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Ready to relinquish the crown

Mongan has had busy year as Ogle County Fair Queen

By Brad Jennings
Editor

questions about her time
wearing the crown.

OREGON – It has been quite a year for Grace Mongan.

Not only has the 18-year-old Oregon native been active in cheerleading, tumbling, 4-H and FFA while graduating with honors from Oregon High School, she has done it all while serving as the Ogle County Fair Queen.

She will hand off her crown to the next queen at the fair on Wednesday, July 31. But before she does, Mongan – the daughter of Jean and Dan Mongan – sat down to answer some

Question: Is it hard to believe your time as fair queen is coming to an end?

Answer: It is kind of crazy my time is almost over as queen. I truly don't want to end the "Royal Treatment" I've received from businesses, the Fair-board, and the media. However, I am ready to pass down my crown to the next deserving young woman and watch them grow in many ways as their own year progresses.

Q: What was your initial reaction to being selected



Grace Mongan, who graduated from Oregon High School with honors this year, is headed to college at the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign to study Aerospace Engineering and Astronomy.

as queen?

A: I was crowned Jr Miss Ogle County 2016 and had participated in the Miss America Organization as Miss River Valley's Outstanding Teen. So, I knew I wanted to participate in the Miss pageant. Even if I didn't win, I planned to continue pageantry in some capacity. When my name

was called as Miss Ogle County 2018 of course I was ecstatic, but more excited for this wild adventure of a year I knew I would take on.

Q: What was your favorite part of being the fair queen for the past year?

A: My favorite part of my year as queen was participating in the state

pageant and being named 3rd Runner-Up out of 71 contestants. Hearing the loud cheers from my posse every time I took the stage and being named the first ever Miss Ogle County to place in the top 5 made this experience truly one of a lifetime.

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Byron plant keeps up with demand during heatwave

BYRON – While the sun beat down on Illinois recently, sending temperatures and energy demand soaring, Exelon Generation’s six Illinois nuclear plants operated at full power, producing enough carbon-free electricity to keep 11 million homes and businesses safe and cool.

That predictable, sustained energy production helped keep prices stable throughout the heatwave.

“Our zero-carbon nuclear energy facilities remain online when customers need us most, during extreme weather,” said Exelon Generation Chief Nuclear Officer Bryan Hanson. “I want to thank the thousands of men and women working at our plants who kept our fleet operating during this period of high electricity demand. Our nuclear facilities are among the safest and most reliable in the country because of our dedicated, highly trained employees.”

Carbon-free nuclear energy not only provides the electricity needed for air conditioning during extreme heat, it does so without re-

leasing the harmful carbon emissions like those from fossil fuel plants. The release of harmful carbon emissions makes the already poor air quality in Illinois even worse for seniors and others at risk of health problems related to air pollution. Always-on nuclear energy reduces the need for carbon-emitting peaker plants to come online during periods of high demand, which can increase market prices for electricity.

More than half of Illinois’ electricity is generated by nuclear energy, which was online more than 94 percent of the time in Illinois in 2018, including during extreme weather events. In fact, nearly 90 percent of Illinois’ carbon-free power is produced by nuclear energy facilities, preventing the average annual equivalent of 15 million cars’ worth of carbon dioxide from entering earth’s atmosphere. There are only 10.4 million vehicles currently registered in Illinois.

Summer resiliency and reliability requires year-long planning, preparation and maintenance.



Exelon Generation workers spend months ensuring that backup generators and spare equipment is ready for extreme weather. This spring, operators and main-

tenance personnel inspected mechanical systems, tested electrical equipment, and properly aligned plant systems to prepare all Exelon Generation-operated fa-

cilities for extreme temperatures. These efforts are in addition to the many equipment upgrades and “summer readiness” maintenance activities performed during

refueling outages. All of Exelon Generation’s 22 reactors remained online during the recent heat wave that hit across the country.

CROWN: Heading to university to study engineering

From page 1

Leaving for the state pageant I knew I had a decent chance with my past pageant experience and training, but the outcome was fairly unexpected as it spiraled many media interviews and TV appearances.

have for the next queen?

A: I’m commonly asked how someone is to win Miss Ogle County 2019, but it is truly unwritten. The best advice I have is to truly be yourself. No one else can possibly be the same as me or any queen that has come before me. Truly make it your own and show the audience who you are, not who you

think they want to see.

Q: Finally, what is next for you? What are your future plans?

A: After I crown the new Miss Ogle, I am headed to the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign to study Aerospace Engineering and Astronomy while on the Co-ed Cheerleading team there.

I strongly believe my time in pageantry has molded me for my future career. I’ve learned so much about perseverance, interview skills, communication, and how to work hard for my goals. I am so thankful for the pageant crew I have acquired and have supported me on this wild year, but I’m glad to have them in my corner for many years to come!

For more on the Ogle County Fair, please see Section D inside the newspaper this week.

Night Out will be held in Ogle County Aug. 6

Since 1984, on the first Tuesday of every August, communities and law enforcement across our nation have come together to get to know one another and ultimately strengthen our commitment to one another.

This night is known as National Night Out and this year more than 37 million people will participate and celebrate in the event.

On the evening of Aug. 6, within Ogle County, there will be four events hosted, which take place in Byron, Polo, Oregon, Rochelle and Ogle County will host its event within Byron.

Bring your family, and your friends. That kid down the street that hangs out with your kid(s) – bring him or her too. This event is for all.

The events will focus on public safety agencies having their equipment on display, as well as having activities and games for all.

Local fire departments will also be joining us to showcase their services and equipment. Our departments look forward to a wonderful night out of getting to know you more and an evening of fun for all.

Here is a listing of the events in each of our communities:

* Polo: 5- 8 p.m. in the 100 block of W. Colden Street

* Oregon: 5-7 p.m. at the Oregon Coliseum (4th and Franklin)

* Rochelle: 5-8 p.m. in Atwood Park. (Rain date of August 8th)

* Ogle County and Byron: 5-7:30 p.m. (100 Block of Washington near the Fire Dept.)

