

Roaring River most visited State Park on Opening Day of Trout Season six straight years

By Adriana Keeton, editor@4bca.com



Trout anglers lined the banks of Roaring River last Friday for opening day of the catch-and-keep 2024 season at the State Park. Photo: Adriana Keeton

Roaring River State Park 2024 Catch-and-Keep Season is off to a good start. A total of 2,078 daily trout tags were purchased this year at the park on opening day, outselling Bennett Spring and Montauk State Parks for the sixth straight year.

According to Brad Farwell, Hatchery Manager at Roaring River State Park, the river was stocked with 6,000 trout and 100 lunkers (trout over three pounds) prior to opening day.

Payton Grube, of Joplin caught the top luncker, which weighed 8.65 pounds. A total of 32 lunkers were weighed at the luncker station at the CCC Lodge from anglers throughout the four state region.

In conjunction with opening day, representatives with Missouri State Parks and the Cassville Community Foundation officially opened the new playground across from the Roaring River Park Store. The new playground was built with funds from the Cassville Community Foundation during off-season. View more photos of opening day 2024 on page 3.



Cassville Area Chamber member C.J. Tabor with Forever Yours Embroidery distributed mugs to anglers under the big tent. The Cassville Area Chamber of Commerce has handed out coffee to anglers on opening day at Roaring River State Park for over 50 years, and commemorative mugs since 1992. Photo: Cassville JAG



Payton Grube, 17, of Joplin, hooked this 8.65 lb. female rainbow trout. It was the top luncker caught on opening day 2024 at Roaring River. Photo: Cassville Chamber of Commerce



Eden Crowder, of Galena, Kansas, caught her first fish at Roaring River on opening day. It weighed a whopping 3.35 pounds. Photo: Adriana Keeton

Master Gardeners “Let’s Get Growing” Garden Workshop set for March 23

From Barry County Master Gardeners

Barry County Master Gardeners are hosting their annual spring garden workshop on March 23 at First Baptist Church Family Life Center in downtown Cassville at 602 West St. Doors will open at 9:00 a.m. and the program will begin at 9:20 a.m. We will have local venders, great door prizes and good things to eat. We will also have a few plants for sale and some time for your questions. We are featuring four speakers.

Lainey Harvick and husband, Joseph, are the owners of Harvick Farms Nursery on Hwy. 112 just outside of Cassville. She and Joseph provide numerous educational opportunities for the public as well as a large selection of healthy plants. Lainey will preview a few plants that are new in the nursery trade for 2024.

Skip Easter, a member of our Master Gardener group, holds a degree in Forest Resource Management and became an ISA Certified Arborist in 1996. In 2002, Skip received the Forest Conservationist of the Year Award from the Missouri Conservation Federation. She now lives near Cassville on her own Certified Tree Farm where she practices what she preaches. Skip will be dis-

cussing how to successfully plant your trees for years of healthy growth and enjoyment.

Cherie Love, also a member of BCMG, has been interested in herbs for a very long time. When she moved to the Ozarks about 12 years ago, she had access to native herbs and began studying medicinal uses for them. She now makes medicinal products as well as soaps and wines. Cherie will share some of her processes with us.

Kelly McGowan is a Horticulture Specialist with Missouri Extension in Greene County. Kelly will be recommending native plants for your landscape gardens that perform very well in the Ozarks. There are many advantages to choosing native plants as they provide habitat for our pollinators, are very durable, and provide beauty at the same time.

We encourage you to preregister for the workshop with the Barry County Extension by email at Barryco@missouri.edu or call 417-847-3161. The charge for those who preregister is \$10 which you can pay at the door. Walk-ins are welcome, too, and will pay \$12.

Resurfacing Projects to begin in Taney, Stone, and Barry Counties

From MoDOT Southwest Region

According to a press release from MoDOT Southwest District, drivers can expect lane closures and occasional traffic delays of Missouri Route 86 in Taney, Stone, and Barry Counties and Route F in Barry County for a resurfacing project beginning Monday, March 11.

Route 86 will receive a new asphalt driving surface, edge line rumble strips, shoulder repairs, guardrail, and road markings in various locations. Route F will receive a new asphalt driving surface and shoulders will be widened by two feet

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All of our pets are fixed, up to date on their vaccinations, and microchipped. The Haven of the Ozarks is open from 9am-4pm, seven days a week. For more information, please email us at havenozarksanctuary@gmail.com, or give us a call at 417-835-3647. No appointments are needed for adopters. To view all of our adoptable pets visit www.havenoftheozarks.org/adopt.

