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Spotlight

Rockin' P Rodeo

The Rockin' P will have a rodeo on Saturday, August 8, at 6 p.m. For more information, see the ad on page 4A.

Back-to-School Tax Free Weekend

The back-to-school tax free weekend will be Friday, August 7, through Sunday, August 9.

Barry County voting notice

County Clerk Gary Youngblood wanted to make Barry County voters aware that Monett City Voters will be the only ones voting on Tuesday, August 4. The City of Monett has a Transportation Sales Tax issue on the ballot.

The next county-wide Election is scheduled for March 15, 2016, for the Presidential Preference.

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Forest Service provides Butler Hollow project alternatives

Charlea Mills

After initial comments were received regarding a proposed plan for Butler Hollow in the Mark Twain National Forest, the Forest Service revealed two new alternatives to citizens of Barry County on Thursday, July 23, at a meeting at the Family Life Center in Cassville.

The Forest Service had three officials present at the Thursday event: Steve Best, Mark Twain National Forest deputy forest supervisor; Melissa Steward, planning and public affairs specialist; and Joe Koloski, District Ranger for the Ava/Cassville/Willow Springs district of the Mark Twain National Forest. Koloski will be in charge of making the final assessment as to what treatment Butler Hollow will receive.

Quite a crowd turned out

to the informational meeting in Cassville, including State Representative Scott Fitzpatrick and representatives from both U.S. Senators Roy Blunt and Claire McCaskill's offices.

Koloski presented a PowerPoint to the group clarifying with the Forest Service feels that Butler Hollow needs attention as well as alterations to the previous plan and two new alternatives. He addressed the group and stated, “My staff and I were working on additional alternatives based on the comments we received.”

The Ava/Cassville/Willow Springs district published notice in November 2014 asking for public comments about a plan to impact over 18,000 acres of the forest in Butler Hollow. Due to increased interest, the office ex-



Thursday night's Butler Hollow project meeting was a packed house at the Family Life Center in Cassville. Members of the community showed up to hear the new proposals for restoration of Butler Hollow in Mark Twain National Forest.

tended the public comment period and hosted multiple local meetings to gain insight

into the local opinion on the matter, as well as explain the reasons they are wanting to work on the forest.

The initial plan included thinning closed woodland, expanding glades and also doing a prescribed burn that would affect over 17,000 acres. They issued a statement saying, “This restoration project is needed to: address declines in native plant communities, improve forest health, enhance wildlife habitat, offer dispersed recreation opportunities and provide timber products.”

Koloski said that the service had received both positive and negative comments that helped him and his staff

to look at alternatives that would appease the local community while still addressing issues with the forest.

On Thursday, Koloski highlighted aging trees with a higher risk for disease and declining plant populations as the primary reasons they have been looking into a restoration project.

Local citizens raised concerns over the number of acres that would be converted to open woodland and glades. Currently, 82 percent of the area is closed woodland and upland forest which allow very little sunlight to the ground below because of

See FOREST on 15A

Correction officer and three others face charges in Barry County Jail drug conspiracy

Charlea Mills

On Friday, an investigation that included the Missouri State Highway Patrol, Barry County Sheriff's Office, Southwest Missouri Drug Task Force and Exeter Police Department led to the discovery of a drug smuggling effort into the Barry County Jail.

Barry County Sheriff Mick Epperly said, “We had an employee that had been with the jail for about a month and has since been fired for aiding inmates in obtaining contraband.” Epperly also said that they were tipped off to the conspiracy after the Missouri State Highway Patrol discovered text messages between the corrections officer and someone recently arrested by the Highway

Patrol.

Corrections officer Matthew A. Hernandez, 24, of Butterfield, was charged with delivery of a controlled substance at a county jail, a class C felony. According to the affidavit of probable cause by Detective Doug Henry, the Highway Patrol provided information to the Sheriff's Office that Hernandez was working with Logan Moore, 18, of Rocky Comfort, to take marijuana into the jail for two inmates, Norman Baez and Matthew Miller.

Text messages between Moore and Hernandez indicated that drugs were being sold and distributed in the jail. Trooper Travis Hilburn obtained a search warrant for Moore's phone when he was investigating

a wrecked car on Missouri 76 near Exeter. Moore was charged with tampering with a motor vehicle in the first degree and leaving the scene of a motor vehicle accident on Thursday, July 23. Hilburn applied for a search warrant on Moore's cell phone during his investigation to led to the discovery of the text messages.

Epperly said, “The two inmates had talked him into getting them contraband and drugs into the jail, but when we found out, we basically met the jailer at the front door and intercepted him.”

The probable cause states that Hernandez admitted to picking up marijuana in sealed latex and

See JAIL on 16A

Sen. Sater named vice-chair to investigate Planned Parenthood

Charlea Mills

Cassville's Senator David Sater has been appointed the vice-chair of the seven-member Senate Interim Committee on the Sanctity of Life. Sater's appointment was made by Senate Leader Tom Dempsey, R-St. Charles. In a press release from Sater's office, part of the committee's duties will be to investigate recent allegations that Planned Parenthood is harvesting and selling fetal body parts.

Planned Parenthood garnered national attention in recent weeks after two undercover videos were released by a pro-life group of citizens under the non-profit The Center for Medical Progress. The group identifies as “a group of citizen journalists dedicated to monitoring and reporting on medical ethics and advances” on their website. The group claimed the videos provide proof that Planned Parenthood sells

fetal tissue and organs to various medical groups.

Sater stated, “Last week's video of an executive describing how Planned Parenthood sells the body parts of aborted unborn children was both shocking and disturbing. It highlights just how casual and callous some are towards the life of a child.”

According to Planned Parenthood, patients un-

See SENATE on 16A



Pyatt

Charlea Mills

Purdy man Samuel L. Pyatt, 40, was arrested on Thursday for allegedly molesting a seven-year old girl in his apartment.

After an interview at the Child Advocacy Center in Monett, the girl said during the interview that Pyatt had sexually assaulted her on July

10, according to the affidavit of probable cause written by Purdy Police Chief Jackie Lowe.

According to the girl's statement, Pyatt performed sexual acts on her, locked her in the bedroom at his apartment, not letting her leave, and told her not to tell anyone what had happened or he would go to jail.

Barry County Prosecuting Attorney Amy Boxx filed charges against Pyatt for statutory sodomy in the first degree and child molestation in the first degree on July 23.

Pyatt is currently being held on a \$40,000 cash-only bond in the Barry County Jail.

If convicted, Pyatt could face life imprisonment for the crime.

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Local communities still wait for FEMA disaster declaration



Pictured above, the 7th Street bridge in Cassville by the park is still closed as clean-up and repair efforts continue after the floods.

Charlea Mills

Three weeks after major flooding damaged homes and public property throughout Barry County, area residents are still waiting for a disaster declaration from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

Governor Jay Nixon officially requested a major disaster declaration from the federal government on Tuesday, July 21. This came after Nixon declared a state of emergency across the state on June 18. His request includes 70 of Missouri's 114 counties for weather-related damages from severe storms, tornadoes and flooding, like what was experienced in Barry County. Barry County is also one of 15 counties where residents will be able to apply for individual uninsured damage expenses related to the flooding, as well.

Nixon stated, "Beginning in mid-May, more than half of Missouri has been hit by a damaging and prolonged weather system that's brought record rainfall to much of the state and led to extensive damage to public infrastructure and private property and led to tragic deaths.

"Communities across the state have been hit with extensive response and rebuilding expenses. I'm asking that federal assistance be available to help with that."

If FEMA funds become available to Barry County, funds can go to aid eligible individuals and households

for uninsured losses from the flooding. Public assistance would help local government bodies and nonprofit agencies ask for funds for response and recovery expenses.

In Barry County, the Barry County Sheriff's office said that half a dozen families were left homeless following the floods in early July.

Damages to the Cassville area were most extensive in the city parks and the Greenway Trail, according to Public Works Director Steve Walensky. Walensky also said that he had met with SEMA/FEMA on July 16 to discuss the plan. Efforts to clean up the area and fix as much damage as possible have included efforts from all city employees.

Walensky said that the city does not yet have an estimate on how much damage was done.

At Roaring River State Park, clean-up and repair efforts were underway nearly immediately, and the park reopened on Friday, July 10, following the heavy rainfall. According to Steph Deidrick,

Division Information Officer with Missouri State Parks, 255 guests were evacuated from the park when the major floods hit, and to date, the park has spent \$4,000 on repairs.

By Friday, debris had been cleaned up, and the Missouri Department of Conservation made temporary repairs to the bridge that was damaged by the CCC Lodge. The most heavily affected areas were the river bank from the hatchery to the Lodge as well as Campground #2.

Deidrick said the park plans to submit estimates to both SEMA and FEMA to assist with funding for the repairs.

Even with help from MDC and the Department of Transportation, the park has more repairs before back to normal. Currently, the bridge has a five-ton weight limit until more extensive repairs can be made. Deidrick also said that debris removal continues and gravel removal from the water is underway.

It is unknown when there will be a response regarding a federal disaster declaration.

Stogdill charged with involuntary manslaughter

Charlea Mills

Christopher Stogdill, 29, of Exeter, was formally charged last week for his involvement in a single-vehicle wreck that killed 32-year-old Leanna M. Terry, of Butterfield.

Stogdill was charged with involuntary manslaughter in the first degree and a warrant was issued for his arrest on Wednesday, July 23, with a \$10,000 bond.

According to the Missouri State Highway Patrol crash report, Stogdill was driving a 2006 Chevy Impala on Route CC three miles north of Exeter when he ran off the roadway, overturned and Terry was ejected.

According to information released by the Highway Patrol, Stogdill was arrested for probable DWI before being released to medical personnel for treatment for moderate injuries.

Stogdill was tested for alcohol by the Highway Patrol pursuant to Missouri State law regarding fatal crashes.

In the complaint filed by Prosecuting Attorney Amy Boxx, Stogdill was charged with the class C felony for causing a one-vehicle accident under the influence of alcohol which resulted in Terry's death, which is considered criminally negligent.

A class C felony in Missouri is imprisonment of not less than three years, but not more than ten years, if convicted.

At this time, Stogdill has not been arrested and no hearing dates have been set. Stogdill is currently listed in the Most Wanted section of the Barry County Sheriff's website.

Cassville's Casas sentenced to 25 years for child porn

Tammy Dickinson, United States Attorney for the Western District of Missouri, announced today that a Cassville, Mo., man has been sentenced in federal court for receiving and distributing child pornography over the Internet.

Matthew Casas, 26, of Cassville, was sentenced by U.S. District Judge Stephen R. Bough on Tuesday, July 28, 2015, to 25 years in federal prison without parole.

On Feb. 5, 2015, Casas pleaded guilty to receiving and distributing child pornography over the Internet and to possessing child pornography.

A business in Monett, Mo., contacted the local police department in 2013 when a customer who rented a smart TV notified them he discovered child pornography stored on the device's memory. The television, which had been previously rented by Casas, was equipped to store the last 25 images viewed on the TV.

In February 2014, officers received three cyber tips from the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children. The tips involved images of pre-

pubescent females that were posted online on Casa's Flickr account. Investigators determined that those images were posted from a computer at Casas's residence. Officers executed a search warrant at the residence on Feb. 28, 2014.

Casas admitted that he downloaded and distributed child pornography to his Flickr account and that he also downloaded images of child pornography onto the smart TV that he rented.

This case was prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney Abram McGull, II. It was investigated by the FBI, the Southwest Missouri Cyber Crimes Task Force, Missouri Internet Crimes Against Children, Immigration and Customs Enforcement's (ICE) Homeland Security Investigations (HSI), the Barry County, Mo., Sheriff's Department, the Joplin Police Department and the Monett Police Department.

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Pop-Up-Library will be available on Mondays, weather permitting, at the Butterfield Stage Shop on Hwy. 37 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. For more information, contact (417) 235-6646.

Eagle Rock Farmers' Market is open every Tuesday from 8:00 -11:00 a.m. and the fourth Saturday of the month, also 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. There are produce plants and all kinds of other goodies right now. The Farmers' Market is located at the Eagle Rock Library.

Seligman Chamber Events Center has a weekly dance on Saturday at 7:00 p.m. Call (417) 662-3450 for details.

