

# Oil company requests variance for taller sign

Fireworks celebration set for June 27

**By KIP CHEEK**  
*Staff writer*

MENDOTA – The Mendota City Council handled several items of business at its Feb. 3 regular meeting. Alderman Bill Hunt served as vice mayor in the absence of Mayor David Boelk.

Alderman John Hossenberger presented a request from Beck Oil Company for a sign height variance for a new high-rise sign at Beck’s I-39 location. The request will be sent to the Zoning Board for its consideration at a meeting set for Monday, Feb. 24 at 5 p.m.

Alderman Jim Fitzpatrick informed the council of two requests from the Mendota Area Chamber of Commerce. One request is to use the corner of Main and Meriden streets for the

Chamber’s annual tag day for fireworks on Saturday, June 20. The second request is to use Lake Mendota Park for the annual fireworks celebration on Saturday, June 27. Both requests were approved by the council.

Alderman Kyle Kim told the council of two recent events held at the Mendota Civic Center. The 14th annual Daddy-Daughter Dance was held on Friday, Jan. 31 with 175 young ladies and their special guests in attendance. Then on Saturday, Feb. 1, a Mother-Son Dance took place with 50 young men and their guests in attendance.

The next regular meeting of the Mendota City Council will be Monday, Feb. 17 at 6:30 p.m.



The congregation of Methodist Episcopal Church in Sublette, 1870s.

# Historic Sublette home ‘traces its roots’

Painter helps answer questions for owners of 148-year-old structure

**By BONNIE MORRIS**  
*Editor*

SUBLETTE—Old homes have many stories to tell. Anyone who has lived in a home that is over 100 years old has surely wondered what hidden tales their historic dwelling would share if it could talk. But in many cases, those stories have been partially or completely lost over time.

Such was the case for Bob and Betty Jones of Sublette. As a young couple, they were living in Franklin Grove when Bob was given the opportunity to manage the Shrock/Tuloma/Standard Oil fertilizer plant in Sublette. Bob was excited to return to his hometown, but Betty had reservations about the move.

In Franklin Grove, they had lived in a newer, ranch style home right in town. Betty explained that she had a fear of living in the country and was concerned that her fear would be realized if they made the move to Sublette.

But Bob assured her that would not happen, promising that they would live in town. “But there was only one house available at the time – a big Victorian with very little paint and a partial bell steeple, which made it look like a ‘ghost house,’” Betty recalled.

The couple met with the realtor, Gerald Leffelman and the home’s owners, Carol and Harold Bonnell Jr., who gave them a very friendly welcome. As they entered the home for the first time, Betty remembered seeing a dining room with painted

wainscoting, a kitchen with cabinets that went floor to ceiling with one big door, and what she called a hog trough sink (now called a farmer’s sink).

As they went into the living quarters of the home, its appearance was more impressive. They saw ornately trimmed golden oak and cherry woodwork that had never been painted, a beautiful golden oak and marble fireplace, and pocket doors between the rooms.

Betty still remembers Bob saying at the time, “I think we can work hard and make it into a beautiful home to raise our kids and make some beautiful memories.”

Betty admitted there were a few tears shed, but the couple bought the home and moved in on Oct. 19, 1967. At the time, they were told that the home had originally been the Methodist Episcopal Church, the first Methodist church to be built in Sublette. Constructed in 1870, the church was completed in 1871. This was an interesting bit of history for the couple but questions remained. Given its current layout, they wondered how church services could have been held in that space.

As the years went by, Bob and Betty made some changes to the house, both inside and out. Most importantly, they were able to build many fond memories in the home. “Times with family and friends, the births of our five children and one angel in heaven, a tree fire, boys climbing to the top of the roof (unbeknownst to us



The former Methodist Episcopal Church as it looks today. (Photos contributed)



# Illinois soybean farmers cannot catch a break

Economic slump from coronavirus increases doubt about China’s ability to honor trade deal

**By BEN ORNER**  
*Capitol News Illinois*

SPRINGFIELD – Soybean farmers in Illinois cannot catch a break.

After a promising trade deal with China last month gave farmers hope amid an intense trade war, the deadly Wuhan coronavirus currently overwhelming China is also damaging its economy.

The country’s economic slump is now sowing fears that China might not be able to buy all of the \$32 billion of U.S. agricultural goods it promised for 2020, including soybeans from Illinois, America’s top soybean-producing state.

“This kind of big shock to their economy diminishes their demand for a lot of primary products” like soybeans, said Todd Hubbs, a professor of agricultural economics at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

“There was a lot of skepticism on whether they can hit those targets,” he said. “That

was before coronavirus.”

China has confirmed more than 17,000 cases of coronavirus as of Feb. 3, including 361 deaths. The country has slowed imports and shut down much of its international trading infrastructure in order to focus on fighting the disease.

“You’ve got what looks like a pandemic, possibly, on top of an uncertain trade deal,” Hubbs said. “It’s just a lot of uncertainty.”

In 2017, the last full year before America’s trade war with China, soybeans accounted for more than half of U.S. agricultural exports to China. In 2018, soybean exports fell 75 percent as China bought from other countries in retaliation for U.S. tariffs imposed on Chinese exports.

With the signing of the first phase of the U.S.-China trade agreement last month, however, farmers finally saw light at the end of the tunnel,

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until later in life), Barbies, and soldiers who protect the upstairs,” Betty noted.

By 2019, it was again time to paint the exterior of the house but finding a painter proved somewhat difficult. “In today’s world, not many painters can be found who will take on the challenge of this unique Victorian house,” Betty explained.

By chance, a nurse at Saint Paul Medical Center in Mendota told the couple about a painter, Gary Mason of Rochelle, who did a great job painting a friend’s home. They contacted Mason and when he came to give them a bid, Betty said he seemed as excited about painting the home as they were. “We learned that Victorians are his favorite type of house to paint,” Betty recalled. “Gary has a real talent for bringing out the details of a home and as he says, ‘It is only paint.’ But it is more than that; it is his heart and talent. He has a real feel for the home

and cares how it looks, and he passes that passion on to his crew.”



But when Mason learned that the home was originally the Methodist Episcopal Church, he became just as interested and passionate about the history of the home as he was about choosing paint colors. As a historian and member of the Lee County Historical Society, Mason went searching for more information on the 148-year-old structure. In his research, Mason was able to uncover some additional information and historical records that helped answer some of Bob and Betty’s questions about their home.

Through that research, they learned that at the time of construction the interior had 20-foot ceilings and a large open space for placement of the pews. After the church was sold, it was

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# LOCAL AND AREA

## M.A.S.S. names Volunteer of the Year

MENDOTA - Allen Bonnell was recognized as the 2019 MASS Volunteer of the Year during the Mendota Area Senior Services volunteer recognition luncheon and annual meeting on Jan. 29.

Bonnell volunteered 185 hours of time in service to Mendota Area Senior Services (MASS) in 2019. In addition to serving as a MASS board member and board president, Bonnell donates time as a volunteer driver, with many of his hours logged on the road taking clients to medical appointments. He has also helped with most of the fundraisers held by MASS over the past year.

Rayanne Sester, MASS executive director, said Bonnell also takes it upon himself to help keep the



**Congratulating Allen Bonnell, right, at the MASS volunteer recognition luncheon is Rayanne Sester, Mendota Area Senior Services executive director. (Reporter photo by Bonnie Morris)**

transportation building and the volunteer vehicles clean. "And because he can't get enough of all of us, most days he can be found playing cards

at the senior center, so he is an easy target when something needs to be done," Sester

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## Blackstone School Report

### Stacy Kelly, Principal

We are continuing to collect pop tabs to donate to St. Jude's Ronald McDonald House in Memphis. The classrooms are having a friendly competition to see who can collect the most to earn a reward. The top three so far are the students from Miss Akre, Mrs. Lamps and Mrs. Wixom's classrooms. Thank you to everyone who is continuing to send these in. This is just one of our kindness projects that our students and staff are participating in this year.

The students nominated for the Principal Award last week included Jesslynn Cigola, Brileigh DeWaele, Mackenzie Fielder, Bailee Lambert, Greyson Flood, Mara Ohlendorf, Kyrion Schoepke and Dia Zendeli. The winners were Roberto Lopez, Lilly Fitschen, Angelina Barrera and Mayson Desirena. Congratulations to all of you for working hard!

The monthly principal award pizza lunch was held on Friday, Jan. 31. The students invited to the lunch were Emilio

Arteaga, Yullianna Mandujano, Xander Swanson, Easton Pyse, Damian Cooper, Jace Burrell, Roberto Lopez, Lilly Fitschen, Victor Correa, Haylee Luebbing, Paul Perez, Angel Rivera, Jesse Lopez, Cole Dearing, Jaylah Sotelo, Angelina Barrera and Mayson Desirena. A picture of these students is in this week's Mendota Reporter.

We are currently taking orders for preK-4th grade yearbooks. The deadline to order is Friday, Feb. 7. If parents need another flyer, please let the school know. Yearbooks can be ordered online as well at [www.inter-state.com/yearbook](http://www.inter-state.com/yearbook). The flyer code is 45959H for online orders. Yearbooks will be printed and delivered later this spring.

Don't forget to utilize the district webpage at [www.m289.org](http://www.m289.org) for the latest updates and for a variety of information regarding our schools. Blackstone has its own page with specific school information and each teacher has a page as well.

## Share local history as a docent

MENDOTA - The Mendota Museum & Historical Society is looking for docents. If you are passionate about Mendota's history and would like to help share that history, you will enjoy being a volunteer docent.

MMHS will hold two volunteer docent inquiry sessions. Anyone interested in learning more may attend either session. The first will take place at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 19 at the Hume-Carnegie Museum and the second will be at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 22 at Union Depot Railroad Museum. Come see what Mendota's museums are about. Ask questions, look around and see if you might be able to help out.

The museum is looking for people who love history and are comfortable sharing with small groups. Docents will be fully trained to show visitors around the museum

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## Grammy Award winner to perform at Annual Flute Day in Peru

PERU - Nestor Torres, a Grammy Award winning Latin American flutist, will headline the 13th Annual Flute Day in Peru on Saturday, Feb. 22. Torres will take part in workshops and also perform in concert.

Flutists of all ages are welcome to attend Flute Day at the First Congregational Church in Peru. The all-day interactive workshops will run from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and feature guest clinicians, Lynne Stukart, Altus Flutes performing artist; Gerald Carey, flute professor emeritus Western Illinois University; and Torres. The Music Shoppe of Normal will also be on site with instruments and other flute related items.

Flute Day is sponsored by Music Suite 408, Altus Flutes, and the Illinois Valley Flute Ensemble with support

from North Central Illinois ARTworks. Registration materials may be downloaded at [www.408fineartsfactory.com](http://www.408fineartsfactory.com) (click on the MORE tab) or contact Sue Gillio, coordinator at (815) 223-4408 or [phloot1@aol.com](mailto:phloot1@aol.com).

Following the workshops, Torres will present a 5 p.m. concert at First Congregational Church, 1431 Fourth St., Peru. Sponsored by Miller Group Charitable Trust, tickets for the concert (\$12 adults, \$5 students K-college with ID) will be available at the door.

### Nestor Torres

Standing on the shoulders of many diverse flute giants, Torres' rhythmic flute sound remains in a class by itself.

His 14 recordings as a soloist; four Latin Grammy nominations, one Grammy nomination and one Latin



**Torres**

Grammy Award; collaborations with diverse artists such as Gloria Estefan, Kenny Loggins, Dave Mathews, Herbie Hancock, Tito Puente, Michael Camilo, Paquito D' Rivera and Arturo Sandoval; as well as performances with

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## First State Bank unveils new logo and updated website

MENDOTA - Big news. After several decades, First State Bank is releasing an updated brand identity, including a new logo, colors and font.

You will see the new look in FSB's advertising, social media pages, and in printed materials. Very soon, the bank will unveil new outdoor signage at its branches. FSB



believes the new logo, emphasizing the number one, modernizes its look as part of its ongoing evolution. The

number one captures the bank's identity and FSB wants people to think of it "First" when considering your financial partner.

First State Bank feels the new look better aligns with its goals as a company and symbolizes its future. The bank strives to be first in customer service, and to be first

in the banking community.

First State Bank's website has also been refreshed with an easier customer navigation. As we head into the next decade, First State Bank is committed to remain at the forefront of the technology necessary to be competitive in the financial industry, while maintain-

ing its community banking roots.

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# LOCAL AND AREA

## EDUCATION BRIEFS

### WIU graduates

MACOMB/MOLINE - A total of 665 students earned academic degrees or post-baccalaureate certificates after the fall 2019 semester at Western Illinois University. Of these, 107 graduates' primary attendance site was the WIU-Quad Cities campus.

Local students earning degrees were Mendota - Emily Byrne, Master of Science in Education, Professional Studies; Allison Hawbaker, (Summa Cum Laude), Bachelor of Music, Music; and Clarissa Hernandez, Bachelor of Social Work, Social Work; and Earlville - Jonathan McConville, Bachelor of Science, Agricultural Science, and Stephanie Mersman, Master of Science in Education, Reading.

Academic distinction was awarded to baccalaureate graduates who achieved high grade point averages. This includes: Summa Cum Laude, 3.90 GPA or higher on a 4.0 scale; Magna Cum Laude, 3.75-3.89 GPA; and Cum Laude, 3.6-3.74 GPA.

### McKendree Univ. dean's list

LEBANON - Shameka Butler of Mendota was named to the McKendree University dean's list for earning a grade point average of 3.60 or higher as a senior during the fall 2019 semester.

Butler, a senior, is majoring in psychology.

McKendree University is recognized as a "Military Friendly School" by Victory Media. Founded in 1828, the Lebanon campus is 25 miles from St. Louis, Mo., one in Radcliff, Ky. and offers programs online and at nearby Scott Air Force Base.

### Carthage College dean's list

KENOSHA, Wis. - Carthage College has named Elizabeth Willis of Mendota to its dean's list for academic excellence during the fall 2019 semester.

Dean's list honors are accorded to Carthage students who achieve a minimum 3.5 grade-point average while carrying at least 14 credit hours during a semester.

Carthage, a private college that enrolls about 2,800 students, embraces an approach that is personal in focus and driven in action, exemplified in their multifaceted career development initiative: The Aspire Program. From their campus along Lake Michigan, they actively direct their collective talents toward a common purpose wherever the need arises.

### Augustana dean's list

ROCK ISLAND - Augustana College has announced the names of more than 1,000

students who were named to the dean's list for the 2019-20 fall semester. To earn this academic honor, students maintained a grade point average of 3.5 or higher on a four-point scale for courses taken during the term.

Local students named to the dean's list include Abby Phalen and Cameron Phalen, both of Mendota.

Founded in 1860, Augustana College is a four-year residential college of the liberal arts and sciences. The college is recognized for its innovative program Augie Choice, which provides each student up to \$2,000 to pursue a high-impact learning experience such as study abroad, an internship or research with a professor.

### Univ. of Kentucky dean's list

LEXINGTON, Ky. - Elle Bottom of Mendota, a journalism major, was named to the University of Kentucky dean's list for the fall 2019 semester. She was among a record number of students (7,648) who were recognized for outstanding academic performance during the fall semester.

To be included on a dean's list at one of the UK colleges, a student must earn a grade point average of 3.6 or higher and earn 12 credits or more that semester, excluding pass-fail classes. Some UK colleges require a 3.5 GPA.

## Final call to register for horticultural spring seminar

OGLESBY - Registration space is close to capacity for an all-day spring seminar being held at the IVCC Peter Miller Community Technology Center on Saturday, Feb. 22. The seminar, hosted by the University of Illinois Extension Master Gardener and Master Naturalist Programs, along with Illinois Valley Community College (IVCC), is open to the public and will focus on a variety of horticultural and natural resources topics.

The seminar will begin at 8:30 a.m. with a keynote address by Candice Hart, University of Illinois Extension State Master Gardener Coordinator, and will be followed by four educational sessions. Sixteen classes will

be offered that day covering topics such as growing summer bulbs, turtles of Illinois, invasive ornamental species, home hydroponic gardening, and more. Attendees will be able to choose one of four available classes per session. The seminar will conclude at 3:30 p.m.

A registration fee of \$40 includes the keynote address, four educational sessions, a continental breakfast, and lunch. Vendors will have items for sale during the duration of the day. Advance registration is required by Feb. 15. Anyone with interests in gardening and

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## Soil and Water Management Seminar qualifies as Continuing Education for Certified Crop Advisors

OGLESBY - Certified Crop Advisors and others interested are encouraged to sign up for an upcoming program on soil and water management. Sponsored by University of Illinois Extension, the seminar will take place on Thursday, Feb. 20 at U of I Extension on the IVCC campus in Oglesby.

Presentations will be delivered via PowerPoint and web conferencing from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Lunch will be provided. The webinar qualifies for 4.5 CEU credits in Soil & Water Management.

Topics and speakers include:

- Extreme Weather Trends and Potential Soil Impacts - Dr. Trent Ford, Illinois State Climatologist

- Controlled Burns, Soil Quality and Management Around Cropland - Dr. Sean Jenkins, Western Illinois University



- Irrigation and Water Use Reporting - Steve Wilson, Illinois State Water Survey
- In Field Drainage Water Management Using Control Structures - Dr. Kapil Arora, Iowa State University
- Field Research on Cover Crops and Soil Quality - Nathan Johanning, University of Illinois Extension

The seminar will be held in Room CTC 124. Lunch is included in the registration fee of \$45 along with program materials. Advance registration is required by Feb. 1. Register online at: <https://go.illinois.edu/soilmgmt2020>.

For questions, please call U of I Extension at (815) 224-0889 or Daryle Wragge, Extension Ag Program Coordinator, at (309) 364-2356.

If you need a reasonable accommodation, please indicate when registering.

## Pesticide certification test offered

OTTAWA - University of Illinois Extension is offering a testing-only session and certification program for private pesticide applicators on Wednesday, Feb. 12 in Ottawa. Pre-registration is required by calling the LaSalle County office at (815) 433-0707 by Feb. 11.

Certification is required

to apply restricted use pesticides. The session is offered in cooperation with the Illinois Department of Agriculture and will run from 10 a.m.-noon at the Extension's LaSalle County office, 1689 North 31st Road, Suite 2, Ottawa. There is no charge for the test. If you need a reasonable accommodation,

indicate when registering.

Private applicator manuals and workbooks can be purchased online or at local Extension offices in Princeton, Ottawa, Henry and Oglesby on the IVCC campus. Questions may be directed to Daryle Wragge, Ag Program Coordinator, (309) 364-2356.

## Performance added Feb. 8 for Stage 212 comedy

LA SALLE - Because of outstanding ticket requests, Stage 212 has added a performance of its winter musical, "Nunsensations! The Nonsense Vegas Revue," on Saturday, Feb. 8 at 2 p.m. This will be the final added performance.

Tickets are \$20 and may be purchased at the box office on Saturday 9 a.m.-noon or by calling (815) 224-3025 during the same hours. Tickets may also be purchased online at [www.stage212.org](http://www.stage212.org).

## IV Beekeepers to meet

OTTAWA - The Illinois Valley Beekeepers Association (IVBA) will meet at 7 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 14 in Ottawa. Anyone interested in beekeeping and wishing to learn more is welcome to attend. Meetings are free and open to the public.

This month's meeting will include discussions on what you should be doing with your bees now, a review of "What do you know?" and much more.

IVBA meetings take place from 7-9 p.m. on the second Friday of most months at the U of I Extension Office, 1689 N. 31st Road, Ottawa.

For more information, please call University of Illinois Extension, Bureau-LaSalle-Marshall-Putnam Unit at (815) 433-0707.

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## MASS

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noted. "Because he is always ready and willing to help, we never hesitate to ask!"

Bonnell and the other 131 volunteers who helped MASS during the past year were honored at the luncheon. In total, MASS volunteers donated 1,321 hours last year.

Runner-up in volunteer hours served in 2019 was Darice Childs with 154.5 service hours. Childs calls Bingo on Wednesday mornings and Friday afternoons, helps with newsletters and fundraisers and serves on the MASS board.

Other top volunteers were

Susan Hochstatter who helps with income tax assistance during tax season, Carol Kern who helps with income tax, garage sales and other activities, and Mary Louise Ambrose who serves on the MASS board, signs checks and helps with many MASS fundraisers.

Sester said MASS volunteers come from all types of backgrounds and experiences. Some volunteers offer many hours of service while others can only give an hour or two. "Whatever you were able to give us last year, we appreciate every single minute," Sester emphasized. "We would never make it without you."

## Docent

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and share local history. Volunteering is a great way to meet new people and learn about Mendota and the surrounding communities.

Anyone who cannot come on the scheduled dates but would like information on becoming a docent, please call (815) 539-3373, stop in at the Hume-Carnegie Museum, 901 Washington St., or e-mail [mmhsmuseum@yahoo.com](mailto:mmhsmuseum@yahoo.com). Office hours are Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

The Hume-Carnegie Museum is open to visitors Saturdays and Sundays from 1-4 p.m. The Union Depot Museum is open noon-4 p.m.

## Flute

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the Cleveland, Singapore, and New World Symphony Orchestras among many others, are testament to the remarkable journey of an artist who continues to grow and enrich the lives of those who experience his talents.

Born in Mayaguez, Puerto Rico, Torres moved to New York City, where he pursued classical flute studies at Mannes School of Music, jazz at Berklee College of Music and classical and jazz at New England Conservatory of Music in Boston. During that time, he also learned to improvise in the

"Charanga" Cuban dance music style, which helped shape and develop his melodic and danceable sound.

His CD, "This Side Of Paradise" won the Latin Grammy in the Pop Instrumental category and was scheduled to be presented on Sept. 11, 2001. This great achievement - and its timing on 9/11 - proved to be a major turning point for Torres.

"Of course, it was a great honor and privilege to win the Grammy. That being said, the fact that I was to receive it on 9/11 gave my work and my music a stronger sense of mission and purpose," Torres said.

Since then, Torres has focused on transcending his role as a jazz flautist to that of an agent of change through crossover multi-media productions, compositions and performances. To that effect, his compositions "Successors," "Marta y Maria" and "Disarmament Suite" (commissioned by the Miami Children's Chorus, St. Martha-Yamaha Concert Series, and ICAP - International Committee of Artists for Peace - respectively), are variations on Torres' multi-cultural fusion sounds as expressions of today's world. Then again, his music has always been about that - a crossover fusion of Latin, classical, jazz and pop sounds that is rich and engaging, complex and exuberant, profound yet accessible.

In addition to his achievements in the studio and on stage, Torres is also the recipient of many awards, including two honorary doctorate degrees from Barry University and Carlos Albizu University, for his commitment to youth, education and cultural exchanges.

## CARL'S QUIZ

What percentage of people said they will buy themselves a box of chocolates for Valentine's Day this year?

The answer to last week's quiz is: On average, Americans spend nearly 27 hours a week listening to music. (Source: Nielson)

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# OBITUARIES / LOCAL NEWS

## Berniece G. Bonnell

MENDOTA - Berniece G. Bonnell, 104, of Mendota passed away Jan. 29, 2020 at the Mendota Lutheran Home.

Visitation will be from 9:30 a.m. until service time at 11 a.m. on Monday, Feb. 10 at the Schwarz Funeral Home. Rev. David Jungnickel will officiate. Burial will follow at Restland Memorial Gardens, Mendota.

Pallbearers will be her grandsons, Dennis and Scott Antoine, Bret, Bruce, Derek and Greg Bonnell, Robert Manning, and Bruce and Keith Untz.

Berniece was born Oct. 10, 1915 in Ashton to George and Anna (Seebach) Vogeler. She married Homer Bonnell in Ashton on July 11, 1934. He preceded her in death on Feb. 10, 1994.