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Celebrate Agriculture: Thank a Farmer Week

From Missouri Farm Bureau

Our changing economy illustrates how agriculture impacts our lives now more than ever. Thanks to Missouri farmers, consumers have food and goods choices that are locally sourced. Consumers around the world enjoy what our farmers and ranchers produce. Missouri Farm Bureau and county Farm Bureaus across the state are joining forces to celebrate the importance of agriculture, March 3-9, during Celebrate Agriculture: Thank a Farmer Week.

According to the 2017 Census of Agriculture, the number of farms in Missouri dropped from 99,171 on 28.5 million acres of land in 2012 to 95,320 on 27.8 million acres. Despite the drop in farm numbers and acreage, Missouri continues to

rank among the top ten states in production of major commodities and provides an \$88.4 billion economic impact.

America's farms and farmers continue to be the most productive in the world. Each farm annually produces enough food and fiber for 172 people, 106 in the U.S., and 66 abroad. American consumers benefit from this bounty, yet spend less than 9 percent of their disposable income on food. By 2050, the global population is expected to increase by 9.1 billion people. Farmers will have to grow about 49 percent more food than is now produced.

With all that they produce, it is remarkable that farm and ranch families account for less than 2 percent of the U.S. population. Across the United States,

there are 2 million farms with 3.4 million farm operators. This number includes owners, their families, hired workers, tenants and renters or sharecroppers. Many farms today find multiple generations working together to produce food and fiber.

So, join Farm Bureau as we Celebrate Agriculture and Thank a Farmer.

"Agriculture is important to our daily lives and our community. Because 98 percent of the population doesn't farm, it is easy to take for granted the importance of our farmers," Lana Couch says. "Celebrate Agriculture: Thank a Farmer Week is a great time to recognize the important contribution made by farmers."

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in some locations. Work will be done during the hours of 6 a.m.-6 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Contractor crews will begin resurfacing work on Route 86 at the Kings River bridge just west of the Barry/Stone County line and work east to Missouri Route 13, near Blue Eye.

Project locations include Route 86 between Route 65 south of Hollister and Missouri Route 76 southeast to Cassville and on Barry County Route F, between Missouri Route 112 in Roaring River State Park and Route 86, north of Eagle Rock.

Traffic will be reduced to one lane where contractor crews are laying asphalt. Drivers on Route 86 and Route F will encounter flaggers and pilot cars directing them through the work zone. There will be no signed detour, but signs and message boards will alert drivers approaching the work zone.

Free virtual class for Midwest Mushroom offered by MDC

From Missouri Department of Conservation

Morel mushrooms taste good and hunting them provides an excellent reason for a walk in the woods when spring is blooming. But there are more mushroom types than morels to be found, cooked, and enjoyed. Learn which mushrooms to pick and which to avoid when the Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) offers a free virtual Midwest Mushrooms class from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 19.

No prior experience hunting mushrooms is necessary. This online class will help newcomers get started. But it will also help experienced mushroom hunters learn more about morels and all types of mushrooms.

Midwest Mushrooms is open to participants ages 12 and older. Registration is required. To register, visit <http://short.mdc.mo.gov/48c>.

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Flora Blumm, 4, of Exeter, enjoyed slide time with her father, Forrest, at the new playground across from the Roaring River Store. Photo: Adriana Keeton



Finn Fordyce, Tillie Rhea, Esme Fordyce, and Hadley Rhea visit Roaring River annually with their families. The three families have rented cabins on opening day for 20 plus years. Photo: Shari Rhea

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Great fishing this week at Roaring River. Water is still clear and at 53 CFS.

Marabou jigs were really good this week, and the yellow power bait grubs were great. Pink was pretty good also. Black spinners and brown spinners did well everyday.

White, natural fish oil, pink, and the shrimp eggs did really well all weekend.

Black/yellow, olive, tan, and white marabou jigs did very well all weekend.

It was great fly fishing with blue wing olives, caddis, and midges every day. Beetles were doing well, as were olive and black buggers. Pheasant tail

nymphs, burlaps, sow bugs, scuds, and black zebras midges have all been doing well.

In clear water, 2-lb line is best on your spinning rods, on fly rods 9' 6X for nymphs, and a 9' 7X works best for dries.

Have fun on the river this week.