Check each department’s social media pages for further information and details.

American Legion Family

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Saturday, August 3

at Memorial Park

Brats, Hot Dogs, Kraut 10-3

Car & Bike Show 8-4

Music by 3D Sound

50/50 Raffle

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Thank You

The family of John Price would like to express thanks to everyone for the food, cards, memorials and flowers, during our difficult time. We thank KSB hospital and Serenity House for their compassionate care. Special thanks to Ed and Mary – we can’t thank you enough.

Sincerely,
Shirley Mon
Candase, Wendy, Gene Price and
Tracie Rinaldo

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From left: Richie Sutliff, Tyler Kubiszewski, Tammy Pierson (advisor), Cathie Murphy (advisor) and Logan Apsey.

Stillman students attend leadership workshop

Three of Stillman Valley's FBLA officers attended the Illinois State Leadership workshop from July 17-19 at the Northfield Inn Suites in Springfield.

Richie Sutliff, Tyler Kubiszewski and Logan Apsey took part in the leadership training and workshop sponsored by Future Business Leaders of America. The workshop's focus was to unite FBLA officers and members from our State to build fellowship, leadership training and teamwork.

The workshop's keynote speaker was Patty Hendrickson, who was an exceptional interactive speaker.

Her motivational forum challenged the members to set high goals, move out of their comfort zone, and open themselves up to new and exciting experiences by taking the risk to meet new people. Hendrickson was a former FBLA member as well as a National FBLA President. Her highly motivating techniques have helped many FBLA members to strive for excellence beyond what they ever thought possible.

At the beginning, Hendrickson had the members connect up with someone that they did not know to build a "power partner" bond during the workshop. Then she provided ideas on how they could improve their confidence and build a positive and thriving perspective for their future.

"Nothing is fun until you have experienced the SLW (State Leadership Workshop) with the famous person of all, Patty Hendrickson," Kubiszewski said. "The conference was not all about work; it's about meeting new people and experiencing new things. The "power partners" was the best thing that ever happened to me."

Each member was assigned to a "mock" chapter that was made up of members that they did not know from our State. Throughout the workshop, they worked on communication skills, leadership skills and teamwork. Each chapter selected a candidate to run for the mock officer position of president, vice president, secretary

and treasurer.

This year, Stillman Valley was honored to have Sutliff run for treasurer of his mock chapter and was selected by the entire conference members to be their SLW Treasurer. Sutliff was required to build a campaign with his mock chapter, prepare a speech, present the speech at the FBLA banquet and then undergo a "Q & A" from the members. Congrats to Sutliff for a fantastic overall presentation.

"I really enjoyed the Summer Leadership Workshop," he said. "It was so fun to learn and connect with new people! 10/10."

Other activities included playing Family Feud, participating in the Amazing Race and creating fellowships through FBLA cheers and game activities. Each FBLA chapter in attendance was also given time to prepare their program of work for the upcoming school year, which included community service projects, events, conferences and fundraising.

Another important part of the workshop included having five of the State judges speak with the members about how they approach judging projects and presentations.

Each year at the SLW, individual members are selected for the Aspiring Business Leader Scholarship. This year our very own Kubiszewski, the secretary of Stillman's FBLA chapter, was selected as one of the recipients of the Aspiring Business Leader Scholarship.

For more information on becoming a part of FBLA, visit our Stillman Valley FBLA Website @ <https://sites.google.com/mail.meridian223.org/stillman-fbla/> home, or contact any Stillman Valley FBLA Adviser (Cathie Murphy, Ryan Read, or Tammy Pierson). You can also follow Stillman FBLA through Twitter using the tag, @fbla_valley.

If you would like to become a "power sponsor" for Stillman's FBLA, please contact any of the officers or advisers for more information.

County Board approves new Sheriff's Department contract

By Brad Jennings
Editor

OREGON – The Ogle County Board on July 16 finally approved a new contract for the Ogle County Sheriff's Department.

The new six-year deal covers about 70 people, said Ogle County Sheriff Brian VanVickle, including patrol deputies, corrections officers and "non-sworn" workers including office staff. They have all been working without a contract since Dec. 1, 2017.

The new contract includes pay increases of 2 percent for 2017-18; 2.5 percent for fiscal year 2018-19; and a 2.75 percent increase in each of the final four years.

VanVickle said the pay is retroactive, and that the union has already ratified the agreement, which focused on pay.

"Wages are always the No. 1 concern," he said. "That's what the majority of the negotiations were in regards to."

VanVickle said the new contract puts the pay in his department "right in line" with the industry standard.

County seeks board volunteers

By Brad Jennings
Editor

OREGON – Ogle County is seeking applicants for its Board of Review.

The board, which has three members, meets annually to hear disputes on property tax assessments, both residential and commercial.

The board is currently down one member, as a member who was appointed in May had to step down due to a conflict,

said Ogle County Board Chairman Kim Gouker.

"They meet once a year, usually in the spring, to hear these appeals from taxpayers," said Gouker, who announced the opening at the July County Board meeting.

To apply, people can contact the office of the Ogle County Clerk at 815-732-1130 and ask for an application. Applications are due to the county by the first Friday of September.

Gouker said he is

hoping that having some "good civic-minded folks" apply would allow for the board to pick a strong candidate for the position.

The county has a variety of boards and commissions that are filled with people who volunteer their time, and it is increasingly difficult to find people to fill those positions, he said. For the Board of Review, when the last appointment was made in May, only two people applied.

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Ticket sales will end on Saturday, Aug. 24 at noon, at the Compton, Dixon, Franklin Grove and Sublette locations.

Amboy locations will sell until noon on Sunday, Aug. 25.