Stella Sr. Center has a dance and meal every Friday and Saturday night with the meal at 5:30 p.m. and dance at 7:00 p.m.

Garden Sass Farmers' Market is every Tuesday from 8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. at the pavilion behind the ball park. They have fresh produce, local raw honey, baked goods, fresh eggs and crafts.

July 27th-31st

Wild West Days at Haworth Arena in Purdy, starting at 4:00-8:45 p.m. Ages 10-18. Call for registration, information, and directions at (417)442-7472.

July 31st

Benefit Supper for Amish Schools, Friday, July 31, 5:00 p.m., at Alvin Brenneman's home at 617 Val Rd., Rocky Comfort.

Macedonia Free Will Baptist Church will be having a revival lead by Danny Ledbetter family from Wichita, KS. Church is located at Farm Road 1100 and 2060, Purdy. Friday and Saturday service time is at 7 p.m., Sunday at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

August 1st

Seligman Senior Center will have Bingo from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Mustang's Alley Dancehall will host a dance every Saturday 7:00 - 11:00 p.m. Alcohol and smoke free. The dance hall is located at I-49 to MO Hwy. 90, East of Jane 6 miles. The cost for the dance is \$5.00. For more information, call 417-435-2582.

New Life Tabernacle in Seligman is hosting a rummage/bake fundraiser for members to go on a conference. The fundraiser will start at 9:00 a.m., August 1st.

August 2nd

Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 1023 will be meeting at the Angus Steakhouse in Monett on Sunday, August 2, at 4:00 p.m. All veterans from all wars are welcome.

August 4th

Cassville Cruisers monthly meeting will be Tuesday, August 4, at the Sho-Me Plaza behind Papa Vitos at 7 p.m. For more information, call 417-847-7788.

August 5th

Seligman Senior Center will have a donation lunch Wednesday, August 5, from 11:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

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Local VBS Schedule

Golden Baptist Church will host VBS, July 27-31, 9:00 a.m. to noon. Registration Monday at 8:30 a.m. For more information, call (417)271-3605.

Exeter First Baptist V.B.S. July 26-30, 6:00-8:00 p.m. Ages 4 years old through 6th grade. For rides, call 835-5433.

Washburn First Baptist Church is hosting VBS July 27-31, at 6:00 p.m.; chow time, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Church of Christ in Washburn is holding VBS (Backyard Adventures), July 29 - 31, 6:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m.

Wheaton Southern Baptist Church is hosting VBS, Sunday 26th - Wednesday 29th, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Emmanuel Baptist Church is hosting VBS, July 27 - 31, at 6:15 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Located on Old Exeter Rd. in Cassville.

First Christian of Purdy is hosting VBS, July 26 - 29, 6:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m., ages 2 - 5th grade.

August 6th-8th

The Freistatt Lions 42nd annual Ernte-Fest will be held August 6 - 8. Thursday, August 6 will begin at 5:30 - 10:00 p.m. Family night, children entertainment and concession. Friday and Saturday will be held from 4:30 p.m. to midnight. See ad on page 5A for details.

August 8th

Mission Baptist Church will host a free lunch for ages 55 +. The lunch will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The church is located 3 miles west of Washburn on Hwy 90. For more in call 479-619-9989.

August 10th

Cassville United Methodist Church SONbeam open house will be held Monday, August 10, from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. For enrollment in the 2015-2016 school year, please call 417-847-4714. Child must be 3 years old by August 1.

Did you know?



A person's mind can play a large role in how quickly he or she is able to lose weight. Exercise and diet alone may not be enough, and positive thinking can provide the extra boost some people need. A Harvard study found that mind over matter may extend to weight loss as well. The study followed 84 cleaning women, half of whom were told that their physically demanding jobs met the requirements for exercise as set by the Surgeon General, while the other half weren't given any information about their activity level and calorie burn. After a month's time, researchers discovered that the group of women who were told that their work activity was good for them reduced their body fat, waist-to-hip ratio and body mass index. These participants had not changed anything else about their daily exercise and eating habits. The other group of women who were given no positive reinforcement did not lose any weight.

Crawfords welcome Corbin River



Drew and Kasey Crawford are pleased to announce the birth of their second child.

Corbin River Crawford was born on April 23, 2015 at Cox Springfield. He weighed four pounds, five ounces and measured 17.75 inches in length.

Along with Mom and Dad, Corbin was welcomed into the family by big brother, Mason Gauss; maternal grandparents, Scott and Cheryl Williams, of Cassville, and Roger and Gail Hall, of Aurora; paternal grandparents BJ and Queeta Crawford, of McDowell; maternal great grandparents Ray and Barbara Kingrey, of Cassville; paternal great grandparents Eddie and Glena Dummit, of McDowell.



Cassville Healthcare and Rehab hosts employee blueberry contest

On July 23, Cassville Healthcare and Rehab hosted a blueberry contest for staff members. There were nine entries judged by Todd Strickland, Hospice; Tom Freeman, Hospice; and Tiffana Spears, Good Shepherd. The first place winner was Linda Harris with her entry of a blueberry cream pie, and the second place winner

was David Johnson with his entry of a blueberry lemon crumble.

According to Janice Martin, activity director, Cassville Healthcare and Rehab holds two or three of this type of contest every year. It's a moral booster for the staff and the residents also benefit by being invited to partake in the tasty home made treats.



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Eagle Rock's All Faith Methodist hires new pastor



All Faith United Methodist Church in Eagle Rock announced their new Pastor Larry Olson and his wife, Cathleen, to the community. The Olsons came from Wisconsin, Pastor Larry's home state, where he served as a pastor for the last 18 years.

He is an Army veteran and has also served as the American Legion chaplain for the state of Wisconsin. Cathleen grew up in the Ozarks and Oklahoma, learning to play the fiddle during her childhood. She developed a love for bluegrass in her teens as her family became involved in bluegrass festivals and programs. She also plays classical violin.

After visits to Cathleen's family members in the Ozarks, the Olsons decided they would move to this area. They are looking forward to longer summers, milder winters and more opportunity to fish.

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C.S. ROSE

C.S. Rose, 91, of Cassville, passed away Thursday, July 23, 2015, in Mercy Hospital, Springfield.

He was born July 15, 1924, in Washburn, the son of Emma and Ola (Pippin) Rose. On January 29, 1949, he was united in marriage to Carrie Patterson, who survives. Also surviving are one son, Greg Rose and his wife, Shelley, of Sapulpa, Okla.; one daughter, Judy Rose Preston, of Titusville, Fla.; one brother, Denver Rose and his wife, Doris, of Cassville; two sisters, Olene Hendrix and her husband, Ernest, of Washburn, and Fern Hopkins and her husband, Wendell, of Cassville, and two grandchildren, Sheridan Rose, of Sapulpa, Okla. and Samuel Rose, of Broken Arrow, Okla.

Preceding him in death were his parents; five brothers, Billie, Lionel, Jim, Max and Denny; four sisters, Nina, Eva Mae, Mary and Ina and a son-in-law, Walter Preston.

C.S. grew up and received his education at Washburn

and attended two years of college. During World War II he joined the United States Navy, serving from January 20, 1943, until January 19, 1946. He was employed at Rockwell International for several years. He worked on rocket engines including all manned Apollo moon shots, B1B Bomber, Space Shuttle and Minute Man Missile. In 1987, he retired from Rockwell as a rocket engine inspector. Upon returning to Joplin he operated Rose's Berry Patch for eleven years. He moved back to this area in 1998 and was a member of Prairie Hill Baptist Church, Washburn. He enjoyed traveling and being on the go with his wife of 66 years. He was always doing something like working in his garden and loved to hunt and fish.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Monday, July 27, 2015, in Fohn Funeral Home, Cassville. Pastor Jerry Williams conducted the services. Burial with military honors will be in King Cemetery, Seligman.

The family received friends from 2:00 until 4:00 p.m. Sunday in Fohn Funeral Home, Cassville.

As the last remaining charter member, contributions may be made in his name to Prairie Hill Baptist Church Building Fund.

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BENJAMIN JOSEPH "JOE" STAATS

Benjamin Joseph "Joe" Staats, 85, of Shell Knob, passed away Tuesday, July 28, 2015, in his home.

He was born October 28, 1929, in Somerfield, Texas, the son of Theodore Oliver and Mary Belle (Atchley) Staats. On May 17, 1953, in Bentonville, Ark., he was married to Angie Hester Jackson, who preceded him in death in October, 1999. Also preceding him in death were his parents.

On February 22, 2003, in Rogers, Ark. he was united in marriage to Luceta (DeBusk) Soard, who survives. Also surviving are two daughters, JoAnn Staats, of Bella Vista, Ark. and Debbie Speer and her husband, Phil, of Seligman; three step-sons, Darren Soard, of Shell Knob, Curtis Soard, of Tulsa, Okla. and Donnie Soard and his wife, Sarah, of Oswego, Ill.; two brothers, Gene Staats and his wife, Shirley, of Murfreesboro, Tenn. and Robert Staats and his wife, Linda, of Bentonville, Ark.; one sister, Margaret McGee, of Siloam Springs, Ark.; two grandchildren, Amanda House and her husband, Scott, and Wayne Oberg; four great grandchil-

dren, Samantha, Stacie and her husband, David, Krystal and Savannah; one great-great granddaughter, Mari-deth Munson and several step grandchildren and step great grandchildren.

Joe grew up and received his education in Texas, graduating from high school in Hereford, Texas and then attended one year of college. On October 13, 1948, he enlisted in the United States Navy, serving until April 21, 1954. For several years he was employed as a mail carrier from which he retired. He was past president of the Letter Carriers Association. He had owned and operated Staats Flower Shop in Bentonville, Ark. and later worked at Sam's for Loss Prevention. In 2003, he moved from Bentonville to Shell Knob, to make his home. He was a member of First Baptist Church in Shell Knob.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, July 30, 2015, in Shell Knob First Baptist Church, under direction of Fohn Funeral Home, Shell Knob. Pastor Bob Gaddis will conduct the services. Burial with military honors will be held at 3:00 p.m. Thursday in Bentonville Cemetery, Bentonville, Arkansas.

The family will receive friends from 9:30 until service time Thursday in Shell Knob First Baptist Church.

Contributions may be made to Hospice Compassus in memory of Joe.

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EUGENE K. LAKEY, JR.

Eugene K. Lakey, Jr. left this world on July 25, 2015, at the age of 66 years.

He was born in Tulsa, Okla., May 18, 1949 and was raised in Wichita, Kan.

Sonny, as he was known by family and friends, had four children from his first marriage, two sons and two daughters and eight grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Eugene K. "Gene" Lakey and Ella Marie (Beede) Lakey; two brothers, Fredrick Dale Lakey and Hershel Lee Lakey; two sisters, Gloria Jean Hayworth and Nina Marie Giddings and one grandson, Joshua Kyle Bar-nette.

He is survived by his second wife, Ruth H. (Hilburn) Lakey of Cassville; two sisters, Druzella Rivera, of Eagle Rock, and Eupha Galyen, of Dodge City, Kan. and numerous nieces and nephews.

Sonny worked for Star Lumber Company in Wichita, Kan. for thirty some years and after he moved back to Missouri, he worked for Superior Wheel in Rogers, Ark. for eighteen and a half years, before he became disabled and was forced to quit work. He did love to work and he loved family.

Graveside services were held at 10:00 a.m., today, Wednesday, July 29, 2015, in Washburn Prairie Cemetery, Washburn, under direction of Fohn Funeral Home, Cassville. Ralph Hilburn will conducted the services.

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MARSHA JOY (BERTALOTTO) LONG

Marsha Joy (Bertalotto) Long was born May 9, 1973 in Stella. She departed this life on July 26, 2015, while at Freeman West Hospital in Joplin, at the age of 42 years and 2 months.

Funeral services for Marsha were held at 3:00 p.m., today, Wednesday, July 29, 2015 at Buchanan Funeral Home in Monett. Dr. Bill Cox and Reverend Billy Joe Gentry will be officiating. Interment will be in the I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Monett. Visitation was held from 1:00 p.m. Wednesday until service time. Memorial contributions can be made to the American Cancer Society in care of the funeral home. Arrangements are entrusted to Buchanan Funeral Home, Monett.



WANDA G. STONE

Wanda G. Stone, 92, of Seneca, formerly of Wheaton, Passed away Monday, July 27, 2015, at the Seneca House, Seneca.

