool refrigerator/freezer Matching Maytag washer & dryer. <u>General Household & Misc</u>: Old railroad light – old Singer sewing machine in cabinet – old records – sm old scale – wood box – wood patio glider – patio table & 5 chairs – King griller – BBQ – garden hose – live trap – Minnkota

trolling motor - rod & reels - umbrella stand - ceiling fan (new) - plastic folding table -Panasonic portable stereo - misc cleaners - many more items not listed. Note: With the passing of Mr. Rohrich, Mrs. Rohrich has decided to sell their long time residence at Table Rock Lake. This is a very nice property just up the street from Table Rock Lake. For the person wanting a lake home with lots of room to build a nice big shop to store your lake toys,

#### **Owner: Paul Duncan**



here it is. We will offer the home promptly at 10:00 AM on Sat April 9th then we will offer the boat slip. Good parking, catering and porta potty on site. Bring a friend or two and come spend the day with us at Table Rock Lake. Terms: Cash, check or credit card with 2 forms of current ID. Must have current driver's license to obtain bidder number. If paying with credit card a 5 % convenience fee will apply. All terms on bidder card apply. All sells as is where is with no warranty or guarantee expressed or implied. Any announcements made day of auction supersede any and all printed material. 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 on Real Estate and Boat Slip. Any announcements made day of auction supersede any and all printed material

Estate of Herbert Rohrich, Owner Treva Rohrich



districts that gain students

and those that lose students.

Missouri does not provide

the same level of funding for

any two school districts and

local tax rates vary greatly

among districts. As stu-

dents move among Missouri

school districts, open enroll-

ment could create financial

chaos. There is a concern that

nonresident students attending the Cassville R-IV School

District may place an added

burden on our taxpayers. Ad-

ditionally, there is a concern

that a loss of our students

to other school districts will

drain our financial resources

and impact the ability for us

to serve the students who

continue to attend Cassville

(HB 1814) will likely lead to

school consolidation across

Missouri. Many people as-

sociate school consolida-

tion with K-8 districts like

Shell Knob and smaller rural

schools like Exeter R-VI and

Wheaton R-III. However,

school consolidation is not

limited to just small, rural

districts. Even if a school

district does not close and

consolidate, the loss of stu-

dents in the district will af-

fect all remaining students as

there will be less revenue to

provide a more robust edu-

cational experience (e.g., loss

of programs such as choir,

band, scholar/debate teams,

FBLA, FFA, FCCLA, and

athletic programs).

The open enrollment bill

**R-IV** Schools.

### **Message from Cassville Superintendent**

#### Merlyn Johnson

Each year there are numerous bills filed that could affect Cassville R-IV School District and all other public schools across Missouri. Many of these bills are a result of unrest in highly populated urban areas that result in blanket statewide legislation for all schools. During the past several years, the is-

sue of open enrollment has or pay taxes. It is a simple been debated in Jefferson City multiple times. HB 1814 passed out of the House and was heard in the Senate Education Committee last week. In the name of reform, some legislators are proposing that parents be allowed to enroll their child or children in any school district they choose regardless of where they live

concept, but with some serious unintended consequences for all Missouri districts.

For example, after 26 years of open enrollment in the state of Arizona, educators and parents continue to see numerous disparities in providing equity for all students across their state. Open enrollment in Arizona quickly led to high rejection rates for students with disabilities. Additionally, it became too easy for school districts in Arizona to limit admission based on ethnicity or race, national origin, sex, income level, English language proficiency, and the lack of athletic ability. In short, families with political connections and money are able to place their children in advantageous learning and extracurricular environments, while those without continue to get further behind. Arizona's public schools under open enrollment have resulted in a patchwork system of haves and have-nots. There is definitely room for improvement for public schools in Missouri, but open enrollment is not the answer.

In some states, open enrollment has created extra-curricular superpowers. Talented students are recruited to participate in highly competitive extracurricular activities. These schools dominate activities and many local students who would normally participate are eliminated. Would talented Cassville students be recruited by other schools? How would Cassville parents feel if their student(s) were eliminated from participating in an activity by a student from Aurora or Monett?