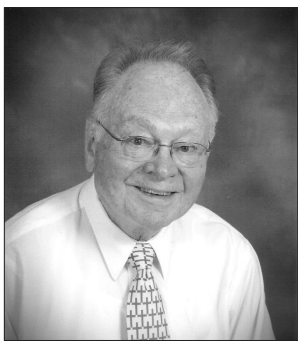
Depot Days Drum is located at Amboy Food and Liquor.

Drawing Sunday, August 25 after the Car Show Proceeds to benefit Community Projects

Obituary

William M. Wittig

BYRON—William “Bill” M. Wittig, 94, (June 29, 1925–July 23, 2019). Pastor Bill’s favorite Bible verse was I Thessalonians 5:16-18 “Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.”



Pastor Wittig was born in Ladysmith, Wisconsin and grew up outside Carthage, Ill. A major impact on Bill’s life was his father and his values, since his father was also a Lutheran minister.

and Isabelle were excited about meeting persons of different races, cultures and religions. They travelled to Israel, particularly Bethlehem twice, Germany, to see the Oberammergau Passion Play, Alaska and Puerto Rico.

While attending college he carved tombstones in Carthage, Illinois. Bill graduated from Carthage in 1945 with a B.A. degree. He then attended Wartburg seminary and graduated in 1949 with a MDiv and was ordained in June of that year.

On behalf of the division of World Mission and Interchurch cooperation of the American Lutheran Church, Bill journeyed to Australia, Papua New Guinea, China (including the Great Wall of China and Beijing), Taiwan and Japan. Bill and Isabelle’s last trip out of the country was to India.

Bill was married to Isabelle F. Nelson, August of 1949, and began serving his first congregations, Trinity Lutheran in Chenoa and Trinity Lutheran in Fairbury, Illinois. During the following years he would serve the American Lutheran Church in Rantoul, Illinois; St. John’s Lutheran in Peoria (Bartonville); Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd, Rockford, IL; St. Matthew in Lima, Ohio; St. James Lutheran in Payne and St. John Lutheran Paulding (Briceton), Ohio.

Bill and Isabelle received a Distinguished Alumni Service Award from Carthage College in 2010. Recently, Bill received a certificate in plaque form from Bishop Clements citing his 70 years of ordained ministry.

After retiring from being full time pastor of a church, he did pulpit supply in California. This allowed Bill and Isabelle the opportunity to spend more time with the grandchildren and also to travel more extensively. Bill

Bill’s hobbies were quite diverse and included camping, photography, woodworking, playing the piano and organ, clown ministry and puppet ministry with his wife and traveling, especially to see his children and grandchildren.

Bill greatly appreciated the assistance and support received from Ogle County

Physical Therapy, Swedish American Hospital, the Arbors at Wesley Willows, Serenity Hospice and Home, and church family.

Bill is survived by his two daughters: Emma Nelson, Orange City, Fla., Linda Wittig, Byron; two sons: William (Maria) West Chester, Pa., Erland (Naomi) El Segundo, Calif.; three grandchildren: Steve Wittig (JeriAnn) Collegeville, Pa., Anne Serrano (Josh) San Carlos, Calif., Katherine Wittig, Los Angeles, Calif.; and five step-great grandchildren: Harper, Logan, Camden, Sebastian, Isaac; and sister, Ruth Wootten, Phoenix, Ariz.

Bill’s parents, wife, brother, son and infant daughter predeceased him.

Bill peacefully took his last breath on July 23, 2019.

The family rejoiced in God’s goodness, compassion and provision to William and his family at All Saints Lutheran Church in Byron on Saturday, July 27, 2019 at 10:30 a.m. with Pastor Janet Wold officiating and Pastor Julane Nease assisting. Visitation was held Friday at Farrell Holland Gale Funeral Home, in Bryon from 5-7 p.m. and also at the church Saturday one hour ahead of the service.

In lieu of flowers, if desired, memorials may be made to: All Saints Lutheran Church, Byron; Serenity Hospice and Home, Oregon; or Good Samaritan Fund at Wesley Willows, Rockford.

To leave an online condolence visit www.farrellholllandgale.com

Obituaries

Betty Mae Basler

OREGON – Betty Mae (Rosenberg) Basler 88, Oregon, passed away Tuesday, July 16th at the Oregon Living and Rehabilitation Center. She was born in Oregon to Rinder (RJ) Rosenberg and Jenny (Oltman) Rosenberg.



Betty was a lifelong resident of Oregon, a graduate of Oregon High School in 1948 and attended Central College in Pella, Iowa. On Oct. 26, 1950 Betty married her High School Sweetheart John (Jack) Basler at a small ceremony at the Rosenberg family farm in Oregon. Betty and Jack celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary prior to Jack’s passing in 2013.

for 16 years.

Betty worked as a cook at both the Oregon High School and Middle School for 10 years. She was also the Office Manager for Jacks business (Rochelle Oil Co.)

Betty had many passions in life which included her family, spoiling her grandkids and great-grandchildren. Betty also had a love for cooking, canning and bridge (which she became a Life Master in 2002). She will be greatly missed for her consistent smile and love of life. Betty always looked out for the underdog in life and treated everyone as a friend. She will also be remembered for her ability to use any occasion for a

family get-together or host a celebration for friends.

Grateful for having been blessed to share in her life are her four children, Jeff (Cindy Kowa), Ft. Meyers, Fla., Robb (Terri Zolondek) Crystal Lake, Jennifer (Dave) Bakener, Oregon, and Janna (Dave) Bredeson, Marietta, Ga.; 11 Grandchildren, and 8 great-grandchildren.

Betty was preceded in death by her husband Jack, parents and 4 brothers and 2 sisters.

A memorial service was Sunday, July 21, 2019 at 3 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Oregon with a visitation prior to the service from 2-3 p.m.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be directed to the First Presbyterian Church, Oregon, or the Oregon Living and Rehabilitation Center (Activities Department).

