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Station undergoes maintenance

Byron reactor serviced; upgrades continue

BYRON – Operators removed Byron Generating Station's Unit 1 nuclear reactor from service last week for a scheduled refueling and maintenance outage.

While the unit is offline, technicians will replace one-third of the reactor's fuel and complete maintenance tasks that cannot be performed while the reactor is online.

The unit just completed its third consecutive uninterrupted 18-month cycle, in which it powered more than 1 million homes and businesses with carbon-free electricity every day. That clean power production is the equivalent emissions avoidance of removing 2 million vehicles from local roadways.

"Completing three 18-month cycles on Unit 1 without interruption is a testament to nuclear power's reliability and to the precise

maintenance and operation by the nuclear workforce," said Site Vice President Mark Kanavos. "We rely on the skills and talents of many local union workers to support reliable, carbon-free energy generation for the Rock River community."

More than 1,200 supplemental workers will join 800 Exelon Generation employees in preparing the facility for another reliable run.

"The jobs provided by refueling outages are reliable and good-paying, attracting expert labor from far and wide," said Terry McGoldrick, president of IBEW Local 15. "It's a win-win for the local community and the workforce, who both benefit from their work and stay in the Rock River area."

For several weeks preceding and following the outage, the influx of workers provides a significant boost to the local economy.



"The refueling outages at Byron Station are a boon to our local economy," said Liz Vos, executive director of the Oregon Area Chamber of Commerce. "Our area businesses will see the added foot traffic, which can make a big difference to the bottom lines of many merchants."

In addition to regular refueling and maintenance,

the station will continue its commitment to major equipment upgrades. During the outage technical experts will replace two large transformers, which are used to take the electricity produced in the Unit 1 generator and distribute it within the plant to operate pumps and other equipment. Continually upgrading or replacing major components at the plant

helps ensure the facility will run uninterrupted between outage projects, providing continuous carbon-free electricity to Northern Illinois and beyond.

With both units at full power, the Byron Generating Station produces almost 2,500 megawatts, enough electricity to power more than 2 million average American homes.

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PAG's 'Miss Holmes' cast announced

MOUNT MORRIS – This spring the Performing Arts Guild of Mt. Morris will present, "Miss Holmes."

Auditions were held in January and we are pleased to announce the cast: Dylan Stormont, Abigail Wehler, Tim Bulfer, Connie Augsburg, Zander Vandesand, Monique Engberg, Deven Kenerson, Montana Larson, Alexa Lin Moses, Dennis Cheatwood, Larry Ubben, Mary Cheatwood, Joanne Reisner and Shelly Moon.

Performances will be Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 27, 28 and 29 at the Pinecrest Grove Theatre, 500 Evergreen Lane, Mt. Morris. Friday and Saturday shows are at 7 p.m. and the Sunday matinee is at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$14 for reserved seating, \$12 general admission with a \$2 discount for students and seniors. For

information call 815-734-2103 or order online at www.performingartsguild.com and click on "tickets."

When an anonymous note sends a newlywed wife looking for help, Miss Sherlock Holmes and Dr. Dorothy Watson work together to uncover the secrets surrounding a corrupt police inspector whose wives have a habit of turning up dead. But Miss Holmes and Watson face far greater challenges than bringing the cunning criminal to justice.

Miss Holmes possesses one of the greatest detective minds of her generation, but she chafes at the restraints imposed upon her by society and family. Dr. Watson struggles to make a difference at the only hospital in London that will hire female doctors.

Farm Toy Show



More than 300 people came out to enjoy the 35th annual Polo Farm Toy Show on March 7 from at Polo High School. The event, sponsored by the Polo Lions Club, featured about 100 dealer tables and a 50/50 drawing.

Endorsements that Matter



Eric Morrow

Ogle County State's Attorney

Chief Judge Mike Mallon (ret.)

Both men practiced before me, only one has the depth of legal experience, has been deeply rooted in our community, and a documented voting record as a life long republican, that man is our State's Attorney, Eric Morrow.

Judge Kathleen Kauffmann (ret.)

I urge you to re-elect Eric Morrow to continue his commitment to fairness, justice, innovation and fiscal responsibility. Eric's integrity and leadership were essential in the formation and function of the Ogle County Specialty Courts.

Judge Charles Beckman (ret.)

In addition to Eric's grasp of the law, what struck me was his principled approach, and deep commitment to fairness. I proudly endorse Eric Morrow and believe he is the right person to continue as the Ogle County State's Attorney.

State's Attorney Doug Floski 1992-2003

During my tenure as Ogle County State's Attorney both candidates worked for me. I ask you to vote for Eric Morrow because he has the right demeanor for and the proven dedication to Ogle County.

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County part of lawsuit filed against Illinois Trust Act

A group of four elected Illinois sheriffs Monday filed a joint lawsuit in U.S. District Court for Northern Illinois seeking a preliminary and eventually a permanent injunction against the Illinois Trust Act, a 2017 state statute that restricts the ability of law enforcement officers to coordinate with federal officials regarding the custody of illegal aliens.

The suit also seeks a declaratory judgment that the Trust Act is in fact preempted by both the U.S. Constitution and Congressional statutes and is therefore invalid and unenforceable.

The suit was filed on behalf

of McHenry County Sheriff Bill Prim, Ogle County Sheriff Brian E. VanVickle, Stephenson County Sheriff David Snyders and Kankakee County Sheriff Mike Downey. It names Illinois Attorney General Kwame Raoul as defendant.

The sheriffs jointly contend that the Trust Act has exposed them and their offices to litigation over the years as three of the four have been sued for alleged violations of the Act.

The suit notes that the federal government alone has broad and undoubted authority "to regulate matters pertaining to immigration and the status of aliens" and that

this authority has been exercised continuously since the nation's founding and reaffirmed as recently as 2012 in the U.S. Supreme Court decision *Arizona v. United States*, 567 U.S. 387, 394.

"Based on its enumerated powers and its constitutional power as a sovereign to control and conduct relations with foreign nations, the federal government alone has the authority to establish immigration laws, the execution of which the States cannot obstruct," the suit notes.

It continues: "The Trust Act has both the purpose and effect of obstructing federal immigration

enforcement in Illinois."

The majority of the conflict between the Trust Act and federal law revolves around the use of "detainers," which require local law enforcement officers to maintain custody of an undocumented alien for up to 48 hours to give federal officials time to discover his or her immigration status. Based on their findings, the individual may then be released or turned over to the custody of Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE).

However, the Trust Act bars any law enforcement agency or official from detaining "any individual solely on the basis of any immigra-

tion detainer..." According to the suit, the net result is the "Trust Act is in direct conflict with federal laws requiring cooperation and communication between federal and state law enforcement officials." All despite the fact that as the *Arizona* case decision declares: "Consultation between federal and state officials is an important feature of the immigration system."

Concluding, the lawsuit asserts that the sheriffs face "irreparable harm in the face of ongoing litigation and threats of enforcement of the Trust Act" and that "enforcement of an unconstitutional law creates per se irreparable harm."

Local historian recently addresses Oregon Woman's Club

OREGON—Local Oregon historian Otto Dick addressed the Oregon Woman's Club recently on the subject of the contributions of early club members to the history Oregon and the surrounding area.

He focused on Rebecca Kauffman, who was the first president of what was then known as the Oregon Woman's Council. That group organized in 1903. It later became the Oregon Woman's Club.

Kauffman was an author and activist, encouraging many of the kinds of civic contributions the OWC is known for. In 1878, she wrote and published a history of Oregon and Ogle Country, but she is perhaps best known for being one of the leading spearheads of the effort to get White Pines

named a state park. She and other women lobbied in Springfield for years to get the park approved. She also wrote about about the area and its unique white pines (*pinus strobus*) in *The Pines*.

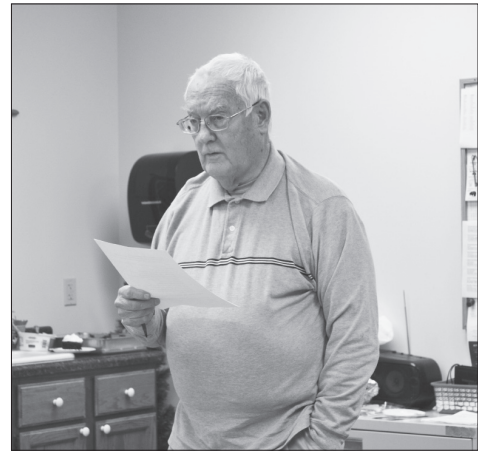
Women such as Kauffman provided the leadership that encouraged the women of Oregon and Ogle County to become involved in progressive civic activities, such as women's suffrage, promoting the organizing of kindergartens, building public parks, and promoting civil rights.

The Oregon Woman's Club's contributions to the community have included planting 125 trees on the court house lawn to honor World War I veterans, providing playground equipment for Mix Park, funds

for high school students to attend art and music camps, sponsoring antique, hobby, and flower shows, purchasing books for the library, and funds for tennis courts and a swimming pool at the high school.

Current contributions include scholarships for both high school and college women, funds for the Oregon Historical Society, Friends of the Library, the Rock River Center, The Village of Progress Camp, Winning Wheels, Serenity Home and Hospice, the Nachusa Grasslands, and many others.

The OWC's main fundraiser is the Oregon Antique Show. This is the 70th year for the show, which will be held at the Blackhawk Center, 1101 West Jefferson, on March 28 and 29.



Local Historian Otto Dick addressed the Oregon Woman's Club on the contributions of the community by its early members.

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Obituary

Wayne Alex Yankus

STILLMAN VALLEY — Wayne Alex Yankus, 80, departed this life Tuesday, March 3, 2020 in Naples, Florida. The son of Alex and Evelyn (Kingsbury) Yankus, Wayne was born Feb. 23, 1940 in Winnebago, and raised on the family farm in Stillman Valley.



Tampa College.

As a 1958 graduate of Stillman Valley High School, Wayne was a member of the football team and played trombone in the band. Wayne was very proud of his military service in defense of this country as a sailor and guided missile specialist in the U. S. Navy. He served aboard the USS Canberra, once stationed at Guantanamo Bay during the time of Fidel Castro coming into power as the Cuban dictator. On June 17, 1961, Wayne married the love of his life, Priscilla Brill, in Fairmont, W.V. At the time of his passing Wayne and Priscilla had been married for nearly 59 years. For 25 of those years Wayne served as the Director of Maintenance for the Anheuser Busch Brewery and Bottling Plant located within the Busch Gardens Theme Park in Tampa, Florida. During this time Wayne fulfilled a personal goal by earning his bachelor's degree in Electrical Engineering from

his parents Alex and Evelyn (Kingsbury) Yankus and his nephews Randall Allen Yankus and Richard Allen Yankus, Jr. He is survived by his wife Priscilla Yankus, daughter CindraKay (Blaine) Burgess of Little Rock, Ark., son Michael Wayne (Leah) Yankus of Marietta, Ga., brother Richard (Mary) Yankus and Sisters Joan Bauer and Kathy (Tom) Harms all of Stillman Valley, five grandchildren; Alec, Evan and Camryn Burgess and Grace and Elise Yankus, and many nieces and nephews. A celebration of Wayne's life will be held in his memory, and to the glory of God, at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 21, at the Kishwaukee Community Evangelical Presbyterian Church near Stillman Valley with the Rev. Eric Tonjes, Pastor, officiating. A private burial will follow in the Kishwaukee Cemetery with the family greeting friends and relatives following the burial in the church's fellowship hall. In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting donations to be made in Wayne's name for the benefit of Kishwaukee Community Evangelical Presbyterian Church or Kishwaukee Community Cemetery Association.

Wayne is predeceased by

his parents Alex and Evelyn (Kingsbury) Yankus and his nephews Randall Allen Yankus and Richard Allen Yankus, Jr.

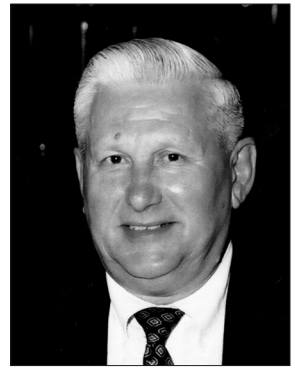
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Obituary

William 'Bill' Buck

LEAFRIVER — William "Bill" Buck, died Friday, March 6, 2020, at Martin Luther Manor Care Center in Bloomington, Minn. Born Dec. 16, 1937, in Oregon, the son of William H. Buck, Sr. and Mary P. Buck (Quest).



Joined the Navy following graduation from Oregon High School. Earned a business degree from Northern Illinois University. Worked as a salesman in the Rockford area for many years, including store manager of Sears Paint and Hardware

prior to retirement. Avid golfer, fisherman and recreational athlete (fast-pitch softball and basketball).

Survived by sons Mi-

chael (Wendi) and Andrew Buck, Rosemount, Minn.; longtime companion Nancy Scheck, Byron; sister, Carolyn Summer, Winnebago; and five grandchildren.

Predeceased by sister, Beverly Tanner, Malta.

Private service at Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church, Eagan, MN. Memorial service, Oregon, summer 2020. Burial in St. Mary's Cemetery, Oregon. In lieu of flowers, memorials preferred to Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research, michaeljfox.org



Byron residents attend Women in Aviation International Conference

Rebecca and Hannah Hines, a mother and daughter who both attend Rock Valley College in Rockford, recently attended the 31st Annual Women in Aviation International Conference held in Lake Buena Vista, Fla.

Rebecca is an A&P student graduating in May 2020 is also an A&P student graduating in July of 2021.

"For me, deciding to go into aviation maintenance was pure dumb luck," Rebecca said. "I had been a stay-at-home mom for 20 years. I saw that the local airport was expanding, and I wondered if there were jobs there. There were! I signed up for the job, but I fell in love with aviation."

Rebecca was so excited about aviation that she was attending community pancake breakfasts at the airport and bringing her daughter Hannah along and, "slowly, I started to think this is kind of cool and I'd like to be a part of this," Hannah said.

If you are wondering, do they share tools? The answer is yes. Do they share books? Yep, books too. They study together, but really, they've only had one semester where they overlapped.

They attended WAI because it is all about women helping women, and, said Rebecca, "Coming last year was my first conference and it changed my life. It

taught me the power of women helping each other and there's nothing else like it. And everyone just wants to help each other."

At the conference, Rebecca was awarded the prestigious AIRBUS Leadership Grant.

Aviation safety has always been important to Rebecca, going back to her days as a nuclear mechanic in the Navy. Following procedures to the letter can make the difference between life and death. It is a responsibility that Rebecca has never taken lightly.

Rebecca's goal after graduation is to work for a major airline, in their safety department.

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Oregon Police report

Feb. 26

At 6:22 a.m., Oregon Police issued Ronald L. Coil, 60, Mt. Morris, a citation for improper lane usage. This violation occurred at the intersection of Monroe and Washington Streets.

At 1:33 p.m., Oregon Police issued Mario J. Tarara, 46, Rockford, a citation for operating a vehicle with an expired registration. This violation occurred in the 500 block of Jefferson Street.

At 8:52 p.m., Oregon Police issued Hailey N. Ather-ton, 23, of Walnut, a citation for operating an uninsured motor vehicle. This violation occurred in the 200 block of S. 4th Street.

Feb. 27

At 10:50 a.m., Oregon Police issued Adrienne N. Schoeffel, 33, Oregon, a city citation for violating the nuisance—trash and rubbish ordinance by leaving furniture in the yard for an extended period of time. This violation occurred in the 600 block of S. 1st Street.

At 9:25 p.m., Oregon Police issued Garrett A. Barnas, 31, Oregon, a citation for disobeying a stop sign. This violation occurred at the intersection of Oregon Trail Road and W. Washington Street.

Feb. 28

At 3:23 p.m., Oregon Po-

lice responded to a domestic dispute call in the 300 block of N. 3rd Street resulting in the arrest of Nicholas R. Ellison, 27, Oregon, for domestic battery. Ellison was transported to the Ogle County jail.

At 7:35 p.m., Oregon Police responded to a two-vehicle traffic crash at the intersection of 4th and Franklin Streets involving a 2005 Dodge driven by Anna M. Barnhart, 23, Ashton, and a 2012 Scion driven by Christopher E. Hermann, 34, Mount Morris. No citations were issued.

Feb. 29

At 12:05 a.m., Oregon Police issued Megan C. Garrett, 19, Mt. Morris, a citation for no valid driver's license. This violation occurred in the 500 block of W. Washington Street.

6 parking citations and 6 verbal/written warnings were issued from 02/24/2020 through 03/01/2020.

General Calls for Service

Through dispatch during the week of 02/24/2020 through 03/01/2020:

Checking a Subject / Vehicle	8	Animal Complaints	1
Citizen Complaints	7	Citizen Assist/Civil Problem	6
Disturbance / Domestic			

5	Assist EMS / Other Dept.	14
	Alarm Response	
2	911 Hang-up/Open Line	3
	Lockout Vehicle / Building	5
	Ordinance Violations	5
	Traffic Stops	24

Feb. 28

At 10:14 p.m., Oregon Police issued Matthew A. McKenzie, 51, Oregon, a citation for driver's license not on person. This violation occurred in the 500 block of N. 4th Street.

March 2

At 7:31 p.m., Oregon Police issued Courtney F. Carpenter, 22, Mt. Morris, a citation for disobeying a stop sign. This violation occurred at the Oregon Trail Road and West Washington Street intersection.

March 3

At 7:40 a.m., Oregon Police issued Landon Lazansky, 17, Mt. Morris, a citation for squealing and screeching of tires. This violation occurred in the 200 block of S. 10th Street.

At 5:06 p.m., Oregon Police issued Christopher A. Behrens, 33, of Milledgeville, a citation for operating a vehicle with an expired registration. This violation occurred in the 400 block of

W. Washington Street.

March 4

At 2:16 p.m., Oregon Police responded to a two-vehicle traffic crash at the intersection of E. Washington Street and N. Daysville Road involving a 2014 GTMC driven by Chandler O. Cornelison, 22, of Nixa, MO, and a 2008 GMC driven by John D. Lantz, Sr., age 57, Polo. Cornelison was issued a citation for failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident.

At 5:31 p.m., Oregon Police issued Alexandra M. Gomez, 36, of Elmhurst, a citation for speeding, 44 mph in a 30 mph zone. This violation occurred in the 600 block of N. 4th Street.

At 6:54 p.m., Oregon Police issued Shawn J. McGlynn, 45, Mt. Morris, a citation for speeding, 33 mph in a 20 mph zone. This violation occurred in the 100 block of N. 14th Street.

At 7:12 p.m., Oregon Police issued Joseph F. Anderson, 37, Chana, a citation for speeding, 34 mph in a 20 mph zone. This violation occurred in the 100 block of N. 14th Street.

At 7:25 p.m., Oregon Police issued Ryan M. Garrison, 33, of Reynolds, Ill., a citation for speeding, 42 mph in a 30 mph zone. This violation occurred in the 600 block of N. 4th Street.

At 7:40 p.m., Oregon Police issued Stanley R. Eden, 84, Oregon, a citation for operating a vehicle with an expired registration. This violation occurred in the 400 block of W. Washington Street.

At 11:38 p.m., Oregon Police issued Josh A. Bushland, 26, Oregon, a citation for disobeying a stop sign. This violation occurred at the intersection of Monroe and 4th Streets.

At 11:53 p.m., Oregon Police issued Will L. Rice, 21, Oregon, a citation for speeding, 48 mph in a 30 mph zone. This violation occurred in the 700 block of N. 4th Street.

March 5

At 2:30 p.m., Oregon Police arrested Jacqueline K. Hollaway, 57, Oregon, for retail theft. Hollaway was transported to the Ogle County jail. This violation occurred at the Oregon Super Value grocery store.

At 9:20 p.m., Oregon Police arrested Andrew D. Gonzalez, 28, of Lanark, IL, for driving while license suspended. Gonzalez was transported to the Ogle County jail. This violation occurred in the 500 block of W. Washington Street.

March 6

At 6:50 p.m., Oregon Police issued Jeannette L. Stender, 48, Ashton, a cita-

tion for speeding, 42mph in a 30mph zone. This violation occurred in the 700 block of Oregon Trail Road.

March 8

At 5:42 a.m., Oregon Police issued Robert Rangel, 61, of Crest Hill, IL, a citation for operating a vehicle with an expired registration. This violation occurred in the 200 block of W. Washington Street.

At 9:30 p.m., Oregon Police issued Zachary A. Farrier, 27, of Moline, IL, a citation for speeding, 58 mph in a 30 mph zone. This violation occurred in the 600 block of N. 4th Street.

12 parking citations and 21 verbal/written warnings were issued from 03/02/2020 through 03/08/2020.

General calls for service Through dispatch during the week of 03/02/2020 through 03/08/2020:

Checking a Subject / Vehicle	4	Animal Complaints	3
Citizen Complaints	4	Citizen Assist/Civil Problem	4
Assist EMS / Other Dept.	6	911 Hang-up / Open Line	3
Lockout Vehicle / Building	1	Open Door/Window	1
Ordinance Violations	4	Traffic Stops	36

Byron Civic Band to perform on March 25

BYRON – The Byron Civic Band, a community concert band established in September of 2018, will perform its Spring 2020 concert at 7 p.m., Wednesday, March 25, in the Byron Middle School Theater.

While there is no cost for admission, voluntary donations will be accepted.

This concert will treat our audience to a variety of concert band music, ranging from an Encanto and a Toccata to Raiders of the Lost Ark and Harry Potter. We'll also include folk songs, blues and a samba. Of course, we'll play some marches.