Survivors include two sons, Milton (Audrey) Bonnell of LaMoille and Larry (Annette) Bonnell of LaMoille; three daughters, Darlene Untz of LaMoille, Carol (Richard) Vaughan of Ormond Beach, Fla. and Donna (John "Jack") Manning of Mendota; 12 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; five great-great-grandchildren; and four step grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband and two sisters. Berniece was the ultimate homemaker and farm partner and was a marvelous cook. She was a prolific crocheter making purses, baby sweaters and booties, and an afghan for nearly all her grandchildren. She was a member of the Green River Saddle Club.

Memorials may be directed to the LaMoille Ambulance Service or Community United Methodist Church of LaMoille. Condolences may be left at schwarzfuneral.com.

## Kathleen M. Goldsworthy

MENDOTA - Kathleen M. Goldsworthy, 100, of Mendota passed away Feb. 3, 2020 at her residence.

There will be no services. Cremation rites were accorded and burial will be private. Merritt Funeral Home, Mendota handled the arrangements.

Kathleen was born July 17, 1919 in Detroit, Mich. to Thomas and Agnus Mullaney. She married Allen Goldsworthy on Dec. 9, 1940 in Michigan. He preceded her in death in 2002.

Survivors include two daughters, Susan (Robert) May of Mendota and Kathy (Steve) Fawcett of Michigan; three sons, Allen (Julie) Goldsworthy, Steven (Linda) Goldsworthy and Dennis (Beth) Goldsworthy, all of Michigan; 12 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, one brother and one sister.

Memorials may be directed to the donor's choice.

## Russell B. Crews

MENDOTA - Russell B. Crews, 98, of Mendota passed away Feb. 3, 2020 at Illinois Veterans Home, LaSalle.

There will be no services. Cremation rites will be accorded and burial will be private. Merritt Funeral Home, Mendota is handling arrangements.

Russell was born May 30, 1921 in McNabb to Albert and Mary (Horn) Crews. He married Lorna Tower on Dec. 25, 1950 in Iowa. She preceded him in death in 2012.

He is survived by several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, five brothers and five sisters.

Russell served in the U.S. Army during World War II. He worked with heavy equipment and drove trucks all his life for Toedter Oil and Zibert Transport. He was a member of Granville American Legion Post 180 and Teamsters Local Union 722.

Memorials may be directed to American Legion Post 180, Granville.



## Robert F. Moffett, Jr.

MENDOTA - Robert F. Moffett, Jr., 66, of Mendota passed away Jan. 18, 2020 at his home.

Memorial services will be held at 10:45 a.m. on Friday, Feb. 7 at the Merritt Funeral Home with Rev. Susan Presley officiating. Visitation will be from 10-10:45 a.m. on Friday at the funeral home. Burial will be private.

Robert was born Nov. 22, 1953 in Carbondale to Robert F. and Shirley (Treese) Moffett, Sr. He married Gail Law on May 9, 1999.

Survivors include his wife of Mendota; three sons, Robert (Billie) Moffett III of Belvidere, John (Becky) Henson of Streator and James Law of Mendota; two daughters, Robin (Justin) Badger of Fairview Heights and Stacy Law of Mendota; one brother, David Neff of El Paso; one sister, Sheila Neff of El Paso; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Robert served in the U.S. Army. He enjoyed playing board games and card games with his family.

Memorials may be directed to the family.

## Charles Rogers

SYCAMORE - Charles Rogers, 96, of Sycamore passed away Feb. 2, 2020 at Kishwaukee Hospital, DeKalb.

A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, Feb. 7 at Quiram Sycamore Chapel, 1245 Somonauk St., Sycamore with Rev. Mary Gay McKinney officiating. Visitation will be from 10 to 11 a.m. on Feb. 7.

Charles was born Sept. 8, 1923 in Yelm, Wash. to Charles and Mary (Simpkins) Rogers. He married Phyllis Durham on June 6, 1951 in Nome, Alaska. She passed away in 1980. He married Bonnie (Timm) Blum on March 1, 1986 in Earlville.

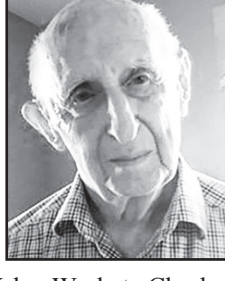
Survivors include his wife, Bonnie; five children, Richard (Kathy) Rogers, Jared (Jannie) Rogers, Mary (Soren) Rasmussen, Ken (Jenny) Blum and Tim (Martha) Blum; and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren as well as one great-great grandson.

He was preceded in death by his first wife; one daughter, Phyllis Hitchins; and a grandson, Noah Hitchins.

Charles was a teacher for 37 years, 27 years in Earlville and 10 years with the Bureau of Indian Affairs in Alaska, New Mexico and Arizona. A veteran of the U.S. Army, Charles served his country during World War II from June 1943 to February 1946, including time in the South Pacific Theater and Occupied Japan from January 1945 until February 1946. He was a Christian from age 5 and was active in the many churches he attended during his life. His passions included photography, woodworking, reading, traveling and spending time with his wife and family. As a teenager, he was state champion in high jump in Washington State. He earned his bachelor's degree and teaching certificate at Western Washington University. Charles is remembered as a very kind, level-headed, trustworthy and sincere man.

Memorials may be directed to the American Cancer Fund, PO Box 22718, Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1718, or donate3.cancer.org.

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## Roger D. Anderson

PAW PAW - Roger D. Anderson, 84, of Paw Paw passed away Jan. 28, 2020 at Heritage Health, Mendota.

Memorial services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 8 at the Merritt Funeral Home, Mendota with Rev. Ken Foster officiating. Burial will be at Waltham Cemetery. Visitation will be for one hour prior to services.

Roger was born June 16, 1935 in LaSalle to Charles and Ava (Thomson) Anderson. He married Kathy Minor in 2005 in Paw Paw.

Survivors include his wife of Paw Paw; one brother, Arthur (Corinne) Anderson of Plano; three stepsons, Kevin Hawbaker of Mendota and Randy Minor and Karl Hawbaker, both of Paw Paw; four step-grandchildren, Allison Hawbaker and John Hawbaker, both of Mendota and Kendall Hawbaker and Mackenna Hawbaker, both of Paw Paw; three nephews, Eric Anderson, Timothy Anderson and Heath Anderson; one niece, Marsha Spidle; three step-nieces, Kelli, Kara and Kay; one sister-in-law, Patty (Dave) Lange; one brother-in-law, Randy Modglin; and great nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Peggy and Hank Williams.

Roger was a 1953 graduate of Mendota High School. He worked in the farm shop at Del Monte for 40 years. He was a member of the Mendota Elks Lodge, Mendota Moose Lodge and Mendota VFW Post 4079. He enjoyed fishing and hunting.

Memorials may be directed to the family or the donor's choice.

## Al S. Ablett

GRANVILLE - Al S. Ablett, 89, of rural Granville, formerly of Peru, passed away Jan. 30, 2020 at OSF St. Francis Medical Center, Peoria.

A Celebration of Life service was held at 1 p.m. on Feb. 5 at Faith Church, Peru with Rev. Steve Adamson, pastor and Rev. Fred Doughty officiating. Burial was at Restland Cemetery, Mendota with full military rites conducted by the Mendota VFW Post 4079. Visitation was from 4-7 p.m. on Feb. 4 at the Mueller Funeral Home, Peru.

Al was born June 9, 1930 in Blandville, Ky. to George F. and Zada J. (Cowan) Ablett. He married Wanda M. Nichols on June 23, 1950 in Corinth, Miss.

Survivors include his wife; three children, Carol (Allan) Alcorn of Peru, Joseph Allan Ablett of Mesa, Ariz. and Ruth (Steve) Hoscheid of Cherry; three grandchildren, Renee Alcorn, Neil Alcorn and Brent Alcorn; and eight great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one sister, Elizabeth Aldy; and one brother, John Ablett.

Al served in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict. After returning to the states, he worked at FS in Mendota for 23 years and then drove a mail truck for 14 years for Henry Schuda until he retired in 1994. He was a charter member of Faith Assembly of God Church, Peru, where he served on the church council for 35 years and was treasurer for 35 years.

Memorial contributions may be directed to the family to be distributed to several charities.

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## Spring

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# LOCAL AND AREA

## Home

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reconstructed and made into a two-story residence with 10-foot ceilings. “This gave us some answers we never had,” Betty said.

When Mason was hired to paint their home, Betty said his vision was to give it a welcoming, warm and inviting feeling and she felt it was a job well done. But by taking the initiative to do some research, Mason also gave the couple an unexpected bonus. “Now our home has so much more meaning and we have an understanding of certain designs in our home—for that we will always be grateful,” Betty said. “Our home has provided warmth, love and many memories over the years, and we are blessed to be part of the history.”

### More questions

Although Mason was able to answer some questions about the former Methodist Episcopal Church in Sublette, other questions remain unanswered.

The Methodist organization had been in Sublette Township for about 25 years meeting in various locations before they were finally able to build a church. So why did the church disband less than 10 years after the new building was dedicated?

Although the records Mason researched at the LCHS gave various details about the church and how it developed over the years, he found no answer to that question. In fact, the historical writings stated that, “The records of this group of Methodists are few and scattering and do not agree on date and places.”

A paraphrased version of the historical records Mason found follows.

### Written history

The first Methodist organization within the limits of Sublette Township was held at the house of Levi Camp at Knox Grove in about 1846. Early members included Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. John Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. Vertrees, Joseph, Mariam and Sarah Vertrees, Mrs. Levi Ellsworth, Mrs. Dr. Heath, Mrs. John Clink, Joseph Knox and his family, Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes, Albert Linn and his wife, Skinner Pratt and his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Wood. They were all living near Knox Grove and nearly all of them were the first members of the congregation. For quite a number of years, the church was supplied by circuit preachers with meetings held in private homes and at Knox Grove school.

In those days, roads and transportation were very bad so there were many classes held throughout the area. The classes were not held too regularly but they were a place where families could go to study the gospel.

The classes also served another purpose. Many children learned to read and write at such classes because

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—Betty Jones

there were no public schools. There were many different classes in the circuit—Knox Grove, LaMoille, Arlington, Mendota, Bellnafs, North Prairie East, North Prairie West, Winder, Elliotts and Ivanhoe. In August 1855, Knox Grove had 37 members.

These groups worked together sharing expenses and preachers. The first church was built in LaMoille in 1852-53. The Mendota group was too small in the 1854-55 conference to erect a building and the community was too small to finance another church at that time. Both the Presbyterians and Baptists were trying to build churches at the time and a seminary building was to be built as well.

The last piece of history found concerning Knox Grove was from October 1855; the first record of the church being moved to Sublette was not until September 1857. At first, meetings were held at Sublette’s new town hall, which was built in 1856. Rev. W.H. Smith was one of the first pastors at the hall. When the new school was built in Sublette in 1861, meetings were held at the school.

In April 1863, the pastor of the Baptist Church died so they had a church but no pastor; meanwhile, the Methodists had a pastor but no church. The two congregations agreed to begin meeting together at the Baptist Church with the Methodist minister, Rev. Lowe, preaching.

Over time, the Methodist church grew in numbers and in 1870, two lots were bought on the north side of Main Street (306 Main St.) in Sublette from Henry and Marianna Chapman for \$300. Construction of the church was started that summer and was completed in April 1871 at a cost of \$7,000.

The original structure had a center tower and bell. A wing on the west side had three rooms to use as classrooms and for socials. The main church was 26 feet from floor to ceiling and was furnished with circular pews that could seat up to 192. It was heated by a furnace in the basement.

There was an ornamental gallery with two folding doors opening into the lecture room to accommodate part of the congregation if needed. The altar piece was made of black walnut, and the other interior woodwork was oak. The church had stained glass windows, a 75-foot spire and

was lighted with kerosene lamps on the side walls. It was furnished with ingrain carpets, upholstered chairs, an Esty Organ and a clock on the wall.

The contractor was William Van Vliet of Mendota who was said to “show excellent taste in his workmanship, his gentlemanly manner and upright dealing.”

On Sunday morning, April 16, 1871, the church bell announced the opening of the new church. Rev. N.H. Axtell of Mendota offered a prayer at the morning services and Rev. J.M. Read of Chicago read the scripture. Dedication services were held in the afternoon and the Sunday evening sermon was preached by Rev. Axtell.

### Unsolved mystery

No records have been found to know how large the membership was at the time the church was built or what happened to the congregation over the next decade. However, less than 10 years after the church was dedicated, the property was turned over to the Board of Extension of the Methodist Church of the State of Pennsylvania and the church disbanded. The building sat vacant for a few years before being sold to George Malach in the 1890s. The church’s spire and bell were removed and the interior was remodeled to turn the church into a residence.

Unless additional information is unearthed some day, chances are the reasons behind the Methodists’ decision to disband will always remain a secret.

### Ownership

A list of the former and current owners provided by Betty Jones:

- Tracey Reeve sold the parcel of land to Henry C. Chapman (1856) for \$100.
- Henry C. Chapman and Marianna Chapman sold to trustees of Methodist Episcopal Church (1870) for \$300.
- Trustees of Methodist Episcopal Church, Charles R. Millson, George Lewis, and L. Scharimonlorman, sold to J. George Malach (1893) for \$500.
- J. George and Catherine Malach sold to Lizzetta Lauer (1899) for \$300.
- Lizzetta Lauer and Anton H. Lauer sold to Catharine Malach (1902) for \$3,400.
- Catherine Malach passed and to settle estate, property was sold at public auction to Naomi and Ed Jones (1961) for \$1,600.
- Ed and Naomi Jones sold to Harold E. Bonnell Jr. and Carol Bonnell (1963).
- Carol and Harold Bonnell Jr. sold to Robert and Betty Jones, present owners (1967).

## Soybean

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despite tariffs remaining until phase two is negotiated.

Now, the coronavirus outbreak has China possibly looking to revise its buying promises, according to a Bloomberg News report.

“Chinese officials are hoping the U.S. will agree to some flexibility on pledges in their phase-one trade deal,” the financial news agency reported Monday, citing unnamed sources.

A clause in the trade agreement says the two countries can consult revising the deal “in the event that a natural disaster or other unforeseeable event” threatens either country from complying.

“I do expect them to buy more than they have been under the trade war, which would be supportive of Illinois soybean growers,” Hubbs said. But he says it might not be until this fall that China begins “the real ramp-up in buying of soybeans” expected from the trade agreement.

Soybean exports to China are also recovering from an outbreak of African swine fever last year. Soybeans are a major food source for Chinese hogs, and the disease killed as many as half the country’s hog population.

Further threatening American soybean prices is Brazil, the world’s second-largest soybean producer and China’s emergency trading partner during the trade war. Brazil expects a record year of soybean production for its 2019-2020 growing season, which the USDA says could allow the South American nation to overtake the U.S. as the world’s top producer.

“A reduced demand is going to lower how much they’re going to buy from us, on top of the Brazilian crop, so that pushes the price down,” Hubbs said.

Prices of soybean futures – contracts between buyers and sellers trading on international financial markets – stabilized Monday after declining for nine straight days. Soybean futures have actually declined about 7 percent on the Chicago Board of Trade since the trade agreement was signed on Jan. 15.

As for the trade war that will enter its third year this spring, the U.S. Department of Agriculture said that farmers should expect to receive their third federal aid payment by the end of this week.

## Good news on tuition at IVCC

OGLESBY – High school students in certain Illinois Valley Community College dual credit courses may pay as little as \$30 per class next fall, the board’s audit finance committee learned Jan. 28.

IVCC’s administration is recommending the \$30 fee for courses taught at high schools by qualified high school instructors.

In addition, the administration will recommend high school students enrolled in any IVCC online course pay just 75 percent of the tuition rate or about \$95 per credit hour.

Courses taught at high schools by IVCC instructors will maintain the 75 percent tuition rate and students qualifying for Free and Reduced Lunch will continue to pay just the \$5 registration fee.

IVCC offers dual credit at 17 of its 21 district high schools and about 10 percent of its enrollment is generated by dual credit.

For the second straight year, the administration is recommending no tuition increase. At its 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 13 meeting, the full board will consider a plan to freeze for a third consecutive year the combined

tuition and universal fee at \$133 per credit hour for 2020-21.

The figure places IVCC favorably among 10 other colleges in its “super peer group”: Black Hawk, Heartland, Highland, Kankakee, Kishwaukee, Lake Land, Lewis & Clark, John A. Logan, Richland and Sauk Valley. Average 2020 tuition and fees for the group is \$136 per credit hour while the state average for all 39 community colleges is \$147.

In other action, audit finance learned the college will propose changes to 77 course fees: 60 increases, 11 new courses, one decrease, plus the assignment of a course fee to five existing courses.

Audit finance also reviewed the proposed budget for 42 active student organizations. The proposed allocation is \$102,914, down from \$129,689 in 2017-18 and \$112,604 in 2018-19.

IVCC Vice President for Business Services and Finance Cheryl Roelfsema presented a three-year financial plan that forecasts level state funding and 2.5 percent annual increases in property taxes based on increased EAV.

## IVCC News Briefs

### Food Service Sanitation course offered

OGLESBY – Illinois Valley Community College’s Continuing Education Office is offering “Food Service Sanitation” (CEU-1503-632) from 5 to 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, Feb. 11-20 at Ottawa Center, 321 W. Main St.

The course is designed to assist the manager or potential manager in applying sanitation principles in food service establishments. During the session, students will take the national ServSafe Food Protection Manager Certification exam.

The class is required in Illinois for food service manager certification and is accepted by the Illinois Department of Public Health. Upon completion, students will attain a national license valid in Illinois for five years.

Cost is \$129. The required textbook, ServSafe Manager, 7th Edition, is available online from the IVCC Bookstore at [www.ivccbookstore.com](http://www.ivccbookstore.com). Due to the fast-paced nature of the class, students should purchase the book in advance and begin review prior to class.


To register, call (815) 224-0447.

### Nursing application deadline is Feb. 13

OGLESBY – Individuals interested in applying to the Illinois Valley Community College nursing program must submit a letter of intent by Thursday, Feb. 13.

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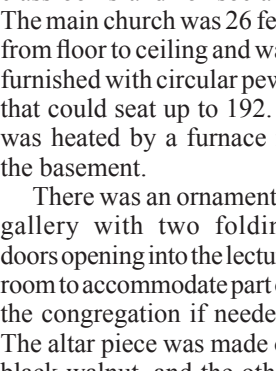
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## Be wary of legislative tricks

By Brett Rowland  
The Center Square

Gov. J.B. Pritzker's progressive income tax proposal to hike taxes by \$3 billion a year was barely mentioned in his State of the State address, but voters can expect a full-court press from Democrats in the lead up to the November election.

The governor and the Democrat-controlled General Assembly have made the progressive income tax the linchpin for their spending plans going forward. The proposed constitutional amendment would scrap the state's existing flat income tax and allow lawmakers to create a graduated income tax system with higher rates for higher earners.

The initial tax rates lawmakers have set for the proposed graduated tax system would deliver slight tax cuts to most taxpayers. However, those who earn more than \$250,000 a year would see significant tax increases.

More worrisome is that state lawmakers would have the ability to change the tax rates and income brackets with a simple majority at any time. That's a lot of power for lawmakers who have shown time and time again that the only thing they know how to do is spend money. It's only a matter of time before middle-class families will be forced to pay more in taxes to cover the bill for the state's reckless spending.

Right now, the only thing standing in the way is the state's constitution, which mandates a flat income tax levied on everyone, regardless of income. In November, voters will be asked to decide whether to change the state's constitution. And the bar for that is high. To pass, the amendment would need 60 percent of the votes on the measure itself or a simple majority of all of those voting in the election.

Given the higher hurdle, expect Democrats to resort to any means necessary to try to persuade voters to give up the protection afforded by the flat tax in favor of a blank check for state lawmakers.

Pritzker has already shown that he's willing to cross the line. In November, Pritzker used a taxpayer-funded Governor's Office of Management and Budget report to tout the need for a progressive income tax. The report outlined the new revenue that a progressive income tax plan would bring in, used Pritzker's "Fair Tax" verbiage, and claimed the state's fiscal future was dependent on the passage of the amendment.

In the coming months, wary taxpayers should be on guard for legislative tricks of every stripe.

Illinoisans who don't want to hand over more of their money to the state will have to show up in force this November.

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(The following is from Jessica Nashold's *Backtracks & Sidetracks* column reprinted from Feb. 5, 1997)

By Jessica Nashold

Ten years ago, on February 2, 1987, the Mendota City Council approved purchase of two parcels of land, abandoned by the Illinois Central Gulf Railroad. A six-acre parcel extending from Division Street south to the sewer plant had a price tag of \$5,000. It was comprised of the east 50 feet of the former railroad right-of-way. The west 50 feet would be the property of Vade Wehmeyer. By including the six-acres acquisition in a TIF District, funds would be generated to pay for needed improvements to the sewer system.

A 12-acre parcel lying north of Meriden Street, between East Main and West Main streets, was purchased for \$27,000, less than 10 cents per square foot. A number of uses for this land were considered, among them creation of a park for walking or bicycle paths. Some of the land would be used for construction work at the intersection of I-251 and U.S. 52

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Conflicting opinions on allowing the Illinois Rivers Skiers Club to use Lake Mendota for practice during a six-week period in May and June were aired at a council meeting.

The Sportsmen's Club presented a petition with 280 signatures, opposing the permission. They contended that the Sportsmen had spent thousands of dollars for fish each year and even local people were not allowed to put boats in Lake Mendota. Spawning would be seriously disrupted.

The Skiers withdrew their request.

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The Northern Illinois Industrial Development Corp. was reorganized with two Mendotans on its 24-member board of directors – Harry D. Conkey II and J. Leonard Schaller.

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A raid by eight police officers on The Lunch Bucket, 712 Main St., resulted in confiscation of a pool table, poker table and video machines "allegedly

## Backtracks & Sidetracks

used for gambling." Owner David G. Yepsen and two customers were arrested. The raid was led by Mendota's police chief, Donald Parks, and officer John Pakenham.

The poker game had been conducted in the basement with access through a trap door and down a set of stairs.

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Since winning the Christmas Classic in Plano, the Mendota Trojan basketball team had won five of six games.

**The Trojan victories were close and their NCIC battle with Ottawa was no exception.**

It was a seasaw evening. Coach Kilmartin's comment –

**We missed some shots down the stretch, but we didn't self-destruct.**

The final score – Mendota 50, Ottawa 49.

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Mendota Community Theatre began tryouts for its 100th production on February 2-3, 1987, at its office above the K.W. Pohl Agency, 801 Jefferson St. The play was Thornton Wilder's "Our Town."

Director was George Likeness, "the only remaining continuously active charter member."

**MCT's most prolific director began with "John Loves Mary" in 1954, continuing through "Goldfinger," his 23rd, a year ago.**

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The business department at Mendota Community Hospital was computerized.

**Each patient treated will be issued a card with a permanent patient number, name and birth date.**

On subsequent visits, information from previous visits will be immediately available.

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Postmaster Larry Minniear announced a change in delivering city mail. Five sub-compact Chevettes were being leased for the five city carriers. A similar system several years before, in which carriers were supplied with cars owned by the postal service, had been abandoned when the price of gas and cost for repairs skyrocketed.

For a time, it was considered more cost effective to have the carriers deliver mail on foot.

Using leased vehicles, the cars would average a cost of about \$6.50 per day.

**The post office does not have to pay for repair cost or for gasoline, both covered under contracts.**

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The need to renovate the Mendota swimming pool was addressed. The original builder, Pascal P. Paddock, submitted figures. Declaring the pool in remarkable shape considering it had been built in 1958, Paddock estimated a \$2,500-\$3,000 expense to make it eligible for use in the 1987 season. Major changes, needed long-term, would be \$260,000-\$280,000. Some state or federal funding might be forthcoming to help with the major changes. Dwight Heckert was named to head fundraising for pool renovation.

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The Waltham Curling Club Junior Men's Team won the Illinois State Championship in Chicago. Team members were Karl Raeff of Mendota, Lance and Joe Yednock of Ottawa and Pete Carmichael Jr. of Yorkville. They were scheduled to play for the national championship in Medford, Wis.