Open enrollment has the potential to impact the financial resources of the school

#### **ESTATE AUCTION** SUNDAY, MAY 1, 2022 • 8:00 A.M

LOCATION: 709 Highland Dr., Aurora, Mo. Take Bus. Hwy. 60 to west side of Aurora to Highland Dr., then south to sale.

For inspection and terms, call auction co. at 417-498-6662 or cell 354-2925. To see complete list and pictures, go to web at www.mcknightauctionco.com.

REAL ESTATE: 3 bedroom all brick home with 2 full bathrooms and 2 half bathrooms; kitchen and dining room with fireplace combo; large living room; oversized 1 car garage; beauty shop room with own outside door on side of garage; full size basement with laundry room, bath and fireplace. Approximately 3007 square feet according to county. The house sets on 111 foot by 140 foot lot. Also selling separate with lot on west side of house that is 111 foot by 147 foot on which sits a Morton building that is 24 foot by 60 foot with concrete floor,3 garage doors, 1 walk door, driveway onto Cowan Drive. Real estate sells at noon with confirmation





HB 1814 will pit public schools against one another. School districts will compete for students and large sums of money that should be utilized for the education of children will instead be used for marketing and other recruitment materials. Schools will also be forced to "one up" one another for the best facilities and best sports programs which will further deplete money going into the classroom.

If HB 1814 is passed, school districts should expect a decline in community support and involvement. For example, if parents are living within the Cassville R-IV School District but sending their children to the Neosho School District, those parents will be less likely to support school improvement ballot measures in Cassville. This bill will more than likely wreak havoc in planning for school districts. Districts will be forced to hold larger sums of money in reserve in case swings in student population occur. This may result in teacher salaries remaining stagnant or the postponement of valuable educational experiences/programs.

The Senate has the power to defeat HB 1814, but will only do so if they hear from parents and other community members. I urge you to contact Senator Mike Moon and voice your concerns about open enrollment and its implications to all the school districts within the 29th Senatorial District, which includes school districts in Barry, Lawrence, McDonald, Stone, and Taney counties. Senator Moon's phone number is (573) 751-1480 and his email is mike. moon@senate.mo.gov. Open enrollment in some form is attached to several other education bills moving through the legislature. There are a host of other concerns that continue to arise as a result of HB 1814. I encourage you to review the actual bill text in detail, which can easily be found on the internet. If you have any questions about this bill or other bills affecting public education, please contact me by phone: (417) 847-2221, or email: mjohnson@ cassville.k12.mo.us

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NEW IN BOX W/BOOKS+PYREX & CORNING WARE RIVAL MEAT SLICER. SM KITCHEN APPLIANCES. CHAR BROIL COMMERCIAL GRILL. GALAXY WATCH, SAMSUNG MODEL SMR800NZSAXAR+WHEEL CHAIR LIFT FOR TRUCK+FISH TURKEY FRYER.TOMATO CAGES.2 STORAGE BOXES.12 WHISKEY BARREL.CHRISTMAS METAL DEER TREE, LIGHTS+5th WHEEL PORTABLE WASTE WATER TANK+1 LOT NEW & USED DOORS, 7 SLIDING BARN DOOR+(2) 12" ROARY PAPER TRIMMER+MISC CHEMICALS+13X10 SCREEN HOUSE HEINZ METAL PICKLE SIGN WEDDING ARCH TRACTOR YARD SPRINKLER 1 LOT NEW HARDWOOD FLOORING & PAD•SLEEPING BAGS•NEW KITCHEN/BAR SINK GRANITE•CROCHET TABLECLOTHS & LINEN•(4) NEW RAISED GARDEN KITS•8 PANELS 24X48 DOG PEN•MISC ROD

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**CONSIGNMENT AUCTION** 29292 Main St., Seligman, Mo. **Chicken Auction & Farm Related Items** 

### Sunday, April 10 • 2 pm

Chickens, Rabbits, Guineas, Turkeys, etc. eggs. Approximately 200 chickens already consigned. • 2 rolls brand new 4pt. 15-1/2 gauge Red brand barb wire • 10 feed barrels with removable lids •

Chicken cages • Egg nest boxes • Few used T-posts • 7ft. field roller • 5ft. box blade • 5ft. rock rake • 5ft. angle blade • 12ft. pull type brush hog Please no household items. We sell those items April 24 at our regular sale. We cannot sell water fowl or water fowl eggs at this time due to bird flu. Sorry for the inconvenience. NO HOOFED ANIMALS • NO DOGS Any questions, please call

Jr 417-846-7373

Jimmy 479-644-7876

### School Appreciation Luncheon

The Cassville R-IV School District will hold an appreciation luncheon for local law enforcement, paramedics, EMT's, fire departments, utility employees and other community service workers on Friday, April 22, from 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

The informal cookout will be held at the concession stand at the Wildcat Stadium Football Field. In the event of rain, to-go boxes will be provided.