Our 40-plus member band includes a nice mix of adult players from 20's to 80's along with a sprinkling of young musicians, 8th graders and above. While the majority of our band members live nearby in Byron, Stillman Valley, Oregon, Mt. Morris and Leaf River, we also have members from Sterling, Rockford, Machesney Park, Roscoe and Beloit. Current and former band

musicians living within about 25 miles or so of Byron may want to consider joining this fine community band. We play intermediate-level concert band literature, and players of all band instruments are needed. If it has been a few years (or decades) since you've played, you may find that our band will provide the ideal opportunity to again play that band instrument you once loved to play. We'll be starting up again in the fall. Our rehearsals are held in the Byron Middle School band room, an excellent facility with full percussion equipment included.


If you are interested in joining this band, please call or text Ron Kroeger at 847-219-9393 or email him at ronkroeger@gmail.com. Also, we ask you to check out and like our Facebook page – Byron Civic Band. We appreciate music lovers who use Amazon Smile and designate Byron Civic Band as their benefiting non-profit organization.

VFW sets Vietnam event


OREGON – Are you a Vietnam Era veteran (1961-1975)? You are invited to join us for a Vietnam Appreciation and 50th Commemoration Event Friday, March 27 at 6 p.m. at the Oregon VFW, 1310 W. Washington St.

We are asking you to

bring and display any memorabilia, photos, etc., of your time in the service. This is a time for veteran fellowship. You will be presented with a 50th Commemoration pin and a Presidential letter which is long overdue to you. Drinks and pizza will be served.




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City Clerk Charlene Ruthe, after 26½ years of service to the City of Oregon, has decided to retire. Come help us wish Charlene a wonderful retirement!

Refreshments will be provided.

Hope to see you at the celebration!

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Forest Preserve District set events

The Byron Forest Preserve District will be having their annual Maple Syrup Festival on Saturday, March 21 from 8-11 a.m. at their Heritage Farm Museum Expo Building located at 8059 North River Road in Byron.

There will be hay rides to see the tapped maple trees, tours of the maple syrup evaporation process, children's craft table and a pancake breakfast with locally produced maple syrup. The festival is free, but there is a \$5 per person fee for the breakfast for anyone over 6 years of age.

For more information about the Maple Syrup Festival contact the Byron Forest Preserve District at 815 234-8535 extension 200.

Beginner fly fishing class April 21 and 23

The Byron Forest Preserve District will be offering a two day beginner fly fishing class on Tuesday, April 21 and Thursday, April 23 from 5:30-7 p.m. at the Jarrett Prairie Center located at 7993 North River Road in Byron.

Learn the how's and why's of fly fishing. Bob Piros, a fifty-year-plus student of the

art and science of fly fishing will teach a two-day class.

The first class session will cover basic understanding of the rod, reel, line, leader and fly. Everyone will be practicing casting by the end of this session. In the second class, you will put your knowledge to work by fly fishing for pan fish and bass in forest preserve waters. Both top-water and sub-surface fishing methods will be demonstrated and practiced. Because the ponds are catch and release only, efficient fish release methods will be demonstrated and practiced.

All equipment will be provided. If you have your own fly fishing equipment, please bring it to the class. We will need your contact information prior to the first class so that we can find out if you are right or left handed and to have you view some basic fly fishing instructional videos.

The cost for the two-day class is \$10 per person. The class is for ages 12 and up. Advance registration is required by Thursday, April 16. Call the Byron Forest Preserve District at 815 234-8535, Ext. 200 to register.

Church having pasta dinner on March 25

BYRON – The Youth Group of the Cornerstone Family Church of Byron, located at 205 N. Peru S., invites the community to their Pasta Bake Dinner on Wednesday, March 25 from 5-6:30 p.m.

Make a donation and have dinner which includes pasta, salad, bread, dessert and beverage. Special thanks to Felker Foods and Costa's Italian Restaurant for donations

of garlic toast and pasta sauce to support this event.

Come on out and support the Youth Group as they raise funds for their summer's mission's trip to Jamaica where the kids will run Vacation Bible School and also work on home improvements and repairs in a poorer community. Carry outs will be available.

Lending a helping hand



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ROCHELLE – Serenity Hospice invites you to an evening of fun on April Fool's Day.

Comedian Tom Filline will be performing at the Kennay Distillery in downtown Rochelle on April 1. The evening will be filled with delicious appetizers, desserts, open bar featuring the beers and liquors made at the Distillery along with lots of laughs.

The doors open at 5 p.m. for tours, food, drinks, music, and visiting with friends. Filline takes the stage at 7 p.m. Arrive anytime.

The event is being sponsored by The Michael Koolidge Show. Koolidge will be in attendance and introduce the comedian. Koolidge hosts a radio show that is broadcast around the state on over 20 stations. Filline has been featured at Zanies in Chicago and The Comedy Shrine where he also emcees and produces. He is one of the rare comedians whose comedy can remain clean and be funny at the same time.

Don't spend another April Fool's Day at home when you can be out having a great time while supporting a worthy cause.

Serenity Hospice is a nonprofit organization and proceeds from this event will help support their mission of serving patients and families in northern Illinois. Tickets are only \$40 and can be purchased at the Distillery, The Serenity Shed in downtown Oregon or online at www.serenityhospiceandhome.org



Ogle County Sheriff

March 10

The following people were arrested for Ogle County Outstanding Warrants:

Robin Weatherall, 31, of Rockford, for Failure to Appear. Weatherall has a bond of \$2072. Weatherall will return to court on 03/13/20 at 9 a.m. Weatherall remains in the Ogle County Jail.

Nicholas D. Pillion, 19, of Rochelle, for Failure to Appear. Pillion has a bond of \$115 and will return to court on 03/13/20 at 9 a.m. Pillion remains in the Ogle County Jail.

March 9

Erick S. Williams, 33, of Bellwood, was arrested by Ogle County Sheriff's Office for a Property Damage Warrant. Williams has a bond of \$5,000/10 percent, and will go to court on 03/09/20 at 1 p.m. Williams remains in the Ogle County jail.

At approximately 9:50 p.m. Ogle County Sheriff's Deputies investigated a car in the ditch, in the 10,000 block of North IL Rte 2. Upon further investigation, Ogle County Sheriff's Deputies arrested 57 year old Merry Young of Rockford for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol. Young was then transported to the Ogle County Jail and held in lieu of bond.

March 8

At approximately 1:56 a.m., Deputies initiated a traffic stop at near the intersection of Oregon St. and Campbell Ave. in Polo. After further investigation Deputies arrested Bradley Fogle, 33 of Milledgeville, for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol. Fogle was transported to the Ogle County Jail where he was held in lieu of bond.

At approximately 5:21 p.m., Deputies initiated a traffic stop near the intersection of Lowell Park Rd. and Penn Corner Rd. After further investigation Deputies arrested Justin Bennett, 27 of

Kewanee, for an outstanding Ogle County warrant for Failure to Appear and Improper Cannabis Container. Bennett was transported to the Ogle County Jail where he was held in lieu of bond.

At approximately 4:18 p.m., Deputies initiated a traffic stop near the intersection of Illinois Rte. 64 and Woodlawn Rd. After further investigation Deputies arrested Kayla Palin, 27 of Rockford, for Improper Cannabis Container. Palin was transported to the Ogle County Jail where she was held in lieu of bond.

March 7

At approximately 11:15 a.m., Ogle County Sheriff's Deputies arrested Laura L. Madden, 55 of Leaf River, at an address in Leaf River. Madden was arrested on an outstanding Failure to Appear warrant for Driving While License Suspended. She posted the \$450.00 bond, was released, and will have no further court appearances.

At 5:59 p.m., Ogle County Sheriff's Deputies conducted a traffic stop on Lighthouse Rd. and Daysville Rd., for a traffic violation. After a short investigation, Dustin Hutcherson, 32 of Rochelle, was arrested for Improper Cannabis Container/Driver, and Driving While License Suspended. Hutcherson was transported to the Ogle County Jail and held in lieu of bond.

March 6

At 8:29 p.m., Deputies conducted a traffic stop at Illinois Rte. 251 and Steward Road. After a short investigation Deputies arrested Lesley Foster, 29 of Chicago, for Improper Cannabis Container, Driving While License Suspended, No Valid License, and Obstruction of Justice. Foster was transported to the Ogle County Jail and held without Bond. Deputies were assisted on scene by Rochelle Police



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Polo Women's Club holding annual fundraiser

The GFWC Polo Women's Club invites the community to attend our annual fundraiser luncheon and Chinese/Silent Auction, Saturday, March 21, 11:30 a.m., at Faith United Methodist Church (accessible parking and facility w/lift) in Polo.

If you would like to attend, please contact Beth at 815-299-1416 for tickets (\$10 donation each) and details.

Our theme this year is "Spread Your Wings and Soar." Come and see our

beautiful decorations, enjoy a delicious lunch (gourmet sandwich, chips, choice of salad, dessert, and beverage), and

have fun bidding on quality auction items.

GFWC Illinois Polo Women's Club is a philanthropic organization dedicated to community improvement by enhancing the lives of others through volunteer service. Profits from the luncheon are used to support local and national charities and organizations.

Community invited to sing

MOUNT MORRIS - All area residents are invited to participate in a choir that will sing during the community Good Friday service in April.

Rehearsals for the community choir begin on Monday, March 23 at 5:30 p.m., at Disciples United Methodist Church, 102 Maple Ave., Mt. Morris. Music will be provided. The anthem is "Like a Lamb," words and music by Mary Kay Beall.

The community Good

Friday worship service will be April 10 at 7 p.m., at Disciples UMC.

Pastors from Disciples UMC, Trinity Lutheran Church, and Mt. Morris Church of the Brethren will participate in the service.

For more information about joining the choir, call Nelson Miller, 779-545-0052, or Disciples UMC at 815-734-4853. Church hours are weekdays from 8 a.m.-noon.



Music donation

Meggan Dickson-Grennan, owner of the salon w@sh in Oregon, recently donated \$100 to a scholarship fund offered through Aireloom Music Studio to help pay for music lessons. "The arts cultivate passion, calm, discipline, creation. It breaks my heart to think of kids missing out on the opportunity to strum a guitar because lessons are not in the budget," Dickson-Grennan said. "When presented with the opportunity, I was happy to help." Visit the music studio online at aireloommusic.com for more information. Pictured are Dickson-Grennan and Aireloom's Mary Ley.

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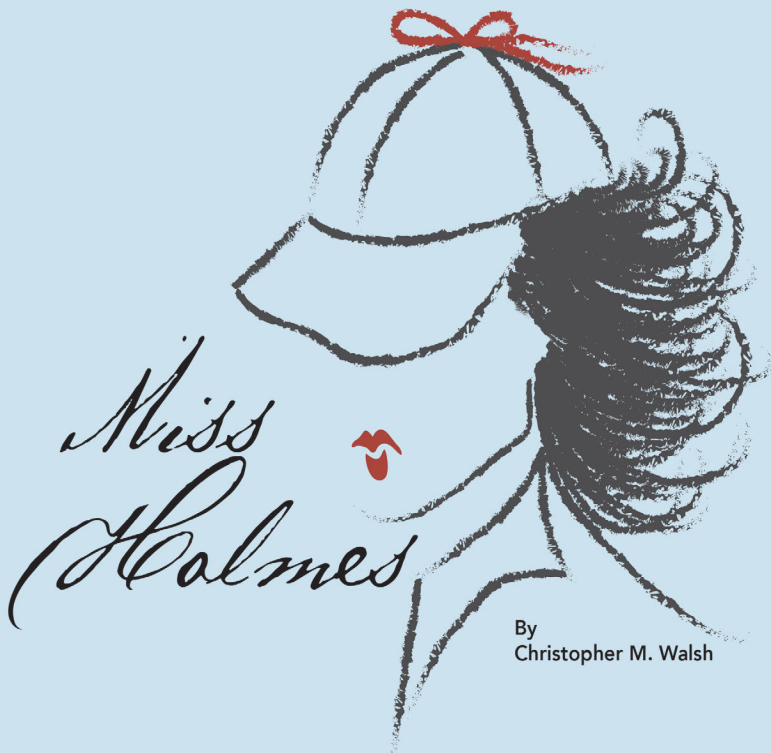
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Taking the plunge

Almost 500 brave participants plunged into the 20-degree waters of Olson Lake in Loves Park on March 7 to raise awareness and funds for Special Olympics of Illinois. Joining for the 5th year in a row, Team Ogle County First Responders raised over \$4,000 toward the overall event's total of \$112,000. Team Ogle County First Responders consists of members of Ogle County Sheriff's Department and Probation, Oregon Police Department, Chana Education Center and Sterling School District. Team member Joe Ghibellini, Sterling School District, was one of the event's top fundraisers overall. The Polar Plunge is a yearly event held by the Law Enforcement Torch Run to benefit Special Olympics of Illinois. Pictured front row from left: Stephanie White, Chana Educ Center Social; Shannon Cremeens, Oregon High School; Jackson Beckman; Brigette Beckman; Ogle County Probation; Carla Hill; Ogle County Sherriff's Dept; Linda Mendoza, Sterling School District. Back row from left: Lynn Kalnins, Chan Educ Center; Joe Ghibellini, Sterling School District; Kenny Kalnins; Tony Welle, Ogle County Sheriff's Dept; Matt Kalnins, Oregon Police Dept.

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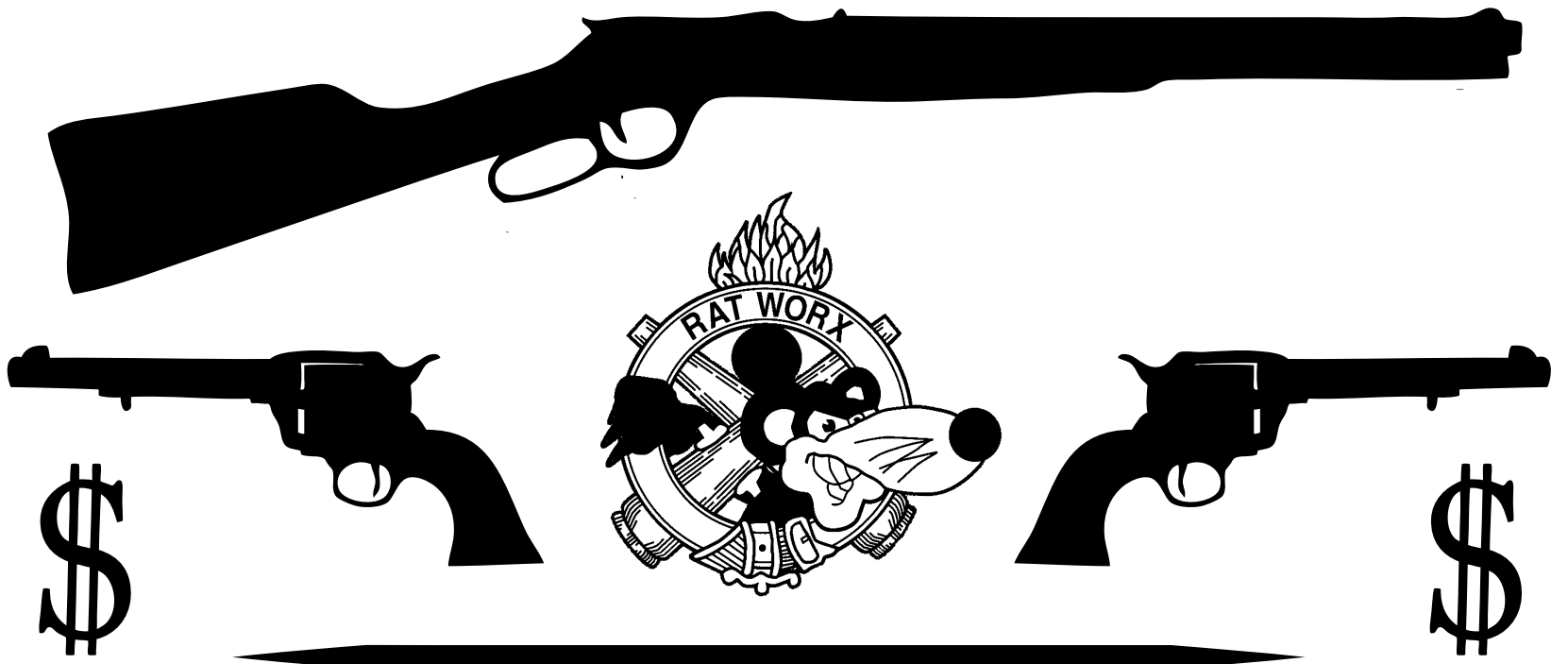
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Come to the Morris Senior Center for free Bingo and a \$6 birthday lunch. Bingo will start at 10:30 a.m. and lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m. we will be serving tuna noodle casserole, cake, and ice cream. Please RSVP to 815-734-6335.

Fri., March 20

Al-Anon Family Groups offer help to those who are affected by someone's drinking. Join us each Friday for a free meeting, 10-11 a.m., at Community Room at the KSB Clinic at the south edge of Polo at 1107 S. Division Ave (Route 26).

Thurs., March 19

Card Creations, 6-7:30 p.m. at the Byron Library. Boost your creative side by making beautiful handmade greeting cards to give to your family and friends. The prep work is

Weds., March 18

A free educational and informational presentation on the Social Security and Medicare programs will be presented for the community at 6-7:30 p.m. at The United Church of Byron, 701 West

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MOMENTS IN TIME

* On March 30, 1867, U.S. Secretary of State William Seward signs a treaty with Russia to buy Alaska for \$7 million. Despite the bargain price of roughly 2 cents an acre, the Alaskan purchase was ridiculed as "Seward's Folly" and "Seward's icebox."

* On March 31, 1889, the Eiffel Tower is dedicated in Paris in a ceremony presided over by Gustave Eiffel, its designer, and French Prime Minister Pierre Tirard. At 984 feet, the Eiffel Tower remained the world's tallest man-made structure until the completion of the Chrysler Building in New York in 1930.

* On April 2, 1902, the first American theater devoted solely to movies opens in Los Angeles. Housed in a circus tent, the venue was dubbed "The Electric Theater." A ticket cost 10 cents for a one-hour show.

* On April 4, 1913, Chicago bluesman Muddy Waters is born in Clarksdale, Mississippi. Born McKinley Morganfield, he wrote "Rollin' Stone," "Hoochie Coochie Man" and "Got My Mojo Working," songs that would later inspire Bob Dylan.

* On April 5, 1931, Fox Film Corp. drops John Wayne from its stable of actors after he failed to impress the studio in a series of bit parts. In 1939, Wayne had his breakthrough in "Stagecoach," and 30 years later he would win an Oscar for "True Grit."

* On April 3, 1955, the American Civil Liberties Union announces it will defend Allen Ginsberg's racy book "Howl" against obscenity charges after 520 copies of the book were seized entering the U.S. from England. American publisher Lawrence Ferlinghetti was later arrested and tried for promoting obscene material, but was found not guilty.

* On April 1, 1970, President Richard Nixon signs legislation officially banning cigarette ads on television and radio. Nixon, who was an avid pipe smoker, supported the legislation at the increasing insistence of public health advocates.

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Believe me – March is not to be trusted

As I write this, it is a rainy, dreary morning.

Welcome to March.

March is the month we look forward to – it will be warmer than February! – but like that prom date we couldn't wait for, it usually lets us down.

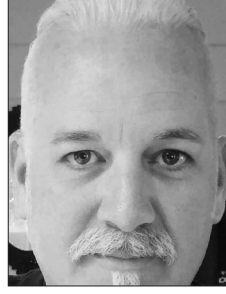
Honestly, March can't decide what it wants to be. And we are the people caught in battle over its identity. Is March just an extension of winter? Is March an early look at spring? Is March a mixture of the worst of both?

I would say yes, yes and yes.

Like every other sucker in this region, I always look forward to March. March is like adulthood was when you were a kid. You couldn't wait to stay up late, have your own place and make your own decisions. But then you were an adult and realized you just wanted to go to bed, not make a house payment and have someone else make some decisions now and again.

Living the Life

By Brad Jennings



A recent Sunday was a perfect example of a March day. It was almost 65 degrees. 65! My wife and I jumped on our motorcycles to go see some friends play some music. But, March being March, the high winds made the riding not only a little chilly, but too much work. Riding through high winds is not a lot of fun.

Thanks for that, March.

Sure, March is home to Spring Break, but what do people do on Spring Break if

they can? They leave town. You don't "enjoy" Spring Break in Rockford, or Forreton or Rochelle unless you have to.

Instead, you are in Florida, or visiting your uncle in Arkansas. If you can, you are anywhere south of here that you can get. Even Bloomington would be better, right?

March also brings back your buddy rain. You remember rain, right? Remember last May when it kept farmers from planting their fields because it just wouldn't give us a break? How about June, when the Rock River seems to be at or near flood stage all the time?

Yes, that rain comes back in March. At first, it's great. It melts the snow! Yes! But the first thing you realize when the snow melts is that your backyard is now a minefield of freshly exposed dog poop.

That cleanup is one big job.

Then you realize more rain is to follow. A lot more rain.

When you look at months, March is clearly a month that is not at the top of anyone's list. October has the awesome Halloween. December has Christmas and is the big guy on the block. Even July has the Fourth. January and February aren't favorites, but at least you know what to expect.

March? March is sneaky. March is not to be trusted. March is always out there waiting to trip you up. March is a liar.

But soon, we will be able to leave March behind and move into April. And let's be honest, April can be a bit dodgy too. But we do know the weather will be more consistently warmer. Plus, my birthday is in April, so it can't be all bad.

For now, we will continue to wrestle with March. We will come close to pinning it, but it will always end up getting us on our backs. You just can't trust March.

Brad Jennings is Editor of The Ogle County Life.