Services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Friday, July 31, 2015, in Seneca Church of Christ, under direction of Fohn Funeral Home, Cassville. Burial will be in Antioch Cemetery, Washburn.

The family will receive friends from 12:30 until service time Friday in Seneca Church of Christ.

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

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The family of
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A heartfelt thank you to Dana Hesington and Suretta Rector with Hospice who brought helping hands, loving care, and soothing words each day. Thank you to Sharon Sater & Carol House for the beautiful music. Also, to Dr. Russell Robinson for the musical arrangement & recording of one of Bob's favorite songs, it brought back lovely memories. Special thanks to Rev. Lawrence Shuey, Rev. Bob Neely, & Rev. Paul Wahlert for performing the service that offered inspiration and comfort to all who were present. Our sincere gratitude to Fohn Funeral Home for all the acts of kindness in planning the service. It was a comfort to us to know these details were in your hands. Grace be unto you, and peace, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ. -1 Corinthians 1:3

The Lee Family

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HOWARD HENDRIX

Howard Hendrix, 73, of Washburn, passed away peacefully in his home on July 21, 2015, surrounded by his family. Mr. Hendrix, son of Buddy and Mildred (Henry) Hendrix, was born on October 9, 1941, in Washburn. He lived in the Washburn community his entire life. On February 27, 1963, he was united in marriage to Barbara Ennes in Miami, Okla. During his life, Mr. Hendrix worked various jobs such as in the milk plant in Monett, and the Kopper Tie Company and Emerson Electric, both in Rogers, Ark., until their closures; he later retired from Atco Rubber in Springdale, Ark. He was a farmer and liked to fish in addition to coon hunting with his granddaughter when she was younger. He loved all types of sports; he was an avid fan of the New York Yankees, Kansas City Chiefs, and the Webb City Cardinals. He never missed a chance to travel to see his granddaughter play softball. Mr. Hendrix was very proud of his only great-grandchild Jackson, and loved to show everyone pictures of him. Mr. Hendrix was a member of the Mineral Spring Baptist Church in Cassville.

Survivors include his wife of fifty-two years, Barbara Hendrix, of Washburn; his daughter, Sharon Wilson, of Washburn; his granddaughter, Neely Beattie and her husband Justin, of Oronogo;

his great-grandson, Jackson Beattie; four brothers, Ernest Hendrix and his wife Olene, Ralph and Irene Hendrix, Larry Hendrix, and Gary Hendrix and his wife, Carrie, all of Washburn; two sisters, Betty Banks and her husband James, of Cassville, and Sue Popanz and her husband, Jim, of Rogers, Ark.; two brothers-in-law, Mick Ennes, of Kansas City, Kan., and Short Ennes and his wife, Rosia Lee, of Seligman; three sisters-in-law, Elizabeth Hendrix, of Washburn, Lois Champine and her husband, Bob, of Ceylon, Minn., and Frances Ennes, of Verona; and numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by three brothers, Kenneth Hendrix, Clifton Hendrix, and Robert Hendrix; two brothers-in-law, Jim Ennes, and Bud Ennes; and three sisters-in-law, Tex Lowe, Thelma Ennes, and Ada Ennes.

Memorial contributions may be made to Mercy Hospice and entrusted to the White Funeral Home and Crematory, P.O. Box 890, Cassville, MO 65625.

Funeral services were held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, July 24, 2015, at the White Funeral Home and Crematory, with Pastor Milford Baker officiating. Burial followed at Ennes Cemetery, Cassville. The family received friends from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 23, at the funeral home.

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LONNIE "L.J." DART, JR.

Lonnie "L.J." Dart, Jr., 84 of Garfield, Ark., passed away Friday, July 24, 2015, in Circle of Life at Legacy Village, Bentonville, Ark.

He was born April 7, 1931, in Garfield, Ark., the son of Lonnie Seth and Margaret (O'Neill) Dart. He was married to Winnie Persons, who passed away. He later married Mary Murphy, who also preceded him in death. In January, 2007, he was united in marriage to Bobbie Easley, who survives. Also surviving are two daughters, Jean Jones of Benton City, Washington and Debra Dart, of Rogers, Ark.; one brother, Gaylord Dart, of Garfield, Ark.; one sister, Rebecca Wilkerson, of Pea Ridge, Ark.; one granddaughter; two great grandchildren; five nieces; two nephews; his best friend and Air Force buddy, Dean Preston, of Huntsville, Ala.; three step children; five step grandchildren and eight step great grandchildren.

Preceding him in death were his parents; his wives,

Winnie and Mary; one son, Andy and one brother, Bernard.

L.J. grew up and received his education at Garfield, Ark. where he graduated from high school. He then entered the United States Air Force, serving from 1951 until 1955. He then worked as a mail carrier, from which he retired and was a farm and cattle buyer. For twenty-nine years he owned and operated a service station in Gateway, Ark. He was a past bank director for Seligman Bank and Bank of Aurora for twenty-seven years and was the Mayor of Gateway, Ark. He was a member of Garfield Church of Christ and a member of Gideons International.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Monday, July 27, 2015, in Garfield Baptist Church, Garfield, Ark., under direction of Fohn Funeral Home, Cassville. Bobby Vaughn and Reverend Russell Bishop conducted the services. Burial with military honors was in Liberty Cemetery, Garfield, Ark.

The family received friends from 5:00 until 7:00 p.m. Sunday in Fohn Funeral Home, Cassville.

Contributions may be made to Gideons International or Garfield Church of Christ in memory of L.J.

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SUSIE E. REED

Susie E. Reed, of Exeter, lost her battle with breast cancer on Friday, July 24. She passed peacefully at home surrounded by her loved ones. Her husband, James (Rusty) Reed was holding her hand as she passed.

Susie was born in Walsh, Colo., on November 30, 1938. She was the daughter of Garland and Lula Wills. She was raised by her foster parents, William (Bob) and Effie Wills.

She was united in marriage to James (Rusty) Reed in Clayton, New Mexico, on February 16, 1956. Everyone said the marriage would never last, but it lasted 59 years, and they were blessed with five children.

Susie left behind her husband, Rusty; five children, Floyd Reed, of Exeter, Debbie Reed, of Cassville, and partner, Tom Freeman, of Pierce City, Tom Reed and wife, Donna, of Cassville, Donita Vaught and husband, Clay, of Cassville, and Jay Reed and partner, Steve Burcham, of

Benton, Ark.; aunts and uncles Margaret Wills, of Walsh, Colo., Lester Wills, of Gentry, Ark. and Mary Ann Bailey, of Bartlesville, Okla.; eight grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, foster parents and brother, staff sergeant Wesley Wills.

She received her education in Baca County, Colo. She was a Baptist and loved all of her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She enjoyed playing softball, sports, gardening, yard saling, sewing, going to tractor pulls and dirt track racing. She also loved her dog Tater.

She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and friend. She will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her.

Graveside services were held on Tuesday, July 28, at 10:00 a.m. at Oak Ridge Cemetery. The services were conducted by Irene and Dewayne Day under direction of Fohn Funeral Home, Cassville.

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Ahead of the curve: 15 year old Washburn girl graduates high school in a year

Charlea Mills

With technology always on the rise, doors are opening for non-traditional students to fast-track their high school and college careers. This is the case for Bailee Aldridge, a highly-motivated 15 year-old from Washburn, who recently graduated high school in just under a year.

After setting her mind to it, Bailee completed the entire four years' worth of curriculum for high school in just under a year. She finished just two months after her 15th birthday, and starts college at Crowder this fall. Her mother, Beverly Mitchell, said, "I'm just so proud of her. She graduated with a 3.9 grade point average."

Bailee attended Southwest Schools since elementary except for a brief stint in seventh grade where she was homeschooled for a few weeks. She said, "Those few weeks of homeschooling in seventh grade just didn't work. I hated it." Her younger sister was also homeschooled. Bailee quickly returned back to school where she remained until a few days before she was to start her freshman year.

She said, "I just told my mom that I didn't want to go. I wanted to homeschool instead." She said her motivation for opting out of the public school system was mostly due to her faith. Bailee said, "I wanted to get deeper in my faith, and in public school, it didn't feel like there were very many Christians at all."

Mitchell reached out to the Southwest High School counsellor Stacey Hopper to let her know that Bailee wouldn't be attending. It was then that Hopper recommended they choose an accredited course so that if Bailee wanted to come back to school, she would still be on track to graduate with the appropriate credits.

Mitchell said, "Ms. Hopper told us what classes she would need to take to stay on track. She also said that a lot of students who say they are going to homeschool don't end up doing the work. I told her that I answer to God first. So if I'm not homeschooling my kids, I have to answer to him for that."

Hopper stated, "Mrs. Watson and I both talked to Bailee and her mom. Whenever we have a student that's going to homeschool, we do

a team approach so that we give them as much information as we can."

She also said, "Typically, when a student comes forward saying they want to homeschool, I've had a number of instances where maybe the work was too hard or it was too expensive, and they end up coming back, and they lose those credits. That's why we recommend an accredited program."

She added, "In fact, in my experience, my students that decided to homeschool, most ended up getting their GED. I think Bailee is the only one who completed it the way she did and actually got a diploma. This is definitely an exceptional case."

Bailee and her mom selected Penn Foster Career School, which is an online-based program that typically allows students to graduate in three years instead of four, but students are encouraged to work at their own pace. Bailee's pace put her way ahead of the curve.

She said, "When I got down to my last few classes, I was so pumped because I could see that end date counting down closer and closer. I finally finished up at 11:30 at night on that fi-

nal day of classes." Mitchell said, "Even though it was a weeknight when I had work in the morning, I stayed up with her while she finished that last class. It wasn't even a year for her to finish it all."

At 14 years old, Bailee began Penn Foster on August 15, 2014. She finished the program on July 12, an impressive feat, and she now has a high school diploma at 15 years-old with a guaranteed spot at Crowder this fall.

The way that Penn Foster is organized, Bailee completed core course at a time in each subject before moving on to the next. She said, "I got to set my own test dates, and it would update my pace, like 'If you work this fast, you'll graduate on this day.'"

Mitchell said, "Her ACT scores were high enough to get into all college-level courses except for math." Bailee took her ACT at 14, the youngest it is administered to. She will be taking a full course-load this fall, with 12 hours. Bailee said, "I'm going full-time since I'm not old enough to even have a job yet."

She plans to finish her Associates in General Studies at Crowder before transferring to finish her bachelor's. Her mother said, "I really hope she goes to a Christian campus like College of the Ozarks, but they won't accept her until she is 17."

Mitchell even took Bailee for a tour of the College of the Ozarks campus for her 14th birthday.



Bailee Aldridge, 15, graduated high school in under a year and will be attending Crowder this fall.

As far as her career goals, she is undecided. She said, "I definitely want a degree in business because in case I ever want to own my own business, I'll know what to do."

Bailee is the daughter of Beverly and John Mitchell, of Washburn; granddaughter of Nick and Mattie Blair, of Ridgley; granddaughter of Don Lee, of Washburn; and granddaughter of Johnnie and Eleanor Mitchell, of Washburn.

The family will be holding a graduation party of Bailee for family and friends on Saturday, August 8, from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. at The Branded K at 19 West Mountain Road in Washburn.

Five teens injured when car hit tree

Charlea Mills

Five teenagers were injured when their car struck a tree on Thursday around 2 a.m.

According to the Missouri State Highway Patrol crash report, the driver lost control of the 1998 Chevrolet Lumina she was driving and ran off the roadway, striking a tree.

Three of the teens, ages 14, 14, and 17, from Marionville and Aurora, were taken to either Cox South Hospital in Springfield or Mercy Hospital in Springfield for minor injuries.

The other two teenagers, ages 13 and 16, received moderate injuries and were both taken to Cox South Hospital in Springfield by ambulance.

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Missouri State Highway Patrol urges water safety

Captain Juan Villanueva, commanding officer of Troop D, Springfield, encourages everyone to enjoy Missouri's lakes and rivers with safety in mind. This state is filled with rivers and lakes that offer a variety of summer fun; however, safety needs to be part of your plan. Rivers and lakes include a number of natural hazards and should never be considered safe.