Craig Matthews

ROCKFORD – Craig “Gomer” Matthews, 60, of Rockford, passed away Thursday, July 11, 2019. He was born May 5, 1959 in Dixon, the son of Richard and Geraldine (Donaldson) Matthews.

traveling to south Texas, fishing, mushroom hunting and golfing. Craig will be truly missed by those who knew and loved him.

Craig grew up in Chana. He was a faithful and dedicated employee who loved working at Rogers Ready-Mix. Craig was an easy going, sincere and generous man. He enjoyed

Survived by his special longtime friend, Michele Paz; nephew, Patrick MacArthur; niece, Catherine MacArthur and numerous extended family, friends and co-workers and beloved companion Bella. Predeceased by his parents, Richard and Geraldine; sis-

ter, Sheryl MacArthur and brother, Gregory Matthews and companion Bailey.

Celebration of Life was held Saturday, July 27, 2019 from noon until 4 p.m. the Teamsters Hall, 5533 11th St, Rockford, IL 61109. Cremation rites accorded with Fitzgerald Funeral Home and Crematory. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the family for a cause to be determined.

Byron reminds residents of sign ordinance

BYRON—With summer now in full gear, a variety of signs can be found crowding many street corners, and the City of Byron would like to clarify its temporary sign ordinance.

No signs are allowed in the city or state road right of ways except for limited business signs (only the business on that property can post in that location), and garage sale signs, which may remain up for four consecutive days, but must be removed within one hour after the completion of the sale. No contractor signs or ads are allowed.

Real Estate “For Sale” or “For Rent” signs, advertising the sale, lease or rent, of a premises, may only be placed on that property that is for sale or rent, and only one sign for each street frontage is allowed. Open house directional signs may be placed 48 hours prior to the open house and may not be in place more than three days per week. These signs may be located in the city right-of-ways, provided they do not obstruct or interfere with auto or foot traffic.

Not-for-Profit temporary signs pertaining to

civic, philanthropic, educational or religious events may be posted fourteen days prior to the event and must be removed no more than two days after the event. Each not-for-profit organization is limited to up to six such signs per year. Temporary sign permits are required but no fees will apply.

Any signs placed that violate the ordinance will be removed and disposed of. For more information regarding the sign ordinance, visit www.cityofbyron.com, or call Byron City Hall at 815-234-2762.

Annual Music in Ropp Part will be Aug. 4

STILLMAN VALLEY – The 16th annual Music in Ropp Park will be on Aug. 4 at 6 p.m.

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Touch-a-Truck event draws crowd

OREGON—Kids of all ages love the Oregon Park District Touch-a-Truck. The annual Touch-a-Truck event this year was held as a Pop Up & Play at Park West on Monday night. More than 400 people took advantage of the beautiful weather and free family fun opportunity. Like all Pop Up and Play events, there were snacks and drinks for the kids, yard games, music, and on Monday evening kids could come

on their bikes, decorate them and ride through the obstacle course! The Free Art in the Park & Pop Up and Play Programs are offered thanks to our presenting sponsor E.D. Etnyre & Company. The highlight of the night were the “Big Trucks” on display and they were accessible to all to sit in, honk the horn, and find out from the operators about the various jobs each vehicle does.

Participation and a great show of community support came from E.D. Etnyre & Company, Oregon School District, Kunes Country Auto Group of Oregon, Graphic Arts Express, The Oregon Fire Protection District and the Ogle County Sheriff Department. We thank them for taking vehicles out of commission, cleaning them up and letting “kids” of all ages check them out.



Paint, oil and anti-freeze recycling event will be Aug. 17

OREGON – The Ogle County Solid Waste Management Department (OCSWMD) will be having a recycling event for household latex paint and used oil and anti-freeze. The event will be held on Saturday, Aug. 17, from 8 a.m.-noon at the Pines Road Annex located at 909 Pines Road in Oregon. This event is for Ogle County residents only.

Illinois Recovery Group (IRG) will be on hand with their vacuum truck to collect used motor oil and antifreeze. Used oil filters will also be accepted for recycling. Residents will be able to bring up to 200 gallons of used oil to the event. For quantities greater than 200 gallons, call the OCSWMD for more information. Small containers as well as oil drums may be brought to the event. Oil containers will be returned for either re-use or proper disposal. No mixed automotive fluids, cooking oil, fuel, tires, or other household hazardous waste will be accepted.

Latex paint will also be collected for recycling through e-Paint. Residents may bring up to 20 containers of liquid latex paint in for recycling. Residents will be charged \$1 per gallon container, quart-sized containers are \$1 for 1 to 2 containers, \$2 for 3 to 4 containers, etc., and \$5 for five gallon containers of paint. The remainder of the cost to recycle the paint will be subsidized by the OCSWMD. Residents may bring more than 20 containers, but will pay the full price for additional containers over 20. Dried up or hardened paint will not be accepted, only liquid latex paint. No oil-based paints, stains, varnishes, paint thinners, or other household hazardous waste will be accepted. Paint must be in original containers.

This event is for residential materials. No business or contractor materials will be accepted. Please call the OCSWMD at 815-732-4020, go to oglecounty.org, or visit the OCSWMD on Facebook for more information about this recycling event.

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Two soloists feature in Kable Band's final concert of the 2019 season

MOUNT MORRIS – For the final concert of the 2019 season, the Kable Band will be featuring two band members. Instrumental soloists for this concert include Flautist, Ryan Starkey. Ryan is a 2013 graduate of Oregon High School and a 2018 graduate of Illinois State University. There she participated in both French horn and flute studios while receiving a degree in Music Therapy. Becoming involved in music at the age of 7, Starkey's first instrument was the flute. She has become proficient on other instruments over the years, including, French horn and saxophone. Starkey will perform the flute solo, Czardas by Vitona Monti, on July 31.