Opening Day 2024 Roaring River State Park



It has been 24 years since Patrick Meeks, of Clinton, has visited Roaring River State Park for opening day. He normally attends Bennett Spring. He went home with a 4.95 lb. lunker. Photo: Adriana Keeton



Cassville High School student Avery Robertson, 16, took full advantage of no school on opening day and hooked this 3.55 lb. beauty. Photo: Adriana Keeton



Jack Nickols, lifelong resident of Barry County, shot the firing gun to open the 2024 catch and keep trout season at Roaring River State Park. Photo: Adriana Keeton



Tim Mahaffey, of Ritchie, wasn't sure if he would make the lunker board when he brought his bounty to the weigh station. She weighed in at 3.20 lbs. Photo: Adriana Keeton

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• When operating a trimmer or chainsaw, you'll need ear protection, shoes with slip-resistant soles, chaps and gauntlets.
• If you use a ladder, tie it off to a secure location. Never go anywhere near a power line with a ladder, especially a metal one.
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Notice:

Applications for Opioid Funds are available from Barry County. Applications can be picked up at the Barry County Clerk's office at 700 Main St. Ste 2, Cassville, MO 65625 or digital form available on the Barry County Clerk's website: barrycoclerk.com. Rules for organizations applying for funds can also be found on the website. Completed applications should be mailed or brought to the clerk's office at the above address.

BARRY COUNTY PRESS RELEASE:

The Missouri Democratic Party is holding a Presidential Preference Primary next month. Independent and Democratic Voters can request a mail-in ballot online at <https://request.mrgvote.com/Missouri> until March 12, 2024. Voters that participate in the Republican Caucus or are registered as Republican cannot participate. Each county committee is running an in-person vote on Saturday, March 23, from 8 A.M. to 12 P.M. Barry County's Primary poll will be at the Crowder College Community Building at 4020 Main Street, Cassville.

Senior Age and the Cassville Senior Center will be having a tax counseling program this year, starting in February, where volunteer tax preparers will assist seniors with their taxes and property tax credit. The program will start up in February and it is by appointment. Those needing an appointment can call the Cassville Senior Center at (417) 847-4510 or stop by the center at 1111 Fair St., Cassville.

Patriots of SW MO have meetings on the 3rd Saturday of every month from 1 to 3 P.M. at the VFW in Shell Knob (on Hwy. 39). Everyone is welcome. To learn more and find out who this month's exciting speakers are, contact Jean Dodge at dodgejean13@gmail.com, or Diane Painter (417) 858-2100. (please no texts).

The Purdy Community Recycling Center, located next to the main baseball field, is open Tuesdays from 3:30 to 5:30 P.M., and is currently accepting #1 and #2 plastic, cardboard, aluminum cans, steel cans, used motor oil and filters, and paper products with no food residue.

The Wheaton Depot Museum in Wheaton will be open Sundays from 1 to 5 P.M. Visitors are encouraged to check out the history of Wheaton and the Missouri and North Arkansas Railroad (M&NA). Phone numbers are posted in the window of the museum.

Ozark Country Quilters meets at Show Me Plaza, Hwy. 248, Cassville, every 3rd Monday for Open Sew; every 3rd Thursday for 'Work Shop'; and every 1st Tuesday for their business

meeting. For more information, call (417) 342-1372. *Mark your calendars for the upcoming Quilt Show Friday, April 5, and Saturday, April 6, at Crowder College, Cassville. More details to come in a future edition of Community Calendar.*

Exeter Preschool and Kindergarten Screenings for 2024-2025 School Year Screenings for Preschool will be on Wednesday, April 10, 2024. Screenings for Kindergarten will be on Thursday, April 11, 2024. To participate you must bring proof of residency, immunization record, and birth certificate. Early Childhood students should turn 3 before 8/1/24. Preschool students should turn 4 before 8/1/24. Kindergarten Students should turn 5 before 8/1/24. Call the Elementary office at 417-835-2922, ext. 1, to schedule an appointment.

Seligman Chamber Event Center has a country dance with bands every Saturday from 7 to 10 P.M. No alcohol allowed. Admission is \$10. Ages 18 and under are free. There is pot luck, 50/50 and door prizes. For information, (479) 903-3640.

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The Helping Hands Food Pantry, 32685 Hwy. 86, Eagle Rock, services the citizens of Eagle Rock, Golden and Mano and is open from 9 to 11:45 A.M. Saturdays and Tuesdays, and 5 to 7 P.M. the first Thursday of the month. Call (417) 271-1301 for more information.

Soil Samples need to be received at the MU B.C. Extension office by 12 P.M. Thursday. Call (417) 847-3161.

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

Friday March 8

The Stella Senior Center, 719 Carter St., Stella, has a dinner and dance every Friday night. The doors open at 5:30 P.M., with a meal at 6 P.M. The dance starts at 7 P.M. This week's band is Timberline Country Band. Cover charge is \$5. Refreshments are always available. Please call (417) 628-3314 or (417) 489-3661 for more information.

Saturday March 9

Fund Raiser Country Breakfast will be served by the Butterfield Firefighters Auxiliary from 7 to 11 A.M. at the Butterfield Fire Station. The menu will include pancakes, biscuits and gravy, sausage, scrambled eggs, juice, milk, and coffee. The price for ages 12 and over is \$7, ages 11 and under is \$5. Delivery is available to local Butterfield residents.