The Highway Patrol has investigated several drownings this year. With more than five months of 2015 yet to go, 30 people have drowned in Missouri so far this year, which has already surpassed the 2014 total of 29. Specifically in Troop D, four people have been killed in boating crashes and another seven have drowned in 2015, which includes three deaths and one near drowning incident this past weekend at Shoal Creek in Newton County.

On Friday, July 24, 2015, at approximately 1:30 p.m., Juan Santellano, 27, of Neosho, was wading in Shoal Creek near the dam when he lost footing and was caught in the undercurrent and disappeared. Danni J. Lopez, 35, of Neosho, attempted to render aid to Santellano when he was also swept away in the undercurrent and drowned as well.

On Saturday, July 25, 2015, at approximately 5:30 p.m., Anthony J. Martinez, 5, of Webb City, was killed as he was floating on Shoal Creek, approximately four miles west of Reddings Mill, when the kayak he was riding in struck a submerged log, overturned, pinning him beneath it.

On Sunday, July 26, 2015, at approximately 1:30 p.m., Kevin E. Everett, of Neosho, Missouri, nearly drowned when he was swimming near the Shoal Creek dam, in Newton County, and was pulled under the by the "water hydraulic." Everett was transported to Freeman Hospital, Neosho, with serious injuries.

Swimming Safety
Even for children or adults who have good swimming skills, rivers and lakes contain elements that can make swimming dangerous. Swimmers and floaters need to be aware of currents, aquatic life, drop-offs, and floating debris at all times. As a swimmer, know your limits. All swimmers

are encouraged to use a life jacket, especially young children and inexperienced swimmers should wear a U.S. Coast Guard approved life jacket. Everyone needs a swimming buddy—don't allow anyone to swim alone. Supervise children in or near water.

Exhaustion is a real concern. Exhaustion can occur if a swimmer is very tired, if they swim too long or too hard, if they are dehydrated, or a combination of these and other factors. Younger, inexperienced swimmers may become exhausted before they realize they are in trouble. Drink plenty of water regularly, even if you're not thirsty. Avoid drinks with alcohol or caffeine.

Tips for River Safety
This time of year finds many Missourians floating our vast number of rivers. A float trip can be a lot of fun, especially when everyone prepares with safety in mind. The group should discuss expectations regarding behavior and safety before the trip begins. Be aware of each person's swimming ability. If you stop along the way to swim, designate a responsible adult to supervise the swimmers at all time. Swim in places with calmer currents that are free of debris. Rope swings and jumping off bluffs/bridges might look like fun. However, you should avoid jumping into the water in this manner as there could be submerged logs or tree branches, which would cause injury.

Here are several more tips specific to floating:

- Wear a U.S. Coast Guard approved life jacket at all times.
- Even gentle stretches of water can have unseen undercurrents. Trying to fight a swift current will exhaust swimmers of every ability.
- Use sunscreen, and wear a hat and sunglasses to protect you from the sun. Wear water shoes. If your canoe/kayak/

inner tube capsizes, they will protect your feet. Walking in rivers can be dangerous.

- No one may have or use glass containers in any vessel that is easily susceptible to swamping, tipping, or rolling.
- Scout the river section you intend to float. Be familiar with the river and its individual characteristics. Make a rescue plan if necessary. Pair an experienced paddler/floater with someone of less experience.
- Learn to recognize river hazards such as strainers, dams with reverse hydraulics, boulders, barb wire across the river, eddies, etc.
- Know your limits and do not attempt a section of river beyond your skill level.
- Do not paddle or attempt to cross rivers in flood stage or after a heavy rain. Currents can become very swift, even in a normally shallow river.
- If you capsize, hold onto your craft and move immediately to the upstream side to avoid being trapped between the boat and an obstacle. Float on your back, feet together and pointed downstream. Gradually work your way to the shore. Release your craft only if it improves your safety.
- Tie all your gear into the boat, but never yourself, children or pets. Do not stand up in swift water (feet can get caught in rocks) but swim with the current at a 45 degree angle toward the shore.
- Carry the proper equipment, including dry clothing and a first aid kit. Store all extra gear in a secure watertight container.
- Stay sober. Alcohol and drugs affect balance, judgment, coordination, swimming skills, and the body's ability to stay warm.
- Avoid being "too" — too tired, too drunk, too much sun, too far from safety, too much strenuous activity.

• Learn basic water rescue techniques. When attempting a rescue, remember the adage of "Reach - Throw - Row - Go for Help". Unprepared rescuers run the risk of being caught in the same dangerous situation and can become a victim themselves. If you have to go after someone in the water, always put on a life jacket first.

Enjoy Missouri's lakes and rivers, but remember: A little forethought and planning help make summer fun safer.

Approximately 63 percent of Missouri fatal crash victims who are required to be restrained are NOT at the time of the traffic crash. The Patrol urges motorists to protect themselves and their passen-

gers by making sure everyone in the vehicle is properly restrained in a seat belt or child restraint. Join us in supporting the Drive To Zero Highway Deaths. Watercraft operators should ensure that everyone in the vessel is wearing an approved life jacket. Click It 4 Life And Wear It.

CASK hosts classes for aspiring artists



Artists from a Paint N Pour class hosted by CASK pose with their barn scenes, done in acrylic paint.

Eunice Blazek

Thursday's Paint N' Pour, led by Jim Hoover, showed how to paint a barn in a field using acrylic paints. He gave direction in making his plan and layering colors to obtain the look he had in mind. Of course, each aspiring artist can use their own approach to come up with as many

barn scenes as there are artists.

Sculptor Lew Aytes presented an inspiring workshop through Creative Arts of Shell Knob last week. Carvers and other artists gathered together to experiment with Super Sculpey and learn how to sculpt and create a piece of art. There was great cama-

raderie in the room as each person worked on their own creation.

The next Paint N' Pour will offer an afternoon class on Thursday, August 13, from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Fran Crosthwait will lead this painting session. Call Jo D. at (417) 858-0423 for more information.



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Seen Around Town: Bonnie Resz

Shania Stumpff

Bonnie Resz was born and raised in Cassville and in 1998, she graduated from Cassville High School. She currently lives in Exeter with her two children, Baili, 16, and Brayden, 11.

Resz works for Whitley's Pharmacy in Cassville, owned by Blake and Debbie Whitley. "I work for amazing people and couldn't be happier. Blake and Debbie are wonderful and take very good care of us here," said Resz.

"My favorite part of my job is the people," said Resz. "I love that I can joke around and have fun with them."

Resz said the most challenging part of her job is making sure all the customers that come into the store are satisfied. Although, anybody who knows Resz knows they are in for a laugh when they come into the pharmacy.

Resz usually works on the merchandise side of the store, but if needed, she can help the pharmacy out because she is a certified pharmacy tech.

"My favorite time of the year is when a couple of ladies from work and I go to Dallas, Tex. That is when we go to market and pick out all the merchandise for Whitley's. We just went in June and picked out all the items we will have out this



Bonnie Resz is pictured above with her daughter, Baili, at Whitley's.

Christmas season. It is so much fun, and we get to do it twice a year," said Resz.

When Resz isn't at work she enjoys baking and decorating cakes. She acquired the taste for making cakes when she worked in the bakery at Ramey in Cassville.

"I spend a lot of my time in the kitchen. I love to make cakes," said Resz.

She also likes to watch her daughter play softball and her son play basketball and baseball. "We like to go

camping, and since I grew up by the lake and my parents live in Golden, we find ourselves at the lake a lot," said Resz.

"My biggest influence in my life has to be my mom. She has been a hard worker all her life and taught me to be a hard worker. She has shown me a lot of determination and motivation throughout my life," she said.

Resz says she is trying her best to pass on those hard working qualities to her children.

Larson's a silver sponsor of Shakin' in the Shell



Larson Heating, Air and Plumbing is a silver sponsor of the 2015 Shakin' in the Shell Festival. General manager John Coonrod is pictured above.

Larson's Heating, Air and Plumbing, of Shell Knob, formerly Ozark Air Conditioning and Heating, is a silver sponsor of this year's Shakin' in the Shell Festival and Car Show. This year's event takes place Friday, September 18, from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. and on Saturday, September 19, from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. at Shell Knob's Chamber Park on Needles Eye Road.

In recent discussion with Larson's general manager John Coonrod, he stated

that he started here in 1985 and has been in the heating and air business over 28 years under three different owners. He is also a regular volunteer for the Shakin' Festival. Most notably, Coonrod is the committee chairman for the Buddy Bass Tournament, started by his father in law in 1980. The Buddy Bass Tournament has the distinction of being the longest continuous running bass tournament on Table Rock Lake with 2015 being its 36th

year.

As a long term resident, employer and volunteer in the community, Coonrod would like to see improved occupancy of buildings for businesses in the area and hopes the current efforts by the Chamber for a 501(c)3 (non-profit) materializes. Coonrod sees a real value in supporting the Shakin' Festival.

He remarked "It is good for the Community, good for the Chamber and it is good for business."

One injured in scooter crash

Charlea Mills

A Seligman man was injured when he was thrown out of a vehicle in a crash on Tuesday night.

Tommy E. Canaday, 30, was driving a 2015 Honda Reckus scooter on Highway 112 near Roaring River with passenger Patric L. Smith, 22, of Seligman. Canaday drove off the left side of the highway while headed south and overturned, according to the Missouri State Highway Patrol crash report. The wreck occurred

at approximately 9:20 p.m.

Smith was ejected from the scooter and had to be transported by ambulance to Mercy Hospital in Cassville with moderate injuries. Canaday had no reported injuries at the time of the crash.

Neither men were wearing safety devices at the time.



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Purdy back-to-school activities

The Purdy R-2 School District Administrative Team announced back-to-school activities for the district. New student enrollment for students in kindergarten through 12th grade is slated for Thursday, August 6, from 10 a.m. to noon and from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Parents must bring their students to enrollment and provide immunization records; birth certificates; previous school name, address and phone number; proof of residency (utility bill, rental agreement, etc.); and any applicable court documents pertaining to custody of enrolling students.

If you are unable to enroll on August 6, contact the school to schedule an enrollment appointment. Please note that new students will not be enrolled on the first day of school. Enrollment will resume by appointment only on Thursday, August 13.

Schedule pick up for grades 7-12:

- Tuesday, August 4: seniors, 10 a.m. to noon
- Tuesday, August 4: juniors, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.
- Wednesday, August

5: sophomores, 10 a.m. to noon

- Wednesday, August 5: freshmen, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.
- Thursday, August 6: new students, 10 a.m. to noon
- Thursday, August 6: new students, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. new students/student meetings
- Monday, August 10: 8th grade, 10:30 a.m. to noon
- Monday, August 10: 7th grade, 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.

The Purdy R-2 School District-Wide Open House will be held Monday, August 10, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Students entering grades fifth and sixth will pick up their schedules at this time. A freshman meeting and a Title 1 meeting also will be held in conjunction with open house.

The first day of school is Wednesday, August 12. Doors open at 7:30 a.m. Bus routes will remain the same as the 2014-2015 school year. Call the school at (417) 442-3216 with any questions regarding these activities.

Four injured in crash near Exeter

Charlea Mills

Four people were injured in a single-vehicle wreck on Farm Road 1025 near Exeter on Sunday.

Stephan D. Smith, 18, of Exeter, was driving a 2002 Volkswagen Jetta northbound on the farm road when he travelled off the right side of the roadway and struck a brick wall around 5 p.m., according to a Missouri State Highway Patrol crash report.

Stephan received moderate injuries and was taken to Mercy Hospital in Cassville.

The three passengers with him were also injured. Matthew L. Crabb, 20, of Exeter, and Neddjy Michel, 18, of Bocca Raton, Fla., received moderate injuries and were taken to Mercy Hospital in Cassville, as well.

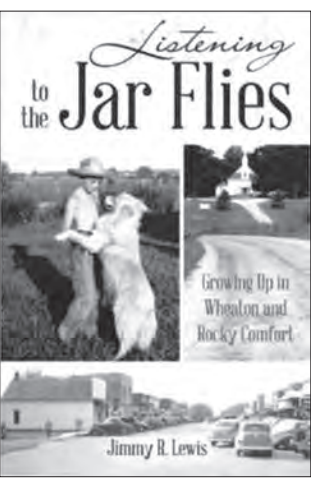
The remaining passenger Nathaniel Pinnoch, of Ontario, Canada, was taken to Cox South Hospital in Springfield with serious injuries.