Vancko. Vancko will be performing a tuba solo. Having a long performance history with numerous local bands, Jim has also played with The East Bank Commanders, Kishwaukee Valley Band, and the Rock Valley College Concert Band. Vancko also plays stand-up bass with "Well Strung," and "End of the Road" bands. It will be a treat to hear these two excellent soloists, along with a fine concert at this, the final concert of the 123rd, 2019 Kable Band season. Come to the Reckmeyer Band Shell, Wednesday night, July 31 at 7:30 p.m., for an evening of fine entertainment. The Kable Concert Band thanks the community for the excellent support, and looks forward to 2020, for its 124th season.

County accepting grant applications

The Ogle County Emergency Food and Shelter Program has received a federal appropriation from The Department of Homeland Security, EFSP National Board Program in the amount of \$7,681 for phase 36, and is accepting federal grant letters of application from agencies in Ogle County that provide emergency food and shelter. Eligible agencies must

meet the following criteria; have the capability to provide emergency food and/or shelter services; propose to use the funds to supplement or expand an existing program and services; is a private nonprofit with a voluntary board or an agency of government; have an accounting system, and practices non-discrimination. Letters of application for funds should be made

to Ogle County Emergency Food and Shelter, and mailed to HOPE of Ogle County, P.O. Box 131, Rochelle, IL. 61068. The application letters must be received by 5:00 PM on August 2, 2019. The local board is to distribute funds appropriated by Congress to help expand the capacity of food and shelter programs run by local service organizations in the area.



United Church of Byron builds Little Free Library

BYRON – Summertime reading is a popular – or should be – pastime. In Ogle County, there are many sources to get books: Community libraries, school libraries and Little Free Libraries. A Little Free Library is a "take a book, leave a book" free book exchange where anyone can take a book or leave a book to share. They are those small structures of different shapes and colors mounted on posts that help promote reading and in Ogle County there are six such registered Little Free Libraries. As of this date there are some 90,000 Little Free Libraries throughout the world

with the first one built in 2009 by the late Todd Bol in Hudson, Wis. The latest one installed in Ogle County is located on the grounds of the United Church of Byron and constructed by Brad Townsend and Norm Metz with the artwork done by Byron High School art teacher, Kathy Driscoll. One of the many missions of the UCC of Byron is reading literacy with many of their members participating in the "Reading Buddies" program at Mary Morgan Elementary School; providing a Little Free Library is a natural extension of that mission. To learn more about Little Free Libraries go to littlefreelibrary.org.



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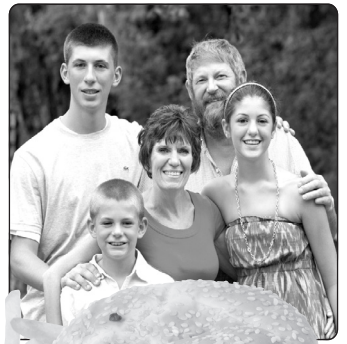
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Ecology class coming to White Pines

MOUNT MORRIS – Ecology is the science that studies the interactions and relationships that exist among living organisms and their environment. An ecology class will be held at White Pines State Park, 6712 W. Pines Rd., on Monday's 10 a.m.-noon, Aug. 19, Sept. 16, Oct. 14 and Nov. 4. The cost is \$5. The goal for this class is to introduce, or reintroduce some key parts to ecology and use specific skills to reach conclusions in a field setting. Skills such as observation, describing, generalizing to create a theory, inferring, concluding, classifying

and of course measuring are all part of our everyday life but we will take it back to more of a science skill focus. The concept of ecology is based on three major ideas:
* Ecology of nutrition is the interaction between producers and consumers.
* The cyclic flow of matter through the planet's environments such as water, carbon, and nitrogen along with others are recycled over and over again.
* Energy keeps those cycles going. All energy comes to the planet from the sun and leaves the planet in the form of heat.
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tions, natural or manmade, to these patterns or relationships can alter life on the planet. It is important to understand the relationships of our natural areas, such as a conservation area, so we can relate larger scale situations in a scientific way with sound support. Please register online web.extension.illinois.edu/bdo If you need a reasonable accommodation to participate in this program, please contact your local Extension office. Early requests are strongly encouraged to allow sufficient time for meeting your access needs.

Shindig returns to Jamboree

MOUNT MORRIS – The Mount Morris Jamboree is pleased to welcome back the 60's tribute band Shindig for their performance at the band shell on Aug. 2, starting at 7 p.m.

Shindig presents a tribute to the 60's and always delivers a trip back to the greatest and most diverse decade of Rock and Roll music. Covering over 90 different bands from that period of time where music told the story of an entire generation—early 60's, British Invasion, Psychedelic, pop, girl groups, Woodstock are all part of the show. Tom Rychter and Tom Benson

play guitars and sing, John Murphy plays bass, Sharman Strode sings and Mark Lega plays drums and sings. Everyone fortunate to see their performance here last year will readily attest to the excitement this band brings to the stage.

Chapter CU of the P.E.O. will be serving meatball sandwiches, hot dogs, cole slaw, chips, cold drinks and cookies starting at 6 p.m. Special "meal deals" will be offered.

The Encore! Art Gallery will be open in Old Sandstone, just adjacent to the shell, that evening from 6-9:30 p.m. as well,

featuring opening night of the Airbrush Art Show, displaying a variety of works by local Artists. Other food and craft vendors will likely be on site as well, including Jen's Artisan Breads, featuring many different varieties of scrumptious fresh baked bread.

Be sure to come uptown early to visit the Mount Morris Community Farmers Market, open from 4-7 p.m. every Friday through Octo-

ber, located at the corner of Rt.64 and Wesley Ave.

Please bring a blanket or chair, or enjoy the new benches and join the fun on our beautiful, historic campus in the center of Mount. Morris, two blocks south of Rt. 64 on Wesley Ave and enjoy the free Rock & Roll concert.