Tuesday March 12

The Barry County Democratic Committee will hold a monthly meeting at 6:00 P.M. at El Mariachi Restaurant in Cassville.

Tuesday March 12

The Southwest Missouri Waste Management District N will hold its monthly Executive Board meeting at 11:50am on Tuesday, March 12, 2024 at Angus Branch Steakhouse in Monett. This meeting is open to the public. A teleconference number will also be available for this meeting, please contact the district office at 417-236-9012 or 417-342-6306 prior to the

day of the meeting for the call-in number and pass code.

Saturday March 16

An Outdoor Music Event will be hosted at Zone 4, South of Cassville, from 4 to 6 P.M. There will be performances by Wildcat Jazz and CHS State Band Musicians. Admission is \$5 for live music. Zone 4 has partnered with the Cassville Band Boosters for this fund raiser. 10% of all Zone 4 sales on March 16, 2024, will be donated back to the Band Boosters.

Saturday March 23

In person voting for Democrats and Independents will be held on March 23, 8am-noon, in the Crowder Community Building.

Cassville Branch Library Activities

Home School: Tuesdays, 10am. Registration required (children/teens).

Open Adult Crafts: Wednesdays, 10am-noon.

Kid's Crafting: Wednesdays, 3:30-5pm

Tot Time: Thursdays, 9am. Registration required. (children ages 0 to 2).

Story Time: Thursdays, 10am. Registration required (children).

Kid's Movie: Friday, March 8 at 4pm. Registration required.

Lego Club: Saturday, March 16 from 10am-noon

Ceramics Painting: Tuesday, March 12 at 6pm. \$5 registration required.

After School Wii Games: Wednesday, March 13, from 3-5pm. Waiver Required.
Contact the library for more information on any of their programs. The Cassville Branch Library is located at 301 W. 17th St. Phone number is (417) 847-2121.

Monett Library Adult Programs

Chair Yoga - Mondays 1:30pm (except holidays)
***Dulcimer Class** - 1st & 3rd Saturdays, 10am
Crochet and Knitting Class with Verda - Thursdays, 2pm (starting Jan. 18, 2024)
*** The Red Bandana Dulcimers and the Monett Branch Library are offering a Beginner Mountain Dulcimer Class starting Saturday, March 2nd, 9-10am in the Monett Library Community Room. The class will meet for 9 weeks (each Saturday in March and April). This is a No-Cost class. Please sign up at the Monett Branch Library. Bring or borrow a Mountain Dulcimer and come join in the fun and learning!!**
Monett Branch Library is located at 2200 Park St., Monett. Phone number is 417-235-7350

School Menus: Mar. 11th to Mar. 15th
All meals served with milk and subject to change.

Cassville R-IV High School: **Mon: B:** Biscuits & Gravy or Chicken Nuggets, Hashbrown, Fruit Cocktail OR Cereal, Nutri-Grain Bar, Mandarin Oranges. **L:** Country Steak Or Popcorn Chicken, Potatoes, Corn, Bread stick, Applesauce. **Tues: B:** Biscuits & Gravy or Blueberry Muffin, Blueberries OR Cereal, Toast, Strawberries. **L:** Chili Dog or Crispito, Nachos, Baked Beans, Juice. **Wed: B:** Biscuits & Gravy or Breakfast Burrito, Sausage Patty, Pineapple OR Cereal, Cinnamon Toast, Applesauce. **L:** Spaghetti or Alfredo, Salad, Mixed Vegetables, Bread Stick, Fruit Cocktail. **Thurs: B:** Biscuits & Gravy or Scrambled Eggs, Hashbrown/Toast, Tropical Fruit OR Cereal, Graham Crackers, Peaches. **L:** Corn-dog or Pizza, Mac & Cheese, Glazed Carrots, Mandarin Oranges. **Fri:** No School

Cassville R-IV PR-IN-Middle: **Mon: B:** Biscuits & Gravy or Pancake on Stick, Pop Tart, Applesauce OR Cereal, Cinnamon Toast, Tropical Fruit. **L:** Frito Pie or Chicken Quesadilla, Pinto Beans, Corn, Peaches. **Tues: B:** Biscuit & Gravy or Strawberry Bagel, Go-Gurt, Fruit Cocktail OR Cereal, Pop Tart, Tropical Fruit. **L:** Chicken & Noodle or Pork Choppette, Potatoes, Peas, Pears. **Wed: B:** Biscuits & Gravy or Breakfast Pizza, Hashbrown OR Cereal, Blueberry Muffin, Applesauce. **L:** Chicken Sandwich or Burrito, Nachos, Broccoli & Cheese, Juice. **Thurs: B:** Biscuits & Gravy or Chicken Nuggets, Graham Crackers, Fruit Cocktail OR Cereal, Rice Krispy Treat, Pears. **L:** Chili or Chili Cheese Fries, Crackers, Cheese Sticks, Vegetable Mix, Fruit Cocktail. **Fri:** No School