Smith and Pinnoch were wearing seatbelts, but the other two occupants, Crabb and Michel, were not.

Former Wheaton resident publishes book

Shania Stumpff

Growing up, Jimmy R. Lewis was raised three miles west of Wheaton, or as some would say, he lived on the road between Stella and Wheaton. The former Wheaton resident recently published a book called “Listening to the Jar Flies: Growing Up in Wheaton and Rocky Comfort.” His book tells stories of tragedy and humor all within the small town of Wheaton.



Lewis’ book, *Listening to the Jar Flies*, is available for sale online through Amazon and Barnes and Noble.

Lewis graduated from Wheaton High School in 1957. He went on to complete college at The University of Missouri School of Journalism. Later, he joined the Army and was enlisted for four years.

Lewis has had various jobs in many different places. He was a reporter for the St. Louis Globe Democrat and a reporter for The Sacramento Union and The Sacramento Bee. Lewis won numerous awards for his excellent work as an investigative reporter. Lewis also worked for a U.S. senator from 1994-95.

Lewis currently lives in Sacramento Cali., with his wife, Janice, who is originally from Crane.

In 1995, Wheaton held a reunion for all the classes that graduated in the 1950’s. Knowing that Lewis was a reporter, a couple of the local residents asked him to write and tell some stories of what it was like growing up in Wheaton.

Lewis retired in 2008 and really began thinking of a good way he could share all the stories he had about growing up in Wheaton. Lewis finally decided to write a book so more than



Author Jerry Lewis is pictured above with his wife, Janice.

just the locals could enjoy the old country stories. “I traveled back to Wheaton a few times to interview some of the old timers,” said Lewis. “I also used some old weekly Wheaton Journals that were compiled onto some DVD’s thanks to the Wheaton Historical Society.”

Lewis said, “The title *Listening to the Jar Flies* is a metaphor representing kids listening to what is going on

in their community. We did a lot of that growing up in Wheaton.”

Lewis’ book contains 31 stories from his memory combined with interviews and the DVD journals.

There will be a book signing for *Listening to the Jar Flies* on August 29 at the Wheaton Fireman’s Barbecue.

Lewis’ book can be purchased on Amazon and Barnes and Noble.

Charges pending in single-vehicle Seligman crash

Charlea Mills

The Missouri State Highway Patrol is seeking charges in a single-vehicle crash near Seligman.

Cody R. Horton, 26, of Seligman, was arrested after the crash for DWI, driving while suspended, failure to drive on the right half of the roadway and leaving the scene of an accident, according to the

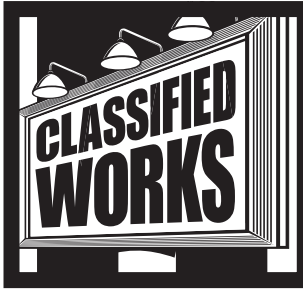
arrest report. Horton was released for medical treatment instead of being taken to jail the same day as the crash.

According to the crash report, Horton was driving eastbound on Farm Road 2296 in a 1999 GMC pickup about six miles east of Seligman when he ran off the roadway and struck a tree. Horton received mod-

erate injuries and was taken to Cox South Hospital in Springfield. It is unknown as to whether he was wearing a seatbelt at the time of the crash.

Barry County Prosecuting Attorney Amy Boxx will make the determination as to whether official charges will be filed against

Horton. As of time of press, no charges had been filed.



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Barry County’s weekly misdemeanor sentences

• Rachel Diane Allen, of Stella, pled guilty to one count of failing to display plates on a motor vehicle. Allen was fined \$20.50.

• Patrick Edward Anderson, of Fairview, pled guilty to one count of operating a motorcycle without a valid drivers license, and one count of not maintaining financial responsibility on a motor vehicle. Anderson was fined \$111.

• Mark S. Bloxham, of Verona, pled guilty to one count of driving while revoked. Bloxham was given a suspended imposition of sentence, one year unsupervised probation and must complete 40 hours of community service.

• Justin Ray Boughner, of Cassville, pled guilty to one count of driver or front seat passenger failing to wear a safety belt properly. Boughnr was fined \$10.

• Anthony David Bowman, of Monett, pled guilty to one count of not maintaining financial responsibility on a motor vehicle. Bowman was fined \$80.50.

• Dakota Ray Brown, of Exeter, pled guilty to one count of driving while revoked. Brown was given a suspended imposition of sentence.

• Kecia Carlson, of Cass-

ville, pled guilty to one count of passing a vehicle and interfered with approaching traffic. Carlson was fined \$30.50.

• Griselda Cruz, of Purdy, pled guilty to one count of failing to equip a motor vehicle with a proper muffler. Cruz was fined \$82.50.

• Giovanni Cruz-Yanez, of Monett, pled guilty to one count of operating a vehicle on a highway without a valid license. Cruz-Yanez was fined \$30.50.

• Partick Deditius, of Purdy, pled guilty to one count of operating a motor vehicle with brakes not in good working order. Deditius was fined \$107.50.

• Kodi Dotson, of Monett, pled guilty to one count of failing to equip a vehicle with a proper muffler. Dotson was fined \$107.50.

• Linda Mae Fleetwood, of Golden, pled guilty to one count of violation of order of protection for an adult. Fleetwood was given seven days incarceration with credit for time served.

• Michael E. Gadberry, of Purdy, pled guilty to one count of not maintaining financial responsibility on a motor vehicle and driver or front seat passenger failing to wear the safety belt properly. Gadberry was fined

\$90.50.

• Isidro Garcia-Gonzalez, of Purdy, pled guilty to one count of operating a vehicle on a highway without a valid license. Garcia-Gonzalez was fined \$30.50.

• Christopher H. Goodwin, of Cassville, pled guilty to one count of operating a vehicle on a highway without a valid license. Goodwin was fined \$80.50.

• Nicholas A. Granger, of Purdy, pled guilty to exceeding the posted speed limit and driver or front seat passenger failing to wear the safety belt. Granger was fined \$90.50.

• George Dustin Hagbusch, of Stark City, pled guilty to one count of driving while revoked. Hagbusch was given a suspended imposition of sentence, one year supervised probation and must obtain a license by August 1, 2016.

• Katherine Hepting, of Lee’s Summit, pled guilty to one count of failing to equip a vehicle with a proper muffler. Hepting was fined \$81.50.

• Steven Hurn, of Fairview, pled guilty to one count of exceeding the posted speed limit. Hurn was fined \$300.

• Shawn Michael Jones, pled guilty to five counts of passing a bad check. Jones was given a suspended imposition of sentence and two years unsupervised probation.

• Samantha Koehler, of Springfield, pled guilty to one count of failing to register a motor vehicle. Koehler was fined \$30.50.

• Tiffany Tomi-Maire

Lyles, of Cassville, pled guilty to one count of not maintaining financial responsibility of a motor vehicle. Lyles was given a suspended imposition of sentence and six months unsupervised probation.

• Orin Randolph Mathis, of Exeter, pled guilty to one count of not maintaining financial responsibility on a motor vehicle. Mathis was fined \$80.50.

• Joseph R. JR. McCullough, of Crane, pled guilty to one count of exceeding the posted speed limit and driver or front seat passenger failing to wear the safety belt properly. McCullough was fined \$115.50.

• Billy Lee Miller, of Wheaton, pled guilty to one count of operating a vehicle on a highway without a valid license, failing to drive on the right half of the roadway when roadway was of sufficient width, and driver or front seat passenger failing to wear the safety belt properly. Miller was given a suspended imposition of sentence, one year unsupervised probation, and fined \$90.50.

• Diane Morgan, of Purdy, pled guilty to one count of passing a bad check. Morgan was given a suspended imposition of sentence and six months unsupervised probation.

• Anthony Michael Murrell, of Marionville, pled guilty to driving while revoked. Murrell was given a suspended imposition of sentence and six months unsupervised probation.

• Paul Daniel Ortiz, of Seligman, pled guilty to one count of domestic assault in

the third degree. Ortiz was given a suspended imposition of sentence and two years unsupervised probation.

• Rose Marie Ortwein, of Freistatt, pled guilty to one count of not maintaining financial responsibility of a motor vehicle. Ortwein was fined \$80.50.

• Michelle Lee Pendergraft, of Purdy, pled guilty to one count of driver or front seat passenger failing to wear the safety belt properly and failing to display plates on a motor vehicle. Pendergraft was fined \$40.50.

• Randy Joseph Peterson, of Verona, pled guilty to one count of operating a vehicle on a highway without a valid license. Peterson was given a suspended imposition of sentence and one year supervised probation.

• Kenneth Russell Phillips, of Exeter, pled guilty to one count of operating a motor vehicle not in good working order. Phillips was fined \$107.50.

• Daryl William Rey, of Aurora, pled guilty to one count of not maintaining financial responsibility of a motor vehicle. Rey was fined \$80.50.

• John Charles Rhodes, of Aurora, pled guilty to driving while revoked. Rhodes was given a suspended imposition and one year unsupervised probation.

• Jesus Salazar Ramirez, of Purdy, pled guilty to one count of operating a motor vehicle with brakes not in good working order. Salazar Ramirez was fined \$232.50.

• Justin Lee Schuchmann, of Shell Knob, pled guilty to one count of endangering the welfare of a child -2nd degree. Schuchmann was given a suspended execution of sentence and thirty days incarceration.

• Justin W. Sellek, of Purdy, pled guilty to one count of operating a vehicle on a highway without a valid license and failing to display plates on a motor vehicle . Sellek was fined \$51.

• James T. Smith, of Mount Vernon, pled guilty to two counts of passing a bad check less than \$500. Smith was given sixty days incarceration.

• Eson Thao, of Purdy, pled guilty to one count of failing to register a motor vehicle. Thao was fined \$30.50.

• Jose Vasquez, of Purdy, pled guilty to one count of operating a vehicle on a highway without a valid license. Vasquez was fined \$80.50.

• James Leroy Walls II, of Cassville, pled guilty to one count of endangering the welfare of a child in the second degree, not maintaining financial responsibility on a motor vehicle, and possession of up to 35 grams of marijuana. Walls was given a suspended imposition of sentence, two years unsupervised probation and must complete 40 hours of community service.

• Wayne Walls, of Crane, pled guilty to one count of pursuing/taking/killed/possessed or disposed of wildlife illegally. Walls was given a suspended imposition of sentence and one year unsupervised probation.

• Mathew Watson, of Purdy, pled guilty to one count of failing to produce a fishing license. Watson was fined \$24.50.

• William Delmar Watson, of Cassville, pled guilty to one count of a DWI-alcohol and driver or front seat passenger failing to wear the safety belt properly. Watson was given a suspended imposition of sentence, two years unsupervised probation, 40 hours of community service and was fined \$10.

• Nathan Webb, of Monett, pled guilty to one count of failing to equip a vehicle with a proper muffler. Webb was fined \$182.50.

• Garry Martin Willoughby, of Monett, pled guilty to one count of failing to cover or sufficiently secure vehicle load. Willoughby was fined \$130.50.

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Barry County Emergency Services Approved 2015-2016 Budget

INCOME	
Sales Tax Revenue	\$1,425,000.00
Interest	\$4,000.00
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Other Income	\$500.00
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Grants	\$250.00
Revenue Total	\$1,429,850.00
OPERATION EXPENSES	
6000-Payroll Total	\$765,800.00
6200-Training Total	\$24,750.00
6300-Supplies Total	\$13,250.00
6400-Insurance Total	\$14,500.00
6500-Sign Installation Total	\$19,500.00
6600-Board & Executives Total	\$3,000.00
7000-Advertising Total	\$2,450.00
7200-Professional Services	\$23,200.00
Total	
7300-Utilities Total	\$17,800.00
7400-Communications Total	\$56,500.00
8000-Equipment Total	\$116,000.00
8100-Vehicle Total	\$27,950.00
8200-Facility Total	\$44,300.00
*8600 -Maintenance	\$185,000.00
Agreements Total	
9600-Miscellaneous Total	\$1,450.00
SUBTOTAL	\$1,315,450.00
Monett TIF	\$40,000.00
Loan Payment	\$173,000.00
Expense Total	\$1,528,450.00
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Cassville Library events

- Home, rated PG, will be presented on Friday, July 31, at 4 p.m. Bring your own snacks. Movies at the library are sponsored by the Cassville Area Friends of the Library.
- July 31 is the last day for Summer Reading participants to show reading logs and claim prizes. See the back of Every Hero Has a Story flyer for details.
- Bingo will be held on Thursday, August 6, beginning at 6 p.m.
- Adult readers of the Summer Reading Program are invited to see and hear Woody P. Snow on Friday, August 7. You must have a ticket to attend. Come by the Cassville Branch or call (417) 847-2121 for details.
- Streaming video, e-books and audio books are available from Missouri Libraries 2 Go through the Barry-Lawrence Regional Library website. See www2.youseemore.com/blrl/ to access them.