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RCH stresses steps to take to battle Coronavirus

To Rochelle Community Hospital Patients and Residents of Ogle County,

All of us at Rochelle Community Hospital are working alongside the Ogle County Health Department and the City of Rochelle to monitor rapidly changing conditions about the spread of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19). Our highest priority is the health and well-being of our patients, staff and residents of the communities we serve. Like every organization today, we are seeking federal, state and regional guidance in determining the appropriate adjustments to make as the COVID-19 situation evolves.

It is important to note that there are no confirmed cases in Ogle County as of March 11, 2020.

We continue to stress that residents limit the possible spread of the disease with these precautions:

- Wash your hands with soap and water

for at least 20 seconds. Use a hand sanitizer with 60% alcohol if soap and water are not available.

- Cover your sneeze and cough.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth.
- Stay home if you are sick.
- Social distancing – maintain a distance of three feet from other people; avoid shaking hands and hugging.
- Avoid close contact with sick people
- Avoid travel if your destination is in an area with widespread outbreak.

Stay current on accurate information from reputable sources, such as the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH), Centers for Disease Control (CDC) and the Ogle County Health Department. All these sources are sharing updates and information on their websites and social media pages. Go to www.cdc.gov for the most current information

about the virus including precautions and frequently asked questions.

If you are sick, we certainly want you to seek medical attention. We ask that you call ahead to the Emergency Department, Provider office or Convenient Care if you are in one of the three high risk categories:

1. Have a fever and signs of a respiratory illness (cough, shortness of breath) and have travelled to a country or region that has an increased incidence of community spread COVID-19 within 14 days of symptom onset.
2. Have a fever and signs of a respiratory illness (cough, shortness of breath) and have had close contact with a laboratory confirmed case of COVID-19 within 14 days of symptom onset.
3. Have a fever with severe acute lower respiratory illness (pneumonia, Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome) requiring hospitalization and without an alternative

explanatory diagnosis (i.e. Influenza) AND no source of exposure has been identified

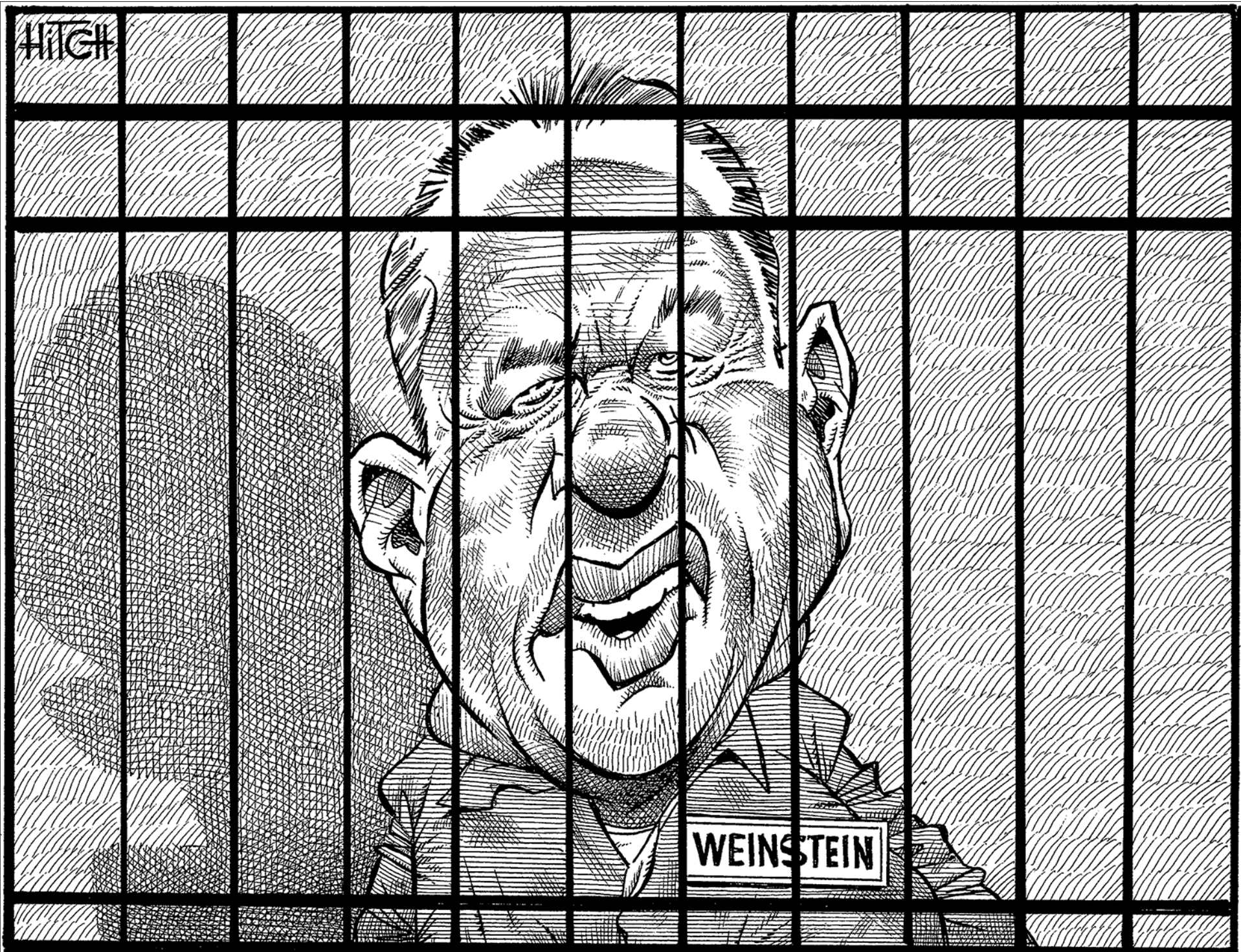
Rochelle Community Hospital, in conjunction with the CDC, the Ogle County Health Department and the Illinois Department of Public Health, does not recommend wearing a mask if you are not sick. If you are experiencing severe respiratory symptoms, call 911.

Since there is no specific treatment for this virus, we need the public's help. We can't do it alone.

We want to thank you for your continued support.

Wishing you all good health,
Gregg Olson, CEO, Rochelle Community Hospital

Kyle Auman, Public Health Administrator, Ogle County Health Department
John Bearrows, Mayor, City of Rochelle



SPEAKING OF CONTAINING A VIRUS...

Retirement celebration on March 16

OREGON – The City of Oregon and fellow employees invite you to celebrate Charlene Ruthe’s retirement party on March 16 from 4-6 p.m.

It will be held at the City Hall, 115 N. 3rd St. in Oregon.

After 26½ years of service to the City of Oregon as City Clerk, Ruthe has decided to retire. Come help us wish Ruthe a wonderful retirement. Refreshments will be provided.



Art show winner

Congratulations to Madison Sketo, a Forrester High School junior, for winning 1st place at the Freeport Art Museum’s Aspiring Artists show for 2020. Madison’s acrylic painting titled “Life” won first place in the high school category and was the top prize. The painting is a beautiful traditional house with certain pieces of the puzzle missing, suggesting things may not always be what they seem. Each year the Freeport Art Museum highlights student artwork from many schools in the local area and awards are given to three categories; high school, junior high and grade school. The show can be seen during the months of March and April during normal museum hours and is free to everyone.

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Winter reminder: We follow the Meridian School District closure calendar. If Meridian schools are closed, we are closed. For any questions please call Bread of Life at 815-645-8872, Ext. 15.

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Bukoski finishes fifth in IHSA 2A State 3-Point Shootout

Byron High School junior Paige Bukowski recently competed in the IHSA Class 2A 3-Point Shootout in Bloomington. She came in fifth place out of 32 shooters, making nine out of 15 shots. (Courtesy photo)



Pictured above from left to right are Forreston All-Conference student-athletes Paityn Broshous, Riley Cornelius, Alexis Houston (front row), Brycelynn Smith, Ethan Greenfield, Kolten Dorty and Megan Hagemann (back row). (Courtesy photo)

Forreston High School student-athletes earn NUIC South All-Conference honors

FORRESTON — The following Forreston High School athletes were NUIC South All-Conference honorees for the winter sports season.

Alexis Houston – All Conference Girls Basket-

ball First Team, Paityn Broshous – All Conference Girls Basketball Honorable Mention, Megan Hagemann – All Conference Girls Basketball Honorable Mention, Brycelynn Smith – All Conference

Girls Basketball Honorable Mention, Ethan Greenfield – All Conference Boys Basketball First Team (unanimous), Kolten Dorty – All Conference Boys Basketball Second Team and Riley Corne-

lius – All Conference Boys Basketball Honorable Mention.

Forreston High School wishes to congratulate all these student-athletes on their accomplishments this season.

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Hawk Wrestling Club members Landen Elder, Anthony Bauer and Nelson Benesh (left to right) recorded top-4 finishes in the IKWF North Sectional. The Oregon wrestlers will participate in the state championships. (Courtesy photo)

Hawk wrestlers qualify for state

OREGON — The Oregon Hawk Wrestling Club qualified three individuals for the IKWF State Championships in Rockford.

Landen Elder (left) took first in the 188-pound senior bracket at the Rochelle sectional, while Anthony Bauer (mid-

dle) placed third in the 164-pound senior bracket. Nelson Benesh (right) is an alternate for the 84-pound novice bracket.



Byron Middle School hosts Hoops for Henkel event to support local cancer fighter

Byron Middle School recently hosted an event to support PrairieView Golf Club course superintendent Matt Henkel, who is currently battling brain cancer. "Hoops for Henkel" was held on Feb. 25 during an eighth-grade basketball game versus Meridian Junior High School. Matt and his wife Cammie, a first-grade teacher at Mary Morgan Elementary School, have three children in the Byron school district

with two at the middle school. To support this family, shirts were sold, a 50/50 raffle was held, concessions from the game were donated by BMS Builder's Club, and Pop a Shot was held at halftime. Thanks to everyone in the community and school district who supported this event for such a well-deserving local family. Pictured above are supporters of the event. (Courtesy photo)

Mount Morris Senior Center sets upcoming activities

CAST at the Rock River Center

All are welcome to join the Mt. Morris Senior Center and Students from the Chana Education Center at the Rock River Center in Oregon on Tuesday, March 17th at noon. We will enjoy St. Patrick's Day activities and snacks together. Call 815-734-6335 if you have any questions.

Bingo/Birthday

Come to the Morris Senior Center for free Bingo and a \$6 birthday lunch on Wednesday, March 18th. Bingo will start at 10:30 and lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m. We will be serving Tuna Noodle Casserole, Cake, and Ice Cream! Please RSVP to 815-734-6335.

Potluck

Friday, March 20th is the Mt. Morris Senior Center's next potluck day, and we hope you can join us! We will eat at noon, so simply bring a dish to pass or a donation and your own table service. All are welcome! Call 815-734-6335 if you have any questions.

Bingo in Byron

Join the Mt. Morris Senior Center at Neighbors Nursing Home in Byron for a delicious \$5 lunch and some free community bingo. Win a prize and enjoy some wonderful fellowship on Monday, March 23rd. We will carpool from the Mt. Morris Senior Center at 1 p.m., or you can meet us there at 1:30 p.m. Please RSVP to 815-734-6335 so there is sure to be enough food.

Jam Session

Local musicians playing beautiful music and a delicious meal! You can't beat that! Come to the Mt. Morris Senior Center on Wednesday, March 25th. The music will start at 10:30 a.m. and lunch is served at noon. The cost is only \$3, so we hope to see you there. Call 815-734-6335 to RSVP.

Census Day Party!

It is important that everyone fill out the 2020 census! So, bring your invitation, and come to the Mt. Morris Senior Center on Wednesday, April 1st (Census Day) between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. to join our 2020 Census Event! We will have computers available to fill out your census, help filling it out if you need it, a variety of snacks, and even a door prize. Avoid that knock on your door and any scams that may be out there and fill out your census early. All are welcome.

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Gardening workshop set for March 21 in Dixon

Ready Set Grow Gardening Workshop Hosted By Carroll, Lee, Ogle and Whiteside counties Master Gardeners will be held on Saturday, March 21 from 8 a.m.-2:15 p.m. at Sauk Valley Community College in Dixon.

This event is open to anyone who is interested in or enjoys gardening. We offer a keynote speaker; Richard

Henschel, Apples, Getting to the Core of Things. Twelve breakout sessions over a wide variety of topics including hardy perennial vegetable crops For the Midwest, asparagus, rhubarb, horseradish, the cook's garden, fun with fermentation, "are my trees and plants in trouble?" new invaders update, make and take succulent wreath, and many more;

multiple vendors with unique items for purchase; a master gardener Q & A Desk; and continental breakfast and buffet lunch!

The fee for this program is \$45, and registrations will be accepted until March 16. For more information or to register for Ready...Set...Grow..., please visit: go.illinois.edu/ReadySet

GrowWorkshop or call Ogle County Extension Office at 815-732-2191.

If you need a reasonable accommodation to participate in this program, please contact the Extension office at, 421 W. Pines Rd. Suite 10, Oregon, or 815-732-2191. Early requests are strongly encouraged to allow sufficient time for meeting your access needs.

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Local students named to dean's list at Bradley University

PEORIA – Bradley University announces the Fall 2019 Dean's List.

To be eligible for the Dean's List a student must achieve a minimum 3.5 grade point average for the semester on a 4.0 scale.

Cori Roth of Byron is a Nursing major; Aidan Blassage of Monroe Center is a LAS-Economics major; Abigail Ganong of Stillman Valley is a Health Science major; Alison Poole of Polo is a Chemistry major.

Bradley University is a top-ranked, private university in Peoria, Illinois, offering 5,400 undergraduate and graduate students the resources of a larger university and the personal attention of a smaller university. More than 185 academic programs are offered in business, communications, education, engineering, fine arts, health sciences, liberal arts and sciences, and technology.

Ogle County electronic recycling is on March 27

OREGON – The Ogle County Solid Waste Management Department (OCSWMD) will be conducting the monthly residential electronics recycling event on Friday, March 27.

The event is for Ogle County residents only and runs from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 909 Pines Road in Oregon. Please bring a valid form of ID verifying Ogle

County residency.

Items accepted include all residential televisions, computers, computer monitors, peripheral computer hardware, laptops, tablets, cell phones, UPS systems, printers, copiers, FAX machines, routers, video gaming equipment, DVD/ VCR players, satellite and cable boxes, remotes, stereo equipment,

shredders, boom boxes, radios, digital clocks, phone systems, calculators, adding machines, holiday light strands, extension cords, rechargeable batteries, CFL bulbs, and printer ink cartridges. Microwave ovens are accepted for a charge of \$5 per unit.

There is a limit of 7 bulk items per vehicle. A crate or box

filled with accepted materials counts as one bulk item. Items not accepted at these events include smoke detectors, heaters, fans, dehumidifiers, light fixtures, LED bulbs, alkaline batteries, personal hygiene equipment, power and yard tools, coffee pots, toasters, bread machines, slow cookers, and other kitchen appliances. Also

not accepted are shredder tubs, wood encased speakers, and packaging from your electronics. Please remove electronics from boxes, Styrofoam, and plastic wrap.

If you have further questions, or have business electronics you wish to recycle, please call the OCSWMD at 815-732-4020 or visit www.oglecounty.org.

Ogle County Pheasant Forever banquet is April 4

MOUNT MORRIS – The Ogle County Pheasant Forever annual banquet is scheduled for Saturday April 4, at the Mount Morris Moose Lodge.

Doors open at 4:30 p.m. for raffles, silent auction and social hour. Dinner will follow at 6:30 p.m.

This is a fun filled event featuring raffles, silent auction, live auction, and several nice door prizes for those who order membership level tickets. A prime rib dinner prepared and served by the Moose Lodge.

With the generous support of our members, sponsors, and guests, OCPF has been involved in over 3,800 habitat projects over

the last 32 years, affecting more than 38,000 acres. These accomplishments rank second in the state of Illinois for Pheasant Forever Chapters. Additionally, more than 231,000 trees have been planted by Ogle County landowners. Total expenditures through fiscal year 2019 were \$902,405.

We hope you can join us for an action-packed evening and help us to continue to develop and improve wildlife habitats throughout Ogle County.

The Moose Lodge is located at 101 Moose Drive.

To order tickets contact Michelle Hoshaw 9004 N. Barker Rd. Byron, phone number 815-979-8234.

Park District sets trip to see 'Saturday Night Fever' play

OREGON – Sign up today for the Oregon Park District Day Trip to Circa '21 Dinner Playhouse in Rock Island.

Enjoy Saturday Night Fever, the musical, based on the 1970 movie phenomenon that launched the disco era and made John Travolta a household name.

See Tony Manero and his partner Stephanie fall for each other as they train for the big dance competition. Enjoy lunch and the performing wait staff before the 1:30 p.m. show. It's more than a show, it's an experience.

There is limited seating so register today for the Wednesday, April 22, day trip which departs from Nash at 10 a.m. and returns around 5:30 p.m. Fee includes transportation by van, show and fantastic lunch!

Register before the March 20 deadline for only \$57/Resident or \$67/Non-Resident. Register today at www.oregonpark.org, at Nash Recreation Center, 304 S. 5th St., Oregon or by calling 815-732-3101.

Byron's Raine named to Dean's List

CEDARVILLE, Ohio – Heidie Raine of Byron was named to the Cedarville University Dean's Honor List for the fall 2019 semester. This recognition required Raine to maintain a 3.75 GPA for the semester while taking a minimum of 12 credit hours.



Antique Show

Johanna Hahne (left) and Sandie Chasm post a sign along Route #2, announcing the 70th Annual Oregon Woman's Club Antique Show. The show will be March 28 and 29 at the Blackhawk Center, 1101 W. Jefferson in Oregon. In addition to more than 50 vendors offering a variety of antiques, crystal and china repair will be available both days, and appraisals on Sunday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Plenty of free parking, door prizes, and concessions will also be on offer. The facility is handicap accessible. For more information, call Rosemary Underwood at 815-732-2210.

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Reasons to hire an interior designer

How many times have you sat on the sofa pouring over a home magazine wishing your rooms could be ripped from its pages? Some people are gifted with a natural talent to impart a space with perfectly balanced colors and schemes that fit with one's lifestyle and design preferences. Others are not as

equipped. But that doesn't mean design has to suffer. An interior designer with knowledge and resources who's in your corner can make all the difference.

Many people are hesitant to bring in professional designers because of cost. But contrary to popular belief, working with an interior decorator is not

something reserved for the rich and famous. Designers actually can save homeowners money in the long run. A good designer will choose the right amount of high-quality elements that will be durable and timeless. This means less money will ultimately be spent on replacing cheap materials or redesigning rooms

that have gone out of style.

According to the design experts at Homepolish, utilizing a designer to transform a space can create rooms that are more in tune and balanced with homeowners' needs — helping to improve mood and functionality. That can extend to other areas of a person's life and well-being. Put-

ting the task of designing a home's interior in someone else's hands frees up time to focus on other projects as well.

Designers can look at a space with a careful eye and not be influenced by items that have sentimental attachment. He or she can help decide if anything should be repurposed or removed. Plus, an interior designer can help homeowners stay on budget.

Designers also can serve as liaisons for clients

who have difficulty communicating with builders and architects. Designers are trained to think about things that homeowners tend to overlook, such as placement of lighting, outlets and room flow. He or she also likely has contacts within the industry that can be utilized, saving even more time and money.

A good designer can be worth the investment. The end results will be an interior that homeowners will be proud to call home.

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Is it time for you to replace your old wiring?

Old homes can be charming and contain architectural elements not often seen in many modern housing developments. But what older homes may have in design appeal, they may lack in updated features.

While cosmetic changes are not necessarily difficult, one area of concern in historic homes — and sometimes even in houses built 40 or 50 years ago — is archaic wiring. Wiring provides power to every room of the home. In today's electronics-driven society, electricity that works is an essential component of daily life. Over time, wiring can be compromised through simple aging, pest infiltration, weather, or other conditions. Deteriorated wiring can present a shock hazard and also a serious fire hazard, warn the home renovation experts at The Spruce. Furthermore, the home improvement site This Old House advises that the amperage of old wiring may not be able to meet the needs of the devices used in homes — overpowering the circuits. This can cause breaker blowouts and other problems, such as overheated wires that may spark and cause fires from within the wall.

Wiring often falls into the “out of sight, out of mind” category. Homeowners may make allowances for inadequate electrical systems, such as running extension cords or using multiplug connectors to increase their wiring capacity. However, they may not be diligently keeping on top of upgrades needed to stay safe. Confirming that a home's electrical system is safe is a necessary part of home maintenance.

For those who haven't already done so, schedule an inspection with a licensed electrician to go over the home's wiring. He or she can determine if any areas pose a safety risk and/or do not conform to local code requirements and the National Electrical Code. Failure to meet code can lead to difficulty obtaining permits to make other home renovations, or difficulty selling a home later on.

The electrician can also go over improvements that can improve safety and function. Additional outlets, including GFCI outlets in kitchens and bathrooms, may be part of the plan, as well as rewiring a fuse box or circuit panel to allow for better flow of power around the house. Frayed wiring or underinsulated wiring also may need to be replaced.

Owners of old homes should recognize possible electrical system dangers that require attention. Plus, considering electrical codes change quite frequently, it is always in a homeowner's best interest to work with a qualified electrician to keep wiring inspected and up to date.

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How tree services can protect your property

Cold weather can take its toll on a property, especially in regions of the world where winters are harsh. Most parts of the landscape are vulnerable to damage from winter storms, but trees may be especially susceptible. By the end of winter, many homeowners wonder if their trees would benefit from some professional TLC.