Purdy R-II Schools: **Mon: B:** Scrambled Eggs, Toast, Fruit. **L:** Mandarin Chicken, Rice, Broccoli, Fruit. **Tues: B:** Biscuits & Gravy, Sausage Patty, Fruit **L:** Frito Pie, Corn, Fruit, Cookie **Wed: B:** Pancake on a Stick, Syrup Cup, Go-Gurt, Fruit. **L:** Chicken Nuggets, Potato Wedges, Fruit. **Thurs: B:** Breakfast Pizza, Go-Gurt, Fruit **L:** Turkey Roll-Up, Chips, Celery Sticks w/ PB, Fruit. **Fri:** No School

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Sophomore: Caitlyn Bonass, Jacob Hudson, Belle Washam
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Purdy School to host Multicultural Celebration

By Adriana Keeton, editor@4bca.com

Purdy R-II School District will host a Multicul-tural Celebration on Thursday, March 14, with an exhibit which will be open from 3:30-6:30p.m. in the FEMA lobby and multicultural performances beginning at 7 p.m. in the FEMA auditorium.
The celebration, which was planned and im-plemented by students, will include games, free manicures for students, exhibits on different cus-toms and traditions, ethnic treats, two multicul-tural fashion shows, a Bamboo dance, and a per-formance by guest soloist Cheri Cing.
Cultures represented during the celebration will include Chin State, Guatemala, Laos, Malay-sia, Mexico, Myanmar, Thailand, and Vietnam.

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ROBERT A. "BOB" SMITH

Robert A. "Bob" Smith, 92, passed from this life on February 27, 2024, for a better life with God. Robert was born on March 4, 1931, in Sterling, Ill., to Antionette (Tina) Elizabeth Merlak Smith and Earl Henry Smith. He was the eldest of 12 children, six boys and six girls.

Robert married Nadine Armstrong in 1952 and enjoyed 61 years of marriage prior to her passing. Robert and Nadine were active in their church where he was an Elder for 12 years, as well as a song leader. Robert and Nadine enjoyed mission work with So-

journers through the Church of Christ. They traveled for five years throughout the United States helping small congregations with VBS, home studies, and Gospel meetings. They also helped with building maintenance and church camps as needed and with no cost to the congregations.

Robert was in the Navy Reserves in Michigan from 1950 – 1954 but his unit was never activated. Robert was employed by the Chicago Milwaukee St. Paul and Pacific Railroad for 12 years and General Distributing for 12 years before retiring. Previously he was also employed as a copper miner in Butte, Montana, and the phosphate mines in Garretson, Montana.

Robert was active in Cub Scouts for several years in Deer Lodge, Montana. He also enjoyed hunting and fishing, but Glacier Park

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was his home away from home. There he acquired the name "Glacier Bob." There he fished and backpacked throughout the park and was at peace there while he communed with God.

Robert is predeceased by his father, Earl, and his mother, Antionette (Teeny), James Smith, LaDonna (Peaches) Smith Morris, Carolyn Smith, Frank Smith, and his daughter, Barbara Lynelle Smith Caldwell.

He is survived by his children, Robert A. Smith Jr. (Lois), of Whitesburg, Georgia, Van Earl Smith, of Cassville, Marnette Smith Ballowe (Bill), of Great Falls, Montana, Melanie Smith McKiernan, of Great Falls, Montana, and Kenneth Smith (Debbie), of Eureka Springs, Ark.; siblings, Dorothy Hatcher Nicholes, Donald Smith (Gloria), Earlene (Duchess) Cox, Nancy Jarratt (Arnold), Earl Smith (Teresa), Joseph Smith (Maureen) and Toni Bender (Ken); fifteen

grandchildren and many great-grandchildren, as well as many nieces and nephews.

Services will be held at 2:00 P.M. Saturday, March 9, 2024, at Mill Street Church of Christ in Cassville under direction of Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville. Garret Akin will conduct the service.

The family wishes to welcome everyone to attend the service.

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GRACE "SUE" ALENE LAWRENCE

Grace "Sue" Alene Lawrence, age 89, went to be with her Savior on February 26, 2024. She was born to William "Bill" Fare and Ol-

ive "Elaine" (Truhitte) Fare on August 17, 1934, at McDowell.