Cox Monett looks for volunteers

Volunteer opportunities are currently available in the Emergency Department, Pastoral Care, Auxiliary Gift Shop and Cox Rehab and Sports Medicine at the Cox Monett Hospital. On-the-job training is provided. Volunteers must be at least 15 years old.

You can submit an application online at coxhealth.com, or stop by the hospital's information desk to pick up an application from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

To learn more about how you can make an impact in the community, call (417) 354-1404.

Habitat for Humanity begins new home

A new Habitat for Humanity home is in the process of being built at 301 Mountain Street in Cassville. Thanks to generous donations from many companies and individuals, the cost is being kept to a minimum, which will allow a deserving partner individual or family to have an affordable, interest-free mortgage.

Donations from companies include 900 square feet of laminate flooring from Lumber Liquidators, a range and refrigerator from Whirlpool, eight LED 60-watt light bulbs from Cree, windows for the whole house from WinTech, window blinds for the three bedrooms from Hunter Douglas, door knobs for all the doors from Yale, and a gift basket of family and home care products from Procter and Gamble.

Individual donors also donated the marble windowsills and money for the interior doors and trim. Lumber Liquidators are committed to helping charitable organizations make lasting differences in the communities by providing flooring.

They call this “Laying it Forward.” Since 2007, Lumber Liquidators has donated more than 300,000 square feet of flooring to non-profit organizations, schools, art facilities, community groups, and more. That enough flooring to cover more than five football fields!

Whirlpool Corporation is the world's leading manufacturer and marketer of major home appliances. In more than 11 years of partnership with Habitat for Humanity, Whirlpool Corporation has developed active partnerships in 22 countries with a commitment nearing \$72 million.

In North America, the company has donated more than 13,000 ranges and ENERGY STAR qualified refrigerators to new Habitat homes, serving 65,000 families.

Since 2010, Cree has donated light bulbs for more than 3,000 new Habitat Homes. Cree currently donates eight LED 60-watt replacement bulbs per Habitat house. These bulbs emit warm, omnidirectional light and are designed to use 85 percent less energy over 25,000-hour lifetime.

WinTech was founded in 1991 and is located in Monett. In 2006, WinTech became 100 percent an employee owned company. They have been donating windows for the new Cassville and Monett Habitat homes for several years now.

Hunter Douglas has been a national partner of Habitat since 1992, donating and delivering its custom made window fashions for the privacy rooms of new and rehab Habitat homes in the United States and Canada and at cost for the other rooms.

Yale, an ASSA ABLOY Group company, is the global leader in door opening solutions, dedicated to

satisfying end user needs for security, safety and convenience. Yale has donated more than 500,000 lock sets to Habitat for Humanity homes in the U.S. and Mexico and is committed to donating a minimum of \$15 million in lock sets through 2015.

In the U.S., Procter and Gamble provides a gift basket of family and home care products to all new Habitat families, an estimated 6,000. Baskets include products like Charmin, Dawn and Tide, some of which will help families take care of their home for up to six months.

Cassville Middle School registration

New student registration for Cassville Middle School will be held Tuesday, August 4, and Wednesday, August 5.

New students may go to the counselor's office to register from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. to 2 p.m. during those dates.

Current 7th and 8th grade students may pick up their schedules and locker assignments on August 5 and 6 from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

6th Grade students will be able to pick up their schedules and locker assignments on August 10 from 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Barry County's Years Past

40 years ago

Dorrie Berg, of Cassville, held her own art show at the Unity Art Gallery in Springfield.

Marvin E. Main, Jr., of Washburn, completed AF Basic Training and was stationed at Lackland AFB in Texas.

Anna Blythe, of Jenkins, was crowned the '75 Fescue Queen at the second annual Fescue Festival. She was crowned by Bob Mitchell.

30 years ago

The Exeter teachers received an \$1,800 salary increase in the 1985-86 school year.

Thirty-one young exhibitors showed 90 head of livestock in competition for the \$900 of premiums offered in the 15th annual Barry County Livestock Show.

The Washburn High School Class of 1935 held their 50th reunion.

The Exeter Maplewood Cemetery turned 100 years old.

20 years ago

Two Wheaton students, Labon McInturff and Becky Coffey, attended the FFA national conference in Washington D.C.

JoBeth Harris was chosen as a State Finalist in the Miss Missouri American Coed Pageant held in St. Louis.

The 11 and 12 year old Cassville All-Star baseball team went undefeated and were one win away from going to state.

The 58th annual Cassville Rotary Rodeo took place. Bareback, saddle bronc, bull riding, calf roping, team roping and steer wrestling all took place.

10 years ago

The Fastrip Jr. High division baseball team went undefeated and won the end of season league tournament.

The Cassville Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon cutting at the Lazy B Cafe.

The 53rd annual barbecue was held in Wheaton at the Wheaton City Park.

The Southwest Trap Team traveled to Linn Creek to compete in the State Trapshooting Program to qualify for nationals.

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Words cannot express how overwhelmed I felt at the outpouring of love that was shown in the benefit held for me. Thank you to my friends at Able 2 who organized the event and worked so hard.

Thank you to Jim Fohn and John Sullivan for the meat and to the many businesses who donated other food, drinks and items for the meal.

Thank you to the ones who donated the wonderful items for the silent auction. Thank you to all who provided the lovely baked goods that were auctioned.

A special thanks to Kathy Stockton, Michelle Bolton, Glory Bound, Three In One and Ozark Mountain Revival who provided the entertainment. Also, thank you to those who gave monetary donations.

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Cassville Women’s Golf League Update

On Thursday, July 23, 18 ladies braved the hot weather to play 18 holes. The game of the day was score odd holes.

- First flight winners were: 1st place, Lynn Blanke 44; 2nd place, Susie Jacobs 47; and 3rd place, Doris Conner 48.

CMS football camp scheduled

The Cassville Middle School head football coach Brian Barbee announced that football camp is scheduled for August 3 to 5 from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. and August 6 and 7, from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Equipment check-out will be on August 6 for 8th graders and August 7 for 7th graders.

- Second flight winners were: 1st place, Karry Lewis 46; 2nd place, Becky Ryder 46; and 3rd place, Sue King 51.
- Third flight winners were: 1st place, Janie Watson 44; 2nd place Deb York 46; and 3rd place, Barb Vesely 51.
- Low putts: Janie Watson 28 putts.
- Birdies: Janie Watson #11 and Susie Jacobs # 2.
- Chip-ins: Debbie Yarnall #15 and Deb York #9.



Healthy ways to handle stress

Stress affects people of all ages. The symptoms of stress can be extremely unpleasant, as participants in a study released earlier this year by the Statistic Brain Research Institute and the American Institute of Stress who reported experiencing physical symptoms of stress admitted to feeling fatigue, headache, upset stomach, and muscle tension, among other things.

Among those who reported feeling physical symptoms of stress, 77 percent admitted to feeling those symptoms regularly, citing job pressure and money as the primary causes of their stress. How men and women handle stress can impact both their immediate and long-term health, as stress has been linked to a host of problems and ailments, including sleep dysfunction and heart disease. Many people cope with stress in unhealthy ways, which may only exacerbate the effects of stress on the body. Certain methods of handling stress may work for some people but not oth-

ers, but the following are a few healthy ways to combat stress.

- Limit alcohol and caffeine consumption. Many adults turn to alcohol at the end of a stressful day, but the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention note that relying on alcohol to cope with stress may only create more problems down the road, and those problems will only increase your stress levels. In addition, the Anxiety and Depression Association of America notes that alcohol and caffeine can aggravate anxiety and trigger panic attacks.
- Rely on a support network. Coworkers, family and friends have stressful days, too, and such confidantes can help you handle stress in healthy ways. The ADAA recommends men and women dealing with stress let their support circle know how they can help relieve stress. Many people simply need to talk to someone after a stressful day, which can feel like a weight has been lifted

off their shoulders. Let your support network know you're there for them when they experience stress as well.

- Get daily exercise. Exercise pays a host of dividends, not the least of which is relieving stress. At the end of a stressful day, get some exercise instead of pouring yourself a drink or indulging in an unhealthy meal. When the body is physically active, the brain secretes endorphins, which are neurotransmitters that make you feel good. Regular exercise also helps you get a fuller, deeper sleep, which can be disrupted by stress.
- Eat a healthy diet. Diet also can affect how your body handles stress. Certain foods can tame stress. For example, oatmeal can boost levels of a calming chemical known as serotonin in your brain. That calming effect can make it easier to cope with stress. Other foods may help strengthen the immune system. Vitamin C, for instance, may help curb levels of stress hormones such as

cortisol while simultaneously strengthening the immune system. Omega-3 fatty acids, which are found in fish such as salmon and tuna, may help prevent surges in stress hormones while also protecting against heart disease and depression, two serious conditions that studies have linked to elevated stress levels.

Healthy ways to handle stress can help men and women who are stressed out ensure that stress is not compromising both their immediate and long-term health.

SWHS fall baseball scheduled

Southwest High School Fall baseball practice will begin August 3rd from 9 a.m. to noon at the baseball field. A physical with proof of insurance and baseball equipment is required.

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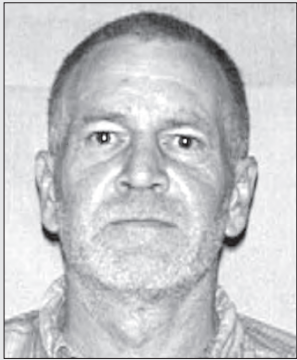
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Scott W. Boden

Scott W. Boden, 53, of Cassville, is wanted for possession of a controlled substance.



Jessica W. Majors

Jessica W. Majors, 28, of Pierce City, is wanted for possession with the intent to manufacture a controlled substance and possession of a controlled substance. Majors is 5'1" and 140 pounds.

Five people injured in boating incident on Table Rock

Charlea Mills

Five people from Oklahoma were injured in a boating incident last week, according to the Missouri State highway Patrol.

According to the incident report, a 2015 Liberator 25-foot boat was located near Point 23 on the White River Arm of Table Rock on Wednesday afternoon when the people aboard were ejected.

According to the report, Gerhard Fischer, 61, Jenks, Okla., was driving the boat too fast and lost control, causing the chine to lock and all of the occupants were ejected. All five occupants were from Jenks, as well, and received varying injuries.

Eva D. Gustaffon, 55, re-

ceived the most serious injuries and was air lifted to Mercy Hospital in Joplin. Moderate injuries were sustained by Carrie E. Fischer, 54, and a baby under one year old.* Both Fischer and the baby were taken to Mercy Hospital in Joplin by ambulance.

The driver received injuries as well as the remaining passenger, Charlolette R. Chancellor, 55, and both refused treatment for their minor injuries at the scene. All five were wearing safety devices at the time of the incident.

**Note: It is the policy of our paper not to release the names of minors involved in boating and automobile incidents, even if their names are on public record.*

a thick canopy. Ideally, closed woodland and upland forest would only account for 33 percent of the forest with 52 percent open woodland to allow plant populations on the ground to diversify.

Soil erosion is also a high concern with the Forest Service. Koloski said that by allowing more undergrowth, soil erosion is less of an issue. He also explained that open woodland and glades are less vulnerable to drought and heavy rainfall. He said, "With climate change, moving forward we know that extreme weather increases are going to be a concern. That pendulum has a bigger swing between intense droughts and wet periods. The forest needs to be more resilient to withstand that."

When people at the meeting continued to be concerned with the amount of acreage that would be opened to glade and woodlands, Koloski said, "The goal is for all of those pieces to be there, be vibrant, healthy and diverse." All current elements of the forest, like closed woodland, open woodland, and glades would be represented, just in different percentages.