Tree services provide a host of services. While fall is a popular time to remove trees from a property, doing so in spring is not unheard of, especially if trees were affected by winter storms and now pose a threat to a home and the people who live inside it.

Homeowners considering tree services can explore the following ways that some professional arbor attention can protect them and their homes.

- Tree services can help protect a home's foundation. Old trees that stretch well into the sky can be captivating, but they also can pose a threat to a home's foundation. Such trees may have especially large root zones that may extend beneath walkways and even a home.

In the latter instance, foundations may crack as roots try to stake their claim to the ground beneath a home. According to the home improvement resource HomeAdvisor, homeowners pay an average of just over \$4,000 to repair foundation issues, though major problems can cost considerably more than that. A professional tree service can remove aging trees that might be beautiful and awe-inspiring but still pose a threat to a home and the areas surrounding it.

- Tree services can improve visibility. Trees that have aged a bit since their last trimming might affect the view of a property from inside a home. Overgrown branches can compromise residents' ability to see and experience



the natural beauty just outside their windows. The average homeowner may be able to trim short trees on his or her own, but if views from the second floor of a home or higher have been compromised, it's much safer to call a professional tree service. Such services have the right tools and experienced personnel necessary to safely trim high branches on tall trees.

- Tree services can help prevent future damage. Even if trees made it

through a recent winter unscathed, that's no guarantee next winter or even the coming seasons of spring, summer and fall won't ultimately prove their undoing. Travelers Insurance notes that weather-related roof damage, including damage resulting from falling limbs and branches weighed down by snow during the winter months, accounted for more than half of all Travelers property loss claims between 2009 and 2016. According to BNC Insurance and Risk

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Some emerging deck trends

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Certain deck trends have emerged as industry experts' top picks for the upcoming remodeling and renovation season. For those thinking of revamping an existing deck, or building an entirely new one, these trends are on point.

- **Established perimeters:** "Picture framing" is not a new trend, but one that has taken greater hold in recent years. The term refers to aesthetically appealing designs that conceal the ends of deck boards for a clean finish. Some designs feature contrasting material colors on the ends for even more impact. This helps create refined perimeters for a polished look.

- **Roof-top decking:** Urban areas also can benefit from decking to create usable outdoor spaces. In fact, many new condominium and townhouse communities are incorporating roof-top decks into their designs, particularly in communities with water views or other impressive vistas. HGTV experts suggest roof-top decks feature light-colored materials and fixtures to help keep the area cool even in direct sunlight.

- **Distressed hardwood:** Builder and Developer, a management resource for professional homebuilders, says that the trend for using distressed hardwoods at home has migrated outside. Some decking manufacturers have recently introduced low-maintenance composite deck boards that mimic the look and feel of distressed, rustic hardwood flooring. This weathered appearance gives the look of age without the upkeep of real aged wood.

- **Wooden walkways:** Decking can be the more traditional design people envision with a patio table or outdoor furniture. But it also can consist of wooden walkways or a low-laying patio to accentuate the yard.

- **Mixed materials:** Homeowners may be inspired by commercial eateries, breweries and urban markets in their exterior design choices. Decks featuring composite materials and aluminum railings blend sophistication, urban appeal and comfort.

- **Fire pit conversation area:** Many decks can incorporate water or fire elements for visual appeal. Gas-fueled fire elements can expand the functionality of decks beyond the warm seasons, or make enjoying them practical on nights when the temperature plummets.

Decks are reimagined in many different ways with continually evolving trends.

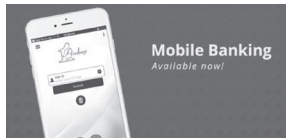
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Rock River Center set upcoming events, activities

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7th annual What's Cookin' event will be held on April 18 at Barnacopia, 2570 N, West Branch Rd., Polo from 5-8 p.m.

Rock River Center had a tremendous group of participants come and enjoy the food from our 2019 What's Cookin' vendors. Coming again in 2020 our event will be held at Barnacopia with plenty of fun and food for everyone. Our 2019 celebrity judges will be returning to bring their expertise and enthusiasm to our event. Photos of our 2019 event including judges and trophies are featured at www.rockrivercenter.org.

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Cancer Support Group

Meets 4th Thursday of March, June, September & December from 3-4 p.m. at Rock River Center.

Caregiver Support Group

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Diabetic Support Group

Meets 1st Wednesday of the month from 2-3 p.m. at Rock River Center. A different topic is discussed each month and recipes are shared as well.

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Local student named to Marquette Dean's List

MILWAUKEE – The following students have been named to the Dean's List for the fall 2019 semester at Marquette University in Milwaukee, Wis.

Byron – Shayden Harvey is pursuing a Bachelor of Civil Engineering in Environmental Engineering.

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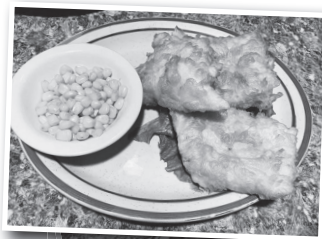
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The training sessions will be held Saturday, April 11 at 10 a.m. or Monday, April 13 at 5 p.m. Demonstrations on getting horses ready for lessons, leading or side-walking with the rider and therapeutic horsemanship will be given in the arena.

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Catch the Wave swim lessons

Catch the Wave Swim Lessons are offered each month at Nash Recreation Center. Lessons are offered on a 4 week cycle. Lessons are available for ages 3 months-adult. Registration deadline for April classes is March 21st. For more information visit www.oregonpark.org.

Spring break camp

Are you staying in town this Spring Break and still want your child to have a blast? We will keep your child safe, entertained and busy with lots of fun adventures, swimming, games, craft and fun at the local parks. Spring Break Camp will run from Monday, March 23 through Friday, March 27 each day from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Blackhawk Center. The fee is \$125/Resident and \$150/Non-Residents. Deadline to register is March 16 and it will be here before you know it! Register online at oregonpark.org or by calling 815-732-3101.

The Lazyman Ironman

The Oregon Park District's Lazyman's Ironman Triathlon is an opportunity for everyone looking for a new challenge. In a traditional Ironman, participants swim 2.4 miles, bike 112 miles and run 26.2 miles in 1 day! You have 6 weeks beginning March 30 and running through May 9 to complete the requirements. That's 42 days to swim, bike, run at any pace that you choose. Make the commitment at the start of Spring Break and feel the sense of accomplishment by Summer! Everyone who has the courage to register will receive a T-shirt at the conclusion of the Lazyman Ironman program. You will receive a logging sheet via email the Friday before the event kicks off! Keep this safe with you and track as you go. Simply submit to Nash upon completion. The fee to participate is just \$10 for Residents and \$12 for Non-Residents. Register by March 23 by calling 815 732-3101.

Village Bakery pastry decorating class

Join the Village Bakery and their talented staff for an exciting decorating experience. This family-oriented program requires an adult to attend with each child. Don't miss this amazing experience to take home some memories. Our Mother's Day class will be held on Wednesday of the OCUSD Spring Break from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at the Village Bakery. This class is suited for children ages 3-9 years old. The fee is just \$16 per Resident and \$19 per Non-Resident. Deadline to register is Monday, March 23.

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Timber + Tribe wood sign workshop

Trendy signs are fun to create, especially when you can craft at Cork & Tap with friends and there is no DIY mess at home. Timber + Tribe provides all the supplies you need to make a 15" sign for your door. Class will be held on Wednesday, April 8, from 6:30-9 p.m. at Cork & Tap. Choose between 4 sayings and have fun choosing between a large variety of stain and paint colors at the workshop. Beverages at Cork & Tap are at your expense. Class fee is \$30/Resident and \$36/Non-Resident. Registration deadline is March 31.

Herb container garden

The knowledgeable staff at Merlin's will instruct this hands-on herb planting workshop at Cork and Tap on Thursday, April 2, 2020. Choose between the 6-7 p.m. or the 7:30-8:30 p.m. class time. You will plant your herbs in a trendy hanging basket and learn the in's and out's of caring for and using your herbs. Class fee is \$43/Resident and \$52/Non-Resident. Registration deadline is March 25.

Circa 21 – Saturday Night Fever

This day trip to Rock Islands fabulous Circa '21 Dinner Playhouse is on Wednesday, April 22, 2020. Enjoy Saturday Night Fever, the musical based on the 1970 movie phenomenon that launched the disco era and made John Travolta a household name. The van departs from Nash Recreation Center at 10 a.m. Enjoy lunch and the performing wait staff before the 1:30 p.m. show. We will return around 5:30 p.m. Trip fee includes transportation, theatre admission and a fantastic lunch! Register before the March 20 deadline. Fee: \$57/Resident or \$67/Non-Resident.

Market vendors wanted

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Easter egg hunts

Save the dates for the annual Easter Egg Hunts. 5th-8th grade students will enjoy the Flashlight Egg Hunt on Friday, April 10 at 8 p.m. The Traditional Hunt for children in Pre-K through 4th grade will hunt on Saturday, April 11 at 10 a.m. The Sensory Friendly Egg Hunt designed specifically for those with special needs or those needing a peanut free hunt area. It will also be on Saturday, April 11. It will be inside the baseball diamond on Park West at 9:30 a.m. We request an RSVP for this egg hunt at www.oregonpark.org.

Women's 3-on-3 basketball

Women's Basketball League is back at the Oregon Park District! Games are played 3-on-3 on a half court at either Nash or the Black Hawk Center. Teams will compete in a regular season followed by a tournament to conclude the season. Fun opportunity for all skill levels to compete in a competitive atmosphere. Number of teams is limited, so register early! The league will be self-officiated, and all players must be 18+ years old and graduated from high school. Registration per team is \$100. Register online at www.oregonpark.org, at Nash Recreation Center or by calling 815-732-3101.

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More than 500 Christmas trees collected, chipped

OREGON – The annual Ogle County Christmas tree collection and chipping program recently wrapped up around the county and final numbers for trees are now in.

A total of just over 500 trees were collected and chipped up into useful mulch. That is a total of around 25,000 pounds or roughly 12 tons of trees not headed to the landfill. Since program year 1999 a total of almost 16,000 trees, roughly 400 tons, have been recycled into mulch and not ended up in the landfills.

Starting on Dec. 26, people dropped off trees at locations in Rochelle, Byron, Oregon, Monroe Center, Polo, Forreston and Leaf River. Rochelle residents placed trees out by the curb and the street department came out and chipped them at the curb. In certain areas local Future Farmers of America (FFA) volunteers collected trees and brought them to the drop-off point for chipping. This year, despite the mild winter, was challenging for the FFA students and advisors as winter storm systems hit two weekends in a row.

FFA volunteers in Byron, Forreston, Polo, and Oregon worked together with local street departments to get the trees collected as they dodged winter ice storms. Roughly 110 trees were picked up in these areas by either the FFA students or by the street department.

The Ogle County Solid Waste Management Department (OCSWMD) coordinates the program and wishes to thank all of the volunteers, municipalities, street departments, and FFA students and teachers who actually do the work and handle the trees. This program will continue for 2020 and into 2021. Anyone interested in free mulch from the trees, please call the OCSWMD at 815-732-4020 for more information and sites where mulch will be available.

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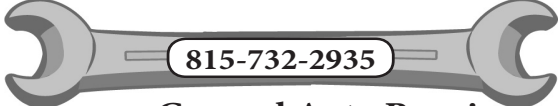

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Lutheran Social Services of Illinois keeping busy in the region

With its prevention programs, Lutheran Social Services of Illinois has been very busy offering services that benefit local youth in Ogle, Whiteside, Lee and Carroll counties.

Danielle Horst and Jackie Smith are two of the team members in Youth WORKS and Project LEAD who are dedicated to prevention activities in Ogle County. Both workers been extremely busy with teaching evidence based curriculum, leading a youth committee, and advocating for local schools to partici-

pate in the Illinois Youth Survey.

In addition, the Prevention staff are planning for several requests to host the "Hidden in Plain Sight" exhibit, which is a setup of a mock teenager's bedroom. Participation in this exhibit increases awareness about the warnings signs of youth substance use, possession of drug paraphernalia, and concealment of illicit drugs and alcohol.

Recently, the "Hidden in Plain sight" exhibit was updated to include some of the most recent warning signs of not

only youth substance use, but also other high risk behaviors, including self-harm, bullying, suicidal ideation, and dating violence. Hidden in Plain Sight is presented in a small group setting with each adult attendee having the opportunity to walk through the room while a Prevention Specialist guides them through the mock bedroom and provides education about the contents. Attendees also have the opportunity to ask questions and inspect the items in the exhibit. A question and answer period follows the end of the

presentation and open the door for any concerns adults within the communities might have.

Hidden in Plain Sight is an interactive adult's only exhibit which is periodically offered in the Ogle County communities. LSSI's prevention programs are funded in part by the Illinois Department of Human Services, the local 708 Board of Ogle County, and local United Way Agencies. For more information about prevention programming please contact Jackie Smith at 815-284-7796, Ext. 4146.



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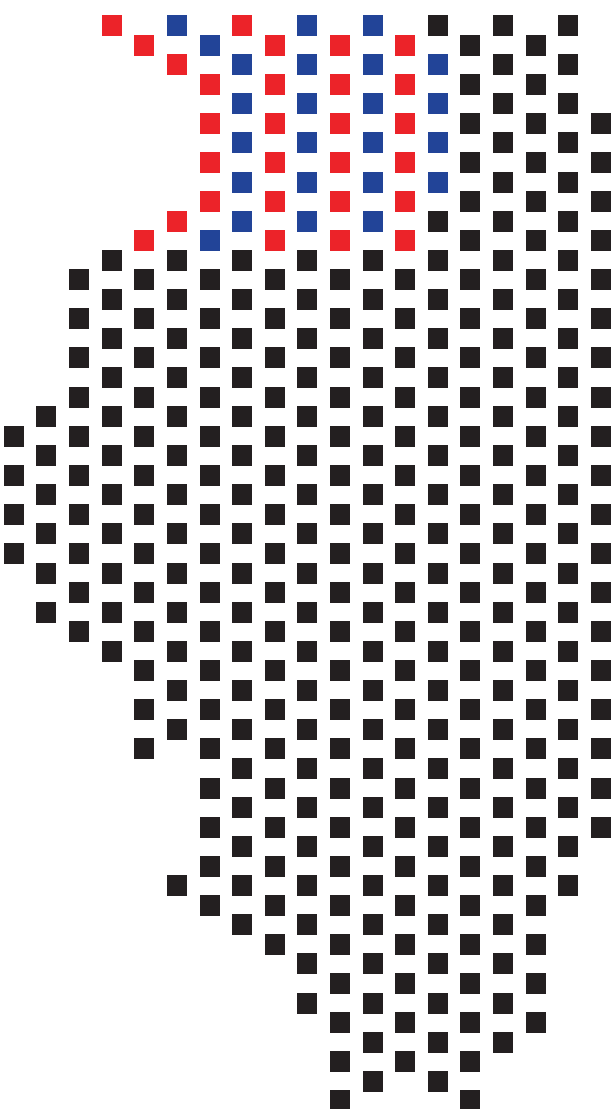
BYRON – A free educational and informational presentation on the Social Security and Medicare programs will be presented for the community at 6-7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, March 18 at The United Church of Byron, 701 West Second Street, Byron.

The emphasis will be on the eligibility and enrollment periods, benefits, and options concerning Social Security and Medicare. All are welcome. Presenter will be Greg Wills for the program. This program is sponsored by the Legacy and Endowment Committees of The United Church of Byron.



Students hit reading goal

More than 25 Byron Middle School 7th graders were recently treated to a pizza party during lunch for reading five Rebecca Caudill nominated books this school year. The Rebecca Caudill Young Readers' Book award is given out annually to the author of the book most voted on by students in grades 4-8 in Illinois from a list of 20 titles. To be invited to the pizza party, students in Mrs. Bukoski's 7th grade Language Arts classes needed to have read at least 5 of the titles by the end of January.



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Summer music camp set for Rockford

ROCKFORD – The Music Academy of Rockford offers an Olympic Week of Summer Music at Camp Counterpoint, a string and piano camp for students of all ages, June 15 through 19.

Camp will be held at the Music Academy, 226 S. Second St.

Camp Counterpoint is open to Suzuki and Traditional violin, viola, cello, guitar and piano students. Students will work with a variety of Academy artist faculty members on both instrument specific and general music skills. Classes include theory, individual lessons, piano ensemble and chamber groups and orchestra. The camp's goal

is to raise students' skill while they have fun. A performance by all campers at noon on Friday, June 19 concludes the camp.

This year's Olympic theme is a fun way to help students improve their musicianship including sight reading, ensemble playing and general musicality. Camp also will focus on team building with Olympic challenges. Students will celebrate Beethoven's Birthday with listening challenges for daily drawings.

Both half-day and full-day camp is available. Half-day tuition is \$145 and tuition for full-day camp is \$265. Extended care is of-

fered before and after camp each day. Camp registration opens March 30 with a deadline of May 14. Fees increase for late registration. For details on the various classes offered and for registration call 815-986-0037 or go to www.musicacademyinrockford.com.

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Moving Up Higher with Joyce Meyer



The joy of being truly humble

Jesus says in Matthew 5:3 (AMPC), "Blessed...are the poor in spirit (the humble, who rate themselves insignificant), for theirs is the kingdom of heaven!"

Humility isn't a very popular word, yet, all throughout the Bible, the Lord instructs us about the benefits of being "humble-minded." I love James 4:6. It says, "God opposes the proud but shows favor to the humble" (NIV). In other words, the humble get the help!

I believe humility is often misunderstood and viewed as a weakness. But it's the exact opposite. Humility places us in a position to receive God's grace and become everything He's called us to be.

A humble person is also a happy person. They can take joy in their life and what God has called them to do, regardless of what the world thinks about it.

For instance, maybe your current circumstances and responsibilities from God are mundane by the world's standards. A prideful person would rather do something they think the world admires...something others see as "important." But the truth is it's not what we do that makes us important.

We are important because God created us and He loves and values us. As we receive His love and find our true worth in Him, then we can truly enjoy our purpose in life and be genuinely content.

So many people are miserable, constantly comparing themselves to others who they think are smarter, prettier, or more successful. But the "poor in spirit" have the ability to be happy with who they are.

My husband, Dave, is a perfect example. Years ago, the Lord instructed him to leave his job in the engineering field to help establish Joyce Meyer Ministries.

At that time, God spoke to his heart and said, "If you do what I am calling you to do and support Joyce so she can do what I've called her to do, then you will have real peace and happiness."

Dave is an extremely vital part of this ministry. We are a team, and he oversees all of the business and financial aspects of the organization. He is a truly humble man—a man who is secure and knows that God approves of him—and he's okay with his wife being the one "out front."

I can honestly say that Dave is one of the happiest people I know. He knows what God has asked him to do and he is doing it with joy.

Here are some other character traits of a humble person:

1. The humble can always ask for help, and they don't insist on everything being done their way.

2. They are quick to forgive others, difficult to offend, and content to wait on God for vindication when they have been

wronged.

3. They are patient and don't get frustrated with the weaknesses of others.

4. The humble person is a peacemaker. In fact, we need humility to maintain peace in our lives. Romans 12:16 (AMP) says, "Live in harmony with one another; do not be haughty...but associate with humble people [those with a realistic self-view]. Do not overestimate yourself."

Just imagine if we all decided to adopt just this one command from the Bible. It's the way that leads to peace with ourselves and others.

5. A humble person knows when to be quiet. It's certainly not wrong to talk, but a humble person is comfortable allowing others to have center stage and doesn't feel the need to speak their mind in every situation.

6. A humble person sees their own weaknesses and can readily admit them. When we open up to others about ourselves, it can actually encourage and help them realize they're not the only ones who deal with things.

7. A humble person happily serves other people, and they don't do it to impress others. They do it unto God, knowing their reward will come from Him.

8. A humble person is thankful. This is one reason they're usually so happy. When we live with an attitude of gratitude, it releases joy and power into our lives.

9. A humble person has a tender conscience and is quick to repent.

10. A leader who is truly humble treats everyone with respect. How a leader treats people is the quickest way to find out their level of humility.

First Peter 5:6 (NIV) says, "Humble yourselves, therefore, under God's mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time." And Jesus says in John 15:5, "...Apart from me you can do nothing." I often pray things like, "Lord, I can do absolutely nothing without You today. Please help me—I need Your grace in every situation."

The older I get, the more I realize the importance of humility. I encourage you to pray and ask for God's help. By His grace, you can live with an attitude of humility and really enjoy your life in Christ.