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Jim Edgar, Secretary of State and State Librarian, called on Illinois residents to write him about books that had been important in their lives. Because 1987 was the Year of the Reader, Edgar was compiling a volume to be entitled "Books That Made a Difference."

## Trump removal would be insane

By Rich Lowry

It's easy to forget what the Senate impeachment trial is supposed to be about.

It's not a fight over whether the Senate will call a couple of witnesses that the House couldn't, or didn't bother to, obtain on its own.

The underlying question is whether the United States Senate will impose the most severe sanction it has ever inflicted on any chief executive, voting to remove a president for the first time in the history of the country and doing it about 10 months from his reelection bid.

This is a truly radical step that, if it ever came about, would do more damage to the legitimacy of our political system than President Donald Trump's underlying offense.

If Trump were actually convicted, the 2020 election would proceed under a cloud of illegitimacy. Tens of millions of Trump voters wouldn't accept the result. They'd see it as an inside job to deny the incumbent president a chance to run for reelection, without a single voter having a direct say. The GOP would be brought to its knees by internal bloodletting, a prospect that Democrats surely would welcome, especially given that it would deliver them the presidency. Republicans would be out for revenge, and instead of a halcyon return to normalcy, our politics would be even more poisonous than before.

Democrats argue that Trump can't stay in office because he's such a threat to the integrity of our elections. But the portrayal of Trump's Ukraine scheme as "election interference," as the Democrats always say, is tendentious and inapt. If the Ukrainians had complied with the Trump team's pressure to announce an investigation of the energy company Burisma, it

wouldn't have changed one vote in 2020, even if former Vice President Joe Biden eventually is the Democratic nominee.

The fact is that impeachment, as my colleague Ramesh Ponnuru points out, is a weak check on the presidency. It requires a supermajority of the country to remove a president and one of the political parties being willing to nullify the choice of its own voters for president and an election he won. Both the Trump and Clinton impeachments show that this is a hateful prospect for the president's party.

The best case for what the Democrats are doing now is that Republicans impeached Clinton in the 1990s with little or no hope for conviction in the Senate, and turnabout is fair play. But it's time to conclude that this is a failed model of impeachment. It depends on a process that diverts the time and energy of the nation's political institutions as if the survival of a presidency is at stake, even when everyone knows it isn't.

Congress can hold hearings on a president's conduct, subpoena witnesses and documents and fight the executive with full force if they aren't produced, hold officials in contempt, withhold funding, deny the executive traditional forms of interbranch comity and, if it wants to put down a long-lasting marker, censure the president.

But it needn't drag the country through a melodrama based on the fiction that any president who hasn't crashed to, say, a 25% approval rating is going to be removed by his own party -- in other words, exactly what Adam Schiff and his managers are doing now.

Rich Lowry is editor of the *National Review*.

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# THE BACK PAGE

## CARDS OF THANKS

The family of Jane Kuczek wishes to thank all our neighbors and friends for their support, especially Father Pilon and the Holy Cross/Peterstown Altar and Rosary for the great luncheon. Thank you all who stopped by, called or attended the wake and funeral. Thank you all very much.

**Family of Jane Kuczek**

## POLICE BLOTTER

### PAROLE VIOLATION, WARRANT ARREST

The United States Marshals Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force, the LaSalle County Sheriff's Department and the Mendota Police Department on Jan. 29 arrested Keith A. Morley and Lacey R. Clardy, both of 100 Sixth Ave., Mendota, on no bond parole violation warrants out of Arkansas. Both subjects were transported to the LaSalle County Jail. Also, William H. Adams of 1108 Sixth St., Mendota, was arrested on an Illinois Department of Corrections warrant and two other warrants from LaSalle County for domestic battery and failure to appear for driving while license suspended. Williams was transported to the LaSalle County Jail.

### WARRANT ARREST

Patrick M. Duffy, 58, no address, was arrested in the 200 block of 12th Street at 9:02 a.m. Feb. 3 on a valid LaSalle County arrest warrant for violation of order of protection. The subject was transported to the LaSalle County Jail.

## Winter weather driving tips

MENDOTA – The Mendota Police Department would like to remind drivers of a few safety tips to keep everyone safe while driving in winter weather conditions.

Take the time to clean the snow and ice from all vehicle windows prior to driving on the road. Keep your speed down to assist in keeping control of your

own vehicle when driving on slick icy roads. If traveling long distances remember to pack a few emergency items to take along in the event your vehicle should go off the roadway, including a cell phone, blankets and water.

If you are leaving town and need information regarding road conditions, call 800-452-4368.

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Do not leave the keys in the ignition of your vehicle, even if you are only parking it for a short period of time. Do not leave purses, wallets or other valuables in your vehicle, as this attracts unwanted attention from a would-be thief.

Please assist the Mendota Police Department to help keep you and your valuables safe.

## American Heart Month

Heart disease is the leading cause of death for both men & women, but preventing & controlling it is in our hands. Have a heart-to-heart check up with your doctor to make sure you are doing all you can to keep your heart healthy. After you've taken that step, be sure to ask us about an insurance check-up to make sure all your insurance needs are also being taken care of.



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## SPORTS

## Lady Trojans chalk up two more wins

## Bromenschenkel sets scoring record

MENDOTA – It was a huge weekend for the Mendota Lady Trojans as they took down conference foe Stillman Valley and romped over Streator. In addition, history was made as junior Amellia Bromenschenkel set a school record for the most points scored in a single season.

An up and down season in the Big Northern Conference was all up as the Lady Trojans handed Stillman Valley a 54-49 setback on Jan. 31 at the MHS gym. Mendota improved its conference slate to 5-4.

A big third quarter was the difference for the Lady Trojans as they turned a 31-28 halftime deficit into a 43-38 lead after three. Mendota baskets by Bianca Espinoza and Bromenschenkel to start the second half gave the team a 32-31 lead. Stillman Valley went back on top on a conventional three-point play by Lexi Lichty, but a 7-0 run by the Lady Trojans gave them a lead they would never relinquish. Bromenschenkel scored consecutive baskets and then Jenna O'Donnell knocked down a three-point shot to cap the streak. Mendota held a 43-38 advantage with one quarter to play.

The Lady Trojans led by as many as 10 points in the fourth frame. The five-point final margin was as close as Stillman Valley could get.

"We battled hard in probably the most physical girls' basketball game I've seen," said Mendota coach John Hansen. "I'm proud of our toughness and fight. Everyone that saw the floor did their part and made an impact in this one."

Bromenschenkel paced the squad with 21 points, four assists and three steals. O'Donnell provided 13 points, while Izabella Nanez and Daisy Arteaga had eight and seven rebounds, respectively.

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MENDOTA 54, STILLMAN V. 49				
Stillman Valley (49)				
	FG	FT	Fls	TP
Ballard	2	2-2	3	7
Lichty	3	6-9	4	13
Barger	3	1-2	1	10
Boyd	2	2-5	4	6
Broski	1	2-3	1	4
Fowler	3	3-4	2	9
Totals	14	16-25	15	49

Mendota (54)				
	FG	FT	Reb	TP
O'Donnell	5	0-0	2	13
Brmschnkl	7	6-8	5	21
Espinoza	1	2-2	4	4
Bokus	1	0-0	0	3
Arteaga	3	0-0	7	7
Nanez	1	0-0	8	2
Fitzgerald	2	0-0	2	4
Totals	20	8-10	28	54

SCORE BY QUARTERS				
Stillman Valley	10	31	38	49
Mendota	11	28	43	54
Three-point goals: Mendota - O'Donnell 3, Bromenschenkel 1, Bokus 1, Arteaga 1; Stillman Valley - Ballard 1, Lichty 1, Barger 3				

MENDOTA 55, STREATOR 41				
Streator (41)				
	FG	FT	Fls	TP
Hoffmeyer	2	2-2	1	7
Jordan	1	0-0	3	3
Baker	4	3-4	1	12
Cole	0	0-0	4	0
Haynes	7	5-8	2	19
Phillis	0	0-2	4	0
Krohe	0	0-0	1	0
Totals	14	10-16	16	41

Mendota (55)				
	FG	FT	Reb	TP
O'Donnell	3	0-2	3	7
Brmschnkl	14	5-6	20	34
Espinoza	1	0-0	5	2
Bokus	2	0-0	3	6
Arteaga	1	2-2	3	4
Nanez	1	0-0	1	2
Totals	22	7-10	35	55

SCORE BY QUARTERS				
Streator	8	21	35	41
Mendota	18	28	47	55
Three-point goals: Mendota - O'Donnell 1, Bromenschenkel 1, Bokus 2; Streator - Hoffmeyer 1, Jordan 1, Baker 1				



Mendota's Jenna O'Donnell looks for an opening to get around Stillman Valley's Faith Fowler on Jan. 31 at the MHS gym. (Reporter photo)

## Holy Cross holding 5K run/walk

MENDOTA – Holy Cross School is sponsoring its fourth annual Shamrock 5K Run/ Walk on Saturday, March 14. Check-in opens at 8:30 a.m. in the Holy Cross gymnasium and the race will start at 10 a.m. at Holy Cross School. The finish line is also at the school. The entry fee is \$25 by March 1 and \$30 between March 2 and March 14. Participants who pre-register by March 1 are guaranteed an official Shamrock 5K T-shirt.

Awards will be presented to the first overall male and female runners in the 5K. In addition, first-, second-and third-place finishers in each age division for male and female will be awarded medals. Refreshments will be available after the race.

Entry forms are available at Holy Cross School or Holy Cross Church Vestibule, or sign-up online at [www.runrace.net](http://www.runrace.net). A minimal fee applies for online registration.

For more race information, like us on Facebook at Holy Cross Church & School-Mendota or email [shamrockhcs5K@gmail.com](mailto:shamrockhcs5K@gmail.com). Proceeds will benefit Holy Cross School.

## MHS draws Bureau Valley in regional opener

STILLMAN VALLEY – The Mendota Lady Trojans have been assigned to the Stillman Valley Class 2A Girls' Regional Basketball Tournament to be held Feb. 10, 11, 13.

The tournament will open with two games on Monday, Feb. 10. Hall will take on its conference rival Princeton at 6 p.m., then the Lady Trojans will battle Bureau Valley in the nightcap at 7:30 p.m.

The Hall-Princeton winner moves on to play Stillman Valley at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 11, followed by the Mendota-Bureau Valley survivor go-

ing up against Port Byron (Riverdale) at 7:30 p.m.

The two semifinal-round winners will hook up for the championship game at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 13.

The winner of the Stillman Valley Regional advances to the Mendota Sectional where it will meet the champion of the West Chicago (Wheaton Academy) Regional at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 18. The other sectional semifinal game will be at 6 p.m. Feb. 18 and will pit winners from the Rock Falls and Genoa-Kingston regionals. The sectional championship is Thurs-

day, Feb. 20 at 7 p.m.

## Stillman Valley Class 2A Regional Monday, Feb. 10

1 – (7) Spring Valley (Hall) vs. (10) Princeton – 6 p.m.

2 – (6) Mendota vs. (11) Manlius (Bureau Valley) – 7:30 p.m.

## Tuesday, Feb. 11

3 – (2) Stillman Valley vs. Winner Game 1 – 6 p.m.

4 – (3) Port Byron (Riverdale) vs. Winner Game 2 – 7:30 p.m.

## Thursday, Feb. 13

5 – Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4 – 7 p.m. (championship)

## IVCC's softball team sets 2-day clinic

OGLESBY – Illinois Valley Community College's softball team hosts the 21st annual IVCC Eagles Softball Clinic Saturday, Feb. 15 and Sunday, Feb. 16 in the gym.

Coaches and current players will offer softball instruction in hitting, bunting, fielding, throwing, base running and communication.

There are two sessions each day. On Saturday, participants in grades 2-4 meet from 8-10:30 a.m. Grades 5-8 meet from 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

On Sunday, grades 2-4 meet from 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. with grades 5-8 meeting from 1:30-4 p.m.

The cost is \$40 per player and includes five hours of instruction and a T-shirt. If a player can only come one day, the cost is \$25.

All players should bring a glove and tennis shoes (no spikes or cleats allowed). If a player has her own bat, she is allowed to bring it. Please make sure all items have the player's name on them for identification purposes.

To register, contact softball coach Cory Tomasson at (815) 224-0471 or the athletic department at (815) 224-0472.



Mendota's Emiliano Arteaga twists his way for a shot while be guarded by Dixon's Wyatt Wetzell on Feb. 1 at the MHS gym. (Reporter photo)

## LaSalle-Peru, Dixon add to Trojans' losing streak

MENDOTA – The Mendota varsity boys' basketball team lost to LaSalle-Peru and Dixon on its home court last week.

LaSalle-Peru was a 54-29 winner over the Trojans on Jan. 28.

The Cavs jumped out to a 14-7 first-quarter lead and were never seriously threatened. The halftime count stood at 25-13, then L-P went on a 17-4 run in the third period to blow the game open.

Emiliano Arteaga led the Trojans with 11 points.

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Another slow start put Mendota in a bind as Dixon coasted to a 63-40 triumph in Big Northern Conference action on Feb. 1 at the MHS gym.

The Dukes doubled up the score after one (16-8) and then outscored the Trojans, 20-7, in the second stanza to take control.

Emiliano Arteaga paced the team with 13 points, while Gavin Glazebrook added 11.

It was MHS's 10th straight loss, dropping it to 2-23 overall and 0-6 in the BNC.

LaSALLE-PERU 54, MENDOTA 29				
LaSalle-Peru (54)				
	FG	FT	Fls	TP
Riva	2	4-4	2	9
Jewel	4	1-2	1	9
Larson	0	0-0	3	0
Hancock	3	0-0	1	8
Lenkitis	0	2-2	2	2
Newman	2	0-1	1	4
Hartman	1	1-1	1	3
Porter	1	0-0	0	2
Weber	2	7-8	2	13
Kreiger	1	0-0	1	2
Coulter	1	0-0	1	2
Totals	17	15-18	15	54

Mendota (29)				
	FG	FT	Fls	TP
E. Arteaga	3	5-7	1	11
Sandoval	1	0-0	2	3
Glazebrook	1	0-0	1	2
A. Guzman	1	1-2	2	3
Stremilau	2	0-0	4	4
Perez	0	3-4	0	3
Stamberger	0	0-0	2	0
Quintana	0	1-2	1	1
Schmidt	0	0-0	2	0
Romero	0	2-2	2	2
Totals	8	12-17	17	29

SCORE BY QUARTERS				
LaSalle-Peru	14	25	42	54
Mendota	7	13	17	29
Three-point goals: Mendota - Sandoval 1; LaSalle-Peru - Riva 1, Hancock 2, Weber 2				

DIXON 63, MENDOTA 40				
Dixon (63)				
	FG	FT	Fls	TP
Phillips	2	7-10	3	11
Glessner	0	0-0	3	0
Abell	2	0-0	1	4
Kyker	2	0-1	2	4
Gaither	8	9-12	1	26
Etheridge	1	1-3	3	3
Long	2	0-2	5	4
Pitzer	3	0-0	2	6
Wetzell	1	2-3	0	5
Roby	0	0-0	1	0
Totals	21	19-31	21	63

Mendota (40)				
	FG	FT	Fls	TP
E. Arteaga	2	9-10	3	13
Sandoval	1	0-0	2	2
Glazebrook	4	2-4	2	11
Hughes	0	0-0	2	0
A. Guzman	0	0-0	3	0
Stremilau	1	0-1	5	2
Bond	1	0-1	0	2
Stamberger	1	1-2	4	3
Quintana	1	0-1	1	2
Escatel	0	0-0	2	0
Romero	2	0-1	1	5
Totals	13	12-20	25	40

SCORE BY QUARTERS				
Dixon	16	36	43	63
Mendota	8	15	27	40
Three-point goals: Mendota - Glazebrook 1, Romero 1; Dixon - Gaither 1, Wetzell 1				



# AUCTIONS

## GREAT TWO DAY VALENTINES WEEKEND ESTATE AUCTION

The LIVE Auction to be held at the Tumbleson Auction Center, 1635 North Main Street, Princeton, IL., Located 100 miles West of Chicago, Il just off INT 80, Exit 56, South on Rt. 26. on:

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15 & SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2020**  
**TIME: 10:00 A.M. (Preview: 8:00 A.M.) Each Day**  
**\*\*PREVIEW OF BOTH DAYS:**  
**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14TH TIME: 4:00-6:00 P.M.\*\***

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## PUBLIC AUCTION BUREAU COUNTY FARMLAND 200 +/- ACRES

The following described farmland real estate will be offered by PUBLIC AUCTION on:  
**Thursday, March 5th, 2020**  
**10:00 A.M.**

**Sale Day Location: Holy Trinity Church Hall, Main Street, Cherry, IL**  
**Tract 1:** 40.39+/- acres located NW ¼ of SE ¼ of Section 30, Westfield Twp., (T.17N.-R.11E.) Bureau County, IL. 39.53+/- tillable acres. **A 139.6 +/- Productivity Index as per Surety.** Tillable soils include Muscatune, Sable & Catlin. **Tax ID #12-30-400-004.**  
**Tract 2:** 77.41+/- acres located E ½ of NE ¼ of Section 30, Westfield Twp. (T.17N.-R.11E.), Bureau County, IL. 76.62+/- tillable acres. **A 138.6 +/- Productivity Index as per Surety.** Tillable soils include Muscatune, Sable, and Catlin. **Tax ID (part of) #12-30-200-002.**  
**Tract 3:** 80.04+/- acres located W ½ of NW ¼ of Section 29, Westfield Twp. (T.17N.-R.11E.), Bureau County, IL. 77.38+/- tillable acres. **A 139.3 +/- Productivity Index as per Surety.** Tillable soils include Muscatune, Sable, Sawmill and Catlin. **Tax ID #12-29-100-001.**  
**Tract 4:** 3.2+/- acres located at 19992 3050 E. St., Arlington, IL 61312. Improvements include: A 2 story home w/approx. 1050 sq. ft. on the main level consisting of a large kitchen, laundry, living room & 2 baths. There are 3-4 bedrooms on the 2nd story, & a full basement. There is a single story home w/approx. 1200 sq. ft. consisting of a combination kitchen/dining/living room, large master bedroom with bath and walk-in closet, 2 bedrooms and an additional bathroom. Each home has LP forced air heat, central air, septic system and shared well. Included on the property is a large livestock barn w/box stalls & tack room, concrete feed floor, stave silo, hog house, heated shop, 16,000 bu. drying bin with fan and floor. **Tax ID (part of) #12-30-200-002.**

**Taxes:**  
Tax ID #12-30-400-004 2018 taxes paid in 2019 \$1,773.88 Tract 1  
Tax ID #12-30-200-002 2018 taxes paid in 2019 \$4,471.96 Tract 2 and 4  
Tax ID #12-29-100-001 2018 taxes paid in 2019 \$3,457.76 Tract 3  
**Plot locations, Aerial Photos, Soil Maps and improvement information available @ [rickrediger.com](http://rickrediger.com)**

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS:**  
1.) Tracts 1, 2 & 3 will be sold by the surveyed acres, Tract 4 by total dollar. Survey will be provided by Seller.  
2.) The successful bidder will be required to enter into a standard purchase agreement contract. 10% of the contract purchase price will be due immediately following the auction. The balance will be due and payable on March 12, 2020 at closing.  
3.) The seller shall provide a title insurance policy in the amount of the purchase price of the subject properties.  
4.) Based upon the 2018 real estate taxes paid in 2019, the 2019 real estate taxes due and payable in 2020 will be credited by the Seller to the Buyer at closing. All subsequent real estate taxes will be the responsibility of the buyer.  
5.) The property is being sold in "AS IS" condition, with no implied warranties of any kind.  
6.) The information is believed to be accurate. However, we strongly urge all prospective buyers to thoroughly research all pertinent data and to draw their own conclusions.  
7.) All announcements made the day of the sale take precedence over any previously printed material.

**Seller: LOSEY FAMILY FARM**  
**Kathleen Cain, Patricia Mitchell, Angela Kempfius, Frances Reusch, Vickie McKee, Beth Fonderoli**

Attorney: John Isaacson, 111 Park Ave. E., Princeton, IL 61356 - 815.875.6551  
Number System will be Used - I.D. Required Not Responsible for Accidents

**RICK REDIGER, Auctioneer**  
**REDIGER AUCTION SERVICE**  
**WYANET, IL 815.699.7999**

## RURAL RESIDENTIAL PUBLIC AUCTION

The following described Real Estate will be offered at Public Auction to be held at Holy Trinity Church, Main Street, Cherry, IL 61317  
Look for this and upcoming Auctions on [www.rickrediger.com](http://www.rickrediger.com)

**THURSDAY, March 5, 2020 - 10:00 A.M.**  
**Tract 4 of Losey Family Farm Auction**



**GENERAL DESCRIPTION:**  
Located at 19992 3050 E. St., Arlington, IL 61312, Bureau County. Improvements include 2 homes. A 2 story home w/approximately 1050 sq. ft. on the main level consisting of a large kitchen, laundry, living room and 2 baths. There are 3-4 bedrooms on the 2nd story and a full basement. There is a single story home w/ approximately 1200 sq. ft., consisting of an open area to include the kitchen, dining and living room, there is a master bedroom with bath and walk-in closet, 2 bedrooms and an additional bath. Each home has LP forced air heat, central air conditioning, and septic system and shared well. Included on the property is a large livestock barn w/box stalls & tack room, concrete feed floor, stave silo, hog house, heated shop, 16,000 bu. Drying bin with fan and floor all situated on 3.04 +/- acres. The Tax I.D. is part of #12-30-200-002.

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS:**  
1) The successful bidder will be required to enter into a standard real estate purchase contract with 10% of the purchase price due immediately following the auction. The balance will be due and payable on or before March 12, 2020.  
2) The 2019 real estate taxes, due and payable in 2020 will be credited to the buyer by the seller. The 2020 real estate taxes will be prorated to the date of possession.  
3) The seller shall provide a title insurance policy in the amount of the purchase price of the subject property.  
4) The property is being sold in "AS IS" condition, with no warranties of any kind.  
5) The information is believed to be accurate. However, we strongly urge all prospective buyers to thoroughly research all pertinent data and to draw their own conclusions.  
6) All announcements made the day of the sale take precedence over any previously printed advertised terms or conditions.  
7) To view the property contact Rick Rediger - Auctioneer at 815-699-7999.

**Seller: LOSEY FAMILY FARM**  
**Kathleen Cain, Patricia Mitchell, Angela Kempfius, Frances Reusch, Vickie McKee, Beth Fonderoli**

Attorney for Seller:  
John Isaacson, 111 Park Ave. E., Princeton, IL 61356 815.875.6551  
Not Responsible for Accidents I.D. Required

**REDIGER AUCTION SERVICE - WYANET, IL 61379**  
**RICK REDIGER, AUCTIONEER 815-699-7999**

# SPORTS



**Mendota's Jaelyn Fitzgerald, left, and Izabella Nanez battle for a rebound with Stillman Valley's Paige Broski on Jan. 31 at the MHS gym. (Reporter photo)**

## Girls

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Mendota made it a clean sweep for the weekend with a 55-41 triumph over Streator in nonconference action on Feb. 1 at the MHS gym.

Despite a hard-fought battle the night before, the Lady Trojans showed no signs of fatigue as they raced out to a 12-0 lead. Anna Bokus sandwiched a pair of three-pointers around a trifecta from O'Donnell to make it 9-0, then Bromenschenkel added a conven-

tional three-point play to set the single-season scoring record and give her team a 12-0 advantage. Mendota led 18-8 after one.

Streator regrouped and tallied the first six points of the second period. The Lady Bulldogs closed the gap down to two (20-18) before Mendota reeled off eight straight. The count was 28-21 at halftime.

The Lady Trojans got the margin back to double figures in the second half and were never seriously threatened.

"After that fast start, we

let Streator climb back in it before Bromenschenkel took over and we pulled away for the win," said Hansen, whose team improved to 19-9.