The first alternative for the restoration is no action. Many in the meeting were in agreement, but Koloski cautioned, "It is a viable alternative, but I would like to point out that no action doesn't mean no effect."

The second alternative is close to the original plan, however Koloski said that they did alter a few things that people were concerned about after hearing public

opinion. While alternative two remains the same, alternative three shows the differences between the original plan and addressing local concerns. He said, "One big concern was the use of herbicide on stumps, and we've removed that entirely." That alternative also increased the no-treatment area and changed the non-commercial restoration thinning to understory vegetation control. The thinning would only affect trees with diameters of nine inches or less. They also eliminated the hardwood riparian planting. The prescribed burning area would remain the same with that alternative.

Finally, Koloski presented a fourth alternative which would significantly cut down the size of the area that the restoration project would affect. He said, "I asked my staff, if you had to focus on one area, what would it be? What's most important with this area?" The fourth alternative would impact 3,607 acres right around Roaring River State Park.

With the fourth alternative, there would still be prescribed burning, as well as thinning and commercial and non-commercial cutting, but in a much smaller area.

Following the meeting, many people asked questions about the project and voiced more opposition to any changes. Koloski assured everyone that there will be another 30-day comment period for people to submit their thoughts to be considered when he makes the final

decision. Koloski expected the comment package to be available in a couple weeks.

He said, "I'm not going to rush this. I'm taking my time with this and have been listening to everyone's opinions."

Once the decision is announced for the project, anyone who contributed during the 30-day comment period can file an objection if they still disagree with the plan.

Following the meeting, Koloski said that he thought the meeting was successful. He said, "I think the goal was to present the alternatives to the project based on the comments we received, which is what we did."

"I think we also satisfied people with the additional 30-day comment period. They know that we aren't going to rush into this."

After the meeting, Rep. Fitzpatrick said, "I attended the meeting because I wanted to hear the concerns of the folks living in Butler Hollow. I have been in frequent contact with Joe Koloski with the Forest Service to ensure that my constituents have a voice in the process."

"I feel very strongly that

Alternative 4 that Mr. Koloski proposed at the meeting is a result of the overwhelming input he received from the comment period. Although this is a federal issue, I am doing my best to stay involved in the issue and be a liaison between the people and the Forest Service. I want to thank the Forest Service, and especially Mr. Koloski, for holding the meeting, as well as the constituents for showing up and having their concerns heard."

Koloski added, "One thing I hope we accomplished is that we are listening and taking their comments. Otherwise, we wouldn't have these other alternatives."

The new comment period is expected to be opened in a couple weeks, according to Koloski. Citizens will have 30 days to submit their opinions and can receive a physical copy of the packet or view it online at <http://www.fs.usda.gov/projects/mtnf/landmanagement/projects>. For a physical copy, contact Allen Weathersbee with the Ava/Cassville/Willow Springs Ranger District, Route 6 Box 614110, Ava, MO 65608 or (417) 683-4428 ext. 131.

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JAIL from FRONT

bringing it into the Barry County Jail before distributing it to Baez and Miller. He also admitted that he had brought marijuana into the jail twice in the previous four weeks.

Epperly said, “We don’t tolerate any of that in our jail. It was all over \$80, and now, he has a felony against him and no job.”

Epperly said that all employees go through a vigorous background check, drug test and have to sign an oath of confidentiality. He stated, “[Hernandez] started out as a good worker, but we’re glad we got him early. As soon as we found out, we applied for the warrant for our employee.”

Morgan Struble, Exeter Police Chief, aided in the investigation by taking his narcotics dog Bailey throughout the jail facilities on Friday, July 24. Hernandez was arrested that same day and was housed in the Stone County Jail before posting the \$15,000 bond.

Epperly confirmed that the Sheriff’s Office is seeking

charges against Miller, Baez and Moore as well, but no charges had been filed by the Prosecuting Attorney’s office as of time of press. The three face attempt to obtain contraband within a jail, which is a felony charge.

Miller is currently being held in the jail on a \$75,000 bond for felonious restraint, tampering in the first degree, assault in the third degree and fraudulent use of a debit device for his alleged involvement in the kidnapping of a Washburn woman in January 2014.

Baez is being held on a \$42,750 bond for distribution of a controlled substance, possession of a controlled substance and unlawful possession of a firearm. Baez was originally arrested by Struble as part of a Southwest Missouri Drug Task Force investigation on June 26 at America’s Best Value Inn in Cassville when he allegedly had possession of 10 grams of methamphetamine and various narcotics.

Cassville Library hosts Heroes in Uniform



The Cassville Branch Library hosted Heroes in Uniform on July 21, part of the Every Hero Has a Story summer program. Two former U.S. Marines shared their military experiences. Eric Bohmke, a Cassville native and 12-year veteran of the Corps, is shown sharing photos of his travels. Christopher Anziano spoke in the afternoon and impressed the group with his eight years of service and various commendations.

Ark. woman charged with leaving child in car

Charlea Mills

An Arkansas woman was arrested on Friday after leaving her son in the car for over two hours while she was passed out, according to the affidavit of probable cause.

Michelle Searfoss, 43, of Bella Vista, Ark., went to the Rocky Ridge Lounge on July 24, leaving her 10 year-old in the car while she went in. According to the probable cause

by Seligman Police Officer Aaron Kyser, the staff refused to serve her because she was visibly intoxicated when she arrived. After entering, Searfoss then allegedly passed out at the bar, and when officer Kyser asked her where her son was, she stated that she did not know.

According to Seligman Police Chief Terry Burgess, Searfoss’ blood alcohol level was

more than double the legal limit. He also confirmed that her son was turned into state custody, but has since been turned over to family members.

Searfoss is charged with endangering the welfare of a child in the first degree and is being held in the Barry County Jail in lieu of a \$10,000 cash-only bond.

SENATE from FRONT

der their care can choose to donate tissue to scientific research. Some claim the video proves that Planned Parenthood are selling the tissue and organs for a profit, which is against federal law.

In two separate videos, an executive and a medical doctor employed by the organization discuss fees charged to groups wanting the tissue patients choose to donate. Opinions on the undercover video are polarized.

Eric Ferrero, Vice President of Communications for the Planned Parenthood Federation of America, released the following stated, “At several of our health centers, we help patients who want to donate tissue for scientific research, and we do this just like every other high-quality health care provider does - with full, appropriate consent from patients and under the highest ethical and legal standards. There is no financial benefit for tissue donation for either the patient or for Planned Parenthood. In some instances, actual costs, such as the cost to transport tissue to leading research centers, are reimbursed, which is standard across the medical field.”

Chairman of the Senate committee Kurt Schaefer, R-Columbia, said that if the allegations are true, then Planned Parenthood should lose their license and all federal funding.

Sater stated, “The second video that surfaced yesterday suggested these aren’t isolated incidents but perhaps part of an organized effort to profit off the body parts of aborted children. On top of being immoral and indifferent to life, it is also illegal and should be investigated thoroughly. I intend to work with my colleagues to find out if and how any organizations in Missouri might have been involved and how legislature should respond.”

Currently, Missouri only has one Planned Parenthood location that offers abortions, which is in St. Louis. Sen. Sater proposed legislation that was passed that extended the waiting period between when a mother meets with a doctor to when she receives an abortion to 72 hours. Previously, the waiting period had been 48 hours.

The committee will hold public hearings and issue their report to the General Assembly on Dec. 1 of this year.

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Elvia enjoys reading, eating delicious food and spending time with family. She came to work for Mercy because she loved the close-knit community and the amazing services the hospital provides. Elvia also enjoys the interaction with her patients and co-workers.

Pictured are Gomez and George Roden, Director - Human Resources and Operations.

Exeter R-6 Open House

Exeter R-6 School District's Open House will be held on Monday, August 10, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. The Exeter FFA will be serving free hot dogs and hamburgers from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Students and parents will be able to come and meet teachers as well as drop of supplies.

There will also be an all sports parent meeting in the library from 5:30 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Cassville R-IV recognized for bus safety



The Cassville bus mechanics Jason Roller and Doyle Ray are pictured above with the district's awards for their bus inspection with Dusty Reid, Director of Facilities and Operations, and Corporal John Lueckenhoff, Public Information Officer, Missouri Highway Patrol Troop D.

The Missouri State Highway Patrol announced the results from the Motor Vehicle Inspection Division's 2015 annual school bus inspection program.

Cassville R-IV has earned the Patrol's Total Fleet Excellence Award by receiving a 100-percent approval rating with no buses placed out of service. There were 25 buses inspected by the Missouri State Highway Patrol.

Upon receiving the report from the Highway Patrol, the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) awarded Cassville R-IV Transportation Department the Exemplary School Bus Maintenance Award.

"These awards are a reflection of the transportation department and especially the mechanics. Whether going to and from school or

riding to an activity, we are committed to using the safest buses possible. Transportation mechanics, Jason and Doyle, take a lot of pride in

making sure our students are guaranteed a safe bus. The district wants our families to feel comfortable putting their children on one of our buses. Keeping the buses in great shape is just one of the things we can do to ensure our students' safety," stated Dusty Reid, Director of Facilities and Operations.

There were 291 Missouri school districts earned an approval rating of 90-percent or higher. Cassville has received the 100-percent approval rating in years past, however, has not achieved this status in several years.

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Sports Physicals: July 29 at 8:30 a.m. in the high school gym. Cost is \$5. All students planning on participating in the Southwest athletic programs are required to take a physical.

New Student Enrollment: Beginning August 3 through the beginning of school on August 10, 8:30 a.m. - noon, 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Report to elementary (K-4), middle school (5-8), or high school (9-12) offices. Required information includes the student's birth certificate, proof of residence, immunization records, custody documentation (if needed), and the final report card from the school last attended. No students will be enrolled during Back to School Open House on August 6.

5th Grade Orientation: August 5 at 5:00 p.m. in the Elementary/Middle school cafeteria. All 5th grade students and their parents/guardians are encouraged to attend this informational meeting planned specifically for those entering their first year of middle school. Policies will be discussed and student schedules will be distributed.

Back to School/Open House: August 6 from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. in all buildings. This will be a time for students to pick up schedules, receive locker assignments (middle school and high school), meet teachers, visit classrooms, and become informed concerning bus routes. Elementary and middle school students are encouraged to bring their supplies in preparation for school starting the following morning. Concerning bus routes, the district Transportation Director and all drivers will be available in the Elementary library to answer questions and share information, including morning pick up and evening drop off times/locations.

9th Grade Orientation: August 6 at 5:00 p.m. in the High school Commons Area. All 9th grade students and their parents/guardians are encouraged to attend this important informational meeting.

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“Master Gardeners embrace helping others learn to grow,” Trinklein said.

In the past, those interested in becoming a Master Gardener had to attend weeks of classes. But traveling to a bricks-and-mortar classroom is not convenient for everyone. So online classes were

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“Not as a substitute for face-to-face, but it is an option for those who find it difficult to make it to face-to-face classes,” Trinklein said.

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“Master Gardener trainees are required to donate 30 hours of service, helping others learn to grow,” Trinklein said. “Local Master Gardener chapters can help online trainees find volunteer positions so they can meet the service hour requirements.”

Once certified as a Master Gardener, you will continue to learn and share.

“You have to continue to educate yourself and to serve the public,” Trinklein said. “Master Gardeners are required to do six hours of

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If you’re happiest when you have dirt under your fingernails, get a thrill when tiny sprouts break through the soil and love to share your passion for gardening, consider becoming a Master Gardener.

The Master Gardener fall online classes begin August 30. The registration deadline is August 21. To register or for more information, visit <http://extension.missouri.edu/mg>.

Cassville High School registration

New student registration at Cassville Schools will be held Tuesday, August 4, and Wednesday, August 5, at the high school. New students may come to the counselor’s office to register from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. during those dates.

Current students may pick up their schedules during the following times:

- Seniors - Thursday, August 6, from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
- Juniors - Thursday, August 6, from 1 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.
- Sophomores - Friday, August 7, from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
- Freshman will pick up their schedules during freshman orientation.

Freshman and new student orientation will be held Tuesday, August 11, at 7 p.m. Parents and students are encouraged to attend this event.