In the event of rain, the whole show moves to the Moose Lodge at 101 Moose Drive, at the same times.



Polo Police report

July 19

TIME: 7:11 p.m.

REPORT: Daniel M. Diehl, 23, Polo, was arrested for an Outstanding Lee County Warrant. Diehl was transported to the Ogle County Jail. Diehl was also cited for speeding 40 mph in a 30 mph speed zone and Operating an Uninsured Motor Vehicle.

TIME: 9:10 a.m.

REPORT: Chon G. Edwards, 46, Rock Falls, was cited for Driving While License Suspended and Operation of a Motor Vehicle with an Expired Registration. dwards was issued an I-Bond.

July 9

TIME: 4:10 p.m.

REPORT: Carrie V. Jeter, 30, Paola, Kan., was cited for Driving While License Suspended. Jeter was released on an I-bond.

July 10

TIME: 7:55 p.m.

REPORT: Jason A. Oshaughnessy, 27, Polo, was arrested for an Outstanding Whiteside County Warrant. Oshaughnessy was transported to the Ogle County Jail.

July 12

TIME: 6:13 p.m.

REPORT: Ryan S. Hamilton, 19, Polo was cited for a Mandatory Insurance Violation. Hamilton was released on an I-bond.

General Calls for Service for the weeks of July 1, 2019 thru July 14, 2019

Citizen Complaints / Assist	20
Juvenile	2
Animal Complaint	3
Fire/Medical Assist	7
Alarm/Open Door	1
Lock Out	3
911 Hang Up	4
Traffic Stops	14
County Assists	6

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Recycling grants now available

The Ogle County Solid Waste Management Department (OCSWMD) is announcing that limited funds remain available for the last round of Waste Reduction/Recycling Grants.

The grants of up to \$2,000 are available to Ogle County businesses, schools, churches and non-profit organizations wishing to establish or improve on waste reduction and recycling programs and services. Applicants must provide a minimum 20 percent match of the total project cost.

Total grant funds remaining for this year are around \$5,700, so grants will be awarded on a competitive basis in amounts from \$100-\$2,000. The deadline for submittal of applications for this round is 4 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 5.

The application for the grants is simple and flexible. Businesses could use grant funds to help purchase waste reduction and recycling materials and equipment such as collection bins, carts, balers and storage containers. Equipment needed to switch from disposable packaging to reusable packaging for products and supplies could also be considered. Businesses are encouraged to consider projects to reduce food waste or implement food waste recycling programs. Schools may seek funds for special projects that will further a student's understanding of how to reduce the amount of trash sent to the landfill. The requests may be for materials and equipment, such as recycling bins/carts, videos, books, worm (vermicomposting) bins, composters, or other waste reduction equipment.

Municipalities or haulers seeking to improve commercial, curbside, or multi-

family recycling programs are encouraged to apply. Grant applications for equipment and materials needed to improve electronics recycling options in Ogle County are also encouraged.

These examples are not all inclusive and applicants are encouraged to find innovative ways to reduce waste and increase what is recycled. The grants may not be used to pay for ongoing expenses such as staffing, collection, and hauling costs. Priority will be given to new applicants.

All applications will be reviewed by the Ogle County Solid Waste Management Department and the Ogle County Board Solid Waste Committee. Grants will be evaluated based on the following criteria: management ability; project quality; project impact; realistic goals & expectations; accuracy of application; education potential; use of recycled content products when available; potential for waste stream diversion; and future continuity of project.

In 2017, Ogle County residents, businesses and other entities recycled about 31 percent of the municipal waste generated in the County. This recycling rate is due to the efforts of many individuals doing their part to reduce waste and recycle as much as possible at home, work and school. The OCSWMD urges businesses and other organizations to strive to find new ways to increase what gets recycled in the County. These grants can help make that possible.

For more information or to request an application, please contact the Ogle County Solid Waste Management Department at 815-732-4020, or visit www.oglecounty.org.



Final park concert of season

The Oregon Park District wrapped up the Summer 2019 Concert Series on Tuesday, sponsoring the Ethan Bell Band on Tuesday, July 23. The Ethan Bell Band was high energy entertainment playing creative cover mashups, country, pop and hip-hop. The crowd loved it and many were on their feet dancing or singing along. The park district served walking talking and desserts to everyone in attendance. The summer concert series ended with a bang as fireworks lit up the sky over Park West.



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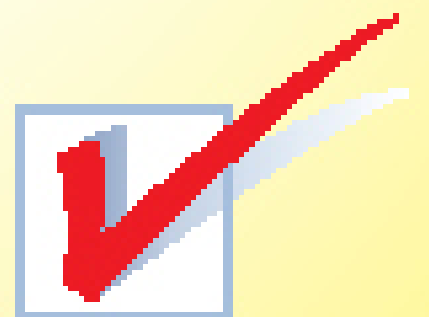
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Polo Police arrest woman for identity theft, other charges

POLO – The Polo Police Department recently arrested of Samantha J Sliger, 29, Sterling, for the offense of Identity Theft (Class 1 Felony), Possession of a Stolen Motor Vehicle (Class 2 Felony), and Theft (Class 2 Felony).

On March 5, at about 4:20 p.m., Polo Police responded to Haldane Custom, a car dealership and auto body shop, for a report of a vehicle that had been taken for a test drive by a woman but not returned. It was also determined that the driver had provided a falsified form of identification to employees.

Throughout the course of the investigation and working with multiple other law enforcement agencies, Sliger was developed as a person of interest in the case. Additionally, the vehicle was recovered after being located in Dixon by the Dixon Police Department, where further evidence was obtained.

On July 18, after an arrest warrant was obtained, Sliger was taken into custody at the Whiteside County Jail, where she is being held on \$40,000 bond in a Whiteside County case, with multiple holds in the other jurisdictions



Meives-Wylie earns Eagle Scout

OREGON – Boy Scout Troop 52 sponsored by the First Presbyterian Church of Oregon, honored Nicholas Meives-Wylie during an Eagle Court of Honor Ceremony, held on July 15 at the First Presbyterian Church of Oregon.