Please RSVP to Mindi Atherton at martherton@ cassville.k12.mo.us by Friday, April 15.

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### **Combined Fishing Team** season is underway



Chance Freed and Tristan Thompson, CMS students, (pictured above, left to right) finished in third place at Bull Shoals Lake in the National Youth Fishing Association (NYFA) Jr. Division. Freed and Thompson finished with 13.59 pounds.

Fishing Team members include: Andon Goutney, Cadyn Smith, Hunter James, Cole Watts, Ean Pryor, Jake Anthonysz, Aidan Cook, Mason Gautney, Danny Roper, Freed and Thompson.

The Wildcats will fish at the following tournaments this season: March 20 at Bull Shoals (pictured), April 10 at Truman Lake, May 8 at Table Rock Lake, June 12 at Pomme De Terre and September 11 at Table Rock Lake (Open Shootout).

### Southwest Trap Team March **2022** Competitions

The Southwest Trap Team has started the year off with a bang at the first competition of the year taking place at Ozark Shooters Sports Complex in Walnut Shade on March 6. Three squads competed this year. Competitors that walked away with medals were: Colten Phillips, Sub Jr. Gold; Levi Carden, Sub Jr. Bronze; Lilly Wolf, Ladies Gold; Bailey Stephens, Ladies Bronze.

The next weekend, March 13, took the team to an AIM Shoot in Bella Vista, Arkansas. A total of 77 shooters participated in the event. Six of the Southwest team members were in the top 12. The results are as follows: 1st - Ty Howard (Champion); 2nd - Samuel Jennings (Runner Up); 6th - Lilly Wolf (Top Lady); 9th - Colton Phillips (Top Sub Jr); Olivia Ayer (Runner up Lady); 12th - Caleb Ayer; 30th- Bailey Stephens; Devin Hall (3rd place tie Sub Jr). Many shooters shot their personal best.

On April 10, the team will return to Bella Vista for an ATA shoot.

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### Arning Companies donates to CMS Industrial Arts Program



Arning team members are given the opportunity to "dress-down" on Fridays by contributing to the Casual Friday for Charity (CFFC) fund. Employees then select a local organization to donate funds raised through the CFFC program. Industrial Arts Teacher, Robbie Artherton, plans to use the donation to purchase a new circular saw and a grinder for the shop.

Pictured above, front row, left to right: Ashlyn Stringer, Jadyn Stewart, Julie Gregory, Riley Stumpff, Payton Ray and Kennedy Truman. Middle row, left to right: Ethan Sizemore, Cayden Rohde, Tyra Sturgell, Gage Barnes and Colton Roark. Back row, left to right: Artherton; Mark Speakman, Director of Production at Arning; Eric Bohmke, Manufacturing Manager at Arning; and Dr. Merlyn Johnson, Cassville R-IV Superintendent.

### Dickinson throws Cassville to 4th at Branson

Lee Stubblefield

Bradan Dickinson won both the discus and shot put events to lead the Cassville Wildcats to a fourth place team finish at the Branson Invitational on Thursday. The Lady Wildcats also placed fourth in team rankings, led by Riley Morris's gold medal discus toss. Republic won the boys division and Ozark took the girls top spot.

**Cassville medalists** 

1st Shot 14.49 m; Bradan Dickinson 1st Discus 39.83 m; Peter Littlefield 2nd High Jump 1.8m; Garrett Ewing, Bryson Jacobson, Jake Anthonysz, Jon Oliphant 4x100m Relay 3rd 46.67; Garrett Ewing, Bryson Jacobson, Jake Anthonysz,Kyle Bailey 4x200m Relay 1:37.55.