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REAL ESTATE

3 bedroom, 2 bath, partial brick & siding, new style home built in 2010. This home features, covered entry leading into a nice size living room/dining room combo with vaulted ceilings & large windows. Nice size kitchen w/custom oak cabinets, granite counter tops w/built in bar, double SS sink, Maytag smooth top elect range, built in microwave, Bosch dishwasher, breakfast nook and tile flooring. Utility just off of kitchen and a door leading to a 2 car att garage. The kitchen is also adjoined by a family room w/gas log fireplace, vaulted ceilings & a patio door leading out to a large cov deck overlooking a landscaped back yard. Master BD w/ceiling fan & master bath w/jetted tub & skylight. 2 bedrooms w/shared bath. This beautiful home is situated on 1.7 acres w/outside features, asphalt driveway, large back yard, fenced w/chain link, fruit trees, garden area and storage shed. This home has CH/A, septic system & rural water.

NOTE: Mrs. Jaggers is selling her home and moving to be closer to her kids. This is a modern beautiful home only 3 miles to Cassville. Just down the street from the Golf Course and only approx. 4 miles to Roaring River State Park in a very nice housing community. Get pre-qualified to purchase this home. We will sell it at a bargain price. New school teachers moving to this area or someone wanting to down size, here’s your chance. Call the auction company to preview before auction date, 417-847-2507.

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SOUTHWEST SCHOOL BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

As part of continued efforts in keeping patrons informed, the Southwest R-V School Administration provides monthly information concerning Board meetings.

A recap of the July 16 regular meeting is as follows:

The Board convened for its meeting at 7 p.m.

The Board approved the consent items, including accepting the resignation of Special Education aide Marisela Jimenez and the hiring of Sara Ledgerwood for the same vacated position.

In respect to old business items, the Board readopted the Financial Interest Resolution Board policy BBFA and approved the propane bid of \$0.90 per gallon submitted by MFA.

Under new business, the Board approved the district's substitute list entering the 2015-2016 school year and set a date and time for the annual tax rate hearing. This will take place at 6:30 p.m. on August 13 in the high school library. They also approved was establishing the student tuition rate for 2015-2016.

Under administrative and program evaluations, the Board reviewed the monthly Maintenance and Administrative reports. Topics of discussion included summer school and KinderCamp attendance, as well as an update concerning summer projects. An asphalt overlay has been applied on the new track, completing all corrective measures at the facility. Although additional work is scheduled, the track is now open for public use. Sealant applications on roof sections at the middle school gym and high school were also been recently completed.

The board transitioned to executive session at 7:25 p.m. to discuss various personnel items for approximately 40 minutes and adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for August 13 following the Tax Rate Hearing in the high school library.

Wheaton Schools calendar

Wheaton School announced their calendar of events for Back-To-School Activities.

- Monday, August 3: seniors pick up schedules and Chromebooks

- Tuesday, August 4: juniors pick up schedules and Chromebooks

- Wednesday, August 5: sophomores and freshmen pick up schedules and Chromebooks

- Thursday, August 6: junior high students (7th & 8th grades) pick up schedules and Chromebooks

Enrollment periods will be as follows:

- Friday, August 7: 8 a.m.-11 a.m. and 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

- Monday, August 10: 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

- Tuesday, August 11: 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Open House for meeting teachers, finding classrooms and lockers will be Tuesday, August 11, 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. This will also be for the elementary classes.

Cox Monett to host Live Well Health and Safety Fair

Cox Monett Hospital will host its third annual Live Well Health and Safety Fair from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday, August 15, at the Monett Area YMCA. The fair will educate attendees about healthy living and help to fulfill requirements for Level IV Time Critical Diagnosis (TCD) accreditation in stroke, trauma and heart attack.

"This is a fun-filled day for the entire family and we've got something for everyone, from free bike helmets to learning how to stay healthy and active, we've got you covered," said Shannon Hobson, RN, and event coordinator. "The event will feature many safety attractions and displays, but we're most excited about offering reduced-cost lab screenings and free health screenings to our community."

Reduced-cost lab screenings include:

Comprehensive metabolic panel, complete blood count, full lipid profile (cholesterol, LDL, HDL, triglycerides), Hgb A1C (blood glucose) and TSH (thyroid)- \$30
PSA test for men only

(prostate cancer) - \$15

Those taking part in the screenings are asked to fast for 10 to 12 hours prior to the blood draw. Cash or check only. No appointment necessary.

Free health screenings include height, weight, body mass index (BMI), blood pressure, bone density, pulse oximetry, blood sugar and EKG (electrical activity of heart).

Additional education and safety checks include:

- Car seat safety checks
- Free bike helmets for kids (after trauma education and while supplies last)
- Stroke, heart disease and trauma prevention
- Weight management
- Maternal-child and newborn education

Many health-related agencies and businesses will be on hand to educate the community about local resources available and provide health and safety information. The event is free and open to the public.

For more information, please visit www.coxhealth.com or call (417) 354-1448.

Art classes to be held at CCSC

Beginning in August, Central Crossing Senior Center will be offering art lessons to area seniors interested in the various art media, including pastel painting/colored pencil and possibly others.

The classes will begin on Monday, August 3, at 9:30

a.m. and will be conducted on the first and third Mondays of each month thereafter.

Fran Crosthwaite is a local artist and will be heading up the classes. For more information, contact the senior center at (417) 858-6952.

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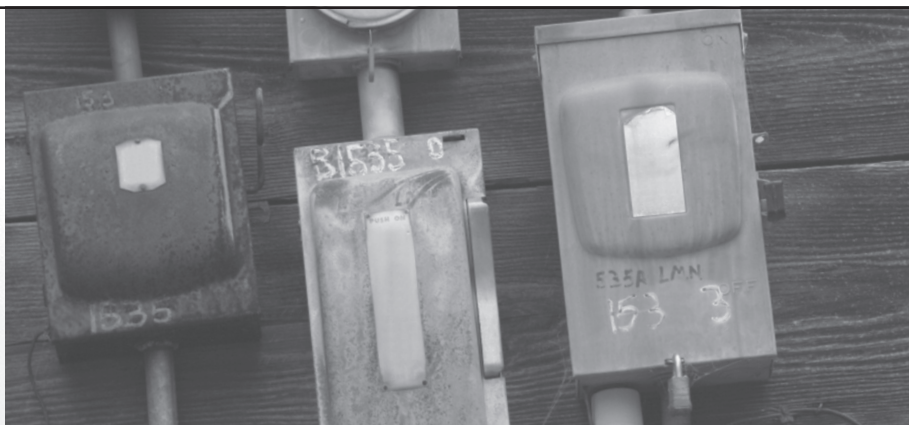
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60013450 - 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2-car garage in Fox Ridge. Open floor plan. Wood floors and wood burning fireplace in living room. Nice size lot. City utilities.



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60028605 - LARGE 4 Bedroom, 3.5 bath home on over 2 acres m/l of land. Full finished basement with John Deere room. Beautiful landscaping with lots of room to play.



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60024462 - THIS ONE HAS IT ALL! Newly updated 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, home with full finished basement. 10 acres m/l of farmland, barn, & more.



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60026284 - A MUST SEE! Four bedrooms, new light fixtures, ceiling fans, new Alder cabinets with granite tops. New stainless dishwasher, range, micro. 1 acre m/l, level lot. New storage building.

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60017035 - BEAUTIFUL HOME in a quiet neighborhood. 3.6 acres m/l has 4 bedrooms & 4 baths. Move-in ready. 30x36 shop, and a cabin/playhouse.



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60027799 - FULL BASEMENT with this 4 bedroom, 3 bath, brick & stone home. Metal roof. Private setting. 2-car garage and 1-car detached garage workshop.



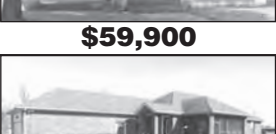
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60014980 - COUNTRY CABIN on 10 acres m/l. Perfect location. Large deck, barn & head chute.



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60027057 - CLOSE TO SCHOOL. 2 bedrooms, 1.5 baths. Partial basement. Hardwood floors. Chain link fence. City utilities, 2-car garage. 2 lots.



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60022184 - ALL BRICK HOME with 4 bedrooms, 3 baths. Open floor plan. Screened and covered deck. Chain link fence. Nice lot with city water.

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60016250 - BRICK & VINYL, 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in Wildwood Estate. Move-in ready. Hardwood, stainless, gas fireplace. Priced to sell.



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60016247 - SMELL THE ROSES and other flowers surrounding the patio of this house. Sewing room, breakfast nook, office, covered porch. Also, garden, barn & several outbldgs.



\$59,900

60022695 - LOCATED IN AURORA, MO. 3 bd 1 ba with storage building. Close to downtown, Price Cutter, churches. 1 bedroom does not have a closet.



\$90,500

60015683 - RIGHT ON THE EDGE OF CASSVILLE. 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, plus lots of room for living and entertaining. Home has 2 more non-conforming bedrooms in the 1/2 basement.



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60028803 - 3 bedrooms, 1 bath home on dead end street. Newer siding, newer metal roof, chain link fence backyard. Storage shed.



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60013605 - ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF TOWN. 4.5 acres m/l with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths home with 2-car detached garage. 3 carports, & paved driveway.



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60021560 - 4 BD, 3 BA HOME with full basement. 2 living area, 2 kitchens. Newer metal roof. Has own well. Beautiful kitchens & hardwood floors. Large master suite. All this and 35 acres m/l.

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60025962 - RETIREMENT LAKE HOME. Close to loading ramp. 3 lots & private well. Extra septic system for another home. Paved road.



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60013656 - UPDATED HOME. 2 bedrooms, 1 bath home with newer windows, roof, & central heat & air.



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60018934 - CASSVILLE RURAL, on County Farm Road. 3 bd, 2 ba. Vaulted ceiling. Large covered deck, fenced yard. 3-bay shop/garage. Fruit trees and flowers.



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60014849 - TWO VACANT LOTS. 2 building lots ready to build on. City utilities. Cattle tight fence.



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60014939 - Building lot in Cassville. Utilities available. Could be walkout basement home.



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60015664 - LOT #455 is approximately 75'x172'. Airport Road in Shell Knob.



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60015230 - CORNER LOT in rural subdivision. 90'x100' m/l.



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60014935 - IDEAL LAND for the walkout basement. Fashionable locality. 3.4 acres m/l just out of city limits.



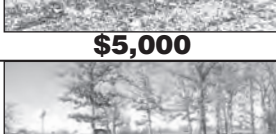
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60015136 - 2.23 acres m/l with mixture of open ground and trees. Electricity, city water & sewer. Fronts State Hwy 37.



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Nottingham, Cassville
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Friday 7 to 7
Saturday 7 to 2

Justice clothes, miss-me jeans,
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Butterfield U hwy by RR tracks

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Friday and Saturday
Too much to mention
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Meek's of Shell Knob is a silver sponsor of this year's Shakin' in the Shell. Manager Eddie Davison is pictured above.

For the 2015 Shakin' in the Shell Festival and Car Show, Meek's is again a silver sponsor.

When asked why Meek's supports this event every year, Meek's manager and longtime Shell Knob resident Eddie Davison responded with an optimistic view of the Shakin' Festival and toward the Shell Knob Community overall. Davison commented that Meek's believes Shell Knob continues to be a growth opportunity. "It is a very good market for us; we have exceptional customer loyalty. I see that from the numbers and from the people I see every day," he said.

He also noted last year was the best year this store has had as a Meek's store, and this year is shaping up to be better than last year. Several new employees have been added to Meek's staff and inventory has been increased. Davison added, "The future looks great for this store."

Positive changes to the community Davison observed over last year is the increased occupancy rate of commercial buildings in Shell Knob as well as the "wonderful improvement" the new parking lot at

Bridgeway Plaza provides, a change "that looks good when you come into town and may incent someone to place businesses in any available space there."

Davison noted that Meek's is very good about putting money back into the communities where they have a presence. He added "The Meek's Family is a privately held company that chooses to invest their dollars in events that promote Shell Knob like the Shakin' Festival and many of the other projects that support this community. This is a chance to give back to Shell Knob and the best way we can do it is by participating with the other merchants and or businesses in supporting this event."

Shakin' in the Shell Festival and Car Show is a two day free admission event this year beginning with a musical concert Friday evening, September 18, from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. by Earl and Them as well as all day fun and entertainment Saturday, September 19, from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Additional information is available on the Chamber web site at www.shellknob.com.

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