Bromenschenkel ended with 34 points, 20 rebounds and four steals. O'Donnell contributed seven points and five assists, while Espinoza collected five caroms.

Bromenschenkel now has 723 points on the season. She surpassed former single-season scoring leader Sammy Kromm, who tallied 691 points during the 2000-01 season.

## JV girls split pair of games

MENDOTA - One bad second half and one extremely good second half was the tale for the Mendota junior varsity girls' basketball team as it split two games last week.

The Lady Trojans let a halftime lead slip away as Stillman Valley rallied for a 37-24 victory over Mendota in a Big Northern Conference matchup on Jan. 31 at the MHS gym.

Mendota jumped out to a 10-4 lead after the first quarter and carried a 20-13 advantage to intermission. But the Lady Trojans went cold on offense in the second half, scoring only four points, as Stillman Valley pulled away for the win.

"Too many turnovers led to easy baskets for them," said Mendota coach Brian Blumhorst. "We had a great first half, but we didn't do enough scoring in the second half."

Emily Stewart and Isabella Tolentino had seven points apiece for Mendota (0-8 in BNC), while Lilly Gehant chipped in with four tallies.

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Mendota bounced back in a big way less than 24 hours later as it rolled past Streator, 47-27, on Feb. 1 at the MHS gym.

Streator held a 16-14 halftime lead, but the Lady Trojans piled up 33 second-half points and won in a rout. A 23-0 scoring streak by Mendota turned the tables.

"This was the best we ran our fast-break all season," noted Blumhorst.

Katie Jenner had a huge offensive game for the Lady Trojans (6-20), pumping in 17 second-half points and ending with 23 in the contest. Stewart also hit double digits with 10 points.

Mendota's freshman team posted a 31-11 win over Streator. Jenner and Thalia Bustos each scored seven points, while Gehant added six.

# MHS wrestlers tune up for regional

SPRING VALLEY - The Mendota Trojan wrestlers got their final tune-up before regional competition as they competed in the Hall-Putnam County Super Dual on Feb. 1 at Spring Valley.

Amboy defeated the Trojans, 24-21. Sam Lawrence and Ty Connelly both picked up pin wins for Mendota. Javon Preston won his match by decision, while Ethan Hanaman won by forfeit.

Hall-Putnam County took down the Trojans, 32-10. Connelly pinned his opponent and Hanaman claimed a decision for Mendota's only two wins.

St. Bede scored a 36-21 triumph over the Trojans. Mendota winners were Hanaman (decision), Preston (pin), Lawrence (forfeit) and Connelly (injury default).

The Trojans concluded the action with a 27-18 setback to Ottawa Marquette. Hanaman, Preston and Connelly all won via forfeit.

**Feb. 1**  
**Amboy 24, Mendota 21**  
106 - Near (A) won forfeit; 113 -

Doege (A) won forfeit; 120 - Ethan Hanaman (M) won forfeit; 126 - double forfeit; 132 - double forfeit; 138 - double forfeit; 145 - Javon Preston (M) dec. Wicaryus (A), 8-2; 152 - Sam Lawrence (M) pinned Gazza (A), 3:10; 160 - Ty Connelly (M) pinned Green (A), 5:49; 170 - double forfeit; 182 - Norman (A) won forfeit; 195 - Shaw (A) won forfeit; 220 - double forfeit; 285 - double forfeit  
**Hall-P.C. 32, Mendota 10**  
106 - double forfeit; 113 - double forfeit; 120 - double forfeit; 126 - Hanaman (M) dec. Strait (HPC); 16-6; 132 - Feller (HPC) won forfeit; 138 - Harper (HPC) won forfeit; 145 - Brooker (HPC) dec. Preston (M), 25-8; 152 - Sobin (HPC) dec. Lawrence (M), 13-11; 160 - Connelly (M) pinned Sylvester (HPC), 3:10; 170 - Vanuenos (HPC) won forfeit; 182 - double forfeit; 195 - Davis (HPC) won forfeit; 220 - double forfeit; 285 - double forfeit

**St. Bede 36, Mendota 21**

106 - double forfeit; 113 - double forfeit; 120 - Hanaman (M) dec. Orteza (SB), 9-3; 126 - Hurst (SB) won forfeit; 132 - Sester (SB) won forfeit; 138 - Bonnell (SB) won forfeit; 145 - Preston (M) pinned Maschmann (SB), 0:48; 152 - Lawrence (M) won forfeit; 160 - Connelley (M) def. Sanchez (SB), default; 170 - double forfeit; 182 - double forfeit; 195 - Shaw (SB) won forfeit; 220 - Mige (SB) won forfeit; 285 - Samson (SB) won forfeit

**Marquette 27, Mendota 18**

106 - double forfeit; 113 - Cooper (OM) won forfeit; 120 - Hanaman (M) won forfeit; 126 - Kent (OM) won forfeit; 132 - Petre (OM) won forfeit; 138 - double forfeit; 145 - Preston (M) won forfeit; 152 - Sampson (OM) dec. Lawrence (M), 9-6; 160 - Connelly (M) won forfeit; 170 - Mitchell (OM) won forfeit; 182 - double forfeit; 195 - double forfeit; 220 - double forfeit; 285 - double forfeit

## Matmen to compete in Plano 1A Regional

PLANO - The Mendota Trojans have been assigned to the Plano Class 1A Regional Wrestling Tournament to be held Friday, Feb. 7 and Saturday, Feb. 8.

Wrestling will begin at 5 p.m. on Friday with the first round, quarterfinals and first wrestlebacks. Action will resume at 10 a.m. on Saturday with the semifinals, quarterfinal wrestlebacks and semifinal wrestlebacks. Then at 1 p.m., the championship and third-place matches will take place.

Other schools in the regional include Aurora (Central Catholic), Granville (Putnam County) [Coop], Mooseheart, Ottawa (Marquette), Peru (St. Bede), Plano, Sandwich, Seneca, Somonauk [Coop] and Yorkville (Y. Christian)

First-, second- and third-place winners from each weight class advance to the sectional round, which will be held at Oregon on Friday, Feb. 14 and Saturday, Feb. 15.

## BOWLING

### Monday Night Mixed League

Standings as of Jan. 27 - 1. Mauch Carpentry 26-9; 2. Sully's 22-13; 3. CM Farm 19-16; 4. High Rollers 17-20; 5. Bad Kats 15-20; 6. Sports-N-Stuff 8-27

High team game (scratch) - High Rollers 864, Sports-N-Stuff 863, Sully's 755

High team game (hdcp) - Mauch Carpentry 1238, CM Farm 1203, Bad Kats 1193

High team series (scratch) - Sports-N-Stuff 2549, High Rollers 2543, Sully's 2245

High team series (hdcp) - Mauch Carpentry 3555, Sports-N-Stuff 3521, Sully's 3487

Men's high game (scratch) - Mike Smith 214, Tony Yost 213, Bob Thomas 212

Men's high game (hdcp) - Carl Reistad 292, Bob Thomas 272, Tony Yost 270

Men's high series (scratch) - Mike Smith 578, Bob Thomas 569, Ron Westphal 568

Men's high series (hdcp) - Carl Reistad 770, Bob Thomas 749, Norman Alsvig 717

Women's high game (scratch) - Steph Westphal 209, Emily Thomas 208, Jessica Robinson 192

Women's high game (hdcp) - Tara Schneider 289, Emily Thomas 282, Shelby Weide 275

Women's high series (scratch) - Steph Westphal 557, Jessica Robinson 536, Hannah Westphal 489

Women's high series (hdcp) - Tara Schneider 745, Shelby Weide 744, Brittney Lamkin 743



# SPORTS

## JV boys fall to L-P, Dixon

MENDOTA—LaSalle-Peru handed the Mendota junior varsity boys' basketball team a 54-41 loss on Jan. 28 at the MHS gym.

L-P held an 11-9 lead after the first period and took a 24-16 halftime advantage. The Trojans were unable to make up any ground in the second half.

Mendota's leading scorer was Josue Arteaga with nine points. Damien Magallanes and Sean Figueroa provided seven markers apiece.

Dixon raced past the Trojans, 52-32, in a Big Northern Conference contest on Feb. 1 at the MHS gym.

The visitors grabbed a 20-7 first-quarter lead and took a 29-19 lead to the locker room. Mendota was outscored, 23-13, in the second half.

Rafael Romero led the Trojans with nine points, while Krew Bond and Arteaga provided six points each.



Mendota's Krew Bond makes a move to the basket against Dixon defender Jacob Gaither on Feb. 1. (Reporter photo)

## Little League registration continues

MENDOTA — Registration information and other important dates have been set for the 2020 Mendota Little League Baseball and Softball season.

Those planning to participate may register online through Sunday, Feb. 16 at [www.mendotalittleleague.splay.com](http://www.mendotalittleleague.splay.com). Click on the registration banner at the top of the page.

Final in-person registration will be Saturday, Feb. 8 from 9 a.m. to noon at Mendota First United Methodist Church, 100 E. Sixth St.

Draft day is scheduled for Sunday, Feb. 23 at Mendota High School. Times will be determined after the registration period is closed.

Players ages 5-16 are eligible to play.

The breakdown of leagues and ages, and registration fees, are as follows:

- Instructional (T-ball): ages 5-6, \$80 fee
- Rookie (player to coach pitch): ages 7-8, \$110 fee
- Minor (player pitch and local area travel): ages 9-10, \$110 fee
- Major: ages 11-12, \$110 fee
- Junior: ages 13-14, \$110 fee
- Senior: ages 15-16, \$110 fee

There is a discount of \$10 for each additional player in the same family. The registration fee includes a \$30 fundraiser fee.

For more information, email [mendotalittleleague@gmail.com](mailto:mendotalittleleague@gmail.com). The league Facebook page is [www.facebook.com/mendotalittleleague/](http://www.facebook.com/mendotalittleleague/)

## Freshman cagers still searching for consistency

MENDOTA—Mendota's freshman boys' basketball team couldn't keep pace with LaSalle-Peru in a 53-23 loss on Jan. 28 at the MHS gym.

The Trojans dug themselves a big hole to start the game, trailing 18-7 after the first quarter. L-P continued to pull away with a 33-14 halftime lead and a 48-18 advantage after three.

"We really didn't play well in any facet of the game," stated MHS coach Matt Gehm. "I'm at a loss to explain our inconsistency."

Dominik Stamberger's four points topped the Trojans. Ryne Strauss and Jose Rocha shared the rebounding

lead with three apiece, while Jasiel Watson swiped three steals.

Mendota committed 22 turnovers and handled 19 rebounds.

L-P also won the "B" contest, 11-10. Albert Harris netted five points for Mendota.

The Trojans tried to rally from a big first-half deficit, but came up short in a 52-44 setback to Dixon in Big Northern Conference action on Feb. 1 at the MHS gym.

Mendota found itself staring up at an 18-5 score after the opening stanza and

it trailed 33-13 at the break. The Trojans climbed back to a 42-34 count after three, but they could not complete the comeback in the fourth.

"We had a terrific second half as we cleaned up our half-court offense and got good shots," commented Gehm. "But putting four quarters together has been an issue all year."

Angelo Quintana picked up 12 points and five rebounds for Mendota (2-14, 0-4). Strauss, Isaac Guzman and Ricky Orozco contributed six points apiece, while Nathan Ruiz collected five rebounds and three assists.

## MHS girls in Sterling Bowling Regional Feb. 8

STERLING—The Mendota Lady Trojans have been assigned to the Sterling Regional Bowling Tournament to be held Saturday, Feb. 8 beginning at 9:15 a.m. The location is Blackhawk Lanes, 2325 E. Lincolnway, Sterling.

Other schools in the regional include Abingdon (A.-Avon), Biggsville (West Central), East Moline (United), Erie [Coop], Galesburg (H.S.), Geneseo, Kewanee (H.S.), Moline (H.S.), Monmouth (M.-Roseville), Orion, Port Byron (Riverdale), Rock Falls, Rock Island (H.S.) and Sterling (H.S.).

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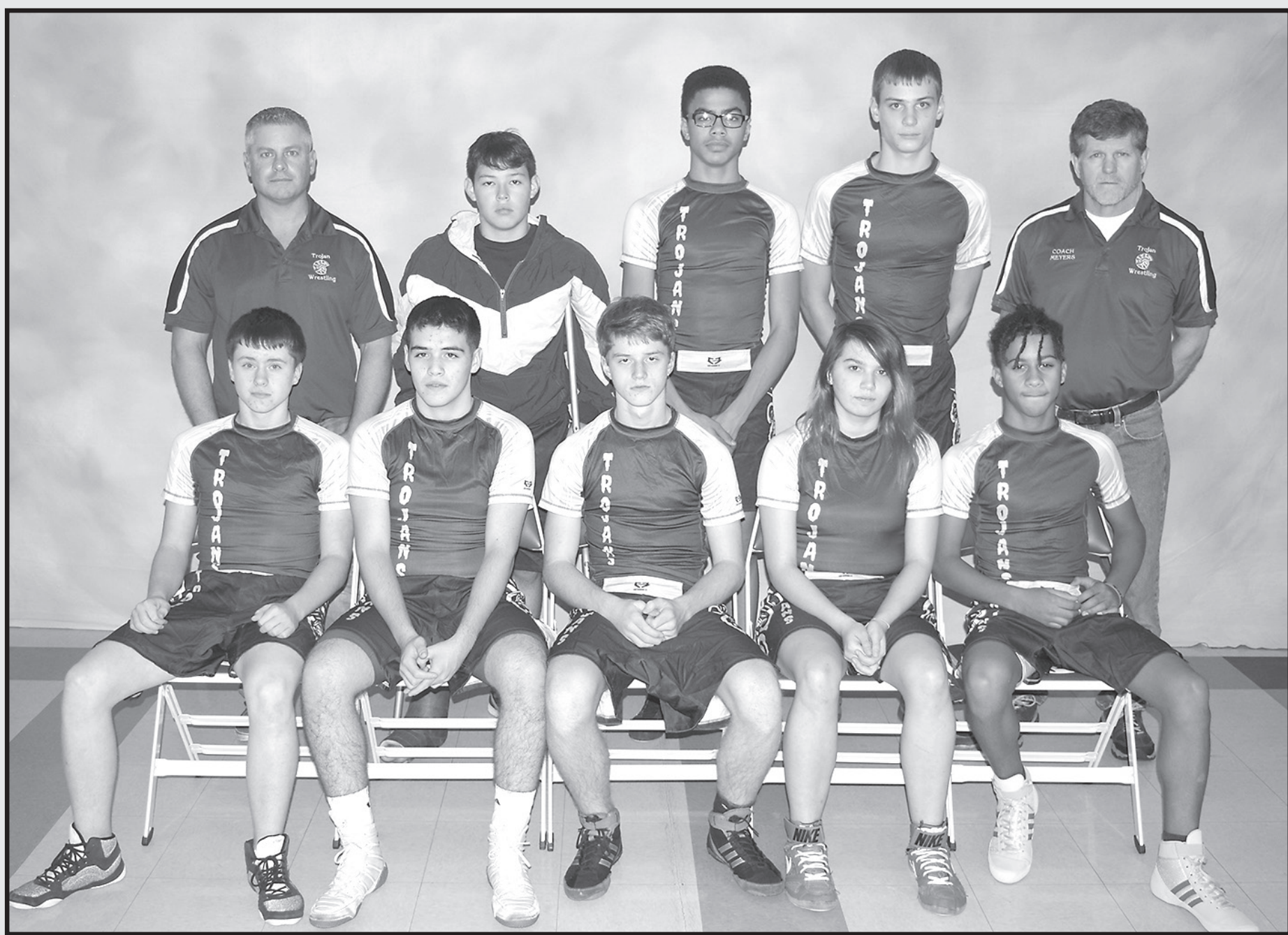
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### Game 3

Tue., Feb. 11 @ 6PM

Stillman Valley

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### Game 2

Mon., Feb. 10 @ 7:30PM

Bureau Valley

Winner Game 2

### Game 4

Tue., Feb. 11 @ 7:30PM

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# ENTERTAINMENT

## Hollywood

By Tony Rizzo

HOLLYWOOD--Lucille Ball, who died in 1989, will be the subject of an Amazon film written by the great Aaron Sorkin and starring two-time Oscar-winning actress Cate Blanchett as Lucy. The film follows Lucy's marriage to Desi Arnaz and has the blessing of their children, Lucie and Desi Jr., who are two of the producers.



C. Blanchett

Another "Ghostbusters"? The 2016 female reboot grossed only \$229 million against its \$144 million cost. "Ghostbusters: Afterlife," however, is written and directed by Jason Reitman, son of original "Ghostbusters" director Ivan Reitman (now 73). Paul Rudd, Carrie Conn, Finn Wolfhard and McKenna Grace star, with Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd, Ernie Hudson, Sigourney Weaver and Annie Potts returning in more than small cameos.

"Ghostbusters: Afterlife" was filmed in Calgary, Canada, in 15 weeks and is due in theaters July 10. Nicholas Hoult, last seen

in "Dark Phoenix," will co-star with Tom Cruise in the next two "Mission: Impossible" films, shooting back to back for a July 2021 and August 2022 release. Hoult will first be seen in "The True History of the Kelly Gang" (in theaters Feb. 28), "Those Who Wish Me Dead," with Angelina Jolie and Tyler Perry (due out Oct. 23) and "The Banker," with Anthony Mackie and Samuel L. Jackson, for Apple TV.

Josh Hartnett, who scored big in 2001 with "Pearl Harbor" and "Black Hawk Down" then disappeared while he raised his two children, is making a BIG comeback. He's upcoming in "Inherit the Viper," with Bruce Dern; "The Long Ride Home," directed and starring James Franco, with Timothy Hutton, Courtney Love and Ashton Kutcher; "Valley of the Gods," with John Malkovich, John Rhys-Davies and Keir Dullea; and "Gut Instinct" with Jim Gaffigan and Stephen McHattie. Hartnett will next be directed by Guy Ritchie in "Cash Truck," starring Scott Eastwood and Jeffrey Donovan. Donovan, who disappeared after "Burn Notice"

(2007-15) until a 10-episode run in " Fargo," also is fighting his way back with "Let Him Go," with Kevin Costner and Diane Lane, and "Honest Thief," with Liam Neeson, Kate Walsh and Jeffrey Wright.

Going in a different direction is Michael Damian, former "The Young and the Restless" soap star (1981-2013). Damian, now 57, has directed 12 films, including the Hallmark Channel film "The Sweeter Side of Life" (2012), with his father-in-law, former "Dukes of Hazzard" sheriff James Best. He's signed to direct three Christmas movies for Hallmark, "Much Ado About Christmas," "Christmas in Transylvania" and "The Christmas Waltz."

Oscar-winner Jared Leto co-stars with Denzel Washington and Rami Malek in the crime thriller "Little Things" and will be the vampire Morbius in the Marvel Comic-based superhero film of the same name, with Michael Keaton and former "Doctor Who" Matt Smith. Sounds like a role Leto can sink his teeth into!

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## Couch Theater

(Movies reviewed in this week's column have just been released on video and DVD.)

"Parasite" (R) -- South Korea's sleeper hit is a black comedy that effortlessly tackles social aspirations and class conflict. The Kim family lives in a squalid basement, with no prospects and no resources. Son Ki-woo, egged on by a college-bound peer, fakes some credentials and takes a job as a tutor to the daughter of the filthy rich Parks family. Buoyed by the lavish lifestyle, Ki-woo plots to secure jobs for all of his family members so that they can live the good life by association. Getting there was only part of the battle, though. The ends inevitably begin to unravel, with macabre consequences. Written and directed by acclaimed director Bong Joon Ho.

"Harriet" (PG-13) -- From self-liberation to American human-rights icon, Harriet Tubman (Cynthia Erivo) takes center stage in a stirring and inspirational biopic. When her husband, a freeman, attempts to secure

her release, the farm's owner refuses. Tubman is labeled a troublemaker and sent to be sold, but escapes, making the arduous trek to Pennsylvania and winning her freedom. But it's not enough, so she returns for her family again and again, bringing home many slaves in the process. The supporting cast includes Janelle Monae as a savvy boarding-house manager and Leslie Odom Jr. as abolitionist William Still.

"Terminator: Dark Fate" (PG-13) -- James Cameron returns to the helm of the latest "Terminator" offering, which pits a newer, even more dangerous terminator sent back in time to kill a young woman, Dani (Natalia Reyes), who unbeknownst to her, will play a pivotal future role in the war between technology and humanity. Fortunately, along with the new Rev-9 terminator (Gabriel Luna), a cybergenetically enhanced Resistance soldier named Grace (Mackenzie Davis) also time travels back as a protector to Dani. She finds

backup in some familiar faces: Sarah Connor (Linda Hamilton) and a grizzled but domesticated T-800 (Arnold Schwarzenegger).

"Motherless Brooklyn" (R) -- Lionel Essrog (Ed Norton) is a detective, afflicted by Tourette syndrome and singularly focused after witnessing the killing of his mentor, Frank Minna (Bruce Willis). Although impaired by his disease, he also is shaped by it. His investigation drives him to chase a deadly secret across a highly stylized New York City, from the gritty underbelly to a Harlem club and into the lion's den of political intrigue. Based on the novel by Jonathan Letham, it's written and directed by Norton, who took the contemporary story and gave it a 1950s noir feel. You can't ask for better talent -- Willis and Norton, along with Alec Baldwin, Willem Dafoe, Bobby Cannavale and others -- but it's a commitment at 144 minutes, all of which require your strict attention.

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## Celebrity Extra

By Dana Jackson

Q: Whatever happened to Heather Graham? She was everywhere about 20 years ago, but I haven't seen her in anything in quite some time. -- C.T.



H. Graham

A: Heather Graham first made it big as a teen actress in the '80s comedy film "License to Drive," but it was her serious role in "Drugstore Cowboy" with Matt Dillon that really got her noticed. She later starred in an "Austin Powers" movie, but got the most attention for playing Roller Girl in the movie "Boogie Nights."

She's actually worked steadily for the past three decades, including another blockbuster comedy, "The Hangover," and she's had regular roles on TV series like "Californication," "Angie Tribeca" and "Get Shorty."

Now, at 50 years old, Graham is no longer considered an ingenue, but fortunately her career is still thriving. She stars in the independent film "The Rest of Us," which opens in theaters this February, and she can be seen in the upcoming CBS All Access

limited series "The Stand." Yes, it's based on the Stephen King novel of the same name that also was made into a miniseries in the '90s.

Q: Is there still going to be a TV miniseries about the Clinton-Lewinsky affair and, if so, who will be playing those two famous characters? -- T.R.

A: "American Horror Story" executive producer Ryan Murphy is part of the team developing "American Crime Story: Impeachment" for the FX Channel. No, it isn't about our current president, but instead it's about former President Bill Clinton's affair with White House intern Monica Lewinsky. Clive Owen ("Closer") and Beanie Feldstein ("Booksmart") will star in the key roles.

Murphy's muse Sarah Paulson will play Monica's confidante Linda Tripp, and Billy Eichner ("The Lion King") was recently cast as Matt Drudge of The Drudge Report, the website that broke the story of the scandal in the late '90s.

The limited series will begin filming in March, and in addition to the public story we all know, it's also based on the book "A Vast Con-

spiracy" by Jeffrey Toobin. A premiere date hasn't been set.

Q: My sister told me that Taylor Swift is engaged to be married to the British actor she's been with for a few years now. Is this true? -- W.P.

A: No, the country-turned-pop superstar is not engaged, but she has been with actor Joe Alwyn for three years now. She's much more discreet about this relationship than she was with actors Tom Hiddleston, Jake Gyllenhaal and other big names. In her new documentary on Netflix, "Miss Americana," Swift keeps her life with Alwyn private, but she does open up about her insecurities, including her unhealthy issues in the past with food and wanting everyone's approval.

If Swift and Alwyn do get hitched someday, I hope she makes her three beloved cats Benjamin Button, Olivia Benson and Meredith Gray (all named after film and TV characters), part of her wedding party.