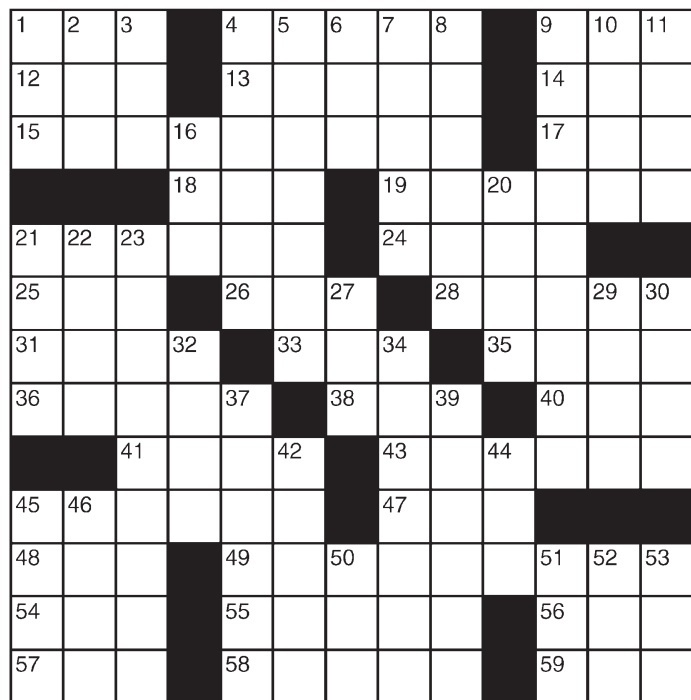
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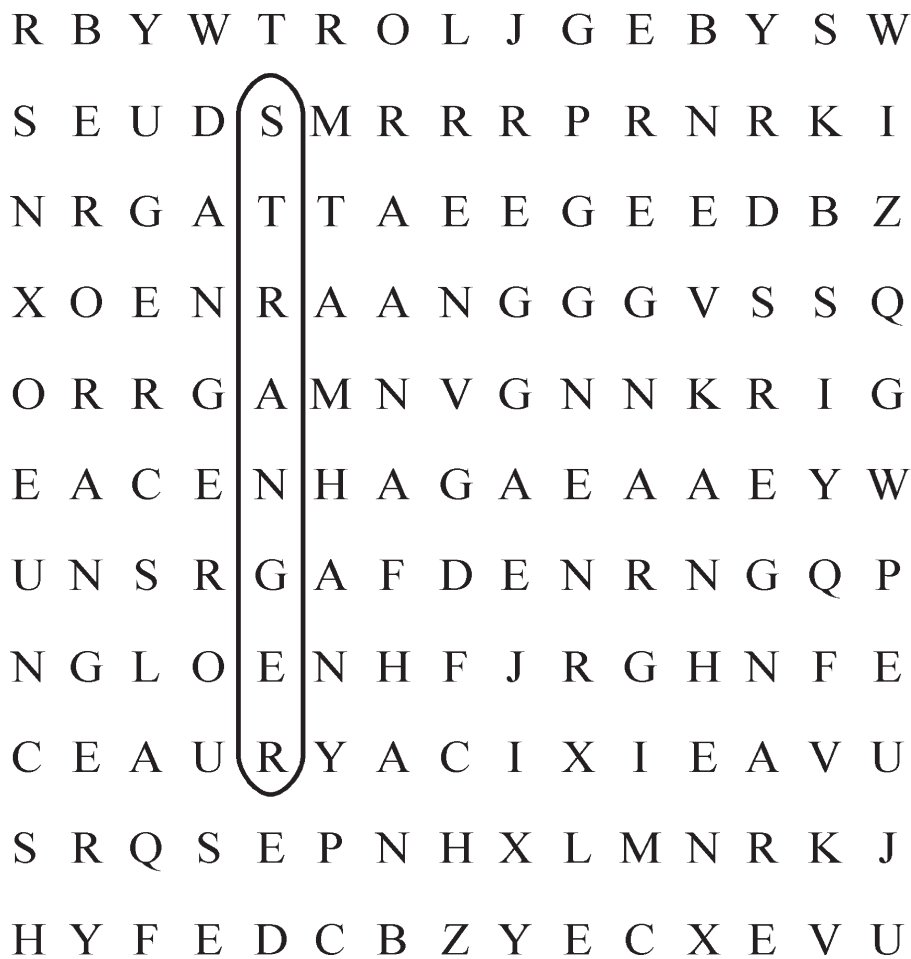
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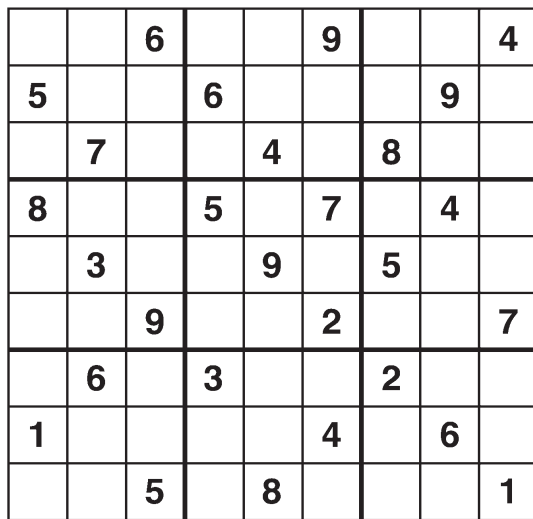
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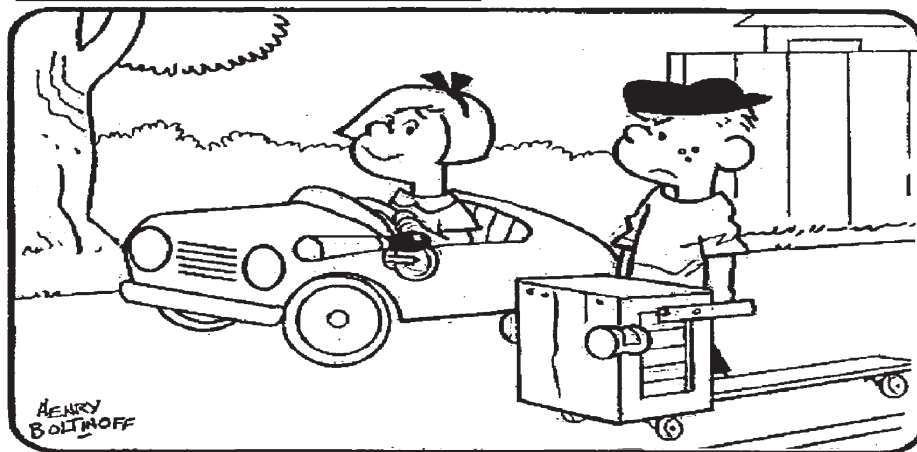
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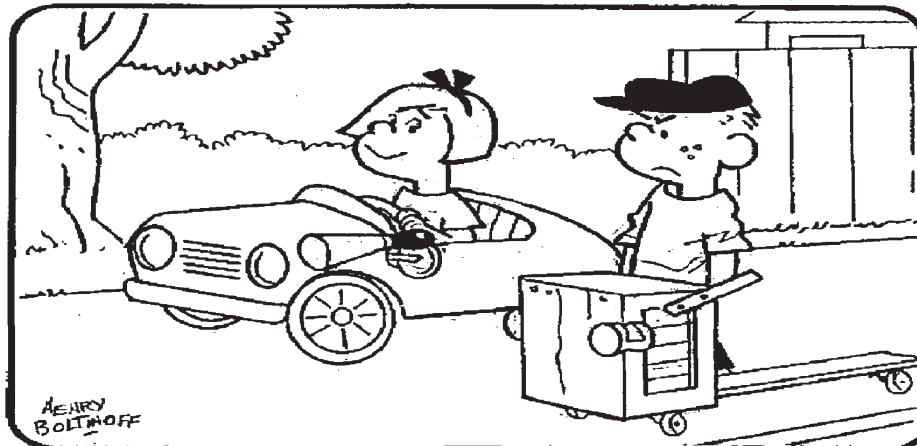
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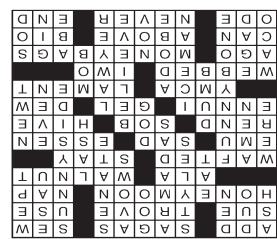
BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



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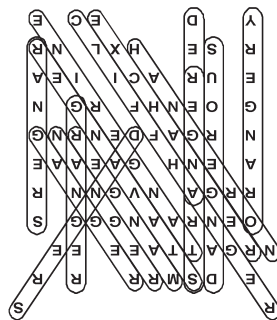


Differences: 1. Girl's collar is missing. 2. Horn is bigger. 3. Wheel spokes are different. 4. Go-cart handle is turned. 5. Hat is turned. 6. Headlights are different.



Solution time: 21 mins.

Answers
— King Crossword —



WORDS OF ANGER

3	2	5	9	6	4	7	1
1	9	8	7	2	4	3	6
7	6	4	3	1	5	2	8
4	5	9	8	3	2	6	1
6	3	7	4	9	1	5	2
8	1	2	5	6	7	9	4
9	7	1	2	4	3	8	5
5	4	3	6	7	8	1	9
2	8	6	1	5	9	7	3

Answer

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Oregon Library News

It's That Time – 2020 Summer Reading Program bookmark contest

Entry forms for the 2020 Summer Reading Program Bookmark Contest are now available at the library. The 2020 theme is “Dig Deep: Read, Investigate, Discover!” Students in grades K-12 and adults are eligible and entries will be accepted through March 28. Come by and pick up your entry form. All entries will be displayed at the Library in April and selected bookmarks will be duplicated and used during the 2020 Summer Reading Program.

Library book clubs

The Afternoon Book Club meets Wednesday, March 18 at 1 p.m. to discuss *The Reckoning* by John Grisham. Books on Tap Book Club meets on Thursday, March 27 at 6 p.m. at Cork n Tap to discuss *The Silent Patient* by Alex Michaelides. The 2WBC meets Wednesday, April 8 at 12:30 p.m. to discuss *Lincoln in the Bardo* by George Saunders..

18-24 months story time club (9:30 a.m.)

Preschool (3-5 yrs. old) story time (new time – 2 p.m.)

Join us for songs, stories, games and crafts on Thursdays.

Oregon Writer's Group (OWG) – meets at 10 a.m. Second (March 10) and Fourth (March 31) Tuesdays of the Month

The OWG is a gathering of writers or writer-wannabes who meet to support each other and to further their own writing. The purpose of the group is to help and encourage you in your writing. If you need brainstorming ideas, we can help suggest ideas or aid with the creative process. The Oregon Writers Group meets on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month.

Lego Club (grades 2nd -7th) – Tuesday, March 17, 3:30 p.m.

Come and learn about Hope of Ogle County – March 18 at noon

HOPE of Ogle County is the local domestic abuse services agency, serving Ogle and northeastern Lee County. HOPE's mission is to advocate on behalf of domestic violence victims and their children in a welcoming environment. Our caring professionals provide safety planning, support, shelter, and referrals while empowering survivors to build a safe and peaceful future. HOPE of Ogle County provides shelter services, counseling services, court advocacy, and advocacy for Latino/Hispanic survivors. This Fall, we added two outreach offices to our fleet, one in Polo and one in Rochelle, in order increase our accessibility to Latino/Hispanic survivors and survivors in our rural service area. This past fiscal year, HOPE of Ogle County provided services to 521 adults, children, and teens.

Reading plus w/ Mrs. Himert – Wednesday, March 18, 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Join Mrs. Himert, a retired reading specialist with years of experience, for entertaining ways to interact with reading. This NEW program is designed for 1st-4th grade with read alouds, reader theater and a drawing for 3 free books each session. Other session date: April 22. Registration requested.

Escape room – March 27th and 28th Spring Break fun!

Looking for something different to do during your spring break? How about an escape room? This jungle themed escape room is for ages 10 and up but is tricky enough for teens and adults. Call to reserve your 60 minute time slot for your group of up to 4 people. Call 815-732-2724 to register your group or to join another group on either Friday, March 27th or Saturday, March 28th.

Evening of art at Cork n' TapP, Friday, March 27, 6:30-8 p.m.

With recent donated pieces as the fore front of the show, the Oregon Public Library will be displaying pieces from local artists that have continued the legacy of the Eagle's Nest Art Colony in the city of Oregon. Horderves will be provided. Join us for an Evening of Art at Cork n Tap from 6:30-8 p.m.

College is possible – March 31 at 6:30 p.m.

Attention : Middle School student and parents!!

It is never too early to start planning for college. This program outlines the college and financial aid processes in general terms, lays the groundwork for what to expect with the college-going process, and provides tips and tools students and parents can use to learn more about planning , applying, and paying for post-secondary education. Registration required (815) 732-2724

Knit and crochet

A friendly and dedicated group meets every Monday evening, 6 p.m. at the Library. These crafty people share their time and energy with anyone who enjoys the delights of the yarn. Working on projects can come to a complete halt if someone has a question or a good story to share.

New releases

The Little Teashop On Main by Jodi Thomas (Paperback Romance)
 Four To Score & High Five by Janet Evanovich (Mystery)
 Trouble In Mind by Michael Wiley (Mystery)
 A Boy And His Dog At The End Of The World by C. A. Fletcher (Science Fiction)
 Carnegie Hill by Jonathan Vatner (Large Print Fiction)
 Our Stop by Laura Jane Williams (Fiction)
 The Spirit Of The Dragon by William Andrews (Fiction)
 One Minute Out by Mark Greaney (Fiction)
 Blindside by James Patterson (Fiction)
 The Holdout by Graham Moore (Fiction)
 The Sun Down Motel by Simone St James (Fiction)
 Why We Can't Sleep: Women's New Midlife Crisis by Ada Calhoun (Non-Fiction 305.244 CAL)
 Injustice vs Masters Of The Universe by Tim Seeley (Non-Fiction Graphic Novel 741.5 SEE)
 Loki, Agent Of Asgard: The Complete Collection (Non-Fiction Graphic Novel 741.5 LOK)
 The Two-Date Rule by Tawna Fenske (Paperback Romance)
 Eternity Springs: The McBrides Of Texas- Tucker by Emily March (Paperback Romance)
 Tangled Up In Texas by Delores Fossen (Paperback Romance)
 Cottage At The Beach by Lee Tobin McClain (Paperback Romance)
 The Last Smile In Sunder City by Luke Arnold (Science Fiction)
 Last Stop Auschwitz by Eddy De Wind (BODC Non-Fiction 940.53 WIN)
 A Beautiful Day In The Neighborhood (Rated PG)
 Playing With Fire (Rated PG)
 20 Animal Adventures (Rated Children)
 Midway (Rated PG-13)
 Knives Out (Rated PG-13)
 Last Christmas (Rated PG-13)
 Nightflyers – Season One (Rated PG-13)
 The Good Liar (Rated R)
 War Hunt (Rated R)
 Doctor Sleep (Rated R)

Julia Hull Library News



Tweens stopped by Julia Hull Library (Stillman Valley) for a hilarious night of some crazy taco-themed games!

Tidy Up: Home & Life

How would your life change if your home were clutter free? Chicago's first platinum certified KonMari Consultant, Kristyn Ivey of For the Love of Tidy, will share home organization tips that focus on what you keep (does it "spark joy?"), rather than what or how much you discard. Kristyn will shift your understanding of what it means to be organized in your home and life and inspire you to take action by tidying once and for all. This interactive workshop includes live demos and giveaways that feature Kristyn's #1 Amazon Best Seller *The Tidy Home Joy Journal*, mobilizing Marie Kondo's revolutionary KonMari Method™. Monday, March 23 at 6:30 p.m. Registration required: 815-645-8611. *Sponsored by Friends of the Library.

Fun Day Monday: Painting Party

It's Fun Day Monday, Spring Break Edition! Your budding young artist will learn to drip, mix, drop, blow and scrape paint to create a variety of works of art. Monday, March 30 at 1 p.m. Dress for a mess. All materials supplied. Grades K-5. Registration required: 815-645-8611.

Tween Scene: Spring Quote Totes

Shake off the winter blues with this cheerful spring tote! Add a quote, then customize it with all your favorite colors. What better way to brighten up all your future library visits? Tuesday, April 7 at 6 p.m. Ages 10-12. Registration required: 815-645-8611.

Teen Trivia: Pop Culture Edition

Join friends and fellow teens after school to test your knowledge of everything pop culture—from music to movies, TV to books, and more. Snacks provided. Thursday, April 9 at 2:45 p.m. Ages 13-18. Registration required.

Library Closed

The library will be closed Friday, April 10 and Saturday, April 11 for Good Friday and Easter.

Floral Jewelry Dishes

Learn to use alcohol inks to make stunning floral patterns on ceramic jewelry dishes (and anything else you can think of!). Keep for yourself, or give as a gift to your BFF. Monday, April 13 at 6 p.m. All materials supplied. Adults. Registration required: 815-645-8611.

Native Pollinators

Join Master Gardener of Ogle County Leah Patapack for a presentation on Native Pollinators: Tuesday, April 14 at 6:30 p.m. Why should I care? Many plants that provide food for humans and wildlife cannot reproduce without the help of pollinators. From bees to butterflies, moths to wasps, beetles, flies, birds and bats, Leah will share a wealth of information and garden tips to help our native pollinators. Registration required. Call 815-645-8611.

Tales To Tails

Bring your young reader to the library to read a tale to a tail—a wagging one, that is! Forest City Dog Training will visit the library on Saturday, April 25 at 10 a.m. for this special event. Young participants will learn what it takes to become a Certified Therapy Dog and will then have the opportunity to read books of their choice to Certified Therapy Dogs. Grades 1-5. Registration required: 815-645-8611.

Best Art Museums of Europe

Europe is for art-lovers! Join Joanna and Wayne on a travelogue through Europe's best art museums. They'll highlight both major and lesser known museums throughout the continent, and important works of art to see when you get there. Don't know anything about art? These seasoned travelers are chock full of tips and tricks for looking at a work of art to make your museum experience a more meaningful one. Monday, April 27 at 6 p.m. Call to register: 815-645-8611.

Byron Library News

Byron Public Library District Programs

Byron Public Library is Fine Free!

Read more and worry less, for the Byron Library has gone fine free! How does it work? There will still be a due date for items checked out at and returned to the Byron Library, but there will never be a late fee. Just remember to return your materials, because after 21 days you will be billed for any overdue items. As a bonus we've also waived all of those old late fees. Start a new chapter at the Byron Library!

Did you know...?

Did you know that the Byron Library has a subscription to Ancestry.com? Access Ancestry via the public library computers or from your own computer via the library's WiFi network, and start searching through your family tree! If you don't have a library card to log onto the computers, guest passes are available at the circulation desk.

Read to a Dog

Mondays, Mar. 2 – 23 & Apr. 6 – 27, 5-6:30 p.m.

Ages: Grades 1 – 5

Come to the library and meet Audi! She is a trained therapy dog, and a great listener! Come to the library early to select a book to read to Audi (or bring one from home). Register for one 15 minute time slot per week; each week requires a separate registration. Youth should pick a book that they are able to read independently. Audi's owner will be there to oversee her dog but does not provide reading assistance.

Please visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to register.

The Chautauqua Institution Experience

presented by Norma Freeburg and Meredith Townsend

Wednesday, Mar. 18, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Norma and Meredith share their adventures and offer advice on navigating the Chautauqua experience from start to finish. Please visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to register.

Card Creations

Thursday, Mar. 19

6-7:30 p.m.

Boost your creative side by making beautiful handmade greeting cards to give to your family and friends. The prep work is done, so all you have to do is join us and get creative. All materials are supplied. Please visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to register.

Chess Enthusiasts

Saturday, Mar. 21

1-3 p.m.

Ages: Adults and children ages 7 and up

Come work on your chess strategy and learn a new move or two. Beginners welcome! No registration is required.

Probate vs. Trusts presented by Kristine Pihl Youman

Wednesday, Mar. 25

1:30-2:30 p.m.

Get started on your legal to do list with the help of Attorney Youman. She will explain probate and how it can be avoided using trusts. Please visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to register.

Interactive Movie: Bill and Ted's Excellent Adventure

Tuesday, Mar. 31

2-4 p.m.

Ages: Grades 6-12

Whoa dudes! You certainly don't want to miss this most excellent adventure at the Byron Library! Snacks and props will be provided at this interactive movie. Please visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to register.

Smarty Pants Big Balloon Show

Wednesday, Apr. 1

11-11:45 a.m.

Ages: All ages

No foolin'! This show is amazing. Join us for a one-of-a-kind vaudeville style stage production featuring magic, comedy, interactive storytelling and of course, Smarty's award-winning, larger-than-life balloon props. Children under the age of 6 should be accompanied by an adult. Please visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to register.

Marvelous Marshmallow Treats

Thursday, Apr. 2

1:30-2:30 p.m.

Ages: 8-11 years

Create some sweet treats using marshmallows! Please visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to register.

Please register for all programs by visiting byron.evanced.info/signup or by calling 815-234-5107.

Polo Library News

Children's programs

Parents or caregivers must remain in the library if their child is under 8.

Pokemon Club

Ages 8-14

Tuesday, March 24, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

This club is open to Pokémon card collectors. Join in to play games and trade cards.

Tales for Tots

Pre-K/Kindergarten Story Time

Ages 3-5

Saturday, April 11, 10:30-11:15 a.m.

Theme: Easter Book: *Happy Easter, Mouse* by Laura Numeroff

Parent/guardian/care giver must stay with child during the program.

Lego Challenge: Build a Skyscraper

Ages 8-14

Tuesday, April 14, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Teen programs

Teen Scene

Ages 13-18

Tuesday, March 24, 5:30-7 p.m.

The Great Oreo Taste-Off. Registration Required (Online or 815-946-2713)

Book Subscription Box Pickup

Saturday, March 28, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Pick up your Book Subscription Boxes

Adult programs

Yoga

Monday, March 16, 6-7 p.m.

Krystal from ADM Studios in Oregon will be our instructor.

Bring a mat if you have one. Registration Required (Online or 815-946-2713) by March 14

Euchre

Thursday, March 19, 5:30-7 p.m.

Time to play cards, bring a friend

Knit Happens - Beginner's Knitting Class

Saturday, March 14, 1-3 p.m.

Project will be a scarf or a hat - We will provide the needles, attendees will bring bulky weight yarn in a color of their choice. Registration Required (Online or 815-946-2713) by March 12

Rock River Center representative

Wednesday, March 25, 10 a.m.-noon.

The Rock River Center provides a caseworker to answer questions about Medicare, insurance, home care and anything else to do with caring for the older population. No appointment necessary.

Lifelong Learning

Thursday, March 26, 6-7 p.m.

Join us as author of "Top-to-Bottom Home Organizing", Caralyn Kempner, presents a program on "How to Sort, Declutter, and Arrange your Home Space". Just in time for spring cleaning! Registration Required (Online or 815-946-2713) by March 25

Board @ the Library - Games for Adults 18+

Saturday, March 28, 1-3 p.m.