Sue was married to Joe Wayne Lawrence on August 15, 1949, in Eureka Springs, Arkansas. Sue grew up in the Purdy area and attended McDowell and Purdy schools. She was a homemaker for several years before retiring from Juvenile Shoe Corporation in Aurora. Sue became a Christian in her early years and was an active member of the Aurora Fundamental Methodist Church and was known for her delicious homemade pies. She was preceded in death by her parents and her husband of 55 years, Joe Lawrence; a special friend, Joe Hadley; a brother, Frankie Fare; and son-in-law, Morris Noll.

Sue will be greatly missed by her family and is survived by her sons, Billy and Diana Lawrence, of Aurora, Stan and Lora Lawrence, of Wentworth, and Jerry and Deanne Lawrence, of Crane; one daughter, Brenda and the late Morris Noll; ten grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; five great-great-grandchildren; one brother, Dewey and Maggie Fare; of Aurora; and three sisters, Rosemary and the late Don Larkin, of Allen, Texas, Barbara and Maurice Henry, of Springfield, and Becky and Stan Ruscha, of Aurora; and several nieces, nephews and family.

Graveside services were held, Thursday,

February 29, 2024, at Maple Park Cemetery under direction of Peterson Funeral Home with a Celebration of Life, Saturday, March 9, 2024, at 10:30 a.m. at the Aurora Fundamental Methodist Church. Pastor Ronnie Fieker will be conducting the services.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Gideons through the Aurora Fundamental Methodist Church or Baptist Children's Home through the Reavisville Baptist Church.



LILLY "ROSELEA" JEROME

Lilly "Roselea" Jerome, age 71, of Seligman, passed away Thursday, February 29, 2024, at her home.

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

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DORIS D. (TALLEY) LANGFORD

Doris D. (Talley) Langford, 96, of Monett, passed away Tuesday, February 27, 2024. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, March 9, 2024, at Buchanan Funeral Home, Monett. Visitation will begin at 9:30 a.m. prior to the service.



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To our wonderful church, Pastor James, the musicians, and ladies for the wonderful meal. The whole community for food, cards, flowers, and donation, Les Jacobs Ford, relatives, gas company employees, and those who traveled to get here. Finally to Fohn Funeral Home for a beautiful service.
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RUBY FERN
STEVER

Ruby Fern Stever, age 92, of Cassville, passed away Friday, March 1, 2024, at her home.

She was born November 17, 1931, in Seligman, the daughter of Fern “Doc” and Clara B. (Moore) Edens. On September 5, 1953, in Cassville, she was united in marriage to Francis Eugene Stever, who preceded her in death on June 15, 1994. In 1996, in Las Vegas, Nevada, she was united in marriage to Samuel Wilson, who preceded her in death on May 3, 2018. Also preceding her in death were her parents; two brothers, Charles L. Edens and Russell V. Edens; a sister-in-law, Nena Edens; and a brother-in-law, Jack Klein.

Surviving are one son, Jeffrey Stever, of Cassville; one daughter, Jill Stever, of Kansas City; one brother, J.H. “Red” Edens, of Cassville; and one sister, Oleta Klein, of Omaha, Nebraska.

Ruby grew up and attended school in Cassville, graduating from Cassville High School in 1949. In 1953, she moved to Kansas City and returned to Cassville in 2021. During her time in Kansas City, she was employed by Trans World Airlines as director of archives for 19 years from where she retired in 1995. She traveled extensively due to her job at TWA. Ruby enjoyed spending time with her friends, collecting music boxes, cooking, traveling and gardening. When

her children were in school, she attended all their activities. She was a member of Northgate Baptist Church in Kansas City.

Graveside services were held today, Wednesday, March 6, 2024, at Corinth Cemetery in Cassville under direction of Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville. Brother Tony Ball conducted the services.

Contributions may be made to Missouri Baptist Children’s Home in memory of Ruby.

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JANICE CHRISTINE ALLRED

Janice Christine Allred, age 79, of Cassville, passed away Saturday, March 2, 2024, at Northwest Medical Center – Bentonville in Bentonville, Arkansas.

She was born March 5, 1944, in Shell Knob, the daughter of Herbert E. and Dora Willa (Carr) Wilson. On August 26, 1967, in Shell Knob, she was united in marriage to Robert Allred, who preceded

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Contributions may be made to Jimmy Swaggart Ministries in memory of Janice.

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JO ANNA FLETCHER

Jo Anna Fletcher, of Eagle Rock, was born March 29, 1938, in Harrison, Ark., to Graddon and Ruth (Carpenter) Anderson. Jo Anna passed away February 23, 2024, in Eagle Rock at the age of 85.

her in death on January 1, 2012. Also preceding her in death were her parents and a brother, Gary Wilson.