Send me your questions at NewCelebrityExtra@gmail.com, or write me at KFWS, 628 Virginia Drive, Orlando, FL 32803.

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## • Trivia Test •

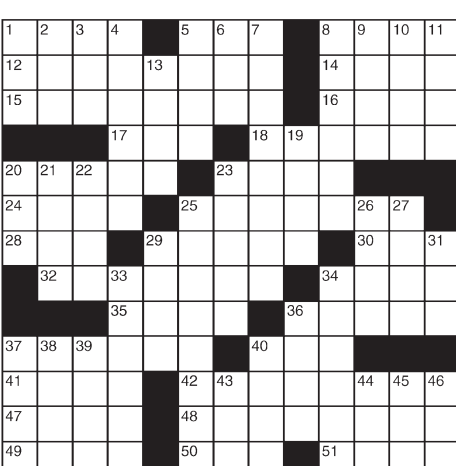
- LITERATURE: Which novel introduced the character of Lisbeth Salander?
- MOVIES: What was the name of Bill Murray's character in the 1984 "Ghostbusters" film?
- HISTORY: Roughly how many people migrated from drought-stricken Dust Bowl states in the United States in the 1930s?
- ENTERTAINMENT: What was the title of the first arcade video game?
- FAMOUS QUOTATIONS: Which American humorist once observed, "In the spring, I have counted 136 different kinds of weather inside of 24 hours"?
- MUSIC: Which 1980s movie featured the theme song "Don't You (Forget About Me)" by Simple Minds?
- TELEVISION: What was the

- name of Michael Knight's car on the series "Knight Rider"?
- GEOGRAPHY: Which country lies between India and China?
- PSYCHOLOGY: What fear is represented in the condition called "heliophobia"?
- GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: What is the name of the pound sign on a keyboard?
- Answers:
  - "The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo"
  - Dr. Peter Venkman
  - About 2.5 million
  - Pong
  - Mark Twain
  - "The Breakfast Club"
  - KITT (Knight Industries Two Thousand)
  - Nepal
  - Fear of the sun
  - Octothorpe

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- High card
- Judicial garment
- Place for sports reporters
- Vivacity
- Aware
- Flex
- Do sums
- Kindle downloads
- Sew loosely
- Liveliness, in music
- Wheelbase terminus
- Obama's old title
- de Janeiro
- Hawaiian dances
- Deity
- Dakar's country
- Salver
- Bacchanalian blast
- Yonder
- Hallux, more commonly
- That girl
- "Superfood" berry
- Mexican miss
- Showroom



- sample
- One of three rulers
- Paradise
- Tree fluid
- Harmonization
- Wife of Saturn
- Raw rock
- Buddhist sect
- Mansion and its surroundings
- Sleeping
- Opposed
- Outer
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## Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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## Strange But True

By Samantha Weaver

\* It was American humorist Evan Esar who came up the following definition: "Statistics: The only science that enables different experts using the same figures to draw different conclusions."

\* The Emperor Charlemagne, who conquered much of Western and Central Europe during the first century, had an unusual relationship with his daughters. He refused to allow them to get married, but he evidently had no objections to their forming, shall we say, less formal relationships. He doted on his illegitimate grandchildren and even gave money and gifts to their fathers.

\* If you look at a list of the names of the 50 states, you'll find every letter of the alphabet except Q.

\* For reasons unknown, a law in New Jersey forbids the sale of cabbage on Sunday.

\* You won't be surprised to learn that the most dangerous device that is common in the modern world is the automobile. You might be surprised to learn, though, that the second most dangerous is the stair step.

\* You've probably never heard of Countess Rosa Branicka, but she accomplished an amazing feat. In the mid-19th century, at the age of 63, the wealthy Polish noblewoman became ill. The diagnosis given by experts in Germany was breast cancer, and immediate surgery was recommended. For reasons unknown, the countess declined the treatment, then set about purchasing her own surgical instruments. Once all the tools were assembled, Branicka checked into a hotel in Paris and removed the tumor herself. Reports indicate that she healed well and quickly, and lived to the ripe old age of 82.

\* The only chemical element that is not a solid at a temperature of absolute zero is helium; it remains a liquid.

Thought for the Day: "One glance at a book and you hear the voice of another person, perhaps someone dead for 1,000 years. To read is to voyage through time. -- Carl Sagan"

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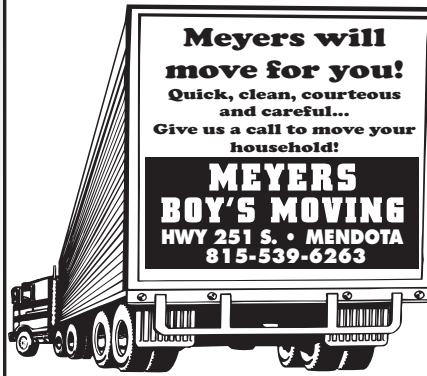
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**Make Up Your Mind to Believe**

God works in our lives through faith, not doubt and unbelief. James 1:5-8 (NIV) says, "If any of you lacks wisdom, you should ask God, who gives generously to all without finding fault, and it will be given to you. But when you ask, you must believe and not doubt, because the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind. That person should not expect to receive anything from the Lord. Such a person is double-minded and unstable in all they do."

It's so important for us to understand this because we don't want to live in situations where God can't do anything because of our unbelief. When Jesus was ministering to people in His hometown of Nazareth, Matthew 13:58 (AMP) says, "He did not do many miracles there... because of their unbelief."

The good news is we can make up our minds that we're going to trust

Him, stand firm and remain steadfast in our faith.

### Learning from the Father of Our Faith

Romans 4:18-21 tells us that Abraham believed he would become "the father of many nations" even though it didn't seem possible, naturally speaking. Verse 18 says, "Abraham in hope believed..." even though he had no reason whatsoever to believe he and Sarah, his wife, would have a child because at this stage in life, they were beyond their childbearing years.

Verses 19-21 (NIV) say, "Without weakening in his faith, he faced the fact that his body was as good as dead—since he was about a hundred years old—and that Sarah's womb was also dead. Yet he did not waver through unbelief regarding the promise of God, but was fully strengthened in his faith and gave glory to God, being fully persuaded that God had power to do



what he had promised."

Abraham faced the facts of his circumstances—he was impotent and Sarah was barren—but he did not waver in his faith in God. Instead, he "was fully strengthened in his faith and gave glory to God."

To defeat doubt and unbelief, we need to face our circumstances but not focus on them. When doubt is coming against us, we need to praise God and remember who He is and the other victories He's given us in our lives.

### Make It Practical

You can do this by talking about God's goodness and the things He's done for you, not just your problems. Set your mind and keep it set to walk by faith, trusting that God has something good in store for you. Don't try to figure everything out or do something about a situation you can't do anything about. Do what you know to do and believe that God will take care of the rest.

It's especially important to spend time meditating on the Word of God during these times. Here are a few great scriptures that will line up your thoughts and words with God's heart...

- Proverbs 3:5-6 "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight" (NIV).

- Romans 8:37 "In all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us" (NIV).

- 1 Peter 5:7 "Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you" (NIV).

I want to encourage you to trust God's love for you. Keep standing in faith for His will to be done and keep pressing on, one day at a time, doing what He's showing you to do. Put your hope in Him to do something good in your life and confidently expect it, because with God on

your side, all things are possible!

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Traditional Worship - 10:30 a.m.

Feb. 6 - 10 a.m. Pastor Mary leads  
Heritage worship, 5-8 p.m. Mat Masters  
practice in Memorial Building  
Feb. 8 - 9 a.m. -noon Little League  
registration in Welker Hall  
Feb. 9 - 9 a.m. Praise Worship,  
9 a.m. Sunday school for all ages,  
10:30 a.m. Traditional Worship  
Feb. 10 - 5-8 p.m. Mat Masters in  
Memorial Building, 6:30 p.m. Men's Group  
meets, 6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts, 7 p.m. AA  
Feb. 11 - 7 p.m. Boy Scouts  
Feb. 12 - 7 a.m. Prayer Breakfast  
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Feb. 7 - 5:30 p.m. Youth Ministry  
Feb. 9 - 8:45 a.m. Choir practice,  
9 a.m. Worship & Children's Sunday  
School, 10 a.m. Coffee & Conversation,  
10:15 a.m. Adult Sunday School,  
6 p.m. Men's Group  
Feb. 10 - 5:45 p.m. Choir practice  
Feb. 11 - 7 a.m. Sweet Hour of Prayer,  
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Feb. 6 - 6:30 p.m. Executive Board  
meets, 7 p.m. All Teams meet  
Feb. 8 - 5 p.m. Chapel worship  
Feb. 9 - 9 a.m. Worship, Adult  
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Feb. 9 - 9 a.m. Second Sunday Brunch,  
9:30 a.m. Sunday school,  
10 a.m. Worship - Installation Ordination  
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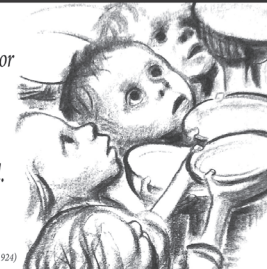
1. Is the book of Galatians in  
the Old or New Testament or  
neither?  
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rized, "Pay attention, God has  
a master plan in the works we  
need to be a part of"?  
Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations,  
Ezekiel  
3. From Judges 7, who had the  
barley-cake vision tumbling into  
an army camp overturning a  
tent? Shepherd, Soldier, Peasant,  
Steward  
4. After an angel delivered them  
from a Jerusalem prison, where  
did the apostles go?  
Temple, Fields, Mountaintop,  
River  
5. Who had his servants set  
barley crops on fire because he  
refused to meet with Absalom?  
Job, Joab, Jethro, Jehoshabeath  
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Peter encounter an angel?  
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# SOCIAL SCENE

## John Lynn to speak at LaSalle Co. Genealogy meeting

OTTAWA – The LaSalle County Genealogy Guild will meet at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 15 at the guild library, 115 Glover St., Ottawa. The featured speaker will be John Lynn of Peoria, who will give a presentation titled, “From the Atlantic Ocean to the Mississippi River.”

Lynn, who has a degree in history from the University of Illinois, has photographed all 2,400 of Illinois’ cities, villages and towns. I

n addition, he has hiked, biked and canoed enough historic and scenic trails, roads and rivers in North America and Britain to circle the globe.

Everyone is welcome to attend this meeting.



## Lock 16 Cafe to hold Valentine’s afternoon tea

LASALLE – Treat yourself to a relaxing afternoon tea when the Lock 16 Cafe hosts their Valentine’s Tea on Thursday, Feb. 13 from 2-4 p.m.

The tea will be held at Lock 16’s charming Vintage Room. The menu features a variety of tasty teas, a full array of tea sandwiches, scones served with Devonshire cream and jam, and a variety of sweets.

Lock 16 Center is located at 754 First St., LaSalle. Reservations are required. For more information, call (815) 223-1851 or visit online at <https://iandmcanal.org>.

Additional teas will be held throughout the year, including a Spring Tea on April 2, a Harvest Tea on Oct. 22, and a Christmas Tea on Dec. 10 and Dec. 11.

## Area students will compete in Regional Spelling Bee

OTTAWA - The LaSalle, Marshall, Putnam Regional Spelling Bee will be held at 9 a.m. on Saturday, Feb. 8 at the Ottawa High School Auditorium. Sponsored by the Peoria Journal Star, the Ottawa Kiwanis Club, and the LaSalle, Marshall, Putnam Regional Superintendent’s office, the 60th Annual Spelling Bee is open to the public and admission is free.

Thirty-three school district winners will compete for the regional championship. Local contestants include **Northbrook School Mendota** - Jenah Sims, 8th grade, and (alternate) Grace Wasmer, 8th grade; **Earlville Junior High** - Isaac Vazquez, 6th grade, and (alternate) Gavin Ebert, 7th grade.

The winner of the regional bee will then compete in the grand finals on March 27 at WEEK TV Studios, East Peoria. Airing of the grand finals will be March 28 at 9 a.m.

The first place regional winner receives a \$50 gift certificate to Prairie Fox Books, a \$200 cash prize provided by the William Ieuter Trust, and a first place plaque. The Stretch Miller Memorial Spelling Bee traveling plaque will be presented to the first place winner for one year. This plaque will be engraved with the winner’s, name, school and year to be displayed at the school of that contestant for one year.

Second prize will be a \$50 gift certificate to Prairie Fox Books from the Regional Office of Education, a \$100 cash prize provided by the William Ieuter Trust and a second place plaque. Each participant will receive a trophy as the winner of their school’s Spelling Bee.

Christopher Dvorak, LaSalle, Marshall, Putnam Regional Superintendent of Schools, said the Spelling Bee is a high priority among students, teachers and administrators in the LaSalle, Marshall and Putnam County schools. The Spelling Bee is open to sixth, seventh and eighth grade students in all public and parochial schools in LaSalle, Marshall, and Putnam counties.

Ottawa High School is located at 211 East Main St., Ottawa. Contestants are advised to arrive at or before 8:30 a.m. for instructions and seating assignments. The competition will begin at 9 a.m.

## NORTHBROOK



### Team Awards

Northbrook School’s sixth, seventh and eighth grade Team Award winners for January are, left to right, Talia White and Austin Welch, 6th grade; Ashley Garcia and Marco Balcazar, 7th grade; and Angelica Botello and Julian Muller, 8th grade. (Reporter photo by Bonnie Morris)



### Exploratory Awards

Northbrook School’s sixth, seventh and eighth grade Exploratory Award winners for January are, left to right, Mateo Goy and Vivian Begley, 6th grade; Guadalupe Maldonado and Conner Chambers, 7th grade; and Landon Bauer, 8th grade. Bridget McGann, 8th grade, was absent for the picture. (Reporter photo by Bonnie Morris)



### Students of the Month

Northbrook School’s fifth grade Students of the Month for January are, left to right, Miranda Wheeler, Starlynn Shan, Kathryn Strouss, Alyna Guerra, Carlos Mora and Ava Arteaga. Ivan Botello was absent for the picture. (Reporter photo by Bonnie Morris)



## Blackstone Principal Awards

The January Principal Award pizza lunch was held Jan. 31 at Blackstone School. Students honored with a pizza lunch with their principal, Stacy Kelly, front row left to right, are Emilio Arteaga, Yullianna Mandujano, Xander Swanson, Easton Pyse and Damian Cooper; middle row, Roberto Lopez, Lilly Fitschen, Victor Correa (absent for December lunch), Paul Perez and Angel Rivera; back row, Jesse Lopez, Cole Dearing, Jaylah Sotelo, Angelina Barrera and Mayson Desirena. (Reporter photo by Bonnie Morris)

## LaSalle Co. 4-H leader honored at state convention

SPRINGFIELD - LaSalle County 4-H and Junior Fair Board Mary Jane Spinazola of Earlville received a Friend of Illinois County Fair Award during the 110th annual convention of the Illinois Association of Agricultural Fairs. At the convention, which was held at the Crowne Plaza in Springfield the week of Jan. 17-20, exemplary volunteers were acknowledged for their service to agriculture, county fairs, and youth.

A 25-year member of the LaSalle County 4-H and Junior Fair Board, Spinazola recently announced that she will step down from her role as a member of the LaSalle County 4-H and Junior Fair board after selflessly serving and for being instrumental in leading efforts that have made the fair what it is today.

The LaSalle County 4-H and Junior Fair is comparably small relative to many counties that have extensive open events. As such, the local fair is solely dependent on a small group of volunteers and a strong working relationship with the LaSalle County Extension office and the 4-H leaders of the county. For decades, Spinazola not only served as one of nine fair board members but also as a central 4-H leader, thus being perfectly positioned to be an influential voice for all major constituents of the fair. Most importantly, her primary focus has always remained the same –working for agricultural youth of LaSalle County.

In addition to being the decision-making body for the fair, the LaSalle Coun-



Mary Jane Spinazola, left, is congratulated by Ken Tyrrell, president of the Illinois Association of Agricultural Fairs. (Photo contributed)

ty Fair Board is also the primary labor force during the fair and throughout the year. Spinazola has for years been the lead board member in the organization and implementation of all non-livestock 4-H project activities at the fair. She completely redesigned the exhibit spaces for greater efficiency and visibility and implemented an extensive beautification program both in and outside the buildings. She also championed a yearly celebration of fair history and most recently a recognition program of the role of veterans in the LaSalle County Fair.

Spinazola spearheads the annual advertising campaign for the fair, personally delivers flyers and brochures to dozens of businesses and offices throughout the county, assists with press releases and does numerous radio spots. Additionally, she oversees the admissions process

for the fair, assists with daily operations of the fair office, and manages the Parade of Excellence, which annually recognizes the achievements of the young people who participate in the fair.

She has also been the leader of one of LaSalle County’s largest 4-H clubs for 23 years and has been a positive influence on the youth who participate at the fair. Dozens of her former 4-H members now volunteer in various fair roles continuing her tradition of giving back to the programs that have been a positive influence in their lives.

Spinazola’s decades of passionate dedication to the LaSalle County Fair have made a real impact on the fair and the lives of countless young people in the county. She is a fine example of the kind of people who make the county fairs of Illinois such an important part of communities.

## Abstracts and portraits featured at Peru gallery showing this Friday

PERU – The public is invited to a gallery showing of abstract and portrait oil paintings by Shane-Jahi Jackson of Morris. The showing will take place on Friday, Feb. 7 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in the west wing of the Westclox building, U.S. Route 6 in Peru.

Jackson’s works will be displayed in the Fine Arts Factory Paintbox Gallery and the Westclox ARTworks Center. The showing is part of a series of displays of art created by artists throughout the region sponsored by NCI ARTworks and Music Suite 408. This program is partially supported by a grant from the Illinois Arts Council.

Jackson says he cannot recall a time that art was not a part of his life. A self-taught artist of Jamaican descent, he began doing pencil drawings as a child, followed by many years studying and practicing oil painting using the “old painter’s method.”

His work has been influ-



enced by many mentors including Mauri painter Kathleen Farrell at the Friends of Community Public Art (FCPA) in Joliet where he did a side-by-side apprenticeship with her when he was 26. He also has been influenced by Raphael, Caravaggio, Velazquez, and DaVinci.

Now, in his early 30s, Jackson is deeply involved in abstract art, influenced by Jean-Michael Basquiat and Jackson Pollack, noting “abstract is a way to give my imagination and emotions a break from life.”

Jackson says he is in love

with all beauty, every shape, size, color and texture that nature presents. “I am deeply inspired to represent my people in a way they have never been shown in the art community before,” he said. “I will continue to create art and see art in every moment of every day, throughout my life. Without art, I cannot exist.”

Light refreshments will be served and free-will offerings will be accepted. Park in the west parking lot of the historic Westclox building and enter through the white door.

## Rescheduled “Saturday Night Trivia” set for Feb. 8 at the Reddick Mansion

OTTAWA - Due to bad weather in January, the Reddick Mansion Association rescheduled its “Saturday Night Trivia” for Saturday, Feb. 8. The contest will start at 7 p.m. and doors will open at 6:30 p.m.

Sponsored by the Reddick Mansion Association and hosted by RMA board member and trivia expert Steve Novario, the game will be composed of 10 rounds of questions with 10



questions per round. The first category will be “The Decade in Review.” The 10 rounds will each focus on a year from 2010 to 2019. Teams are limited to five to 10 people and

the cost is \$10 per person. Cash prizes will be awarded to the 1st and 2nd place teams. A 50/50 raffle will also be held. Space is limited, so please call the Mansion at (815) 433-6100 to reserve a table for your team, but walk-ins are always welcome. Coffee, soda, water and snacks will be available for purchase throughout the evening. Teams may also bring their own snacks and adult

beverages.

All proceeds from this event will be used for the maintenance and restoration of the Reddick Mansion, located at 100 W. Lafayette St. in Ottawa.

The mansion is listed on the National Register of Historic Sites and is open for tours four days a week and is also available to rent for special events.



# TRI-COUNTY NEWS

## SUBLETTE

### SBA holds annual meeting

SUBLETTE - The annual meeting of the Sublette Business Association was held Jan. 29 at Rt. 52 Roadhouse. There was good attendance at the meeting. The group discussed upcoming events in the village. Also, election of officers was held and all officers were re-elected.

The next quarterly meeting will be held in April in the Event Center at the Village Mini Mall.

### Super Bowl Shuffle well attended

SUBLETTE - There was a good turnout for Sublette's First Super Bowl Shuffle Fun Run. Despite cold weather many walked around the park and then returned to the Ellice Dinges Center gym for free hot dogs and drinks. Walkers were in age from small children to senior citizens.

Everyone felt it was a great way to have a good time on a boring day before the big game. Food and drinks were donated by HD Seed and Sublette 365.

## Princeton Public Library announces upcoming programs

PRINCETON - February kicks off with several programs for all ages at the Princeton Public Library.

**Friday, Feb. 7 - US Census Bureau Recruitment** at Princeton Public Library - 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

A U.S. Census Bureau recruiter will be at the Princeton Library to provide information and to assist in completing an online application for Census jobs. The 2020 U.S. Census is hiring census takers, starting at \$17.50 per hour plus mileage. Applicants must be at least 18 and U.S. citizens. These are temporary, part-time jobs. A background check is required and two days of paid training. If unable to attend this session, apply online at [2020census.gov/jobs](https://2020census.gov/jobs). If you have problems while applying, call for help at 1-855-JOB-2020.

**Saturday, Feb. 8 - Medicare Supplement Information** - 10 a.m.

Free education program on Understanding Medicare presented by Physicians Mutual. Receive information

on: Making the most of your rights, options, and entitlements; How and when to enroll in Medicare; What Medicare does and doesn't cover; Medicare advantage and Medicare Supplement Insurance. This program is free and all are welcome to attend.

**Monday, Feb. 10 - Monday Night Movie**, 6:30 p.m.

During World War II, a cynical, exiled American and former freedom fighter runs the most popular nightclub in town. This American gains possession of two valuable letters of transit. When a Nazi major arrives, the local police captain tries to please him, even detaining a Czechoslovak underground leader. When this underground leader arrives, the American is surprised that he arrives with his former love. He is bitter towards her because she ran out on him in Paris, but when he learns she had good reason to, they plan to run off together again using the letters of transit. Well, that

was their original plan.

**Tuesday, Feb. 11 - Preschool Storytime**, 10:30 a.m.

Theme: "Valentine/Bee"

**Wednesday, Feb. 12 - Widmark Wednesday**, 6:30 p.m.

Our hometown boy is a London hustler with ambitious plans that never work out. One day he encounters a famous wrestler. He dreams up a scheme he thinks will finally be his ticket to financial independence and attempts to con everyone around him to get his scheme to work but only ends up conning himself. This is an interesting tale of blind ambition, self-deception, broken dreams, and how a man who always thinks he's ahead of the game ends up tripping himself very badly.

**Thursday, Feb. 13 - Family Reading Activity (preschool and up)**, 4 p.m.

The Princeton Public Library is located at 698 East Peru St. (Route 6) in Princeton. They may be contacted by phone at (815) 875-1331.

## LA MOILLE

## LaMoille residents' grandson achieves top ACT score

LA MOILLE - Weston Geuther, son of Troy and Christine Geuther and a junior at Christ Presbyterian Academy in Nashville, Tenn., earned the highest possible ACT composite score of 36. Weston is the grandson of LaMoille residents, Mark and Nora Geuther and great-grandson of Ruth (Lyle) Geuther, also of LaMoille.

Fewer than half of 1 percent of students who take the ACT earn a top score. In the U.S. high school graduating class of 2019, only 4,879 out of nearly 1.8 million students who took the ACT earned a top composite score of 36.

The ACT tests in English, math, reading and science, each scored from 1-36.



Weston Geuther, center, who attends high school in Nashville, Tenn., earned the highest possible ACT composite score. He is pictured with his parents Troy and Christine Geuther. (Photo contributed)

The composite score is the average of the four test scores. The ACT's optional writing test is reported separately and is not included in the composite score.