Come to the Library for table top games (options include Settlers of Catan, Ticket to Ride, Codenames, and Betrayal at the House on the Hill) and snacks. To allow for better game play, this is an adults only event.

Adult Pinterest Party

Tuesday, April 7, 6-7 p.m.

Button Easter Egg Wall Hanging. Participants need to bring approximately 200 buttons of various sizes and in whatever color they prefer. All other supplies will be provided. Registration required (Online or 815-946-2713) by April 3

Coffee with a Cop

Wednesday, April 8, 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Join us for refreshments and conversation monthly on the 2nd Wednesday.

Book Discussion Groups

Extra books are always available for these discussions. Please check one out and join us.

Afternoon Book Club @ the Library

Monday, March 23, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Selection: *The Library Book* by Susan Orlean

Friday Book Discussion @ the Library

March 27, 1:30-2:30 p.m. Selection: *Joey* by Jennifer Bleakley

Mount Morris Library News

2020 Mini Golf Jr Division Winners!



1st Place
David Wehler



2nd Place
Olivia Stenberg



3rd Place
Norah Coutts

Wednesday, March 18, & 2 from 1st 1:30 a.m. – Story Time

Come to the library, we'll have a good time, while Dr. Seuss teaches us how to rhyme. March is Dr. Seuss month here at the library. We have plenty of games, crafts, and activities to help with our rhyming skills. All ages are welcome.

Wednesday, March 18 from 3-4:30 p.m. – After School STEAM

Enjoy early release days by coming to the library for STEAM fun! This month is all about Dr. Seuss STEAM! Ages 5+ are encouraged to join. Children under age 8 must have a responsible party present. Occurs every 1st, 3rd, and the occasional 5th Wed.

Spring Break Fun

Monday March 23rd – Dr. Seuss Movie Night at 5 p.m.
Wednesday March 25th – S.T.E.A.M Day from 1-5 p.m.
Friday March 27th – Life Sized Chutes & Ladders from 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

Thursday, March 26 at 5:30 p.m. – Healthy Cents adult program

This class will be held every 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month. Please call or stop in to sign up and alert us of any allergies.

Wednesday, April 8 at 3:45 p.m. – Adult Book Club

Did you know we have a book club? They meet every 2nd Wednesday @3:45pm to discuss that month's book. Stop into the library to get your copy and start reading!

Monday, April 13 from 5:45-6:30 p.m. – Lego Club

This month we will celebrate spring! Come make beautiful flowers, buzzing bees,

bouncing bunnies, and anything else that reminds you of spring. Occurs every 2nd Wed. All ages welcome.

Sunday, April 19 at 2 p.m. at the Disciples United Methodist Church- Library Tea Fundraiser (Rescheduled Date)

We will be having our annual tea fundraiser to raise money for the library. It is only \$15/ person. Enjoy tea, baked goods, live music from Await the Rain, raffles and a silent auction as well as great company. Bring your own tea cup, saucer, small plate, silverware, and cloth napkin. Please stop in or call for more details.

Monday, April 20 at 6 p.m. – Cookbook Club

Stop into the library to choose your recipe. This occurs every 3rd Monday. Bring your own plate and silverware.

Tax forms available – If you would prefer to do your taxes on paper we have all the forms you need.

Drop Off Site for Film Plastic Recycling – You can now recycle your clean and dry film plastic, which is any plastic that can be wadded into a ball, to be turned into a bench! Stop in for more details.

Library Board Meeting – March 18 at 7 p.m.

Children under age 8 must be accompanied by an adult for all programs.

Puzzles4Kids

by Helene Hovanec

CODED RIDDLE

Change each letter to the one that comes immediately BEFORE it in the alphabet to find a riddle and its answer.

Here's a copy of the alphabet to guide you:

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

XIZ EP GSPHT MJLF TU. QBUSJDL'T

EBZ? UIFZ BSF BMSFBEZ XFBSJOH

HSFFO.

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Even Exchange

by Donna Pettman

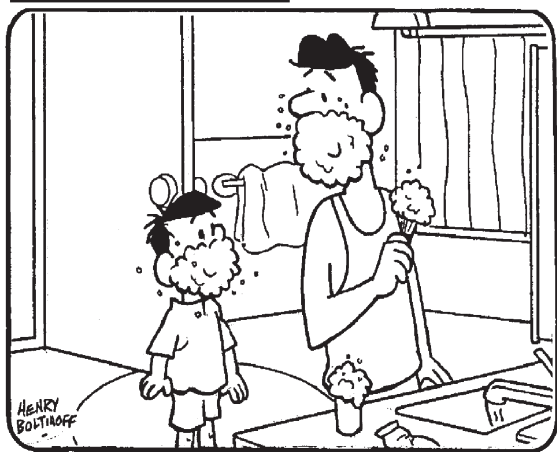
Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

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|----------------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------|
| 1. Take small bites | ___ B ___ | Agile | ___ M ___ |
| 2. Leg joint | ___ K ___ | 45° or 90° | ___ G ___ |
| 3. Actress Bette | ___ S | Goliath's challenger | ___ D |
| 4. Alter | ___ G | Risk | ___ C |
| 5. Playground meanie | ___ U ___ | Nanny's mate | ___ I ___ |
| 6. Trumpet valve | ___ N | Hand gun | ___ L |
| 7. Royal realm | E ___ | Baseball judge | U ___ |
| 8. Join the band | ___ C | Swamp | ___ S |
| 9. Military student | ___ D | Mark of omission | ___ R |
| 10. Financier | ___ A | Underground fortress | ___ U |

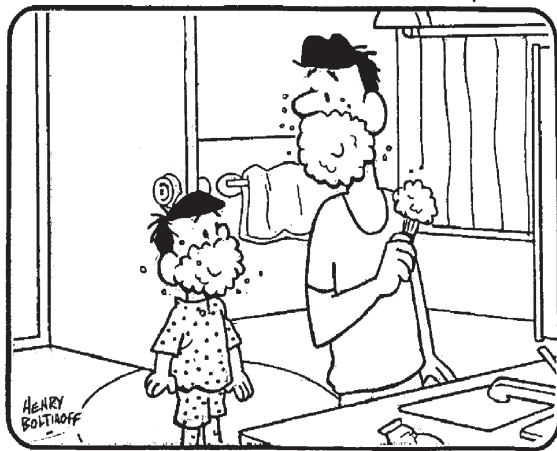
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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF

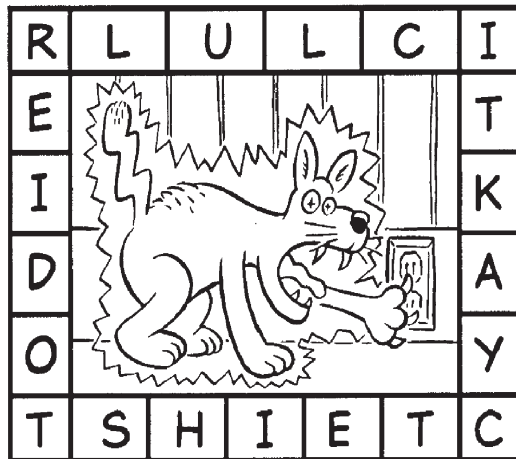


Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Polka dots are added. 2. Knob is different. 3. Towel is shorter. 4. Shirt is different. 5. Cup is missing. 6. Water is off.

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A SHOCKING PROBLEM! Find the hidden proverb above by reading every other letter as you go around the frame counterclockwise. Starting with the "C," along the top rail, read: "Curiosity killed the cat."

THE MYSTERY WORD!

"Pronounced as one letter, and written with three, Two letters there are, and two only in me; I'm double, I'm single, I'm black, blue, and gray, I'm read from both ends, and the same either way."

Answer: The word is "Eye."



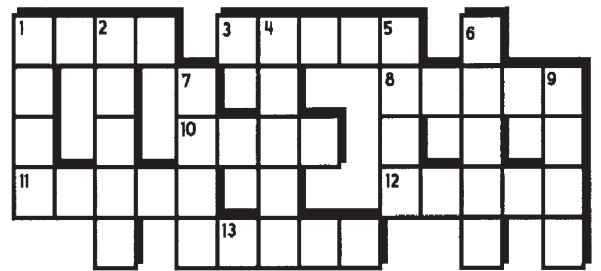
LINK-UPS! Here's a list of 12, one-syllable words, divided into two columns. Turn them into six longer words by linking them together. To do this, draw a line from one word in the left column to one word in the right.

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|---------|------|
| 1. RUM | THE |
| 2. PAGE | AIL |
| 3. SEE | ICE |
| 4. MAR | ANT |
| 5. TOPS | PLED |
| 9. NOT | BLD |

Answer: Rumped, Pageant, pageant, seethe, marbled, topsail, notice.



by Charles Barry Townsend



Illustrated by David Coulson

DOWN ON THE FARM! Pictured above is a crossword puzzle grid. Below are words pertaining to farming that you will need to complete the puzzle, using the trial-and-error method. Try to finish before spring planting.

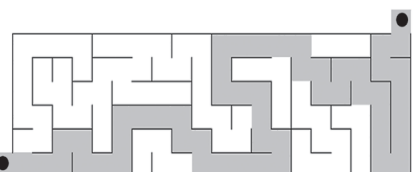
4-letter words

- BEAN
- BEEF
- EGGS
- EWES
- NEST
- SILO

5-letter words

- APPLE
- DENIM
- PIGGY
- SPADE
- SWILL
- THYME
- TILLS
- WEEDS

Answers: (Across) 1. Bean, 3. Spade, 8. Weeds, 10. Eggs, 11. Tills, 12. Swill, 13. Thyme. (Down) 1. Beet, 2. Apple, 4. Piggy, 5. Ewes, 6. Denim, 7. Nest, 9. Silo



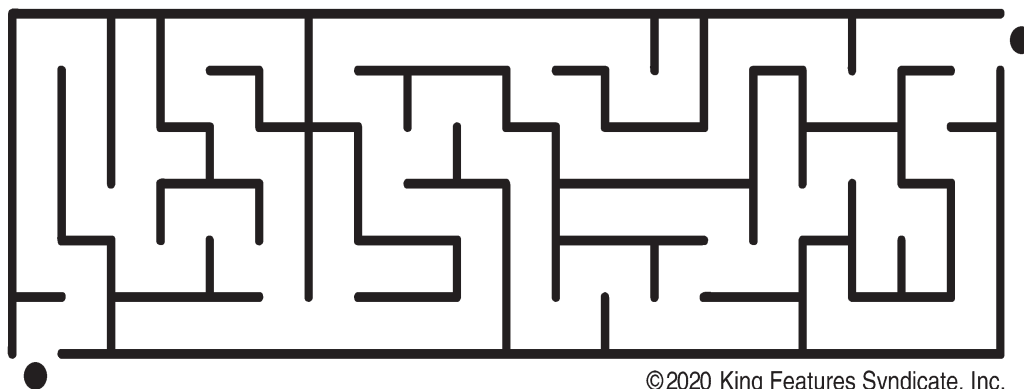
Kids' Maze Solution

- Even Exchange** answers
- 1. Nibble, Nimble
 - 2. Ankle, Angle
 - 3. Davis, David
 - 4. Change, Chance
 - 5. Bully, Billy
 - 6. Piston, Pistol
 - 7. Empire, Umpire
 - 8. March, Marsh
 - 9. Cadet, Caret
 - 10. Banker, Bunker

Puzzles4Kids Answer

Why do frogs like St. Patrick's Day?
They are already wearing green.

Kids' Maze



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“CAN’T YOU SEE I’M DIZZY?!”

Super Crossword

- ACROSS**
- 1 Bar mitzvah language
 - 7 Its capital is Montgomery
 - 14 Old jazz buff
 - 20 Henry II player Peter
 - 21 Horse feed supporter
 - 22 106-Down on Cal Ripken’s cap
 - 23 Amaze a Sherlock Holmes portrayer?
 - 25 — acid (corrosive liquid)
 - 26 — -mo
 - 27 Brighton brew
 - 28 12-month famine?
 - 30 Trendy berry in juices
 - 33 Shire of film
 - 34 Goddess of the dawn
 - 35 Singer Brown got dressed?
 - 42 Gridiron gains: Abbr.
 - 43 Pen giant
 - 45 Make reparations
 - 46 Cosa — (Mafia’s kin)
 - 48 Areas of expertise
 - 51 Provides party platters
 - 53 Determine which team scored?
 - 57 Supper scrap
 - 58 “Egypt — up like a flood”: Jeremiah 46:8
 - 60 “NO TURN —” (traffic sign)
 - 61 Octa- plus one
 - 62 Relative of a résumé
 - 64 Judge on the bench, e.g.
 - 65 Bee creation
 - 66 Fact about a consolidation loan?
 - 71 Two-spot
 - 74 University in Atlanta
 - 75 In — (owing)
 - 79 Old science magazine
 - 80 Balance pan
 - 81 Pittsburgh’s Carnegie — University
 - 84 Instructors’ org.
 - 85 Sub-shop blaze?
 - 88 Relative key of B minor
 - 90 Michelangelo work
 - 91 California wine region
 - 93 Old Greek market
 - 94 Erwin of old films
 - 95 “The Tell-Tale Heart” taleteller
 - 98 Moola earned by a love god?
 - 100 Blocks from the freezer
 - 102 Is up against
 - 104 School in Berkshire
 - 105 Road named after singer Deanna?
 - 110 Seeded loaf — Alamos, California
 - 115 Thinking the world of
 - 116 What to do to socks that tear every 24 hours?
 - 120 Appear
 - 121 Asinine
 - 122 Late actress Brennan
 - 123 Hot- — (drag racer)
 - 124 Turn from a straight line
 - 125 Say “no” to
- DOWN**
- 1 Mortar trays
 - 2 List-ending abbr.
 - 3 TV clown
 - 4 “Frasier” woman
 - 5 Jazz singer Fitzgerald
 - 6 Li’l fellow
 - 7 Gasteyer of “Mean Girls”
 - 8 Truckload
 - 9 Deadly pale
 - 10 Neuwirth of “Frasier”
 - 11 “If I Had —” (Lyle Lovett song)
 - 12 American avant-garde artist
 - 13 Antediluvian
 - 14 Toyota rival
 - 15 Iroquois foe
 - 16 Falafel bread
 - 17 Amendment
 - 18 Samuel of justice
 - 19 PC whizzes
 - 24 Intel mission
 - 29 Hi- — (stereos)
 - 31 Positive pole
 - 32 Atlas feature
 - 35 Son of Isaac
 - 36 Video game name
 - 37 Catchphrase
 - 38 Phenyl ender
 - 39 Saw-toothed
 - 40 Ingrain
 - 41 Soft & —
 - 43 Jazz genre
 - 44 Limonite, e.g.
 - 47 Worship
 - 48 Nursed, say
 - 49 Kin of -ess
 - 50 Don’t depart
 - 52 Uses a stool
 - 54 Writer Blyton
 - 55 Grove plant
 - 56 Kind of tea
 - 59 — Field (Mariners’ stadium)
 - 63 Most chancy
 - 64 “— will be done”
 - 65 Very irate
 - 67 Arabian Sea country
 - 68 Actor’s part
 - 69 Long lock of hair
 - 70 Stomped
 - 71 Tip, as a hat
 - 72 Arab bigwig
 - 73 Frank and open
 - 76 Pear variety
 - 77 Corp. shuffling
 - 78 Mother of Isaac
 - 80 — -cone
 - 81 List of dishes
 - 82 Get hitched on the fly
 - 83 Maximum
 - 86 Post-OR area
 - 87 OR worker
 - 89 Before now
 - 92 Prettify
 - 95 “NerdTV” network
 - 96 Bested
 - 97 Online investing site
 - 99 Tom of “Tomorrow”
 - 100 Slacking sort
 - 101 Pataki’s predecessor Mario
 - 102 Make furious
 - 103 Font flourish
 - 106 Nest builder
 - 107 “Picnic” dramatist William
 - 108 Organic compound
 - 109 Head, to Gigi
 - 111 Falco with four Emmys
 - 112 In — of (rather than)
 - 113 Jai-alai cries
 - 114 “Auld Lang —”
 - 117 Amp plug-in
 - 118 Masquerade
 - 119 Furry TV alien

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Soap Opera Update

THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL

Steffy confessed a secret that she'd been keeping. Brooke was skeptical when Thomas talked about his wedding plans. Bill assured Brooke that if Ridge wouldn't protect her, then he would. Steffy, Liam and Hope discussed their next move. Thomas reminisced about his wedding day with Hope. Bill and Brooke were overcome with their passion for one another. Later, Brooke reminded Bill of his love for Katie and hers for Ridge. Meanwhile, Shauna visited Ridge at work. Thomas continued to pressure Douglas as part of his plan to win over Hope. As the last-minute maid-of-honor, Steffy helped Zoe get ready for her wedding. Vinny tried to hide his anxiety about Thomas' scheme by making small talk with the guests. Wait to See: Wyatt is surprised by Bill's feelings for Brooke.

DAYS OF OUR LIVES

John, Justin and Kayla found themselves in grave danger. Marlana tried to talk her way out of Rolf's procedure. Chad tried to smother Gabi

and later received orders to kill Kate. Ben thanked Ciara for saving his life. Stefano tried to reconnect with Marlana after Dr. Rolf's procedure. Justin confided in Jack about his fear of losing Kayla. John sought Gina's help to find Stefano and Marlana. John later apprehended Rolf. Kate was unaware that her life was in danger. To Rafe's dismay, Evan scored a legal victory. Kristen and Brady reminisced about Rachel. Rafe and Sonny confronted Evan. Suspicious Nicole questioned Xander about Dr. Raynor. Wait to See: Kristen asks Eric if she can hold Mickey.

GENERAL HOSPITAL

Alexis couldn't help herself. Maxie supported Peter. Jason found refuge at the Quartermaines. Diane hatched an idea to help Michael. Sasha had her doubts. Neil was interrupted. Julian ran into Ava. Brad got a stern warning. Mac hosted a gathering. Jordan received a reassuring text. Sonny made his intentions clear. Neil was stunned. Molly pressed Jordan for information. Brook Lynn was inspired. Lucas softened toward Julian.

Stella paid Curtis a visit. Michael felt amused. Sasha confided in Willow, and Willow began to open up. Brooke confronted Julian. Wait to See: Curtis tries to figure out what Jordan is keeping from him.

THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS

At the Grand Phoenix, Chance snuck into Phyllis' suite intent on finding the recorded conversation he had with Adam in Vegas. Abby helped him by destroying the laptop after they found the jump drive. Victor seemed poised to offer Adam the job as interim CEO until Nick phoned him and accepted the job instead. Victoria invited Billy to the ranch, but informed him that going forward they would be co-parents and nothing more. Rey sensed Sharon's disappointment when she had to halt her chemotherapy treatments. After some hesitation, Sharon confessed her fears about her cancer to Nikki. Amanda told Billy that she would like to remain friends. Chelsea surprised Adam with tickets to Kansas to plan their wedding and show Connor his moth-



Denise Richards stars as "Shauna" on "The Bold and the Beautiful." PHOTO CREDIT: Sean Smith/Bell-Phillip TV/CBS

Senior News Line

By Matilda Charles

Follow Flu Tips to Stay Safe From Coronavirus

We can't turn on the news now without hearing about the new virus that's sweeping the world. Coronavirus, now called COVID-19, is a serious virus that came out of China. At this point the virus has spread to more than 30 countries and there have been over 2,800 deaths.

Protecting ourselves from COVID-19

is much like how we avoid the seasonal winter flu that's now in high numbers in every state. Guidance from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention is mostly common sense, but every step is important:

- * Wash your hands frequently. Use warm water and soap and wash for a minimum of 20 seconds. Try singing "Happy Birthday" to mark the time.

- * Keep your hands away from your face, even if you've just washed your hands.

- * Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze, and then

throw away the tissue.

- * Disinfect surfaces in your environment frequently, such as countertops and doorknobs.

- * When you go out, take a pack of antiseptic wipes to wet down grocery cart handles. If you don't have those, put hand sanitizer on your palms and wet the cart handle.

- * Never share cups or plates or anything else with those who are sick.

- * If you have to be out in public, keep your distance. Stay at least 6 feet away

from others. For now, avoid shaking hands.

- * If you feel sick, don't rush to the doctor. Call first and explain your symptoms. If they want you to come in, there might be a special entrance for you to use to keep from spreading germs to others.

Stay healthy this winter. Get enough sleep, eat well and keep your stress down. All of those affect your immune system. And if you haven't had a flu shot, get one now.

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To Your Good Health

By Keith Roach, M.D.

New Option to Treat Enlarged Prostate

DEAR DR. ROACH: I am a 66-year old male, who is healthy with a very active life, both physical and sexual. Like many men my age, I have an enlarged prostate that my doctor monitors during annual visits. It doesn't impair my life, with the small exception of being annoying (waking up nightly to a weak or slow urinating stream), and it doesn't bother me too much during the day, except once in a while when I have to urinate a little more than usual. Every now and then I'll try an over-the-counter prostate supplement, but they never work. I will NOT go for a surgery because it's not really necessary.

I just read about a new revolutionary treatment option called a prostatic lift device, which is supposed to "lift and remove the prostate tissue out of the way so it no longer blocks the urethra (the passageway that the urine flows through)." It says, "Tiny implants are placed to hold the tissue in place, like tiebacks on a window curtain, leaving an unobstructed pathway for urine to flow normally again." They go on to say that treatment typically takes un-

der an hour, preserves sexual function, doesn't require cutting, heating or removal of tissue. Compared with other BPH surgeries, this system is supposed to have a strong safety profile with minimal side effects. Have you ever heard of this? Do you think it's safe? It sounds great. However, the thought of tiny implants being placed inside of me and staying there scares me. -- V.A.