Surviving are four daughters, Monté Wolf, of Cassville, Christie Hare and her husband, Jim, of Cassville, Alisa Fipps and her husband, Brian, of Gentry, Arkansas, and Sonya Luallen and her husband, Kendall, of Fayetteville, Arkansas; and eight grandchildren, Carmen Wolf, Carson Wolf, Alexander Hare, Andrew Hare and his wife, Lindsey, Joshua Fipps, Abigail Fipps, Rhanelle Fipps and Makayla Luallen.

Janice attended grade school at Fairview School in Shell Knob and Cassville High School. She was a homemaker and was known as the Kool-Aid lady to her children at school. Janice owned and operated Janice’s Daycare for 15 years where she touched a lot of little lives. Some of her favorite pastimes were reading, doing crossword puzzles and fishing. Janice had a strong faith in God and a deep love for her family and friends.

Services will be held at 2:00 P.M. Wednesday, March 6, 2024, at Fohn Funeral Home in Cassville. Pastor Greg Forester will conduct the services. Burial will be at Fields Cemetery in Shell Knob.

er and wife, Jamie Lynn; grandchildren, Riley Fletcher and wife, Shelby, and Carter Fletcher, along with other family members and friends.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Graddon and Ruth Anderson; ex-husband, JD Fletcher; son, David Fletcher; and siblings, Virigina, Jimmy, and Freddie.

Funeral service will be 10:00 a.m., Saturday, March 9, 2024, at Charles M. Nelson Memorial Chapel with Pastor Bill Kenagy officiating. Arrangements under the direction of Nelson Funeral Service. Online condolences may be sent to nelsonfuneral.com.

SHEILA SMITH

Sheila Smith, 81, of Golden, passed away Sunday, March 3, 2024. Arrangements are under the direction of White Funeral Home and Crematory, Cassville.

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The University of Missouri Dairy specialist, Reagan Bluel, has teamed up with locally renowned Veterinarian, Dr. Max Thornsberry to provide an informative meeting for the Women in Dairy group on March 13th from 11:30-2 at the Laclede Co. Extension office; 186-D N. Adams Ave, Lebanon, MO 65536.

“Dr. Thornsberry will address the big pitfalls to calf rearing that he’s identified his years of experience,” Bluel said. “We’ll be sure to provide much time at the end for producers to bring questions specific to their operation.”

“I’m on the 9th edition of Dairy Calf Production Protocol, a comprehensive textbook that serves as a resource for producers,” explained Thornsberry. “Over the years, each new edition is updated with the latest research-based calf protocols.”

A textbook will be provided to every family pre-registered for the event. Please visit <https://tinyurl.com/339bzdxx> or call 417-847-3161 prior to Monday, March 11th at noon to reserve your copy.

The meeting will begin with lunch, with the educational program beginning at noon.