Meives-Wylie, the son of Julie and Wes, completed the requirements for the rank of Eagle Scout and passed a board of review on June 11. He started his Scouting career with Cub Scout Pack 81 in Oregon and graduated to Boy Scout Troop 52 on March 1, 2015.

As a Boy Scout, he attended summer camps at Camp Lowden near Oregon for five years where he earned many of his merit badges. He earned the following 21 merit badges to become an Eagle Scout: camping, citizenship in the community, citizenship in the nation, citizenship in the world, communications, cooking, lifesaving, environmental science, first aid, swimming, personal management, personal fitness, family life, fingerprinting, Indian Lore, salesmanship, railroading, animal science, leatherwork, weather, and game design. To date he

has earned a total of 36 merit badges and received a bronze palm, a gold palm, and a silver palm for the additional 15 badges beyond those required for the Eagle Rank.

Meives-Wylie's Eagle project involved organizing members of his troop and friends to improve the outside appearance of the historic Chana School Museum in Oregon, during the spring of 2019. This took 115 hours of work doing pressure washing of the brick walkway, cleaning out the planting areas, and spreading 10 yards of new mulch.

He has traveled with Troop 52 on four weeklong summer trips for bicycling, camping, canoeing, fishing, and white water rafting. He attended a 6-day Junior Leader Training- NYLT, and many campouts in tents, cabins, and caves. He is a member of the Order of the Arrow, an honor camper society of the Boy Scouts of America. His leadership skills have been demonstrated in the positions of scribe, quartermaster, and assistant senior patrol leader.

At Oregon High School he has participated in cross country and track.

Rock River Center Summer Picnic is Aug. 10

OREGON – The annual Summer Picnic at Rock River Center will be on Aug. 10 from 4-7 p.m.

The picnic will include a dinner of pulled pork, and picnic sides and for dessert Dairy Queen ice cream sandwiches.

This fundraiser will be possible with the support of three major sponsors;

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Oregon Police report

July 8

At 12:30 p.m., Oregon Police issued Mike Fenton, 53, Loves Park, ten city citations for ten inoperable motor vehicles located on property he is responsible for in the 1300 block of Pines Road.

At 5:46 p.m., Oregon Police investigated a hit and run that had just occurred in the 100 block of S. 2nd Street where an unknown vehicle struck a parked 2009 BMW belonging to Linda Magklaris, 59, Oregon, causing heavy rear-end damage. Anyone with any information regarding this incident, please contact the Oregon Police Department at 815-732-2162.

At 7:42 p.m., Oregon Police issued Ignacio Martinez, 25, Elgin, a citation for unlawful window tint. This violation occurred in the 100 block of E. Washington Street.

July 9

At 9:35 a.m., Oregon Police issued Eric P. Weber, 49, Oregon, a citation for improper lane use. This violation occurred in the 1100 block of W. Washington Street.

At 1:22 p.m., Oregon Police issued Cathy M. Allen, 59, Sterling, a citation for improper lane use. This violation occurred at the intersection of 3rd and Washington Streets.

At 8:27 p.m., Oregon Police arrested Jonathan M. Robles, 30, Oregon, on an outstanding Ogle County warrant for failure to appear. Robles was transported to the Ogle County jail.

July 10

At 8:17 a.m., Oregon Police arrested Barbara A. Beauchem, 53, Oregon, for driving while license suspended. Beauchem was transported to the Ogle County jail. This violation occurred in the 400 block of N. 4th Street.

At 4:31 p.m., Oregon Police issued Shirley Williams, 40, Oregon, citations for no valid driver's license and use of a cell phone while driving. These violations occurred in the 100 block of S. 4th Street.

At 4:56 p.m., Oregon Police issued Payton K. Sipes, 18, Chana, a citation for failure to yield turning left. This violation occurred at the intersection of 3rd and Washington Streets.

July 11

At 6:36 p.m., Oregon Police issued William S. Mongan, 26, Oregon, a citation for operating an uninsured motor vehicle. This violation occurred in the 100 block of S. 4th Street.

July 12

At 1:14 a.m., Oregon Police issued Brody D.J. Massolle, 16, Oregon, citations for invalid driver's license – GDL and operating uninsured motor vehicle. These violations occurred in the 300 E. Washington Street.

At 8:03 p.m., Oregon Police issued Noah W. Prax, 17, Byron, a citation for disobeying a traffic control device. This violation occurred at the 4th and Washington Street intersection.

At 10:53 p.m., Oregon Police issued Terrell M. Walker, 20, Dixon, a citation for speeding, 49mph in a 30mph zone. This violation occurred in the 500 block of N. 4th Street.

July 13

At 6:08 p.m., Oregon Police issued Gustavo R. Santos Rodriguez, 34, Rochelle, a city citation for unlawful consumption of alcohol in a public place. Francisco Javier Carrillo-Canales, 30, Rochelle was also issued a city citation for unlawful consumption of alcohol in a public place. These violations occurred in the 100 block of N. River Road, Lower Park East.

July 14

At 7:54 a.m., Oregon Police issued Douglas S. Carr, 50, Oregon, a citation for failure to wear a seat belt as a driver. This violation occurred in the 600 block of E. Washington Street.

At 9:08 a.m., Oregon Police issued Janna D. Bredeson, 48, of Marietta, GA, a citation for use of a cell phone while driving. This violation occurred in the 200 block of N. 4th Street.

11 verbal/written warnings were issued from 07/08/19 through 07/14/19.