ANSWER: The prostatic urethral lift procedure is yet another option for men with symptoms of an enlarged prostate. The procedure does involve the placement of small implants. The procedure is said to be easy to perform (easy for a urologist, that is), and improves quality of life and measures of urinary flow.

In a study of 206 men, none developed sexual troubles after the procedure. It has significant benefits over traditional surgery: Recovery is faster and has less risk of sexual side effects, but traditional surgery improved urinary flow and complete bladder drainage more than the urethral lift procedure. Also, 14% of men who had the lift procedure needed the traditional surgery within five years. The implants seem to be safe and do not affect the ability to do surgery if necessary.

I wouldn't recommend this procedure nor a surgical procedure -- or even an alternative procedure like laser, microwave, plasma vaporization or water vapor ablation -- without a trial of prescription medication first. Most men do very well with an alpha blocker like tamsulosin (Flomax), a dihydrotestosterone blocker like dutasteride (Avodart), or a combination of the two. I'm not sure you have tried that.

DEAR DR. ROACH: Simple question: Why can't I hear well when I am having a big yawn? Is this normal? -- J.C.A.

ANSWER: This is normal; in fact, it's a universal finding with a yawn that hearing decreases (but doesn't go away entirely). This is because the Eustachian tube closes, and there is a pressure difference inside versus the outside of the eardrum, reducing the ability of the ear to transmit sound.

Interestingly, after a big yawn, hearing may be improved; when the Eustachian tube reopens after the jaw position changes, it can equalize the pressure and improve sound transmission.

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Super Crossword

Answers

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Healthy Hand Hygiene Habits



Protect yourself against COVID-19 and other diarrheal and respiratory illnesses, and help prevent the spread of germs to others, by following these simple hand hygiene guidelines:

- 1. Wash your hands with soap and warm water, lathering for at least 20 seconds.**
- 2. If soap is unavailable, use a hand sanitizer containing at least 60 percent alcohol to clean your hands.**

Wash your hands throughout the day, and particularly under these circumstances:

- Before preparing food
- Before eating
- After using the toilet
- After changing a diaper or helping a child use the toilet
- Before and after exposure to someone who is sick
- After coughing, sneezing or blowing your nose
- After touching an animal or picking up animal waste
- After handling pet food or treats
- After handling garbage or garbage cans
- Before and after attending to a cut or wound

Information resource: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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Local News... Local Views

**Proper
handwashing helps
all of us stay healthy,
so remember to be
aware and do your part
to help protect yourself
and others!**

PUBLIC NOTICE
 NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
 LEE COUNTY PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION
 LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS
 To Whom It May Concern:
 On April 2, 2020, Shady Oaks Wind 2, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, 26 Canal Bank, Windsor Locks, CT 06096, as lessee of certain real property located in Wyoming and Brooklyn Townships, Lee County Illinois, and more particularly described in Exhibit A, which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference (collectively referred to as "the Property"), filed a petition with the Lee County Planning and Zoning Commission requesting it be granted a special use on the Property, which is zoned Ag-1 Rural/Agriculture District, to allow for the construction and operation of a wind energy conversion system ("WECS").
 Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the proposed petition of the WECS at 7 p.m., on April 2, 2020, at the Lee County Old Courthouse Building, 112 East Second Street, Dixon, Illinois 61021.
 The officers and shareholder/stockholder owning >20% interest of Shady Oaks Wind 2, LLC, are as follows:

Name
 Algonquin Power Fund (America) Inc., a Delaware Corporation
 Position
 Shareholder
 Address
 26 Canal Bank, Windsor Locks, CT 06096 Dated this 5th day of March, 2020.
 SHADY OAKS WIND 2, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company,
 EHRMANN GEHLBACH BADGER & CONSIDINE, LLC
 Courtney E. Kennedy
 Ehrmann Gehlbach Badger & Considine, LLC
 215 E. First St., Ste 100
 P.O. Box 447
 Dixon, Illinois 61021
 (815) 288-4949
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 kennedy@egbclaw.com
 No.

Parcel#	PIN	Legal Description	Owner and Address	Acreege	Turbine ID
1	22-18-20-300-005	THAT PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 20, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN IN LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS AND BEARINGS USED HEREIN ARE FOR DESCRIPTION PURPOSES ONLY: BEGINNING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 20; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST 1280.50 FEET ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 20; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 30 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST 567.95 FEET; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST 49.33 FEET; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 46 MINUTES 55 SECONDS EAST 1416.36 FEET TO A POINT ON THE EAST LINE OF THE WEST HALF OF THE EAST HALF OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 20; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 05 MINUTES 55 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE AFORESAID EAST LINE 1332.25 FEET TO THE SOUTH LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 20; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 46 MINUTES 17 SECONDS WEST 1986.59 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 60.07 ACRES, MORE OR LESS, SUBJECT TO THE RIGHTS OF THE PUBLIC TO THAT PORTION BEING USED FOR ROADWAY PURPOSES ALONG THE SOUTH AND WEST SIDES OF THE TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED ABOVE, AND ALSO SUBJECT TO ANY UNRECORDED EASEMENTS AND ALL EASEMENTS OF RECORD.	Cegland Trust 661 Big Timber Drive Joliet, IL 60431	60.07	T15
2	22-18-20-100-005	THAT PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 20, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN IN LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS AND BEARINGS USED HEREIN ARE FOR DESCRIPTION PURPOSES ONLY: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 20; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST 1664 FEET ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 20 TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THE TRACT OF LAND TO BE DESCRIBED; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 30 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST 567.95 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 00 MINUTES SECONDS 00 WEST 334.17 FEET; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 46 MINUTES 55 SECONDS EAST 1416.36 FEET TO THE EAST LINE OF THE WEST HALF OF THE EAST HALF OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 20; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 05 MINUTES 55SECONDS WEST ALONG THE AFORESAID EAST LINE 645.74 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 20; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 47 MINUTES 14 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 20 A DISTANCE OF 661.06 FEET TO THE EAST LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 20; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 07 M IN UTES 53 SECONDS		60.07	T18, T19
		WEST 576.48 FEET ALONG THE AFORESAID EAST LINE TO A POINT 82.79 FEET SOUTH OF THE CENTER OF SAID SECTION 20; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 47 MINUTES 33 SECONDS WEST 2642.92 FEET TO THE WEST LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 20; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 00 MINUTES 00 SECONDS WEST 891.28 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 60.07 ACRES, MORE OR LESS, SUBJECT TO THE RIGHTS OF THE PUBLIC TO THAT PORTION BEING USED FOR ROADWAY PURPOSES ALONG THE WEST SIDE OF THE TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED ABOVE, AND ALSO SUBJECT TO ANY UNRECORDED EASEMENTS AND ALL EASEMENTS OF RECORD.			
3	22-18-17-300-003	THE NORTHEAST QUARTER (NE ¼) OF SECTION 19, THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER (SW ¼) OF SECTION 17, AND THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (NW ¼) OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (NW ¼) OF SECTION 20, ALL IN TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ALL IN LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, EXCEPT A PARCEL IN THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER (SW ¼) OF SECTION 17 IDENTIFIED AS PIN 22-18-17-300-002, WHICH EXCEPTED PARCEL CONTAINS 2.64 ACRES AND IS OWNED BY LANCE P. ANDERSON.	CHICAGO TITLE AND TRUST W3757 Ebenezer Drive, Watertown, WI 53094	157.36	T25, T27
4	22-18-19-200-001	THE NORTHEAST QUARTER (NE ¼) OF SECTION 19, THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER (SW ¼) OF SECTION 17, AND THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (NW ¼) OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (NW ¼) OF SECTION 20, ALL IN TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ALL IN LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, EXCEPT A PARCEL IN THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER (SW ¼) OF SECTION 17 IDENTIFIED AS PIN 22-18-17-300-002, WHICH EXCEPTED PARCEL CONTAINS 2.64 ACRES AND IS OWNED BY LANCE P. ANDERSON.		160	T17, T21
5	22-18-28-400-009	THE EAST HALF OF THE EAST HALF OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 28 AND THE EAST HALF OF THE EAST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 33, ALL IN TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, SITUATED IN WYOMING TOWNSHIP, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS AND SUBJECT TO THE RIGHTS OF THE PUBLIC IN AND UPON THAT PORTION BEING USED AS A PUBLIC HIGHWAY.	DAVID SHADDICK 611 5th Avenue, Mendota IL, 61342	80.12	T06
6	22-18-32-400-001	THIRTY (30) ACRES OFF THE ENTIRE NORTH END OF THE WEST HALF OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION THIRTY-TWO (32), TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN. ALSO, A TRIANGULAR SHAPED PIECE OF GROUND MENTIONED IN AN "ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT" RECORDED AS DOCUMENT NO. 1 11 985 IN LEE COUNTY RECORDS AND FURTHER DESCRIBED IN DOC. NO. 10643 LEE COUNTY RECORDS AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING THIRTEEN (13) RODS AND FIFTEEN (15) LINKS SOUTH OF THE QUARTER SECTION CORNER ON THE NORTH LINE OF SECTION THIRTY-TWO (32); THENCE SOUTH SIXTEEN (16) RODS AND TEN (10) LINKS; THENCE WEST ELEVEN (11) RODS TO THE CENTER OF THE ROAD RUNNING FROM PAW PAW GROVE TO FOUR MILE GROVE, THENCE NORTH, 33-1/2	FOULK, Glen A. & Joseph G. 2680 Cottage Hill Rd. Compton, IL. 61318	30	T02



		DEGREES EAST, NINETEEN (19) RODS AND TWENTY (20) LINKS TO PLACE OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING NINETY SQUARE RODS OF LAND BE THE SAME, MORE OR LESS;			
7	22-18-29-400-001	A PART OF THE WEST HALF OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION TWENTY-NINE (29), BEING THAT PART OF SAID LAND LYING NORTH AND WEST OF THE ROAD RUNNING FROM PAW PAW GROVE TO FOUR MILE GROVE AND KNOWN AS THE COTTAGE HILL ROAD, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID WEST HALF OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION TWENTY-NINE (29) AFORESAID; THENCE SOUTH ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID EIGHTY TO THE SOUTHWEST COMER OF SAID EIGHTY; THENCE EAST ON THE LINE BETWEEN SECTIONS TWENTY-NINE (29) AND THIRTY-TWO (32) TO THE CENTER OF THE ROAD KNOWN AS THE COTTAGE HILL ROAD, RUNNING FROM PAW PAW GROVE TO FOUR MILE GROVE; THENCE IN A NORTHEASTERLY DIRECTION ALONG THE CENTER OF SAID ROAD TO A POINT WHERE THE CENTER LINE OF SAID ROAD INTERSECTS THE EAST LINE OF THE SAID WEST HALF OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION TWENTY-NINE (29); THENCE NORTH ALONG THE EAST LINE OF SAID EIGHTY TO THE NORTHEAST COMER OF SAID EIGHTY; THENCE WEST TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 58.25 ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS.		58.25	T07
8	22-18-22-400-009	PARCEL 1: THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION TWENTY-TWO (22), TOWNSHIP THIRTY-SEVEN (37) NORTH, RANGE TWO (2), EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ALL SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF LEE, IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS. PARCEL 2: THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION TWENTY-TWO (22) IN TOWNSHIP THIRTY-SEVEN (37) NORTH, RANGE TWO (2) EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ALL SITUATE IN THE TOWNSHIP OF WYOMING, COUNTY OF LEE, AND STATE OF ILLINOIS. PARCEL 3: THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION TWENTY-SEVEN (27), IN TOWNSHIP THIRTY-SEVEN (37) NORTH, RANGE TWO (2) EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN ALL SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF LEE, IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS. PARCEL 1 CONTAINS 120 ACRES	JENKINS TRUST NO BJJ 94-2 915 Marion Lane Ottawa, IL 61350	120	T13
9	22-18-28-300-004	A PART OF THE SOUTH HALF OF SECTION 28, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 28 FOR A POINT OF BEGINNING;	Elwood F. Kidd Revocable Trust & Joanne R. Kidd Revocable Trust	120	T08
		THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG EAST LINE OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER, 657.69 FEET; THENCE EASTERLY AT AN ANGEL OF 269 DEGREES 40 MINUTES 41 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE, 885.97 FEET; THENCE EASTERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 90 DEGREES 21 MINUTES 35 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE 1,974.91 FEET TO NORTH LINE SOUTH HALF OF SECTION 28, THENCE WESTERLY ALONG NORTH LINE OF SOUTH HALF AT AN ANGLE OF 89 DEGREES 37 MINUTES 47 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE, 2,209.93 FEET TO NORTHWEST CORNER OF EAST HALF OF SOUTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTHERLY ALONG WEST LINE OF EAST HALF OF SOUTHWEST QUARTER AT AN ANGLE OF 90 DEGREES 22 MINUTES 19 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE, 2,632.19 FEET TO SOUTHWEST CORNER EAST HALF OF SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 28, THENCE EASTERLY ALONG SOUTH LINE OF SECTION 28 AT AN ANGLE OF 89 DEGREES 38 MINUTES 20 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE 1,324.44 FEET TO POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 120.173 ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS.			
10	22-18-22-100-012	PART OF SECTIONS 21 AND 22 IN TOWNSHIPS 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: ALL THAT PART OF THE WEST HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 22 AND THE EAST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 21 LYING SOUTH OF THE CENTERLINE OF ANGLING LAND MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING IN THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 22; THENCE EASTERLY ON THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SECTION 22, 1325.45 FEET BY THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SAID WEST HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 22, THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 18'00 WEST ON THE EAST LINE OF THE SAID WEST HALF, 35.94 FEET TO A POINT ON THE CENTERLINE OF ANGLING ROAD SAID POINT ALSO BEING THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THE TRACT BEING DESCRIBED; THENCE SOUTH 67 DEGREES 30' 14' WEST ON SAID CENTERLINE, 3110.30 FEET TO THE WEST LINE OF THE WEST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 21; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 23' 19' WEST LINE, 906.87 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SAID EAST HALF, THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 46' 04' KARL ON THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID EAST HALF, 1322.20 FEET OF THE SOUTHEAST CORNER THEREOF, THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 67'39' EAST ON THE SOUTH LINE OF THE WEST HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 22, 1322.47 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER THEREOF, THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 18' 66' EAST ON THE EAST LINE OF THE SAID WEST HALF, 2002.04 FEET IN THE SAID POINT BEGINNING, EXCEPTING THEREFROM THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED TRACT: PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (NW ¼) OF SECTION 22, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT	3053 Welland Rd. Earlville, IL 60518	41.41	T16
		THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 22, THENCE SOUTHERLY ON THE WEST LINE OF SAID SECTION 22, 870.11 FEET TO THE CENTERLINE OF ANGLING ROAD, THENCE NORTHEASTERLY ON SAID CENTERLINE AT AN ANGLE OF 67 DEGREES 02' 59' MEASURED CLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED CORNER, 116.00 FEET TO THE POINT BEGINNING ON THE TRACT OF LAND BEING DESCRIBED, THENCE EXTENDING NORTHEASTERLY ON SAID CENTERLINE, 413.87 FEET, THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 75 DEGREES 30' MEASURED COUNTERCLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, 491.66 FEET; THENCE SOUTHWESTERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 93 DEGREES 43' 58' MEASURED COUNTERCLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, 367.40 FEET; THENCE NORTHWESTERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 90 DEGREES 69' 46' MEASURED COUNTERCLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, 413.20 FEET TO THE SAID POINT OF BEGINNING, ALL IN LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS. ALSO EXCEPTING THEREFROM: PART OF THE EAST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 21 AND PART OF THE WEST HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 22, ALL IN TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING OF THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SAID EAST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 21; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 23 MINUTES 10 SECONDS EAST ON THE WEST ON THE III LOO LINE SAID EAST HALF, 900.7 FEET TO THE CENTERLINE OF ANGLING ROAD, THENCE NORTH 57 DEGREES 30 MINUTES 14 SECONDS EAST ON SAID CENTERLINE, 1602.47 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 22 DEGREES 43 MINUTES 23 SECONDS EAST, 413.25 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 16 MINUTES 26 SECONDS EAST, 1440.51 FEET TO THE SOUTH LINE OF THE SAID WEST HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 22, THENCE NORTH 80 DEGREES 57 MINUTES 30 SECONDS WEST ON THE SAID SOUTH LINE, 277.90 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SAID LINE OF THE EAST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 21, 1322.20 FEET TO THE SAID POINT OF BEGINNING, ALL IN LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.			
11	22-18-27-100-004	THE EAST HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION TWENTY-SEVEN (27) I N TOWNSHIP THIRTY-SEVEN (37) NORTH, RANGE TWO (2) EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ALL SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF LEE, IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, EXCEPTING THEREFROM: PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 27, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST COMER OF THE SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTHERLY ON THE EAST LINE OF THE SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER 248.94 FEET; THENCE WESTERLY PARALLEL WITH THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SECTION 27, 183.0 FEET;	OSBORNE 2003 TRUST CONNIE L 10004 Edinburgh Ct. Joliet, IL 60131	116.7	T10, T12

		<p>THENCE SOUTHERLY PERPENDICULAR TO THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, 45.0 FEET THENCE WESTERLY PARALLEL WITH THE SAID NORTH LINE OF SECTION 27, 14.0 FEET; THENCE NORTHERLY PERPENDICULAR TO THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, 45.0 FEET; THENCE WESTERLY PARALLEL WITH THE SAID NORTH LINE, 379.02 FEET; THENCE NORTHERLY 248.94 FEET TO A POINT ON THE SAID NORTH LINE OF SECTION 27, 577.18 FEET WEST OF THE SAID POINT OF BEGINNING, THENCE EASTERLY ON THE SAID NORTH LINE, 577.18 FEET TO THE SAID POINT OF BEGINNING, ALL IN THE COUNTY OF LEE, IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.</p> <p>AND</p> <p>THE WEST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 27, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, EXCEPTING THEREFROM THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED TRACT: THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 27, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ALL SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF LEE, IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.</p>			
12	22-18-28-400-008	<p>PART OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 28, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28; THENCE NORTH 88°12'26" EAST 240.00 FEET ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 88°12'26" EAST 586.00 FEET ALONG SAID SOUTH LINE; THENCE NORTH 1°25'41" WEST 278.00 FEET PARALLEL WITH THE EAST LINE OF THE WEST HALF OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 28; THENCE NORTH 88°12'26" EAST -407.00 FEET PARALLEL WITH THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 1°25'41" EAST 278.00 FEET PARALLEL WITH THE EAST LINE OF THE WEST HALF OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE NORTH 88°12'26" EAST 753.62 FEET ALONG SAID SOUTH LINE TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE WEST HALF OF THE EAST HALF OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE NORTH 1°24'29" WEST 2633.09 FEET ALONG THE EAST LINE OF THE WEST HALF OF THE EAST HALF OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE WEST HALF OF THE EAST HALF OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER, THENCE SOUTH 88°11'25" WEST 1101.57 FEET ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 1°25'41" EAST 1975.46 FEET PARALLEL WITH THE EAST LINE OF THE WEST HALF OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 88°13'00" WEST 886.42 FEET TO THE WEST LINE OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 1°28'04" EAST 352.44 FEET ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER TO A POINT 305.00 FEET NORTH OF (AS MEASURED ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER) THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE NORTH 88°12'26" EAST 240.00 FEET PARALLEL WITH THE</p>	SHADDICK, Paul D. & Billie J. 3252 Cottage Hill Rd. Paw Paw, IL 61353	75.65	T09
		<p>SOUTH LINE OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 1°28'04" EAST 305.00 FEET PARALLEL WITH THE WEST LINE OF SAID SOUTHEAST QUARTER TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; SITUATED IN WYOMING TOWNSHIP, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS AND SUBJECT TO THE RIGHTS OF THE PUBLIC IN AND UPON THAT PORTION BEING USED AS A PUBLIC HIGHWAY.</p>			
13	22-18-33-200-003	<p>THE WEST HALF OF THE EAST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER AND THE EAST HALF OF THE WEST HALF OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER, ALL IN SECTION 33, ALL IN TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, SITUATED IN WYOMING TOWNSHIP, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS AND SUBJECT TO THE RIGHTS OF THE PUBLIC IN AND UPON THAT PORTION BEING USED AS A PUBLIC HIGHWAY.</p>	SHADDICK, Roger A. & Jane 1233 Indian Hills Pkwy. Marietta, GA 30062	80.15	T03
14	22-18-20-200-003	<p>THE EAST ONE-HALF (E 1/2) OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER (NE 1/4), IN SECTION TWENTY (20) IN TOWNSHIP THIRTY-SEVEN (37) NORTH, RANGE TWO (2) EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ALL SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF LEE AND STATE OF ILLINOIS.</p>	June A. Schlesinger, as Trustee & Clifford W. Schlesinger, as Trustee & Diane Peppin & Schott Schlesinger 553 German Rd. Paw Paw, IL 61353	80	T20
15	22-18-16-300-011	<p>THE WEST ONE-HALF OF THE SOUTH ONE-HALF OF THE FOLLOWING: PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 16, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST, OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 16; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 2 MINUTES 26 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 16, A DISTANCE OF 844.57 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THE HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED TRACT OF LAND; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 0 DEGREES 2 MINUTES 26 SECONDS EAST ALONG SAID WEST LINE, A DISTANCE OF 1199.94 FEET TO A POINT LYING 591.51 FEET SOUTHERLY OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 53 MINUTES 29 SECONDS EAST PARALLEL WITH THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER, A DISTANCE OF 2650.49 FEET TO THE EAST LINE OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 8 MINUTES 56 SECONDS WEST ALONG SAID EAST LINE, A DISTANCE OF 1195.50 FEET, TO A POINT LYING 844.58 FEET NORTHERLY OF THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 47 MINUTES 43 SECONDS WEST PARALLEL WITH THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER, A DISTANCE OF 2648.25 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, SUBJECT TO THAT LAND BEING USED FOR PUBLIC ROAD PURPOSES AND ALSO SUBJECT TO ALL EASEMENTS, AGREEMENTS, COUNTY CODES AND/OR ORDINANCES OF RECORD, IF ANY, ALL SITUATED IN</p>	SCHLESINGER, Connie J. & Ronald T. 646 German Rd. Paw Paw, IL 61353	72.66	T26
		<p>THE TOWNSHIP OF WYOMING, THE COUNTY OF LEE, AND THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.</p> <p>AND</p> <p>THE EAST ONE-HALF OF THE SOUTH ONE-HALF OF THE FOLLOWING: PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 16, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST, OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 16; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 2 MINUTES 26 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 16, A DISTANCE OF 844.57 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THE HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED TRACT OF LAND; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 0 DEGREES 2 MINUTES 26 SECONDS EAST ALONG SAID WEST LINE, A DISTANCE OF 1199.94 FEET TO A POINT LYING 591.51 FEET SOUTHERLY OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 53 MINUTES 29 SECONDS EAST PARALLEL WITH THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER, A DISTANCE OF 2650.49 FEET TO THE EAST LINE OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 8 MINUTES 56 SECONDS WEST ALONG SAID EAST LINE, A DISTANCE OF 1195.50 FEET, TO A POINT LYING 844.58 FEET NORTHERLY OF THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 47 MINUTES 43 SECONDS WEST PARALLEL WITH THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER, A DISTANCE OF 2648.25 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, SUBJECT TO THAT LAND BEING USED FOR PUBLIC ROAD PURPOSES AND ALSO SUBJECT TO ALL EASEMENTS, AGREEMENTS, COUNTY CODES AND/OR ORDINANCES OF RECORD, IF ANY, ALL SITUATED IN THE TOWNSHIP OF WYOMING, THE COUNTY OF LEE, AND THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.</p>			
16	22-18-16-400-008	<p>THE NORTH ONE-HALF (N 1/2) OF THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY; A PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 16, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH RANGE 2 EAST, OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 16; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 2 MINUTES 26 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 16, A DISTANCE OF 844.57 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING OF THE HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED TRACT OF LAND; THENCE CONTINUING NORTH 0 DEGREES 2 MINUTES 26 SECONDS EAST ALONG SAID WEST LINE, A DISTANCE OF 1199.94 FEET TO A POINT LYING 591.51 FEET SOUTHERLY OF THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE, NORTH 89 DEGREES 53 MINUTES 29 SECONDS EAST PARALLEL WITH THE NORTH LINE OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER; A DISTANCE OF 2650.49 FEET TO THE EAST LINE OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 8 MINUTES 56 SECONDS WEST ALONG SAID EAST LINE A DISTANCE OF 1195.50 FEET TO A POINT LYING 844.58 FEET NORTHERLY OF THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 47 MINUTES 43</p>		80.02	T24