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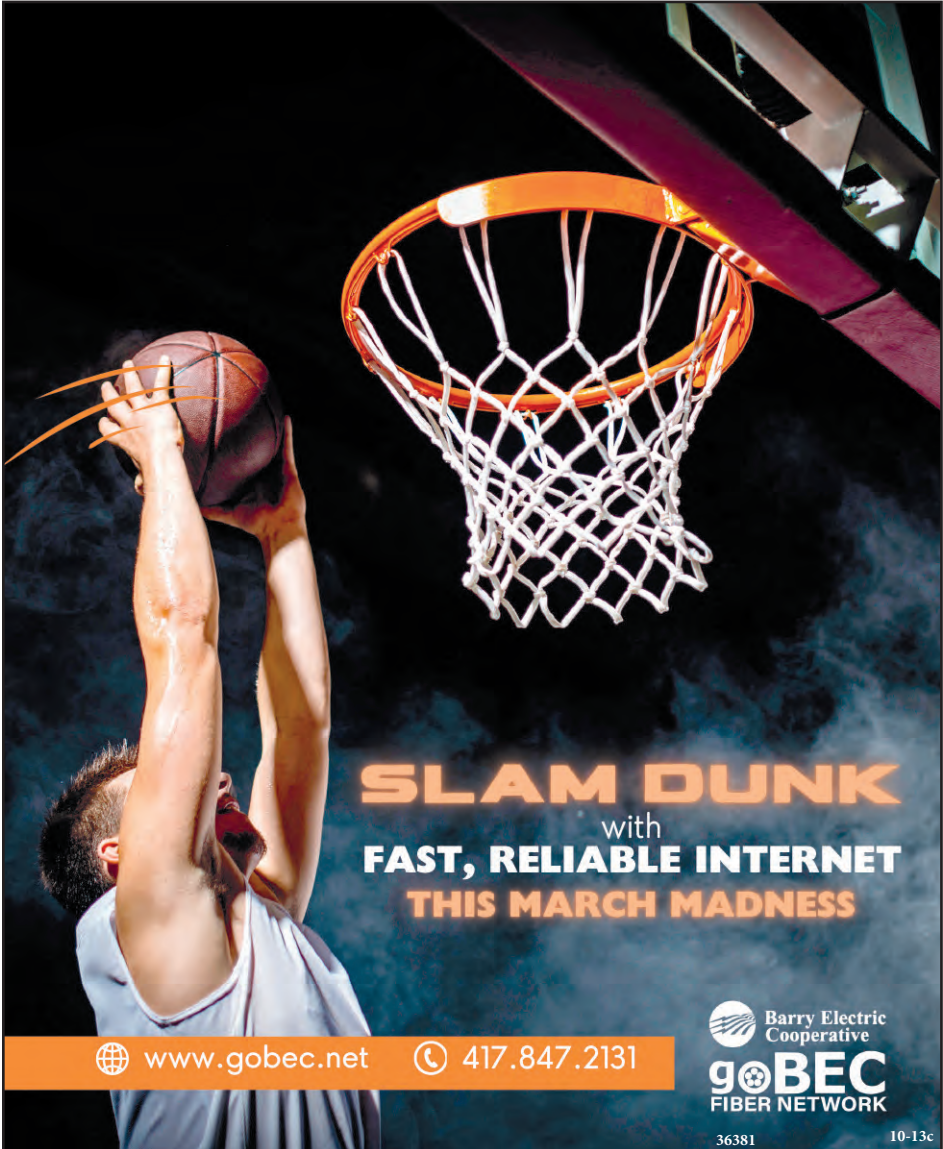
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The season for the state’s major paddlefish waters -- Lake of the Ozarks, Harry S. Truman Reservoir, and Table Rock Lake – along with most other waters in the state runs March 15 through April 30. The season for the Mississippi River is March 15 through May 15 with a fall season of Sept. 15 through Dec. 15.

Paddlefish, named for their large, paddle-shaped snouts, are an ancient species that can grow to seven feet and weigh more than 100 pounds. Paddlefish swim slowly through water with their mouths wide open, collecting tiny crustaceans and insects in their elaborate, closely set gill rakers. The paddle-shaped snout functions as an electrosen-

sory organ that allows it to sense plankton as it swims through water.

Because the giant fish eat tiny crustaceans and insects, they do not bite on traditional fishing hooks. The are usually caught through the practice of snagging where anglers drag large triple-sided hooks through the water to “snag” a fish in the body with the hooks.

A fishing permit is required for snagging and other allowed methods, unless exempt. The daily limit is two paddlefish, and the possession limit is four. No person shall continue to snag after taking a daily limit of two paddlefish.

The statewide minimum length limit is 32 inches -- measured from eye to fork of tail – with a minimum length limit of 34 inches for Lake of the Ozarks, Table Rock Lake, Harry S. Truman Reservoir, and their tributaries.

All paddlefish under the legal minimum length must be returned to the water unharmed immediately after being caught.

MDC offers these tips for returning undersized fish:

- Use landing nets, not gaffs, which can kill young fish.
- Wet hands before handling fish and avoid excessive handling.
- Never put fingers in the gills or eyes.
- Remove hooks carefully and get undersized fish back into the water as quickly as possible.

Cleaning paddlefish while on the water, dumping the carcass overboard, and returning to shore with fillets and/or eggs is illegal. Extracted paddlefish eggs may not be possessed while on waters of the state or adjacent banks and may not be transported. Paddlefish eggs may not be bought, sold, or offered for sale. These regulations are necessary to confirm length-limit requirements and to address the illegal caviar trade.

Snaggers and others are allowed to haul paddlefish carcasses out by boat to deeper water for disposal under the following conditions:

- The head, tail, etc. must remain intact so the fish could be measured if contacted by a conservation agent.
- Extracted eggs must remain where the fish is cleaned and cannot be transported to deeper water for disposal.
- Paddlefish fillets cannot be possessed or transported on the water.

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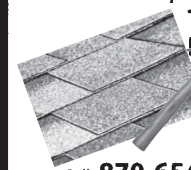
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★ **REAL ESTATE AUCTION** ★


Friday, March 22, 2024 • 1:00 PM


LOCATION: From Cassville, Mo., go east on Hwy. 248, 6.3 miles. Turn right on FR 2145 at Union Chapel Church. Go 1.1 mile. Turn left. (000 FR 2145, Cassville, Mo.)


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For additional information, call (417) 442-7975

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REAL ESTATE

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39 & YY take Hwy YY 2.2 miles. Turn right on County Line Rd,
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