In a letter to the student recognizing this exceptional achievement, ACT CEO Marten Roorda stated, "Your achievement on the ACT is significant and rare. Your exceptional scores will provide any college or university with ample evidence of your readiness for the academic rigors that lie ahead."

Students who earn a 36 composite score have likely mastered all of the skills and knowledge they will need to succeed in first-year college courses in the core subject areas.

## Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan public meeting Feb. 10

PRINCETON - A public meeting regarding the update of the Bureau County Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan (NHMP) will be held at 5 p.m. on Monday, Feb. 10 at Princeton City Hall, 2 S. Main St., Princeton. This meeting is open to the public.

Marilyn Sucoe of the Illinois Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) will present on floodplain mapping tools online (FEMA maps and County GIS), river gages, post-flood floodplain inspections and flood mitigation. She will also talk through the mitigation techniques and mention a few other ideas for communities and residents to consider when flooding is happening.

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Director Keenan Campbell will also present on what community officials need to do to document items such as damages, expenses and hours worked following a natural disaster event using FEMA's forms in case the community qualifies to apply for FEMA Public Assistance funding.

Regional goals from the 2015 plan will be reviewed during the meeting. This meeting, as with all Bureau County NHMP meetings, is open to the public. The 2015 plan is available at <https://tinyurl.com/2015-NHMP>. For more information about the 2020 Bureau County Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan, please contact Austin Taylor at (815) 433-5830 or [ataylor@ncicg.org](mailto:ataylor@ncicg.org).

## Model Train Fair and other special events planned at Bureau County Fairgrounds

PRINCETON - Even though it's still winter, there are plenty of reasons to go to the Bureau County Fairgrounds.

On Sunday, Feb. 9, an indoor Flea Market will be held from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. with free admission.

The next event will be a Model Train Fair and Farm Toy Show and Sale on Saturday, Feb. 15 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. At the show will be large working model railroad layouts and lots of trains and farm equipment for sale, plus die cast cars

and other toys as well. Adult admission is \$4, kids are free.

Walneck's Motorcycle Swap Meet will take place on Sunday, Feb. 16 with all types of bikes, leathers, jewelry and motorcycle parts for sale. Spring is around the corner so now is the time to stock up. Show hours are 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The Huge Winter Garage Sale will return for two days - Saturday and Sunday, March 14-15. Selling spaces are being reserved now.

A brand new event, the Vintage Toy and Pop Culture Show, will be held at the fairgrounds on Saturday, May 16. This show will feature toys from all eras available to purchase - everything from Stretch Armstrong to Batman and more. Selling spaces are being reserved now.

The Bureau County Fairgrounds is located at 811 W. Peru St., Princeton. For more information about these events, see [bureaucountyfair.com](http://bureaucountyfair.com).

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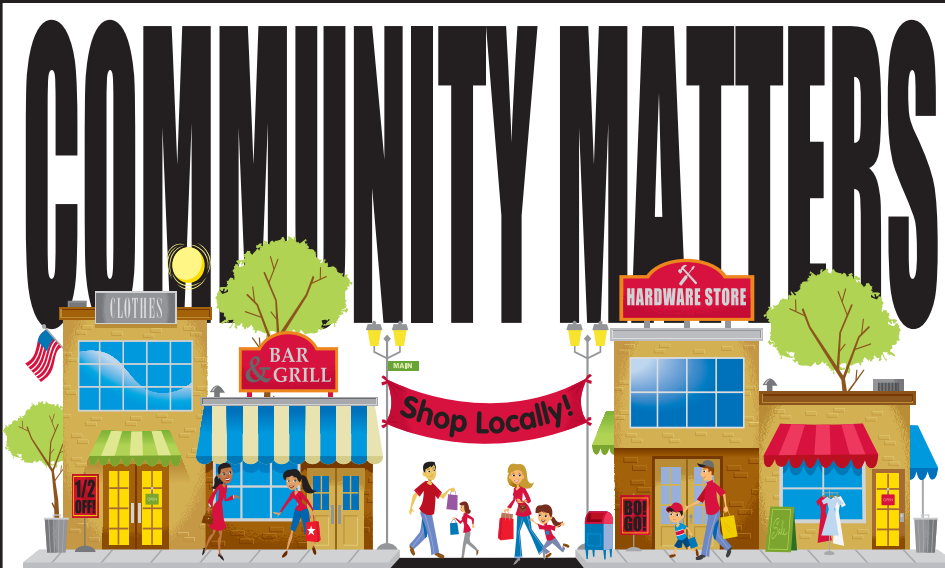
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By virtue of 765 ILCS 101/10-50 and in execution of certain mortgages on the timeshare estates given by the owners of the timeshare estates set forth below for breach of the conditions of said mortgages and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at public auction starting at 11 o'clock a.m. on February 25, 2020, at the east entrance of Etna Road Government Complex, 707 Etna Road, Ottawa, IL 61350, being all and singular the premises described in said mortgages.

Each timeshare estate is a 1.923% and/or 0.9615% undivided interest (each, a "Unit") as tenant-in-common at Fox River Resort, a vacation ownership project in LaSalle County, Illinois, as per the recorded plat(s) thereof and according to the Amended and Restated Declaration of Restrictions, Covenants and Conditions recorded under File No. R2000-31258 and any Supplemental Declarations recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds, LaSalle County, Illinois, as supplemented and amended from time to time (the "Declaration"), together with the exclusive right to occupy the Unit during the designated Use Period Number(s), as said Use Period is defined in the Declaration, upon and subject to all of the terms, restrictions, covenants, conditions and provisions in the Declaration.

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ERIKA BOUNDS, JOVAN PLUNKETT, 51 MCCARTHY RD, PARK FOREST, IL, 60466, according to the Mortgage dated July 07, 2013 and recorded under File No. 2013 16110, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7232013, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0165E, Use Period Number(s) 08 Phase 1  
LATOYA BRANDON, JOSE CRUZ, 1800 WISCONSIN AVE, BERWYN, IL, 60402, according to the Mortgage dated January 31, 2015 and recorded under File No. 2015 03041, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 2192015, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 02150, Use Period Number(s) 24 Phase 4  
MICHAEL CASSEM, 1836 APPLE TREE LN, ROCKFORD, IL, 61108, according to the Mortgage dated September 18, 2013 and recorded under File No. 2013 22809, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 2272013, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0030E, Use Period Number(s) 43 Phase 1  
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JULIUS L COLLINS III, RHONDA DUNBAR, 4062 216TH ST APT 2E, MATTESON, IL, 60443, according to the Mortgage dated February 16, 2009 and recorded under File No. R2009 06069, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 3102009, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0371, Use Period Number(s) 50 Phase 3  
TANYA DIAZ, ROBERTO RAMOS, 3221 TWYFORD RD, WAUKEGAN, IL, 60087, according to the Mortgage dated December 21, 2013 and recorded under File No. 2014 03643, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois,

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timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0085, Use Period Number(s) 45 Phase 2  
STEVE GOLSTON, LAVELLE BRACKINS, 4622 S LEAMINGTON AVE, CHICAGO, IL, 60638, according to the Mortgage dated January 21, 2015 and recorded under File No. 2015 02550, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 2102015, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 02120, Use Period Number(s) 31 Phase 4  
STEVE GOLSTON, LAVELLE BRACKINS, 728 N PARKSIDE AVE APT 1, CHICAGO, IL, 60644, according to the Mortgage dated January 21, 2015 and recorded under File No. 2015 02550, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 2102015, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 02120, Use Period Number(s) 31 Phase 4  
DWAYNE GUILLORY, WARRIE GUILLORY, 10035 MOONGROVE PASS, SAN ANTONIO, TX, 78239, according to the Mortgage dated July 12, 2015 and recorded under File No. 2015 14137, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7282015, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0387, Use Period Number(s) 37 Phase 6  
HANNAH, 14420 S STEWART AVE, RIVERDALE, IL, 60827, according to the Mortgage dated October 12, 2013 and recorded under File No. 2013 24447, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 10302013, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0155, Use Period Number(s) 34 Phase 2  
CAROLL PETE HARBIN, SHONNA HARBIN, 100 TAY CT, WEATHERFORD, TX, 76088, according to the Mortgage dated October 15, 2011 and recorded under File No. R2011 22310, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 10282011, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0139E, Use Period Number(s) 48 Phase 2  
KARLA L HARPER, L QUITA MALEXANDER-SOMMER, 453 CALHOUN AVE, CALUMET CITY, IL, 60409, according to the Mortgage dated October 26, 2012 and recorded under File No. 2012 24739, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 11142012, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0095O, Use Period Number(s) 13 Phase 2  
KENNETH HAUTMAN, DISHAWN KING, 337 W 110TH PL, CHICAGO, IL, 60628, according to the Mortgage dated April 13, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 08764, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 5132014, are the owners of the

timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0055O, Use Period Number(s) 20 Phase 1  
A L E J A N D R O HERNANDEZ JR, 5427 RAILS WAY, NORCROSS, GA, 30071, according to the Mortgage dated May 17, 2015 and recorded under File No. 2015 10876, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 6102015, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0388, Use Period Number(s) 13 Phase 6  
ROGELIO HERRERA JR, RACHEL HERRERA, 2928 N RIDGEWAY AVE APT 2, CHICAGO, IL, 60618, according to the Mortgage dated May 30, 2009 and recorded under File No. R2009 17717, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7082009, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0215, Use Period Number(s) 03 Phase 4  
JOHN T JACKSON JR, CAROL L JACKSON, 3620 LEE AVE, RICHTON PARK, IL, 60471, according to the Mortgage dated April 01, 2012 and recorded under File No. R2012 08084, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 4182012, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0081, Use Period Number(s) 37 Phase 2  
GWENDA D JENKINS, 553 NORMAN RD, BOLINGBROOK, IL, 60440, according to the Mortgage dated April 29, 2006 and recorded under File No. R2006 13604, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 6012006, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0026O, Use Period Number(s) 06 Phase 1  
N E F R E T E R I E JENKINS, JAMAL JONES, 1328 W 109TH ST APT 3, CHICAGO, IL, 60643, according to the Mortgage dated July 25, 2013 and recorded under File No. 2013 21032, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 9182013, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0142E, Use Period Number(s) 08 Phase 2  
GLORIA JOHNSON, KRISTINA HOPKINS, 17319 VINTAGE WOOD LN, SPRING, TX, 77379, according to the Mortgage dated June 28, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 13428, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7172014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0113, Use Period Number(s) 33 Phase 2  
S H U R R O N E JOHNSON, 242 E 132ND ST APT A, CHICAGO, IL, 60827, according to the Mortgage dated October 20, 2013 and recorded under File No. 2013 24949, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 11072013, are the owners of the timeshare

estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0141E, Use Period Number(s) 06 Phase 2  
JAMES B JONES, MICHELLE JONES, 8200 S ALBANY AVE, CHICAGO, IL, 60652, according to the Mortgage dated August 02, 2008 and recorded under File No. R2008 18873, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 8192008, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0389, Use Period Number(s) 29 Phase 6  
FANNIE ARLINE JULIA WALKER, 9623 S GENOA AVE, CHICAGO, IL, 60643, according to the Mortgage dated June 26, 2015 and recorded under File No. 2015 13369, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7162015, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0068, Use Period Number(s) 24 Phase 1  
ARMENA KETCHUM, 2600 W 83RD ST, CHICAGO, IL, 60652, according to the Mortgage dated February 08, 2015 and recorded under File No. 2015 03310, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 2232015, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0011O, Use Period Number(s) 01 Phase 1  
CARLITO LARA, CRISTINA LARA, 2741 N RIDGEWAY AVE FL 2, CHICAGO, IL, 60647, according to the Mortgage dated November 23, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 24072, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 12112014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0068, Use Period Number(s) 27 Phase 1  
MARIAR.LE, TOMSON LE, 5629 DOVER RD, OAK FOREST, IL, 60452, according to the Mortgage dated January 24, 2012 and recorded under File No. R2012 05197, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 3132012, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0015O, Use Period Number(s) 16 Phase 1  
LARREISHA LEPARD, WANDA JONES, D O M O N I Q U E ROWLES, 1052 BREEDERS CUP DRIVE, FORT WORTH, TX, 76179, according to the Mortgage dated July 26, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 15705, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 8222014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0166E, Use Period Number(s) 45 Phase 1  
LARREISHA LEPARD, WANDA JONES, D O M O N I Q U E ROWLES, PSC 41 BOX 2148, APO, AE, 09464, according to the Mortgage dated July 26, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 15705, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 8222014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to

be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0166E, Use Period Number(s) 45 Phase 1  
SANTIAGO LOPEZ, ALBA ASCENCIO, 48 PONDEROSA DR, ROMEOVILLE, IL, 60446, according to the Mortgage dated August 02, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 17855, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 9182014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0010O, Use Period Number(s) 14 Phase 1  
SANTIAGO LOPEZ, ALBA ASCENCIO, 22B FERNWOOD DR, BOLINGBROOK, IL, 60440, according to the Mortgage dated August 02, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 17855, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 9182014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0010O, Use Period Number(s) 14 Phase 1  
JENNIFER MAGANA, RAPHAEL JEFFRIE, 1126 KAREN DR, JOLIET, IL, 60431, according to the Mortgage dated June 05, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 11751, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 6252014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0011, Use Period Number(s) 28 Phase 1  
JENNIFER MAGANA, RAPHAEL JEFFRIE, 10204 SOUTH SANGAMON ST, CHICAGO, IL, 60643, according to the Mortgage dated June 05, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 11751, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 6252014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0011, Use Period Number(s) 28 Phase 1  
JOSLYN MCBRIDE, THOMAS MCBRIDE, 2951 SATELLITE BLVD APT 1012, DULUTH, GA, 30096, according to the Mortgage dated July 09, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 14605, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 8052014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0152O, Use Period Number(s) 13 Phase 2  
HUY NGUYEN, LINDA NGUYEN, 5233 DILLON CIR, HALTOM CITY, TX, 76137, according to the Mortgage dated April 18, 2010 and recorded under File No. R2010 18206, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 8262010, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0039E, Use Period Number(s) 23 Phase 1  
C H A U N T E V I A NICHOLSON, PAMELA SPRAGGINS, 4858 S MICHIGAN AVE, CHICAGO, IL, 60615, according to the Mortgage dated December 29, 2010 and recorded under File No. R2011 07524, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 3292011, are the

owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0098, Use Period Number(s) 21 Phase 2  
M A U R E E N O P A R A E C H E , C H I N E L O O P A R A E C H E , 828 OAKTON ST APT 1D, EVANSTON, IL, 60202, according to the Mortgage dated August 26, 2015 and recorded under File No. 2015 17612, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 9152015, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0166O, Use Period Number(s) 40 Phase 1  
CINTIA ORTIZ, DEWAYNE LUCAS, 3009 S KEELER, APT U, CHICAGO, IL, 60623, according to the Mortgage dated April 12, 2007 and recorded under File No. R2007 10949, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 5082007, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0033E, Use Period Number(s) 03 Phase 1  
RAFAEL PACHECO JR, JOHANNA CRUZ, 5500 W WAVELAND AVE, CHICAGO, IL, 60641, according to the Mortgage dated September 13, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 19120, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 10032014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0002O, Use Period Number(s) 37 Phase 1  
AARON PEREZ, CHRISTINE HANNA, 223 N PLEASANT AVE, GALESBURG, IL, 61401, according to the Mortgage dated August 24, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 17141, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 9092014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0216O, Use Period Number(s) 40 Phase 4  
PAUL F PERKINS JR, 68 CANTERBURY RD, AURORA, IL, 60506, according to the Mortgage dated April 20, 2007 and recorded under File No. R2007 11627, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 5162007, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0167O, Use Period Number(s) 43 Phase 1  
JAVA POLLOCK, TYREE WHITE, 1432 FAIRWAY DR, RANTOUL, IL, 61866, according to the Mortgage dated February 15, 2015 and recorded under File No. 2015 03843, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 3032015, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0057O, Use Period Number(s) 44 Phase 1  
JAVA POLLOCK, TYREE WHITE, 317 MARCO DR, RANTOUL, IL, 61866, according to the Mortgage dated February 15, 2015 and recorded under File No. 2015 03843, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 3032015, are the



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Number(s) 44 Ph

Period Number(s) 23  
Phase 1  
CONTESSA ROBINS,  
4911 HULL ST APT  
1E, SKOKIE, IL,  
60077, according to  
the Mortgage dated  
February 16, 2014  
and recorded under  
File No. 2014 05782,  
in the Office of the  
Recorder of Deeds for  
LaSalle County, Illinois,  
on 4022014, are the  
owners of the timeshare  
estate to be foreclosed,  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0117E, Use Period  
Number(s) 48 Phase 2  
Y A K O V  
SHAKHNOVSKIY,  
DIANA SHAKNOVSKY,  
TANYA KECHKER,  
MICHAEL KECHKER,  
1455 N SANDBURG  
TERR #706, CHICAGO,  
IL, 60610, according  
to the Mortgage dated  
September 06, 2010  
and recorded under  
File No. R2010 20164,  
in the Office of the  
Recorder of Deeds for  
LaSalle County, Illinois,  
on 9292010, are the  
owners of the timeshare  
estate to be foreclosed,  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0063, Use Period  
Number(s) 35 Phase 1  
Y A K O V  
SHAKHNOVSKIY,  
DIANA SHAKNOVSKY,  
TANYA KECHKER,  
MICHAEL KECHKER,  
5420 N KEDZIE AVE  
APT 2D, CHICAGO,  
IL, 60625, according  
to the Mortgage dated  
September 06, 2010  
and recorded under  
File No. R2010 20164,  
in the Office of the  
Recorder of Deeds for  
LaSalle County, Illinois,  
on 9292010, are the  
owners of the timeshare  
estate to be foreclosed,  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0063, Use Period  
Number(s) 35 Phase 1  
Y A K O V  
SHAKHNOVSKIY,  
DIANA SHAKNOVSKY,  
TANYA KECHKER,  
MICHAEL KECHKER,  
600 W DIVERSEY  
PKWY APT 609,  
CHICAGO, IL,  
60614, according to  
the Mortgage dated  
September 06, 2010  
and recorded under  
File No. R2010 20164,  
in the Office of the  
Recorder of Deeds for  
LaSalle County, Illinois,  
on 9292010, are the  
owners of the timeshare  
estate to be foreclosed,  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0063, Use Period  
Number(s) 35 Phase 1  
Y A K O V  
SHAKHNOVSKIY,  
DIANA SHAKNOVSKY,  
TANYA KECHKER,  
MICHAEL KECHKER,  
1455 N SANDBURG  
TERR #706, CHICAGO,  
IL, 60610, according  
to the Mortgage dated  
September 06, 2010  
and recorded under  
File No. R2010 20164,  
in the Office of the  
Recorder of Deeds for  
LaSalle County, Illinois,  
on 9292010, are the  
owners of the timeshare  
estate to be foreclosed,  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0373, Use Period  
Number(s) 03 Phase 3  
Y A K O V  
SHAKHNOVSKIY,  
DIANA SHAKNOVSKY,  
TANYA KECHKER,  
MICHAEL KECHKER,  
5420 N KEDZIE AVE  
APT 2D, CHICAGO,  
IL, 60625, according  
to the Mortgage dated  
September 06, 2010  
and recorded under  
File No. R2010 20164,  
in the Office of the  
Recorder of Deeds for  
LaSalle County, Illinois,  
on 9292010, are the  
owners of the timeshare  
estate to be foreclosed,

ANYA KECHKER,  
 MICHAEL KECHKER,  
 600 W DIVERSEY  
 PKWY APT 609,  
 CHICAGO, IL,  
 60614, according to  
 the Mortgage dated  
 September 06, 2010  
 and recorded under  
 File No. R2010 20164,  
 in the Office of the  
 Recorder of Deeds for  
 LaSalle County, Illinois,  
 on 9292010, are the  
 owners of the timeshare  
 estate to be foreclosed,  
 more particularly  
 described as Unit No.  
 0373, Use Period  
 Number(s) 03 Phase 3  
 BRIDGET SMALL,  
 CHRISTOPHE SMALL,  
 2322  
 COPELAND DR,  
 CEDAR HILL, TX,  
 75104, according to the  
 Mortgage dated August  
 10, 2013 and recorded  
 under File No. 2013  
 21617, in the Office of  
 the Recorder of Deeds  
 for LaSalle County,  
 Illinois, on 9252013,  
 are the owners of the  
 timeshare estate to  
 be foreclosed, more  
 particularly described  
 as Unit No. 0417, Use  
 Period Number(s) 24  
 Phase 7  
 ROBIN T. STONE,  
 STEPHANIE STONE,  
 2020 VALLEY VIEW  
 CIR APT 8205,  
 BOSSIER CITY, LA,  
 71111, according to  
 the Mortgage dated  
 February 06, 2014  
 and recorded under  
 File No. 2014 09865,  
 in the Office of the  
 Recorder of Deeds for  
 LaSalle County, Illinois,  
 on 5282014, are the  
 owners of the timeshare  
 estate to be foreclosed,  
 more particularly  
 described as Unit No.  
 01680, Use Period  
 Number(s) 06 Phase 1  
 DAVID SUHAL,  
 7919 W 70TH ST,  
 BRIDGEVIEW, IL,  
 60455, according to the  
 Mortgage dated July  
 05, 2013 and recorded  
 under File No. 2013  
 16335, in the Office of  
 the Recorder of Deeds  
 for LaSalle County,  
 Illinois, on 7252013,  
 are the owners of the  
 timeshare estate to  
 be foreclosed, more  
 particularly described  
 as Unit No. 0077E, Use  
 Period Number(s) 16  
 Phase 1  
 LOTSO SVITIC,  
 JOANNA SVITIC, 1632  
 SEATON LN, ELGIN,  
 IL, 60123, according to  
 the Mortgage dated July  
 10, 2014 and recorded  
 under File No. 2014  
 14751, in the Office of  
 the Recorder of Deeds  
 for LaSalle County,  
 Illinois, on 8062014,  
 are the owners of the  
 timeshare estate to  
 be foreclosed, more  
 particularly described  
 as Unit No. 0414, Use  
 Period Number(s) 09  
 Phase 7  
 LARMONT VAN,  
 M A E V E L L A  
 JOHNSTON-VAN, 21 E  
 151ST ST, HARVEY, IL,  
 60426, according to the  
 Mortgage dated March  
 28, 2011 and recorded  
 under File No. R2011  
 08958, in the Office of  
 the Recorder of Deeds  
 for LaSalle County,  
 Illinois, on 4202011,  
 are the owners of the  
 timeshare estate to  
 be foreclosed, more  
 particularly described  
 as Unit No. 0047, Use  
 Period Number(s) 23  
 Phase 1  
 LARMONT VAN,  
 M A E V E L L A  
 JOHNSTON-VAN, 21 E  
 151ST ST, HARVEY, IL,  
 60426, according to the  
 Mortgage dated March  
 28, 2011 and recorded  
 under File No. R2011  
 08958, in the Office of  
 the Recorder of Deeds  
 for LaSalle County,  
 Illinois, on 4202011,