		SECONDS WEST PARALLEL WITH THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID SOUTHWEST QUARTER, A DISTANCE OF 2648.25 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, MORE OR LESS, SUBJECT TO THAT LAID BEING USED FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES AND ALSO SUBJECT TO ALL EASEMENTS, AGREEMENTS, COUNTY CODES AND/OR ORDINANCES OF RECORD, IF ANY, ALL SITUATED IN THE TOWNSHIP OF WYOMING, THE COUNTY OF LEE AND STATE OF ILLINOIS.			
17	22-18-16-200-002	THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 16, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, BOUNDED AND DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE SOUTHEAST COMER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 16; THENCE NORTH 89 DEGREES 46 MINUTES 29 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER, A DISTANCE OF 1322.51 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 16; THENCE NORTH 0 DEGREES 11 MINUTES 02 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER, A DISTANCE OF 1322.01 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST COMER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER, THENCE SOUTH 89 DEGREES 41 MINUTES 59 SECONDS EAST ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER TO SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER, A DISTANCE OF 1,319.64 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE SOUTH 0 DEGREES 03 MINUTES 34 SECONDS WEST ALONG THE EAST LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER, A DISTANCE OF 1320.28 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING 40.067 ACRES, MORE OR LESS, SUBJECT TO ALL EASEMENTS, AGREEMENTS COUNTY CODES AND/OR ORDINANCES OF RECORD, IF ANY, ALL SITUATED IN THE TOWNSHIP OF WYOMING, THE COUNTY OF LEE AND THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.	SCHOENHOLZ, Howard A. Jr. & Barbara A. 810 Moffet Rd. Paw Paw, IL 61353	40	T28
18	22-18-32-200-002	THE EAST HALF (E ½) OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER (NE ¼) OF SECTION THIRTY-TWO (32), TOWNSHIP THIRTY-SEVEN (37) NORTH, RANGE TWO, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, SUBJECT TO AN EASEMENT ACROSS THE SOUTHEAST CORNER THEREOF, WHICH EASEMENT IS DEVISED TO THOMAS RHEA OF AT LEAST TWENTY (20) FEET IN WIDTH, WHICH EASEMENT SHALL RUN WITH THE LAND, SITUATED IN THE TOWNSHIP OF WYOMING, COUNTY OF LEE, AND STATE OF ILLINOIS.	RHEA, SAMUEL G. 709 German Road Paw Paw IL 61353	80	T05
19	22-18-31-200-003	THE EAST HALF (E1/2) OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER (SE 1/4) OF SECTION THIRTY-ONE (31) AND THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER (SE 1/4) OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER (NE 1/4) OF SECTION THIRTY-ONE (31).	LEAH M. SWOPE TRUST NO.604 PO Box 176	39	T04

20	22-18-28-100-004	THE EAST ONE-HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER AND PART OF THE WEST ONE-HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 28, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST IN LEE COUNTY, IL	1166 Melugins Grove Rd. Compton, IL 61318	66.5	T11
21	22-18-31-400-018	THE EAST ONE-HALF OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER LYING NORTH OF WELLAND ROAD AND THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 31, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST		54.6	T01
22	22-18-21-400-003	THE WEST HALF OF THE EAST HALF OF THE SOUTH HALF OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 21, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SECTION 21; THENCE WESTERLY ALONG SOUTH LINE OF SOUTHEAST QUARTER 663.45 FEET FOR A POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUING ALONG AFOREMENTIONED LINE 663.45 FEET; THENCE NORTHERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 89 DEGREES 53 MINUTES 19 SECONDS MEASURED COUNTERCLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, 1314.75 FEET; THENCE EASTERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 90 DEGREES 06 MINUTES 28 SECONDS MEASURED COUNTERCLOCKWISE FROM THE FAST DESCRIBED COURSE, 662.68 FEET; THENCE SOUTHERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 89 DEGREES 55 MINUTES 33 SECONDS MEASURED COUNTERCLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, 1314.70 FEET TO POINT OF BEGINNING, ALL IN LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS. AND THE EAST HALF OF THE EAST HALF OF THE SOUTH HALF OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 21, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SECTION 21 FOR A POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE NORTHERLY ALONG EAST LINE OF SOUTHEAST QUARTER 1314.66 FEET; THENCE WESTERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 89 DEGREES 57 MINUTES 33 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, 662.68 FEET; THENCE SOUTHERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 90 DEGREES 04 MINUTES 27 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE 1314.70 FEET; THENCE EASTERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 89 DEGREES 55 MINUTES 20 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE 663.45 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, ALL IN LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.	WITTENAUER, Russell A. & Christine A. 1670 Sterling Rd. Amboy, IL, 61310	40	T14
23	22-18-21-100-002	THAT PART OF THE EAST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 21, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS LYING NORTH OF THE CENTERLINE OF ANGLING ROAD MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID SECTION 21; THENCE WESTERLY ON THE NORTH LINE OF THE SAID EAST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER, 1,325.84 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER THEREOF, THENCE SOUTHERLY ON THE WEST	TODD REVOCABLE TRUST 1745 Shabbona Grove Rd. Shabbona, IL 60550	80	T22

		LINE OF THE SAID EAST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER, 1,731.13 FEET TO THE CENTERLINE OR ANGLING ROAD; THENCE NORTHEASTERLY ON THE SAID CENTERLINE, 1,577.36 FEET TO A POINT ON THE EAST LINE OF SAID SECTION 21, 881.0 FEET SOUTH OF THE SAID POINT OF BEGINNING			
24	22-18-21-100-001	THE WEST HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 21, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.		80	T23
25	05-17-24-100-011 (map reference: 05-17-24-200-013)	PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER AND THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 1, EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 24; THENCE NORTH, ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 1,312.19 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE SOUTH HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION; THENCE EASTERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 88 DEGREES 21 MINUTES 13 SECONDS MEASURED COUNTERCLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF THE SOUTH HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION AND THE NORTH LINE OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION, 3,574.23 FEET TO THE WEST LINE OF PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN A LIS PENDENS NOTICE, RECORDED IN VOLUME 7802, PAGE 495, IN THE RECORDER'S OFFICE OF LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS, ALSO BEING THE WESTERLY RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF F. A. ROUTE 412; THENCE SOUTHERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 74 DEGREES 45 MINUTES, 54 SECONDS MEASURED COUNTERCLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, ALONG SAID WEST LINE, 2,009.98 FEET TO A POINT OF CURVATURE; THENCE SOUTHWESTERLY ALONG SAID WEST LINE, 714.78 FEET TO AN ARC TO THE LEFT, HAVING A RADIUS OF 5,679.65 FEET AND BEING SUBTENDED BY A CHORD WHICH FORMS AN ANGLE OF 176 DEGREES, 23 MINUTES, 41 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE AND HAS A CHORD LENGTH OF 714.31 FEET TO A POINT ON THE SOUTH LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION 24; THENCE WESTERLY, ALONG SAID SOUTH LINE OF SAID NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION, WHICH FORMS AN ANGLE OF 101 DEGREES, 32 MINUTES, 15 SECONDS MEASURED COUNTERCLOCKWISE FROM THE CHORD OF THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, 177.16 FEET TO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION; THENCE NORTHERLY, AT AN ANGLE OF 91 DEGREES, 39 MINUTES, 55	COLLEEN Z. ZINKE LIVING TRUST, Colleen Z. Zinke as Trustee; HAROLD W. ZINKE FAMILY TRUST, Colleen Z. Zinke, as Trustee; MICHAEL H. ZINKE TRUST Michael H. Zinke, as Trustee; and LINDA A. ZINKE TRUST, Linda Ann Zinke, as Trustee 2243 Tower Road West Brooklyn, IL 61378	108.4	Substation

		<p>SECONDS MEASURED COUNTERCLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, ALONG THE WEST LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION, 1,322.52 FEET TO THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE SOUTH HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION; THENCE WESTERLY, AT AN ANGLE OF 91 DEGREES, 39 MINUTES, 59 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SAID SECTION, 2,650.87 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF LEE, IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS;</p> <p>THE SOUTH HALF OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 1 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF LEE, IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.</p>			
26	22-18-05-400-004	<p>THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 5, AND THAT PART OF THE EAST HALF OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 8, ALL IN TOWNSHIP 37 NORTH, RANGE 2 EAST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE WESTERLY ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER 1323.70 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAID EAST HALF; THENCE SOUTHERLY, AT AN ANGLE OF 89 DEGREES 49 MINUTES 15 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE FROM SAID NORTH LINE, ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID EAST HALF, 1188.23 FEET TO THE CENTERLINE OF CHICAGO ROAD; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 103 DEGREES 35 MINUTES 17 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE FROM SAID WEST LINE, ALONG SAID CENTERLINE, 114.07 FEET; THENCE SOUTHEASTERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 179 DEGREES 51 MINUTES 01 SECONDS MEASURED CLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, ALONG SAID CENTERLINE, 1242.69 FEET TO THE EAST LINE OF SAID NORTHEAST QUARTER; THENCE NORTHERLY AT AN ANGLE OF 77 DEGREES 32 MINUTES 03 SECONDS CLOCKWISE FROM THE LAST DESCRIBED COURSE, ALONG SAID EAST LINE, 1478.55 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; SITUATED IN LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS.</p>	LEONARD, Lambert J. & Karen M. 1670 Sterling Rd. Amboy, IL, 61310	141.73	Laydown Yard



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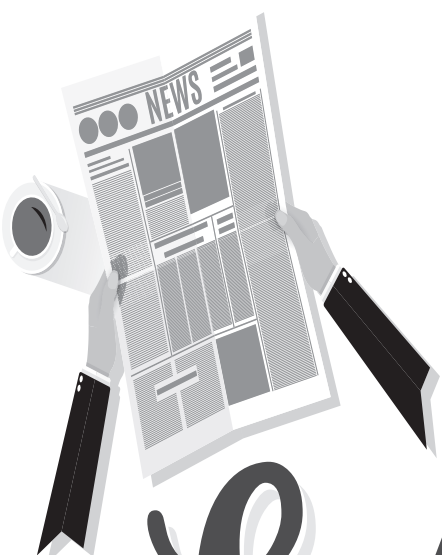
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Public Notice is hereby given that on February 20, 2020, a certificate was filed in the Ogle County Clerk's Office setting forth the names and post office address of all of the persons owning, conducting and transacting the business known as: The Barn Salon and Spa, 4354 N. White Rock Rd., Davis Junction, IL 61020.
Dated: February 20, 2020
Laura J. Cook,
Ogle County Clerk
No. 0302 (Mar. 2, 9, 16)

PUBLIC NOTICE
STATE OF ILLINOIS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF THE
FIFTEENTH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
COUNTY OF OGLE - IN
PROBATE
IN THE)
MATTER)No.
OF THE)2020
ESTATE)P 19
OF)
MARY E.)
MARTENS)
Deceased.)

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION - CLAIMS
Notice is given of the death of Mary E. Martens of Forreston. Letters of Office were issued on February 14, 2020 to Charles W. Esterly, 525 Esterly Estates, Jefferson MO 65109.

Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court at the Ogle County Courthouse 106 S. 5th Street Oregon IL 61061 or with the representative, or both, within 6 months from the date of issuance of letters and any claim filed within that period is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within 10 days after it has been filed.

DATED: February 14, 2020
/s/ Charles W. Esterly (Representative)
/s/ Edward J. Mitchell (Attorney)
No. 0310 (Mar. 9, 16, 23)

PUBLIC NOTICE
STATE OF ILLINOIS
CIRCUIT COURT
OGLE COUNTY
PUBLICATION NOTICE
OF COURT DATE FOR
REQUEST FOR NAME
CHANGE (MINOR CHILDREN)
Case Number
2020MR17

Request of: Shawna Ann Marie Patterson to change names of minor children.

There will be a court date on a Request for Name Change (Minor Children) for these children:
Current Name of Minor Child - Shawna Ann Marie Patterson to new name of Minor Child - Seth Andrew Morgan Patterson.
Court Date Information - April 24, 2020 at 10:30 a.m. at 106 South First St., Oregon, IL, Court-

room 304.
Priscilla A. Patterson
No. 0311 (Mar. 9, 16, 23)

PUBLIC NOTICE
TAX DEED NO.:
2017TX17
FILED: 2/28/2020
TAKE NOTICE
County of Ogle

Date Premises Sold: November 2, 2017
Certificate No.: 2016-00166
Sold for General Taxes of (Year): 2016

Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and Special Assessment Number: N/A
Warrant No.: N/A Installment No.: N/A

THIS PROPERTY HAS BEEN SOLD FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

Property Located at: 100 South 2nd Street, Oregon, IL 61061-
Legal Description or Property Index No.: 16-03-179-006

This notice is to advise you that the above property has been sold for delinquent taxes and that the period of redemption from the sale will expire on August 12, 2020.

The amount to redeem is subject to increase at 6 month intervals from the date of sale and may be further increased if the purchaser at the tax sale or his or her assignee pays any subsequently accruing taxes or special assessments to redeem the property from subsequent forfeitures or tax sales. Check with the County Clerk as to the exact amount you owe before redeeming.

This notice is also to advise you that a petition has been filed for a tax deed which will transfer title and the right to possession of this property if redemption is not made on or before August 12, 2020.

This matter is set for hearing in the Circuit Court of Ogle County in 106 S. 5th Street, Room 302, Oregon, IL 61061 on August 20, 2020 at 9:00 AM.

You may be present at this hearing, but your right to redeem will already have expired at that time. YOU ARE URGED TO REDEEM IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT LOSS OF PROPERTY

Redemption can be made at any time on or before August 12, 2020 by applying to the County Clerk of Ogle County, Illinois at the Office of the County Clerk in Oregon, Illinois.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT THE COUNTY CLERK
105 S. 5th Street
Suite 104
Oregon, IL 61061
815-732-1110
Equity One Investment Fund LLC
Purchaser or Assignee
2/28/2020
James Emery
State of Illinois Department of Transportation

Occupant
Jeanette & Victor Green
Jeanette Magnetta a/k/a
Jeanette A. Green
Victor L. Green
Illinois Department of Transportation
Illinois Attorney General for the Illinois Department of Transportation
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Jeanette Magnetta a/k/a
Jeanette A. Greene
Jeanette Green
Occupant
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Jeanette A. Green as R/A for Breakers Saloon & Eatery
Laura J. Cook, County Clerk of Ogle County, Illinois
Claimants, Judgment Creditors, and Decree Creditors, if any of the above described as "Unknown Owners"
"Unknown owners or parties interested in said land or lots"
No. 0315 (Mar. 9, 16, 23)

PUBLIC NOTICE
+-TAX DEED NO.:
2017TX17
FILED: 2/28/2020
TAKE NOTICE
County of Ogle

Date Premises Sold: November 2, 2017
Certificate No.: 2016-00166
Sold for General Taxes of (Year): 2016
Sold for Special Assessment of (Municipality) and Special Assessment Number: N/A
Warrant No.: N/A Installment No.: N/A
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MATION CONTACT THE COUNTY CLERK 105 S. 5th Street Suite 104 Oregon, IL 61061 815-732-1110 Equity One Investment Fund LLC Purchaser or Assignee 2/28/2020 James Emery State of Illinois Department of Transportation Occupant Jeanette & Victor Green Jeanette Magnetta a/k/a Jeanette A. Green Victor L. Green Illinois Department of Transportation Illinois Attorney General for the Illinois Department of Transportation City of Oregon c/o City Clerk

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N. Walnut Ave., P.O. Box 363, Forreston, IL 61030 whose attorney is Edward J. Mitchell, 110 N. Broad Street, Lanark, IL 61046 Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court at the Carroll County Courthouse, 301 N. Main, Mt. Carroll, IL 61053 or with the representative, or both, within 6 months from the date of issuance of letters and any claim not filed within that period is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorney within 10 days after it has been filed. DATED: March 2, 2020. /s/ Debra A. Heizler (Representative) BY: /s/ Edward J. Mitchell (Attorney) No. 0320 Mar. 16, 23, 30) PUBLIC NOTICE

tion of such mobile food vehicles, and for such other and further zoning approvals as may be required; and Copies of the proposed amendments are available for inspection at Village Hall during normal business hours. All interested parties are invited to attend and be heard. Respectfully Submitted, Sandie Maahs Village Clerk No. 0323 (Mar. 16)

PUBLIC NOTICE Notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on the proposed budget for the City of Byron, Ogle County, Illinois, for the fiscal year commencing May 1, 2020 and ending April 30, 2021. The hearing will be held on Wednesday, April 1, 2020 at 6:25 pm at Byron City Hall, 232 W. Second Street, Byron, Illinois 61010. The proposed budget is available at Byron City Hall for review. City of Byron, a Municipal Corporation John Rickard, Mayor No. 0324 (Mar. 16)

PUBLIC NOTICE STATE OF ILLINOIS IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COUNTY OF OGLE - IN PROBATE IN THE) MATTER) OF THE) No.) ESTATE OF)2020 ARTHUR)P24 R. HEIZLER) JR.,) Deceased) NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION - CLAIMS Notice is given of the death of Arthur R. Heizler, Jr. of Forreston. Letters of office were issued on March 2, 2020 to Debra A. Heizler, 601

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, pursuant to 65 ILCS 5/11-13-14 and Section A11-303B of the Davis Junction Zoning Ordinance, the Village of Davis Junction Planning and Zoning Commission will be conducting a public hearing at 7:00 PM on April 6, 2020 at Davis Junction Village Hall, 106 North Elm Street, Davis Junction, IL, to consider a Village Board-initiated zoning text amendment authorizing the operation of mobile food vehicles as temporary uses in the Village's commercial districts subject to review and approval by the Village Board and regulating the location and opera-

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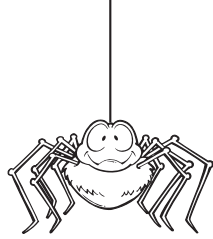
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Pay from \$11.00 to \$13.00 based on experience.
Interested candidates should submit a resume or completed application for employment via email to finance@davisjunction.com or in person to Village Hall at 106 North Elm Street, Davis Junction, Illinois. Applications available at www.davisjunction.com or at Village Hall. No phone calls please.
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