Girls: Riley Morris 1st Discus 30.81m; Sharayah Seymour 2nd High Jump

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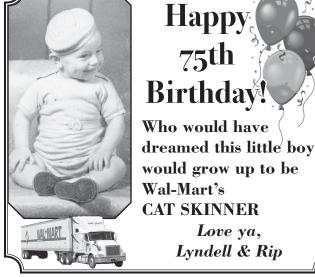
Boys: Bradan Dickinson, 1.4m; Aaliyah Franklin 3rd Shot 8.62m; Jadyn Williams-Reed 2nd 200m Dash 29.22; Marianne Mccrackin 3rd 100m hurdles 18.77; Grace Yokum, Evelun Elliott, Sharayah Seymour, Annie Moore 4x200m Relay 3rd

1:58.88; Kaylyn Weiser, Tori Mitchell, Jolie Evans, Jadyn Williams-Reed 4x400m Relay 3rd 4:44.55; Marianne Mccrackin, Tori Mitchell, Annie Moore, Jolie Evans 4x800m Relay 2nd 11:17.18.



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### SW Elementary March Students of the Month



During the month of March, students were chosen to be Students of the Month. These students exhibited the character trait of Leadership.

Southwest Elementary's March Leadership Students are, front row (left to right): Charli McNabb, Kylie Seabolt, Mason Seabolt, Justice Baker, Aubri Miles, Payton Wallace.

Middle row: Knox Myers, Paisley Hendrix, Lily Brooks, Natalie Jovel, Penelope Crum, Mattison Brooks.

Back row: Demi Roe, Gage Leonard, Olivia Tedford, Gracen Varner. (Absent: Meriya Jalbert)

### **Exeter R-6 National Junior Honor Society New Inductees**



On Wednesday, March 16, 2022, five Exeter Middle School students were inducted into the National Junior Honor Society, class of 2022. They were Audrey Dyer, Beatriz Alcaraz, Kason Antle, Jessica Peters, and Lily Stevenson. To be selected, they showed leadership, citizenship, scholarship, character, and service. Their entries were studied and examined carefully by teachers to be sure that these students met all of these requirements. Mrs. Karla Payton sponsors this organization.

### Wheaton Elementary 2021-22 3rd Quarter Honor Roll

#### A Honor Roll

3rd Grade: Hattie Bolton, Darren Bowman, Konrad Brown, Eseni Cha, Sara

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Chin, Biak Dim, Justin Gonzalez, Kaden Haynes, Mataya Haynie, Adalyn Holmes, Lydia Len, Malia Lombard,



Stormy Lyons, Sophia Mangsang, Palyn Park, Shayla Pearce , Corbin Stover, Charles Tacker, Gabriel Vick.

4th Grade: Molly Banks, Carter Bowman, Lumae Chang, Liliyana Cunningham, Paige Edgar, Andrik Epperson, Rosey Hang, Braxston Lee, Sangcer Ling, Tyler Pettengill, Calvin Pointer, Haylee Pointer, Dawthlei Tial.

5th Grade: Kamdon Kelly, Garrett Roller, Addey Schlessman, Ian Shockley, Ryan

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Thang, Sydney Walling, Goa Chia Yang.

6th Grade: Jozy Bittle, Casen Bolton, Ava Bui, Morgan Crandall, Easton Creekmore, Savanna Holenda, Lexi Krueger, Lyena Lee, Kristian Shockley, Rylee Stansberry.

#### <u>A-B Honor Roll</u>

3rd Grade: Lillyan Ball, William Ball, Ngunuk Cung, Riley Hand, Xyifaab Hang, Brayah Hickman, Keagan Keel, Kameron Mestas, Brylee Potarf, Milez Ross, Brent Shockley, Kyler Smith, Lillie Stevens, Kellyn Vail, Kayla Vang, Miley Young, Jeffrey Zumwalt.

4th Grade: Jackson Allen, Anastasia Atkinson, Luke Bauer, Jaxson Burwell, Zoey



Cassity, Natalia Dover, Mae-Lea Earnshaw, Abigail Gamez, Kira Hardwick, Haylon Hughes, Braylen Huse, Tracy Khun, Gauge McCullah, Sinjay Pelep, Kayleigh Peterson, Abreanna Phomdouangsy, Aylin Rodas-Lopez, Levi Thomas.