CHERYL A. VINOPAL, M.  
VINOPAL, 23622  
WHITE BIRCH LN  
APT 204, JOLIET, IL,  
60435, according to  
the Mortgage dated  
September 13, 2014  
and recorded under  
File No. 2014 19156,  
in the Office of the  
Recorder of Deeds for  
LaSalle County, Illinois,  
on 10032014, are the  
owners of the timeshare  
estate to be foreclosed,  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0397, Use Period  
Number(s) 27 Phase 6  
CHERYL A. VINOPAL,  
CHARLES M.  
VINOPAL, 3011  
ELMWOOD RD,  
ROMEDEVILLE, IL,  
60446, according to  
the Mortgage dated  
September 13, 2014  
and recorded under  
File No. 2014 19156,  
in the Office of the  
Recorder of Deeds for  
LaSalle County, Illinois,  
on 10032014, are the  
owners of the timeshare  
estate to be foreclosed,  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0397, Use Period  
Number(s) 27 Phase 6  
CHERYL A. VINOPAL,  
CHARLES M.  
VINOPAL, 23622  
WHITE BIRCH LN  
APT 204, JOLIET, IL,  
60435, according to  
the Mortgage dated  
September 13, 2014  
and recorded under  
File No. 2014 19156,  
in the Office of the  
Recorder of Deeds for  
LaSalle County, Illinois,  
on 10032014, are the  
owners of the timeshare  
estate to be foreclosed,  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0400, Use Period  
Number(s) 27 Phase 6  
CHERYL A. VINOPAL,  
CHARLES M.  
VINOPAL, 3011  
ELMWOOD RD,  
ROMEDEVILLE, IL,  
60446, according to  
the Mortgage dated  
September 13, 2014  
and recorded under  
File No. 2014 19156,  
in the Office of the  
Recorder of Deeds for  
LaSalle County, Illinois,  
on 10032014, are the  
owners of the timeshare  
estate to be foreclosed,  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0400, Use Period  
Number(s) 27 Phase 6  
JOEY WARDRIE,  
TARA TURNER, 32055  
MCGREGOR ST,  
BOSSIER CITY, LA,  
71112, according to  
the Mortgage dated  
September 07, 2015  
and recorded under  
File No. 2015 18679,  
in the Office of the  
Recorder of Deeds for  
LaSalle County, Illinois,  
on 9292015, are the  
owners of the timeshare  
estate to be foreclosed,  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0419, Use Period  
Number(s) 43 Phase 7  
LAURIE WEBSTER,  
3215 LA SALLE AVE,  
ROCKFORD, IL,  
61114, according to the  
Mortgage dated June  
01, 2013 and recorded  
under File No. 2013  
13262, in the Office of  
the Recorder of Deeds  
for LaSalle County,  
Illinois, on 6202013,  
are the owners of the  
timeshare estate to  
be foreclosed, more  
particularly described  
as Unit No. 0171E, Use  
Period Number(s) 11  
Phase 1  
DEVONTRIS  
WILKERS ON,  
KEVINEKIA MCGHEE,  
119 PINE ST, GLENN  
HEIGHTS, TX, 75154,  
according to the  
Mortgage dated June  
04, 2011 and recorded  
under File No. R2011  
13509, in the Office of

as Unit No. 0106E, Use Period Number(s) 06 Phase 2  
MONTELL WILLIAMS L A V O N N A BROWN, 933 N LEAMINGTON AVE, APT 3A, CHICAGO IL, 60651, according to the Mortgage dated October 08, 2011 and recorded under File No. R2011 22163, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 10272011, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0057E, Use Period Number(s) 50 Phase 2 RONALD WILSON 2710 BURLINGTON ST APT 4, DETROIT MI, 48206, according to the Mortgage dated December 11, 2011 and recorded under File No. R2012 00427, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 1092012, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0116E, Use Period Number(s) 46 Phase 2 JONNIE L WILSON, KEVIN CLEMONS JR, 2047 W 68TH PLACE, CHICAGO, IL, 60636, according to the Mortgage dated April 13, 2013 and recorded under File No. 2013 09504, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 5032013, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0166, Use Period Number(s) 50 Phase 1 ROOSEVELT WINGO BEVERLY A WINGO 2224 ELLSWORTH ST, GARY, IN 46404, according to the Mortgage dated December 11, 2001 and recorded under File No. R2002 16444, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 6062002, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 01390, Use Period Number(s) 13 Phase 2 VERONICA ZAMORA GAUDENCIO LEON RIZO, 2814 W 22ND PL FL 1, CHICAGO, IL 60623, according to the Mortgage dated March 30, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 06814, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 4162014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0070, Use Period Number(s) 34 Phase 1  
TERMS OF SALE: At the time and location noted above, the timeshare estates listed above will be sold at a public auction to the highest bidder for cash. The timeshare estates will be sold in individual lots unless there are individual bidders, in which case, they may be sold as a group. In the event the holder of the mortgages or its authorized agent is the purchaser of one or more of the timeshare estates, the holder of the mortgages or its authorized agent may offset against the purchase price of the timeshare estate(s) an amount equal to all or a portion of the amount due under the mortgage(s) (and the

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Jr.  
Its: Agent

**NOTICE OF SALE OF  
TIMESHARE ESTATE  
OR ESTATES UNDER  
SECTION 10-50 OF  
THE ILLINOIS REAL  
ESTATE TIMESHARE  
ACT OF 1999**

By virtue of the timeshare instrument of the Fox River Resort 2558 N. 3653 Road Sheridan, Illinois 60551 and 765 ILCS 101/10-4, establishing managing entity liens for failure to pay assessments and other costs of the timeshare estate held by the owners of the timeshare estate listed below, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at a public auction starting at 11 o'clock a.m. on February 25, 2020, at the east entrance of Etna Road Government Complex, 707 Etna Road, Ottawa, IL 61350.

Each timeshare estate is a 1.923% and/or 0.9615% undivided interest (each, a "Unit") as tenant-in-common at Fox River Resort, a vacation ownership project in LaSalle County, Illinois, as per the recorded plat(s) thereof and according to the Amended and Restated Declaration of Restrictions, Covenants and Conditions recorded under File No. R2000 31258 and any Supplemental Declarations recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois as supplemented and amended from time to time (the "Declaration") together with the exclusive right to occupy the Unit during the designated Use Period Number(s), as said Use Period is defined in the Declaration, upon and subject to all of the terms, restrictions, covenants, conditions and provisions in the Declaration.

JUAN G. ABARCA  
ARTURO ABARCA  
943 LORLYN DR APT  
2C, WEST CHICAGO  
IL, 60185, according  
to the Deed dated July  
21, 1999 and recorded  
under File No. R99  
23790, in the Office of  
the Recorder of Deeds  
for LaSalle County,  
Illinois, on 9101999,  
are the owners of the  
timeshare estate to  
be foreclosed, more  
particularly described  
as Unit No. 0086, Use  
Period Number(s) 42,  
Phase 2

JUAN G. ABARCA  
ARTURO ABARCA  
1248 KINGS CROSS  
APT 108, WEST  
CHICAGO, IL, 60185,  
according to the Deed  
dated July 21, 1999  
and recorded under  
File No. R99 23790  
in the Office of the  
Recorder of Deeds for  
LaSalle County, Illinois  
on 9101999, are the  
owners of the timeshare  
estate to be foreclosed,  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0086, Use Period  
Number(s) 42, Phase 2

BRIAN ADAMS  
RACHEL MILLER, 618  
15TH ST, HAVRE, MT  
59501, according to  
the Deed dated April  
17, 2010 and recorded  
under File No. R2010  
12677, in the Office of  
the Recorder of Deeds  
for LaSalle County,  
Illinois, on 6182010,  
are the owners of the  
timeshare estate to  
be foreclosed, more  
particularly described  
as Unit No. 0092, Use  
Period Number(s) 12

under File No. R20112677, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 61820000 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0092, Use Period Number(s) 12, Phase 2

AZIZ ALI, MAJID STALIDZANE, 255 VICTOR AVE APT 102, GLENVIEW, IL, 60025, according to the Deed dated March 12, 2000 and recorded under File No. R2000 09166, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 4142000, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0058E, Use Period Number(s) 34, Phase 1

AZIZ ALI, MAJID STALIDZANE, 56 WOODS CREEK LN, ALGONQUIN, IL, 60102, according to the Deed dated March 12, 2000 and recorded under File No. R2000 09166, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 4142000, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0058E, Use Period Number(s) 34, Phase 1

URESE ALLEN, 1573 HOYNE AVE, HARVEY, IL, 60426, according to the Deed dated July 29, 2000 and recorded under File No. R2000 27046, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 10202000, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0173, Use Period Number(s) 32, Phase 1

BRAULIO ALMAZAN, SUSANA ALMAZAN, 705 APOLLO DR, JOLIET, IL, 60438, according to the Deed dated June 29, 2011 and recorded under File No. 2014 13377, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7172014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0053E, Use Period Number(s) 32, Phase 1

MATTIE ARMSTRONG, FLOYD S ARMSTRONG, 900 S PHILLIPS AVE, CHICAGO, IL, 60617, according to the Deed dated November 08, 2008 and recorded under File No. R2000 26244, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 11262008, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0397, Use Period Number(s) 23, Phase 6

RONALD BAILEY, ANTAQUILA ALLEN, 135 ORIOLE RD, MATTESON, IL, 60443, according to the Deed dated October 08, 2000 and recorded under File No. R2006 29988, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 11292006, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0128O, Use Period Number(s) 02, Phase 2

PATRICIA BALDERA, 2521 THATCHER AVE APT 1E, RIVER GROVE, IL, 60171, according to the Deed

estate to be foreclosed,  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0003E, Use Period  
Number(s) 07, Phase  
KEVINBALDITT, SET  
SCHAEFER, TIFFAN  
BALDITT, KRISTIN  
GONZALES, 980  
SUGARLOAF DR  
SAN ANTONIO, TX  
78245, according to th  
Deed dated October  
02, 2009 and recorded  
under File No. R200  
26241, in the Office o  
the Recorder of Deeds  
for LaSalle County,  
Illinois, on 1020200  
are the owners of th  
timeshare estate t  
be foreclosed, mor  
particularly describe  
as Unit No. 0148, Us  
Period Number(s) 05  
Phase 2  
DAVID L BAUER  
MARLENE S BAUER  
N739 THUNDERBIR  
RD, GENOA CITY, WI  
53128, according to  
the Deed dated May  
17, 2000 and record  
under File No. R200  
17136, in the Office o  
the Recorder of Deeds  
for LaSalle County,  
Illinois, on 630200  
are the owners of th  
timeshare estate t  
be foreclosed, mor  
particularly describe  
as Unit No. 0078E, Us  
Period Number(s) 53  
Phase 1  
DAVID L BAUER  
MARLENE S BAUER  
414 SPRING ST, LAK  
GENEVA, WI, 5314  
according to the De  
dated May 17, 200  
and recorded unde  
File No. R2000 1713  
in the Office of th  
Recorder of Deeds fo  
LaSalle County, Illinoi  
on 6302000, are th  
owners of the timeshar  
estate to be foreclose  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0078E, Use Period  
Number(s) 52, Phase  
MELISSA BECKER  
5461 CARRIAGE LN  
MEDINA, OH, 4425  
according to the De  
dated July 21, 200  
and recorded unde  
File No. R2007 1990  
in the Office of th  
Recorder of Deeds fo  
LaSalle County, Illinoi  
on 8152007, are th  
owners of the timeshar  
estate to be foreclose  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0385, Use Period  
Number(s) 47, Phase  
MELISSA BECKER  
5461 CARRIAGE LN  
MEDINA, OH, 4425  
according to the De  
dated July 21, 200  
and recorded unde  
File No. R2007 2249  
in the Office of th  
Recorder of Deeds fo  
LaSalle County, Illinoi  
on 9142007, are th  
owners of the timeshar  
estate to be foreclose  
more particularly  
described as Unit No.  
0372, Use Period  
Number(s) 34, Phase  
DOROTHY J BEL  
TRACY JONES  
3909 VAN BUREN  
BELLWOOD, IL, 6010  
according to the De  
dated February 20  
2011 and recorded  
under File No. R201  
06483, in the Office o  
the Recorder of Deeds  
for LaSalle County,  
Illinois, on 318201  
are the owners of th  
timeshare estate t  
be foreclosed, mor  
particularly describe  
as Unit No. 0400, Us  
Period Number(s) 03  
Phase 6  
DOROTHY J BEL  
TRACY JONES, 2331  
W ASHLEIGH MARIE  
DR, BUCKEYE, AZ  
85326, according to th  
Deed dated Februar  
20, 2011 and record  
under File No. R201  
06483, in the Office o  
the Recorder of Deeds





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timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0400, Use Period Number(s) 03, Phase 6

DARYL R BEREENDES, SUSAN A BEREENDES, 1611 PARK AVE, BELVIDERE, IL, 61008, according to the Deed dated October 02, 2010 and recorded under File No. R2010 21951, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 10202010, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0032E, Use Period Number(s) 37, Phase 1

BREND A BLACKSHIRE, EDWARD F. CANTY, JR., 2252 W 111TH ST, CHICAGO, IL, 60643, according to the Deed dated June 20, 1998 and recorded under File No. R98 24195, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 11131998, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 00020, Use Period Number(s) 49, Phase 1

BREND A BLACKSHIRE, EDWARD F. CANTY, JR., 3716 W 77TH PL, CHICAGO, IL, 60652, according to the Deed dated June 20, 1998 and recorded under File No. R98 24195, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 11131998, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 00020, Use Period Number(s) 49, Phase 1

DWIGHT BLACKSHIRE, BATHEN GRAY, 903 LUFKIN, TX, 75904, according to the Deed dated December 21, 2009 and recorded under File No. R2010 10877, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 5252010, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0279, Use Period Number(s) 02, Phase 4

DWIGHT BLACKSHIRE, BATHENA GRAY, PO BOX 1194, GRAYTOLAKES, TX, 77871, according to the Deed dated December 21, 2009 and recorded under File No. R2010 10877, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 5252010, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0279, Use Period Number(s) 02, Phase 4

PAUL C BOESTCHE, 1810 LENOX ST, NEW LENOX, IL, 60451, according to the Deed dated April 22, 2005 and recorded under File No. R2005 11970, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 5112005, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 000150, Use Period Number(s) 49, Phase 1

MIRVIN BRAZZLETON, L A T R I S H A BRAZZLETON, 3140 FLORENCE AVE, STEGER, IL, 60475, according to the Deed dated May 14, 2008 and recorded under File No. R2008 12059, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois,

more particularly described as Unit No. 0035, Use Period Number(s) 19, Phase 1 IRVIN BRAZZLETON, L A T R I S H A BRAZZLETON, 3356 WESTERN AVE, PARK FORCE, IL, 60466, according to the Deed dated May 14, 2008, and recorded under File No. R2008 12059, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 5302008, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0035, Use Period Number(s) 19, Phase 1, ERIC BREWER, 6330 S ALBANY AVE # B, CHICAGO, IL, 60629, according to the Deed dated May 24, 2003, and recorded under File No. R2003 20549, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 6192003, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0203, Use Period Number(s) 34, Phase 4 WARREN M. BULAUSKI SR., ANNETTE M. BULAUSKI, WARREN M. BULAUSKI JR., MICHELLE M. BUCK, TIMOTHY E. BUCK, 28 PLAINSMAN CT, OSWEGO, IL, 60543, according to the Deed dated August 09, 2001, and recorded under File No. R2001 26890, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 9062001, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0117E, Use Period Number(s) 04, Phase 2 JAMES E BUTLER, MARY D BUTLER, 1020 CHASE LN, MCDONOUGH, GA, 30253, according to the Deed dated August 14, 1998 and recorded under File No. R98 21125, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 10231998, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0017, Use Period Number(s) 31, Phase 1 JAMES E BUTLER, MARY D BUTLER, PO BOX 2324, MCDONOUGH, GA, 30253, according to the Deed dated August 14, 1998 and recorded under File No. R98 21125, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 10231998, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0017, Use Period Number(s) 31, Phase 1 STACEY BYAS, CORLISS L BYAS, 1115 BOULDER CREEK DR, APT 101, O FALLON, IL, 62269, according to the Deed dated March 26, 2009 and recorded under File No. R2009 11961, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 5122009, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0040, Use Period Number(s) 29, Phase 1 DAVID J CAREY, MARY G CAREY, 39W736 FABYAN PKWY, ELBURN, IL, 60119, according to the Deed dated February 03, 2001 and recorded under File No. R2001 05944, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County,

be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0012, Use Period Number(s) 19 Phase 1  
 C L A R E N C E CARRINGTON  
 B A R B A R A CARRINGTON  
 8843 S PAULINA ST  
 CHICAGO, IL, 60620  
 according to the Deed dated November 23, 2005 and recorded under File No. R20033924, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 12302005 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0211E, Use Period Number(s) 35 Phase 4  
 DONYALE CARTER  
 PATRICIA CARTER  
 WILLIAMS, 3933  
 HERONS RETREAT  
 CV, LAKE LAND, TN 38002, according to the Deed dated January 27, 1999 and recorded under File No. R9906353, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 3121999 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0045, Use Period Number(s) 52 Phase 1  
 DONYALE CARTER  
 PATRICIA CARTER  
 WILLIAMS, 8822  
 S BLACKSTONE  
 CHICAGO, IL, 60619 according to the Deed dated January 27, 1999 and recorded under File No. R9906353, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 3121999 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0045, Use Period Number(s) 52 Phase 1  
 LYNDELL CLEMONS JR., STEPHANIE  
 C L E M O N S  
 DEMETRIUS CARR  
 TERESSA R. CARR  
 2321 BUTTERNUT  
 COVE, CHAMPAIGN, IL, 61821, according to the Deed dated June 18, 2000 and recorded under File No. R200019648, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7282000 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0140E, Use Period Number(s) 51 Phase 2  
 LYNDELL CLEMONS JR., STEPHANIE  
 C L E M O N S  
 DEMETRIUS CARR  
 TERESSA R. CARR  
 1313 GLENDALE  
 DR, CHAMPAIGN, IL 61821, according to the Deed dated June 18, 2000 and recorded under File No. R200019648, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7282000 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0140E, Use Period Number(s) 51 Phase 2  
 LYNDELL CLEMONS JR., STEPHANIE  
 C L E M O N S  
 DEMETRIUS CARR  
 TERESSA R. CARR  
 2502 DALE DR  
 CHAMPAIGN, IL 61821, according to the Deed dated June 18, 2000 and recorded under File No. R200019648, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7282000 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0140E, Use Period Number(s) 51

0809 BRIAR FOREST, DR., HOUSTON, TX 77042, according to the Deed dated July 02, 2008 and recorded under File No. R20019136, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 8252008 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0392, Use Period Number(s) 15, Phase 6

JOSE D CORDERO JR., CARMELINDA C CORDERO, 3322 SPRINGDALE AVE, GLENVIEW, IL, 60025, according to the Deed dated April 29, 2008 and recorded under File No. R200014656, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 6022000, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0125E, Use Period Number(s) 42, Phase 2

FREDY CORTEZ ZELAYA, KARLA AYALA DIAZ, IRI ZELAYA, 7638 W 61ST PL APT 2, SUMMIT, IL 60501, according to the Deed dated January 11, 2014 and recorded under File No. 20102129, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 2052014 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0140E, Use Period Number(s) 09, Phase 2

DORIS M DANNEFORD 207 E MADISON ST HOMER, IL, 61845, according to the Deed dated January 10, 2010 and recorded under File No. R20101650, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 1262010 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0284, Use Period Number(s) 32, Phase 4

JANICE M. FENNEL SHEDDON L. BERRY JR., 543 E 50TH ST UNIT 2, CHICAGO, IL 60615, according to the Deed dated February 09, 2006 and recorded under File No. R20008559, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 4062006 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0055E, Use Period Number(s) 06, Phase 1

JESSICA GARCIA TROY SIGLE, 901 E. 104TH STREET #C101, CHICAGO, IL 60628, according to the Deed dated August 02, 2009 and recorded under File No. R20021637, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 8242009 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0219, Use Period Number(s) 46, Phase 4

JESSICA GARCIA TROY SIGLE, 41 RIDGELAND AVE WOODSTOCK, IL 60098, according to the Deed dated August 02, 2009 and recorded under File No. R20021637, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 8242009 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0219, Use Period Number(s) 46, Phase 4

77066, according to the Deed dated December 19, 2009 and recorded under File No. R201000365, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 108201, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0054E, Use Period Number(s) 4, Phase 1  
ERIC GAUTHIER  
KALYN GAUTHIER  
2706 MOLLYS C  
SPRING HILL, TX 73174, according to the Deed dated December 19, 2009 and recorded under File No. R201000365, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 108201, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0054E, Use Period Number(s) 4, Phase 1  
JAMES GLENN  
JAMES GLENN I  
PO BOX 584, HAZE CREST, IL, 60420, according to the Deed dated April 26, 2011 and recorded under File No. 2014 0925, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 5202014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0117E, Use Period Number(s) 32, Phase 1  
DUSTIN GOLDFELD  
MELANIE GOLDFELD  
8116 NW 160TH STREET, EDMOND, OK, 73013, according to the Deed dated May 16, 2009 and recorded under File No. R2009 1566, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 6172009, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0152, Use Period Number(s) 06, Phase 1  
DUSTIN GOLDFELD  
MELANIE GOLDFELD  
2013 N BRIARWOOD ST, STILLWATER, OK 74075, according to the Deed dated May 16, 2009 and recorded under File No. R2009 15667, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 6172009, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0152, Use Period Number(s) 06, Phase 2  
WILLIE GOLDSTEIN  
MARGARET GOLDSTEIN, 654 N SEELEY AVE, CHICAGO, IL, 60641, according to the Deed dated November 1, 2009 and recorded under File No. R2010 00649, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 1122011, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0018E, Use Period Number(s) 2, Phase 1  
LASCELLS GRACIA S A S A N D R WALTERS, 1511 SIMPSON STREET, EVANSTON, IL, 60201, according to the Deed dated July 14, 2009 and recorded under File No. R2010 0267, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 2092010, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0027, Use Period Number(s) 23, Phase 1  
ANTHONY S GRELL  
DOLORES A GRELL

the Deed dated 11/17, 2008 and recorded under File No. R20014505, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 6272001 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0396, U Period Number(s) 3 Phase 6  
H A R O L D G R U N E N W A L D JR., SUSAN G R U N E N W A L D 23 COFFEY F KINGSTON, N 12401, according to the Deed dated March 22, 2014 and recorded under File No. 20106261, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 409201 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0411, U Period Number(s) 1 Phase 7  
S A B R I N A R I C H A R D S O N HANKINS, 6231 SAINT LAWRENCE AVE, CHICAGO, 60637, according to the Deed dated June 30, 2001 and recorded under File No. R20021883, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 726200 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0152, U Period Number(s) 1 Phase 2  
P E A R L E N H E N D E R S O N S H E R I T H HENDERSON, 30 BENSLEY AVE Apt 2, CALUMET CITY, 60409, according to the Deed dated November 20, 2000 and recorded under File No. R20003483, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 209200 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 01140, U Period Number(s) 3 Phase 2  
PIERRE HENDERSON SR., KAREN HENDERSON, 1 TREEHOUSE MATTESON, IL, 60444 according to the Deed dated August 23, 2001 and recorded under File No. R20020525 in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 2202002, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0128, Use Period Number(s) 24, Phase 2  
SHARON HERRIDG JERRY BROOK 404 W GRUBB DR MESQUITE, TX, 75144 according to the Deed dated November 1, 2009 and recorded under File No. R20099909, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 1207200 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0095E, U Period Number(s) C Phase 2  
SHARON HERRIDG JERRY BROOK 10705 BLUE GIL QUINLAN, TX, 75474 according to the Deed dated November 1, 2009 and recorded under File No. R20099909, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 1207200 are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0095E, U