5th Grade: Joelie Craig, David Cunningham, Ceceillia Hopkins, Brandon Imel, Jailia Lee, Jesse Lian, Cici Patterson, Jaideon Pointer, Hallie Potarf, Ashlynn Prewitt.

6th Grade: Arabel Bawicer, Cathy Chin, Alesha Hang, Kaydance Smart, Chloey Walling.

### 2022 Southwest Yearbooks on

#### Sale

Order forms are now available for the 2022 Southwest High School yearbook. The publication, which costs \$25 and can be ordered online or with a hard copy form, has 128 pages and includes Pre-K, elementary, middle, and high school. Students can add name stamps and icons for \$5 more. For more information, contact Adviser Steve Voyak at svoyak@swr5.net.

#### **Harvick Farms** to hold free classes

Harvick Farms Nursery, Hwy. 112 in Cassville, will hold the following classes, free of charge: April 14, 5-6 p.m., Landscaping 101; April 16, 10-11 a.m., Landscaping 101; April 28, 5-6 p.m., Beekeeping for Beginners; April 30, 10-11 a.m., Seed Starting; May 12, 5-6 p.m., Composting; May 14, 10-11 a.m.,



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### **Parnell Selected for State Academic Honor**



Cassville High School senior Landry Parnell has received "Honorable Mention" for the 2022 Missouri Scholars 100, a statewide program that honors 100 of Missouri's top academic students in the graduating class of 2022. The 2022 program is the 28th Annual Missouri Scholars 100 recognition.

"Landry is, without a doubt, deserving of this honor," stated Mr. Tyler Willis, CHS Principal. "In my short time at Cassville High School, I have found Landry to be kind, helpful and very trustworthy. Her academic achievements qualify her, but her character is what impresses me most. I am confident Landry will do great things after high school."

Missouri Scholars 100 is a program sponsored by the Missouri Association of Secondary School Principals. Schools across Missouri were invited to nominate candidates for this statewide recognition. The selection is based primarily on a formula using the student's grade point average and ACT or SAT score.

ed had to meet criteria of "Academic Decathlon," an which included ten "events" designed to assure the academic strength of the student. The student must have a minimum GPA of 3.750. a minimum ACT score of 29 or a minimum SAT score of 1,600, be ranked in the upper ten percent of the class and have taken high-level cours-

Southwest to Hold NHS **Induction Ceremony** 

The Southwest High School chapter of the National Honor Society will hold its induction ceremony at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 13 in the gymnasium.

Southwest plans to induct: Caleb Ayer, Lyric Bernard, Cally Bowyer, Shaylea Eggleston, Olivia Garner, Kameron Kelley, Jordy Long, Jordyn Martin, Faith Outhouse, Charlie Pippin, Dylan Rainwater, Alexis Raucstadt, Juliauna Sierra, Brooklynn Slye, Emily Wilson, and Lilly Wolf, and install new officers. NHS President Natalie Johnson Each student nominat-

es in mathematics, science, English and foreign language. The student must also have excellent attendance, be an exemplary school citizen and be involved in the school activity program.

Parnell will attend Drury University in the Fall of 2022 where she plans to study mathematics and pre-engineering. While at Drury, she will also play on the inaugural Drury University Women's Lacrosse team. She is the daughter of Suzy and Lance Parnell of Cassville.

### Students of the Quarter at CHS

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Pictured above, left to right: Mr. Tyler Willis, CHS Principal; Cochran; Yockey; and Troy Wenzel with Rockin' W Excavation.

Seniors Lexi Yockey and Wyatt Cochran have been named Students of the Quarter for third quarter at Cassville High School.

Yockey is a member of the cheerleading squad, Student Council, FCCLA and the National Honor Society. She is the daughter of Gregg and Kandi Yockey, of Cassville.

Cochran plays football and baseball, is a member of the CHS Cheerleading/Stunt Team and is a member of the National Honor Society. He is the son of Bryndon and Jennifer, of Eagle Rock.

Rockin' W Excavation is proudly sponsoring the Student of the Quarter program at CHS. They have provided each award recipient with a goodie bag and a \$15 gift certificate to a local restaurant.