FARRAH IBARRA  
19730 SAN JUAN  
PLACE, BAYTOWN  
TX, 77523, according  
to the Deed dated A  
09, 2011 and record  
under File No. R200  
09328, in the Office  
of the Recorder of Deeds  
for LaSalle County,  
Illinois, on 42620  
are the owners of f  
timeshare estate  
be foreclosed, mo  
particularly describ  
as Unit No. 00210, U  
Period Number(s)  
Phase 1  
FANNIE R. IRV  
5237 S ABERDE  
ST, CHICAGO,  
60609, according  
to the Deed dated  
25, 2014 and record  
under File No. 20  
19199, in the Office  
of the Recorder of Deeds  
for LaSalle County,  
Illinois, on 100320  
are the owners of f  
timeshare estate  
be foreclosed, mo  
particularly describ  
as Unit No. 0047, U  
Period Number(s)  
Phase 1  
DANDRE JACKSON  
KAWANA RANDI  
CRAWFORD, 36  
LIBERTY SQUAR  
TRAIL, FRESNO, T  
77545, according  
to the Deed dated M  
02, 2014 and record  
under File No. 20  
09266, in the Office  
of the Recorder of Deeds  
for LaSalle County,  
Illinois, on 52020  
are the owners of f  
timeshare estate  
be foreclosed, mo  
particularly describ  
as Unit No. 0131E, U  
Period Number(s)  
Phase 2  
R O S E M A R I  
JOHNSON, ANDRE  
JOHNSON, 37  
PEACH GROVE LAM  
HAZEL CREST,  
60429, according to  
Deed dated Octob  
25, 2014 and record  
under File No. 20  
22131, in the Office  
of the Recorder of Deeds  
for LaSalle County,  
Illinois, on 111320  
are the owners of f  
timeshare estate  
be foreclosed, mo  
particularly describ  
as Unit No. 00170, U  
Period Number(s)  
Phase 1  
SCOTT M. JOHNSON  
STACY L. JOHNSON  
PO BOX 345, SOU  
PEKIN, IL, 6151  
according to the De  
dated April 26, 19  
and recorded un  
File No. R98 238  
in the Office of t  
Recorder of Deeds  
LaSalle County, Illin  
on 11131998, are t  
owners of the timesh  
estate to be foreclos  
more particularl  
described as Unit M  
00150, Use Per  
Number(s) 13, Phase  
JESUS L. JUARE  
ENRIQUETA  
JUAREZ, 40  
HIGHLAND AV  
LOMBARD, IL, 601  
according to the D  
dated June 13, 20  
and recorded un  
File No. R2002 196  
in the Office of  
Recorder of Deeds  
LaSalle County, Illin  
on 7162002, are t  
owners of the timesh  
estate to be foreclos  
more particularl  
described as Unit M  
0067, Use Per  
Number(s) 01, Phase  
JOHN E. KAMPE  
KATHY M. KAMPE  
11310 S NEENAH AV  
WORTH, IL, 6040  
according to the De  
dated August 19, 19  
and recorded un  
File No. R99 251  
in the Office of t  
Recorder of Deeds  
LaSalle County, Illin  
on 9241999, are t  
owners of the timesh  
estate to be foreclos  
more particularl  
described as Unit M  
0091, Use Per  
Number(s) 34, Phase

CENTER, MN, 55927,  
 according to the Deed  
 dated October 26, 2012,  
 and recorded under  
 File No. 2012 24834,  
 in the Office of the  
 Recorder of Deeds for  
 LaSalle County, Illinois,  
 on 11152012, are the  
 owners of the timeshare  
 estate to be foreclosed,  
 more particularly  
 described as Unit No.  
 01180, Use Period  
 Number(s) 13, Phase 2  
 JOAN T KANABLE,  
 MARK KANABLE,  
 5186 DORE RD,  
 LYNDEN STATION, WI,  
 53944, according to the  
 Deed dated October  
 26, 2012 and recorded  
 under File No. 2012  
 24834, in the Office of  
 the Recorder of Deeds  
 for LaSalle County,  
 Illinois, on 11152012,  
 are the owners of the  
 timeshare estate to  
 be foreclosed, more  
 particularly described  
 as Unit No. 01180, Use  
 Period Number(s) 13,  
 Phase 2  
 THOMAS KELLIHER,  
 CHRISTINE  
 FROELICH-KELIHR,  
 183 SEDGEWICK  
 DR, ROMEOVILLE, IL,  
 60446, according to the  
 Deed dated December  
 09, 2011 and recorded  
 under File No. R2011  
 26930, in the Office of  
 the Recorder of Deeds  
 for LaSalle County,  
 Illinois, on 12302011,  
 are the owners of the  
 timeshare estate to  
 be foreclosed, more  
 particularly described  
 as Unit No. 0053E, Use  
 Period Number(s) 20,  
 Phase 1  
 RICKY KILLIAN,  
 MELISSA KILLIAN,  
 4220 LAKEWOOD DR,  
 FORT WORTH, TX,  
 76135, according to  
 the Deed dated May  
 10, 2014 and recorded  
 under File No. 2014  
 09779, in the Office of  
 the Recorder of Deeds  
 for LaSalle County,  
 Illinois, on 5282014,  
 are the owners of the  
 timeshare estate to  
 be foreclosed, more  
 particularly described  
 as Unit No. 0076E, Use  
 Period Number(s) 27,  
 Phase 1  
 JOAN KNIGHT-HILL,  
 PAMELA J JOHNSON,  
 6101 S WOOD ST,  
 CHICAGO, IL, 60636,  
 according to the Deed  
 dated January 31,  
 2010 and recorded  
 under File No. R2010  
 03620, in the Office of  
 the Recorder of Deeds  
 for LaSalle County,  
 Illinois, on 2242010,  
 are the owners of the  
 timeshare estate to  
 be foreclosed, more  
 particularly described  
 as Unit No. 0091, Use  
 Period Number(s) 30,  
 Phase 2  
 MIN P. LAU, NGAI  
 TRAN LAU, 9841 N  
 HUBER LN, NILES, IL,  
 60714, according to the  
 Deed dated September  
 12, 1999 and recorded  
 under File No. R999  
 27834, in the Office of  
 the Recorder of Deeds  
 for LaSalle County,  
 Illinois, on 10291999,  
 are the owners of the  
 timeshare estate to  
 be foreclosed, more  
 particularly described  
 as Unit No. 0072, Use  
 Period Number(s) 39,  
 Phase 1  
 MOISES MACEDO,  
 PATRICIA MACEDO,  
 3733 W HAYFORD ST,  
 CHICAGO, IL, 60652,  
 according to the Deed  
 dated September 07,  
 2013 and recorded  
 under File No. 2013  
 21490, in the Office of  
 the Recorder of Deeds  
 for LaSalle County,  
 Illinois, on 9242013,  
 are the owners of the  
 timeshare estate to  
 be foreclosed, more  
 particularly described  
 as Unit No. 0382, Use  
 Period Number(s) 32,  
 Phase 3  
 TIMOTHY A.  
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124 OTTER, WAXAHACHIE, TX, 75165, according to the Deed dated June 12, 2015 and recorded under File No. 2015 12305, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7012015, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0048, Use Period Number(s) 30, Phase 1 JONATHAN NORMAN, 5656 BINBRANCH LN, MCKINNEY, TX, 75071, according to the Deed dated October 12, 2013 and recorded under File No. 2013 24293, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 10292013, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0418, Use Period Number(s) 47, Phase 7 STEPHEN TRENT PATTERSON, L A V O N N E PATTERSON, 400 W 14TH ST, SMACKOVER, AR, 71762, according to the Deed dated January 08, 2000 and recorded under File No. R2000 04590, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 2252000, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0104, Use Period Number(s) 17, Phase 2 PETER PAUL PELLEGRINO, C. MONIQUE C. BAKER, SAMUEL J. DELGATTO, L O R R A I N E DELGATTO, 1409 MANZANITA WAY, LAS VEGAS, NV, 89101, according to the Deed dated September 20, 2000 and recorded under File No. R2001 03567, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 2132001, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 00750, Use Period Number(s) 21, Phase 1 PETER PAUL PELLEGRINO, C. MONIQUE C. BAKER, SAMUEL J. DELGATTO, L O R R A I N E DELGATTO, 2581 CORVUS, HENDERSON, NV, 89044, according to the Deed dated September 20, 2000 and recorded under File No. R2001 03567, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 2132001, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 00750, Use Period Number(s) 21, Phase 1 MARIE POLLARD, PRISCILLA C MEDRANO, 1646 TOTEM POLE WAY, KRUM, TX, 76249, according to the Deed dated September 09, 2009 and recorded under File No. R2009 25346, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 10082009, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 00360, Use Period Number(s) 01, Phase 1 JENNIFER REAMER, 2104 LITCHFIELD CT, JOLIET, IL, 60431, according to the Deed dated April 21, 2011 and recorded under File No. R2011 15524, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois,

on 7212011, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0214, Use Period Number(s) 11, Phase 4 EDNA REDMOND, WILLIONTA PEELE, 8922 S HOUSTON AVE, CHICAGO, IL, 60617, according to the Deed dated April 09, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 07843, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 4302014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0020E, Use Period Number(s) 25, Phase 1 GRAHAM ROUSE, 131 EISENHOWER LN N, LOMBARD, IL, 60148, according to the Deed dated June 27, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 13502, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7182014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0205E, Use Period Number(s) 28, Phase 4 RACHEL RUEDIN, DONALD KRAUCH III, 2525 ONEAL LN APT 707, BATON ROUGE, LA, 70816, according to the Deed dated February 07, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 04892, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 3202014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0210E, Use Period Number(s) 22, Phase 4 FELIPE RUIZ, NANCY RUIZ, 223 CARDINAL WAY, SAN ANTONIO, TX, 78253, according to the Deed dated September 04, 2014 and recorded under File No. 2014 18423, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 9252014, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0164Q, Use Period Number(s) 05, Phase 1 EARL SALTHER, 2234 S 19TH AVE, BROADVIEW, IL, 60155, according to the Deed dated November 10, 2007 and recorded under File No. R2007 28742, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 12042007, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0166, Use Period Number(s) 27, Phase 1 SCOTT A SCHIEL, TAMMY SCHIEL, PO BOX 143, DONOVAN, IL, 60931, according to the Deed dated April 09, 2008 and recorded under File No. R2008 09433, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 4292008, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0204E, Use Period Number(s) 27, Phase 4 SCOTT A SCHIEL, TAMMY SCHIEL, 10908 E LE CLARE ST, GRANT PARK, IL, 60940, according to the Deed dated April 09, 2008 and recorded under File No. R2008 09433, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 4292008, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0204E, Use Period Number(s) 27,

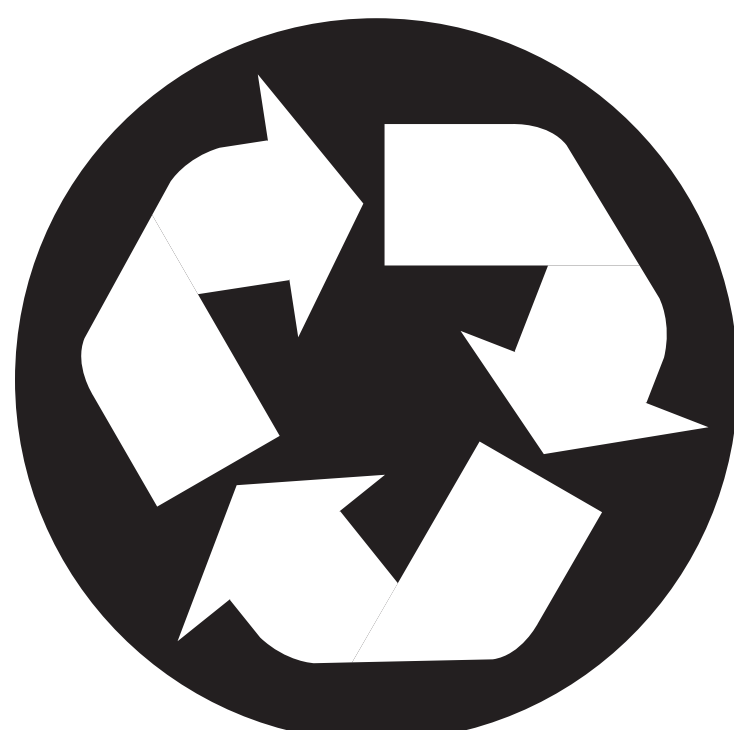
Phase 4 MICHAEL SLENCZKA II, 1165 ROBIN DR, CAROL STREAM, IL, 60188, according to the Deed dated October 25, 2006 and recorded under File No. R2006 31114, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 12122006, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 00830, Use Period Number(s) 12, Phase 2 GREGORY J SMITH, MARY F SMITH, 139 RIESER CIR, NAPERVILLE, IL, 60565, according to the Deed dated September 23, 2007 and recorded under File No. R2007 25488, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 10192007, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0006E, Use Period Number(s) 35, Phase 1 TAMMY TAYLOR, WELDON LOVEJOY, 105 S BLUE BONNET CIR, JUSTIN, TX, 76247, according to the Deed dated April 22, 2012 and recorded under File No. R2012 10042, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 5102012, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0136E, Use Period Number(s) 41, Phase 2 DAVID ZEEB, MICHAEL FITAK, 5740 N 59TH AVE APT 1067, GLENDALE, AZ, 85301, according to the Deed dated April 28, 2000 and recorded under File No. R2000 18272, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7142000, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0109, Use Period Number(s) 15, Phase 2 DAVID ZEEB, MICHAEL FITAK, 8916 CAROLE CIRCLE, URBAN DALE, IA, 50322, according to the Deed dated April 28, 2000 and recorded under File No. R2000 18272, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7142000, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0109, Use Period Number(s) 15, Phase 2 TERMS OF SALE: At the time and location noted above, the timeshare estates listed above will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash. The timeshare estates will be sold in individual lots unless there are no individual bidders, in which case, they may be sold as a group. In the event the managing entity lienholder or its authorized agent is the purchaser of one or more of the timeshare estates, the managing entity lienholder or its authorized agent may offset against the purchase price of the timeshare estate(s) an amount equal to all or a portion of the amount due under the managing entity lien(s) (and thus, credit bid). Other terms may be announced at the public auction. Fox River Resort Club, An Illinois Not-for-profit Corporation By: Don Larson Its: Attorney-In-Fact 0201 (Feb. 5, 12, 19, 2020)

9408 S SAINT LAWRENCE AVE, CHICAGO, IL, 60619, according to the Deed dated June 23, 2005 and recorded under File No. R2005 18075, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7152005, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0159O, Use Period Number(s) 41, Phase 2 RICHARD B WOOD, PATRICIA B HIGGINS, 2623 AVONDALE CIR, NAPERVILLE, IL, 60564, according to the Deed dated February 28, 2009 and recorded under File No. R2009 08727, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 4082009, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0155E, Use Period Number(s) 07, Phase 2 BERND WOZIOWDZKI, PATRICIA M. WOZIOWDZKI, 292 REDWOOD AVE, ELK GROVE VILLAGE, IL, 60007, according to the Deed dated June 30, 2002 and recorded under File No. R2002 21816, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 8062002, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0108, Use Period Number(s) 18, Phase 2 DAVID ZEEB, MICHAEL FITAK, 5740 N 59TH AVE APT 1067, GLENDALE, AZ, 85301, according to the Deed dated April 28, 2000 and recorded under File No. R2000 18272, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7142000, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0109, Use Period Number(s) 15, Phase 2 DAVID ZEEB, MICHAEL FITAK, 8916 CAROLE CIRCLE, URBAN DALE, IA, 50322, according to the Deed dated April 28, 2000 and recorded under File No. R2000 18272, in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds for LaSalle County, Illinois, on 7142000, are the owners of the timeshare estate to be foreclosed, more particularly described as Unit No. 0109, Use Period Number(s) 15, Phase 2 TERMS OF SALE: At the time and location noted above, the timeshare estates listed above will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash. The timeshare estates will be sold in individual lots unless there are no individual bidders, in which case, they may be sold as a group. In the event the managing entity lienholder or its authorized agent is the purchaser of one or more of the timeshare estates, the managing entity lienholder or its authorized agent may offset against the purchase price of the timeshare estate(s) an amount equal to all or a portion of the amount due under the managing entity lien(s) (and thus, credit bid). Other terms may be announced at the public auction. Fox River Resort Club, An Illinois Not-for-profit Corporation By: Don Larson Its: Attorney-In-Fact 0201 (Feb. 5, 12, 19, 2020)

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LASALLE COUNTY, ILLINOIS**  
IN THE MATTER OF )  
THE ESTATE OF )  
ALBERT WILLIAM )  
BUTLER, II, )  
Deceased. )  
No. 2020 P 3  
**CLAIM NOTICE**  
Notice is given to creditors of the death of Albert William Butler, II, late of Mendota Lutheran Home, Mendota, LaSalle County, Illinois. Letters of Office were issued to Albert William Butler, III, 2101 Pine Avenue, Mendota, Illinois 61342, as Independent Executor, whose attorney of record is Gary R. Gehlbach, Ehrmann Gehlbach Badger & Considine, LLC, 215 E. First Street, P.O. Box 447, Dixon, Illinois 61021.  
The estate will be administered without court supervision, unless under section 28-4 of the Probate Act (755 ILCS 5/28-4) any interested person terminates independent administration at any time by mailing or delivering a petition to terminate to the clerk. Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court at 119 W. Madison, Room 201, Ottawa, Illinois 61350, or with the representative, or both, on or before the date which is six (6) months after the date of the first publication of this Claim Notice, or, if mailing or delivering of a notice from the representative is required by section 18-3 of the Probate Act of 1975, the date stated in that notice. Any claim not filed on or before that date 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. By: Albert William Butler, III, Independent Executor Gary R. Gehlbach (ARDC No. 3122825) Ehrmann Gehlbach Badger & Considine, LLC Attorneys for Independent Executor 215 East First Street, Suite 100 P.O. Box 447 Dixon, IL 61021 (815) 288-4949 (815) 288-3068 (FAX) gehlbach@egbcilaw.com No. 0105 (Jan. 22, 29, Feb. 5, 2020)

**2020 NOTICE OF ELECTION OF DIRECTORS**  
To All Owners And Occupiers Of Lands Lying Within The Boundaries Of The LaSalle County Soil And Water Conservation District:  
Notice is hereby given that an Election will be held on the 20th day of February, 2020 at 6:30 a.m.to 5:00 p.m. at USDA Service Center, 1691 N 31st Road, Ottawa, IL Three (3) Directors will be elected to serve the LaSalle County Soil and Water Conservation District of the State of Illinois. All persons, firms or corporations who hold legal title or are in legal possession of any land lying within the boundaries of the said district are eligible to vote at said election, whether as lessee, renter, tenant or otherwise. Only such persons, firms or corporations are eligible to vote. Ross W. Adams Chairman LaSalle County Soil and Water Conservation District  
DATE: 20th day of January 2020.  
No. 0108 (Jan. 29, Feb. 5, 2020)  
**CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LA SALLE COUNTY, ILLINOIS**  
In The Matter of )  
the Estate )  
of CATHERINE K. )  
EILERT, )  
Deceased. )  
No. 2020 P 19  
**CLAIM NOTICE**  
Notice is given of the death of CATHERINE K. EILERT of Peru, Illinois. Letters of Office were issued on January 22, 2020 to JOHN H. EILERT, 720 30th Street, Peru, IL 61354 as independent executor, whose attorneys are DOUGLAS B. OLIVERO & ASSOCIATES, 1615 Fourth Street, Peru, IL 61354. Claims against the estate may be filed in the Office of the Circuit Clerk, Probate Division, LaSalle County Courthouse, Ottawa, IL 61350, or with the representative, or both, on or before August 1, 2020. If a claim notice is mailed or delivered personally to a creditor of the decedent, the creditor's claim may be filed on or before the date stated in the notice, if later than the date shown above. Any claim not filed within the time allowed is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the Representative and to the Attorney within ten days after it has been filed. No. 0112 (Jan. 29, Feb. 5, 12, 2020)

in the above periods are barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the representative and to the attorneys within ten days after it has been filed. The estate will be administered without court supervision unless under Section 28-4 of the Probate Act (755 ILCS 5/28-4) any interested person terminates independent administration at any time by mailing or delivering a petition to terminate to the clerk. A copy of a form of a petition to terminate independent administration may be obtained from the Clerk of the Court at the above address. DOUGLAS B. OLIVERO & ASSOCIATES Attorneys for Estate 1615 Fourth Street Peru, IL 61354 Telephone: 815/224-2400 No. 0110 (Jan. 29, Feb. 5, 12, 2020)  
**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT LA SALLE COUNTY, ILLINOIS**  
ESTATE OF )  
Charlotte C. Delhotal, )  
Deceased )  
Case No. 2020-P-5  
**CLAIM NOTICE**  
Notice is given of the death of Charlotte C. Delhotal of Mendota, Illinois. Letters of Office were issued on January 13, 2020 to Peggy Ann Carr of 615 N. Church Street, Princeton, IL 61356 and James Delhotal of 273 N. 45th Road, Mendota, IL 61342 whose attorney is Guilfoyle & Stevenson, LLP, 1316 Meriden Street, Mendota, IL 61342. Claims against the estate may be filed in the Office of the Circuit Clerk, Probate Division, LaSalle County Courthouse, Ottawa, IL 61350, or with the representative, or both, on or before August 1, 2020. If a claim notice is mailed or delivered personally to a creditor of the decedent, the creditor's claim may be filed on or before the date stated in the notice, if later than the date shown above. Any claim not filed within the time allowed is barred. Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered to the Representative and to the Attorney within ten days after it has been filed. No. 0112 (Jan. 29, Feb. 5, 12, 2020)  
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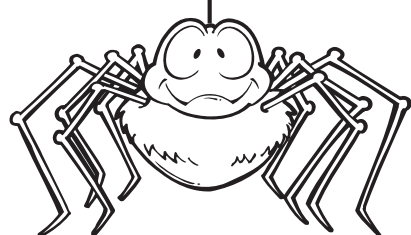
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2016 Chevy Tahoe LT 4x4 Z71, Gray.....	\$34,900
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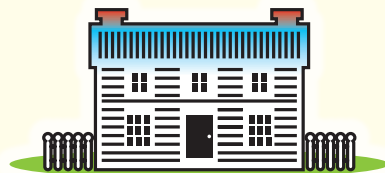


**MLS#10449791 803 Carolyn St. Mendota \$156,000.** Beautiful home in a great neighborhood. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths and 2 family rooms. Bar in lower family room. Attached garage. Newer boiler. Move right in. Call McConville Realty for all the amenities.

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**MENDOTA- 3 BDR- EDGE OF TOWN-HEATED BLDG PENDING** .....\$98,000  
**LAMOILLE- 2-3 BDR. – COUNTRY - APPROX 11 ACRES PENDING**.....\$125,000  
**MENDOTA- 3 BDR. – RANCH – 2 LOTS – 2 C. ATT GARAGE** .....\$129,900  
**MENDOTA - PRISTINE, 4 BDR, 2 BATH** .....\$144,500  
**LAMOILLE - COUNTRY, 3 BDR, 2 BATH** .....\$149,900  
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**CORNER LOT** - This 2 story home features include 2 car detached garage, 3 bd, 1 bath, first floor laundry, large living room and kitchen Concrete pad between house and garage. This home is sure to sell fast!  
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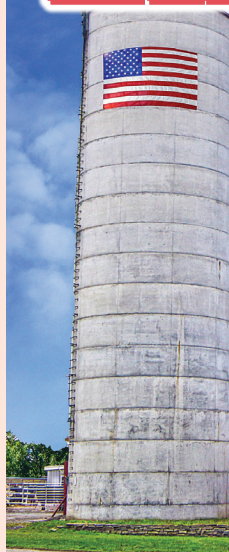
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**MLS# 10559988 1903 Stroble Ave, Mendota \$64,900** One story home with 3 bedrooms. 2 car detached garage. Large lot 54x210 with alley access. Possible to sell off back lot for building. Corner lot near school. Newer roof and furnace. Call for a showing.



**MLS # 10408377, 887 Compton Rd. Compton, IL** Ranch with 3 bedrooms and 2 car attached garage. Full basement. Interior walls have been freshly painted. Situated on 1.75 acres. Extra acreage available, home is part of a 17.7 tract that will be split off. Also, a 24x24 pole building and a barn. Call McConville Realty for all the amenities.



**806 Indiana Ave. Mendota. \$99,000.00** 2 story home with 2 full baths. 2 car garage on alley with a shed also. Screened in porch off of kitchen. Large living, dining, family room. 3 bedrooms upstairs. 1 down, Front sitting porch. Nicelocation near downtown Mendota. Call for all the amenities.

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