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said Department of Health

and Senior Services Acting

Director Paula Nickelson. "Missourians should feel

confident that we will remain

vigilant when monitoring

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COVID-19, Missouri has

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the past two years in areas

of personal protective equip-

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### Cassville Schools Fishing Team takes tour of Ledgerock Lures Governor Parson Announces End



Pictured above, front row, left to right: Fishing Coach Kelly Mills, Danny Roper, Tristan Thompson, Chance Freed and Cole Watts. Back row: Danny Loveland, (owner of Ledgerock Lures), Ean Pryor, Aidan Cook, Hunter James, Fishing Coach Troy Thompson, Cadyn Smith, and Mason Gautney. Missing from the photo is Jake Anthonysz and Andon Goutney.



On March 31, the Cassville Fishing Team visited Ledgerock Lures in Shell Knob. Ledgerock Lures is a local manufacturer and wholesaler of baits and lures that include jigs and plastics for fishing. The owner, Danny Loveland, hosted an in depth tour of the manufacturing facility describing how baits were designed,

manufactured, and distributed. He also provided insight to the team on how to effectively use the baits and lures to catch fish. After the tour, he provided lunch by way of a fish fry for the team.

The fishing team is made up of middle school and high school students from the Cassville area and compete against other teams at bass tournaments held at Table Rock Lake, Bull Shoals Lake, Lake of the Ozarks, Truman Lake, Stockton Lake and Pomme de Terre.

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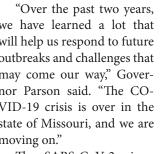
On March 30, during a April 1, 2022.

A whole-of-government COVID-19 emergency response was taken for more than two years, an effort that responded to the needs of all Missourians during the global pandemic and sustained state operations as more was learned about the novel virus. Vaccines, testing resources, and treatments are now readily available for all Missourians, and much of the population now has some immunity to the virus.

"Over the past two years, we have learned a lot that will help us respond to future outbreaks and challenges that may come our way," Governor Parson said. "The CO-VID-19 crisis is over in the state of Missouri, and we are moving on."

The SARS-CoV-2 virus, which causes COVID-19, is expected to continue to circulate in communities, meaning it will be considered endemic like many other diseases. The endemicity also means that surveillance priority will change from monitoring case numbers to monitoring disease severity and societal impact as new waves of infection come and go. This transition does not minimize the continued importance of public health

press conference at the State Capitol, Governor Mike Parson announced an end to the COVID-19 crisis in Missouri and that the state will be shifting to an endemic phase of the pandemic on Friday,



19-associated illnesses. Beginning April 1, the Department of Health and Senior Services will provide weekly dashboard updates that will include 7-day case rate data, activity by region and county, statewide data on COVID-19 hospitalizations, and circulating virus variants. This is a flexible approach al-

lowing accommodation for future surges, should they occur, and require more frequent updates and additional datasets.

More information about vaccines, testing resources, and treatment options along with the updated COVID-19 dashboard and details about this phase of the pandemic can be found by visiting health.mo.gov/coronavirus.



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Water is in pretty good shape, the CFS is 141 this morning. Water is pretty clear, not gin clear yet but getting there. I think a bit more rain is coming this next week, but right now, it is in good shape.

Dry fly fishing has been good. Caddis, adams, blue wing olives, midges, and a few sulfers have all been catching good numbers of trout this week.

Crackle backs have been very good also, as have beetles. I know its too early, but the trout have been hitting them pretty good on the warmer days.

Zebra midges were very good this week. Black, brown and red seemed to be the best colors.

Pheasant tails, copper johns, sow bugs, burlaps and hares ears all caught trout well this week. Glo-balls, and san juan worms did well also. I had lots of customers buying the mop flies this week. Yellow and the cream seemed to be working the best.

Black woolly buggers are usually a good bet first thing in the morning, but fish 'em slow and deep in the afternoon, and you can catch trout all day on one.

The plastic baits were still catching trout very well all week. The natural fish oil eggs and the new hatch brown eggs did very well this past few days. The trout really eat em up.

Power bait eggs in white, orange, and flo. yellow were good all week.

week. The real cloudy day, pink and flo. orange were good colors.

Small micro style jigs were good all week. Olive, white, black/yellow, and tan all worked well. 2lb line is best on the smaller jigs.

The water is just right for bait fishing and is still in decent shape for fly fishing, so have fun this week.

I'm using 9' 7X leaders when fishing dries, and 9' 6X leaders when throwing nymphs, and when I'm using big buggers, or other type of streamers, I'll fish 9' 5X or 4X leaders. On spinning reels I'm recommending 2lb line, but if you have to go heavier, don't go above 4lb unless the water is muddy, then you can use heavier line.

about food preservation. Eden Stewart, MU Extension specialist in nutrition and health education, will share tips and tricks to be successful in feeding the family pro-

duce year-round from your garden. "We'll discuss the correct canning methods and pos-

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sible pitfalls to avoid," said Stewart. Whether you are brand new to the topic of food pres-

tion. During 2022 the group

is focused on feeding the

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garden series continues on

Wednesday, April 13, from

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couraged to come to learn

Dairy producers and in-

11:30-1:30, in Springfield.

ervation or actively can every year, there will be something for everyone. We encourage those who are currently canning, to bring their favorite recipes to share and dial type pressure cooker for on-site accuracy testing.

**Food Preservation for** Women in Dairy April meeting "It's not too late to start Women in dairy are passionate about food produc-

your garden," says Reagan Bluel, MU Extension Dairy specialist. "We're all working together and learning together to make this year's garden great."

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We hope you'll join us to learn more about providing fresh and preserved garden goodness for your family at MU's Family Nutrition Education Program Office located at 2160 W. Chesterfield Blvd., Ste. F200, Springfield, MO 65807.

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### Southwest Boys 2nd at **Diamond Track Invitational**

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The Southwest boys track team, led by Caden Uthe, Christian Long, and Ezra Sprowes, finished runner-up at the Diamond Invitational last week. School of the Ozarks won the event that featured 15 schools with 93 points, while Southwest and Jasper followed with 78 and 73 respectively.

"We made a few changes to score some extra points and the guys really responded," said Coach Steve Voyak. "The wind was relentless all day making it challenging for all athletes.'

Long won the open 800 meters and finished third in the mile and fourth in the

2-mile, while Uthe was 2nd in the high jump and anchored the 4x800 (1st) and the 4x400 (3rd). Sprowes was second in the 200 and helped the 4x100 earh silver as well.

Rainer, Otis Robert Humphries and Jerwyn Straw also were standouts at the meet.

"Otis helped us medal in three relay events and Jerwyn in two," Voyak said. "And Robert, who has been maybe our most impressive and consistent runner in the first three meets, medaled in the 4x800, 800 and mile.

Southwest runs meets at Reeds Springs and Aurora next week.



The 1" crawlers were good all week. The yellow and the pink seemed to be the best colors.

Black spinners, and blue spinners worked well all





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### CMS March Students of the Month



Pictured, left to right, CMS Principal Mr. Darren Rhea, Izaak Henbest, Nevaeh Johnson, Samantha Stockton, and Jeremy Marple with Willis Insurance.

The Cassville Middle School March Students of the Month, sponsored by Willis Insurance, are: 6th Grade: Samantha Stockton, daughter of Carrie and Doug Stockton of Cassville; 7th Grade: Izaak Henbest, son of Kana and Steven Henbest of Aurora; 8th Grade: Nevaeh Johnson, daughter of Amanda Drollinger of Cassville. Students of the Month are nominated by CMS teachers based upon academic excellence, perseverance or improvement, displaying exemplary citizenship and are a positive influence on school culture. Students of the Month receive a candy bar, a Sonic gift card and will enjoy lunch from a local restaurant with Mr. Rhea.

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The Horner Ridge Runners 4-H Club held a food drive for the month of February. The club collected a total of 175 food items to be donated to a local food pantry.

Pictured above, front row, left to right: Aubrey Kilts and Jase Welters. Back row: Jason Yerge, Rylee Yerge, Jasmine Corn, Blakely Johnson, Hailey Bowen, and Jase Isabell.

### Drury University hosts First Friday Coffee at Cassville Chamber



Drury University hosted First Friday Coffee on April 1, at the Cassville Chamber office. Shown above, Rhonda Schilly, Site Director of Drury University's Monett Campus, discussed class schedules and services offered at Drury to Chamber members at the gathering. The next First Friday Coffee will be held May 6 at the University of Missouri Extension Office at the Cassville Historic Courthouse.







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