General calls for service

Through dispatch during the week of 07/08/19 through 07/14/19:

Checking a Subject/Vehicle	11
Citizen Complaints	6
Juvenile Complaint	2
Animal Complaint	3
Ordinance Violations	17
Citizen Assist / Civil Problem	6
Disturbance / Domestic	1
Assist EMS / Other Department	9
Alarm Response / Open Door or Window	2
Lockout Vehicle/Building	3
911 Hang-up / Open Line	4
Traffic Stops	25

July 13

At 2:24 p.m., Oregon Police investigated a two-vehicle traffic crash in the parking lot of the Shell gas station, located at 201 S. 4th Street, involving a 2007 Chevrolet driven by Cassandra E. Smith, age 40, Oregon, and a 2010 Ford driven by Ashley D. Daugherty, 28, Polo. No citations were issued.

July 15

At 10:05 a.m., Oregon Police issued Melissa M. Lancaster, 37, Shannon, a citation for operating an uninsured motor vehicle. This violation occurred at the intersection of W. Washington and Monroe Streets.

At 1:19 p.m., Oregon Police issued Daniel L. Rosenbalm, 67, Oregon, a citation for operating an uninsured motor vehicle. This violation occurred at the intersection of Webster and 3rd Streets.

July 16

At noon., Oregon Police issued James A. Edgar, II, 67, Oregon, a citation for violating the grass and trash/rubbish nuisance ordinances on property in the 300 block of Mix Street in Oregon.

At noon, Oregon Police issued KCD, LLC, of Crystal Lake, IL, a citation for violating the grass nuisance ordinance on property they own in the 1000 block of Monroe Street in Oregon.

At 2 p.m., Oregon Police issued Pablo Ocampo, of Oak Forest, IL, a city citation for violating the grass nuisance ordinance on property he owns in the 100 block of S. 2nd Street in Oregon.

At 3:33 p.m., Oregon Police arrested Laine A. Painter, 55, Mt. Morris, a citation for driving while license suspended. Painter was transported to the Ogle County jail. This violation occurred in the 1000 block of S. 2nd Street.

At 9:28 p.m., Oregon Police arrested Cody A. Wilhite, 21, Oregon, on an outstanding Ogle County warrant for disorderly conduct. Wilhite was transported to the Ogle County jail.

July 17

At 3:18 p.m., Oregon Police investigated a two-vehicle traffic crash in the McDonald's parking lot located in the 200 block of S. 4th Street involving a 2015 Nissan driven by Dean E. Ankney, age 52, Chana, and a parked 2019 Kia belonging to Sandra L. Avery, 45, Mt. Morris. No citations were issued.

At 5:22 p.m., Oregon Police issued Ricky A. Ahrens, 59, Machesney Park, a citation for operating an uninsured motor vehicle. This violation occurred in the 100 block of S. 4th Street.

At 5:55 p.m., Oregon Police issued Jordan A. Northrup, 24, Loves Park, a citation for operating an uninsured motor vehicle. This violation occurred in the 100 block of N. 4th Street.

At 7:18 p.m., Oregon Police issued Shane R. Williams, 28, Dixon, a citation for operating an uninsured motor vehicle. This violation occurred in the 300 block of N. 4th Street.

At 9:48 p.m., Oregon Police issued Molly J. Horsfield, 36, of Monticello, IA, a citation for disobeying a traffic control device. This violation occurred at the intersection of 4th and Washington Streets.

At 10:17 p.m., Oregon Police issued Everett R. Teetor, 24, Elgin, a citation for disobeying a traffic control device. This violation occurred at the intersection of 4th and Washington Streets.

July 18

At 7:58 p.m., Oregon Police arrested Adam T. Jacobson, 18, Oregon, for reckless conduct for his participation in a disturbance that occurred on 7/12/19 at approximately 2:40 a.m., in the 800 block of Adams Street.

July 19

At 1:12 a.m., Oregon Police issued Alexander M. Grace, 25, Oregon, citations for operating a motor vehicle when registration suspended for non-insurance and operating an uninsured motor vehicle. These violations occurred in the 200 block of S. 4th Street.

At 1:30 p.m., Oregon Police arrested Christopher M. Alaniz, 19, Oregon, for reckless conduct and criminal damage to property \$500 to \$10,000, for his participation in a disturbance that occurred on 7/12/19 at approximately 2:40 a.m., in the 800 block of Adams Street.

At 4:34 p.m., Oregon Police arrested Walter C. Brady, 19, Oregon, for reckless conduct and criminal damage to property \$500 to \$10,000, for his participation in a disturbance that occurred on 7/12/19 at approximately 2:40 a.m., in the 800 block of Adams Street.

July 20

At 1:43 a.m., Oregon Police responded to a disturbance in the 100 block of N. 5th Street, resulting in the arrest of Dustin N. Garcia, 29, Oregon, for disorderly conduct. Garcia was transported to the Ogle County jail.

July 21

At 4:48 p.m., Oregon Police arrested Shannon M. Esposito, 47, Elgin, on an outstanding Lee County warrant. Esposito was transported to the Ogle County jail.

2 parking citations and 9 verbal/written warnings were issued from 07/15/19 through 07/21/19.

General calls for service

Through dispatch during the week of 07/15/19 through 07/21/19:

Checking a Subject/Vehicle	8
Citizen Complaints	9
Juvenile Complaint	3
Animal Complaint	2
Ordinance Violations	11
Citizen Assist / Civil Problem	4
Disturbance / Domestic	1
Assist EMS / Other Department	5
Lockout Vehicle/Building	2
911 Hang-up / Open Line	1
Traffic Stops	17

Ogle County Sheriff

July 24

At approximately 6 a.m., Ogle County deputies responded to the 14,000 block of W. Goose Hollow road in Polo. This was in reference to a report of a domestic issue occurring at that location. After an investigation, Shane A. Imel, 27, of Polo, was arrested for Criminal Damage to Property and Disorderly Conduct. Imel was transported to the Ogle County Jail where he is being held in lieu of bond.

July 23

At approximately 2 a.m. Ogle County Sheriff's Deputies were patrolling the area of W. IL Route 64 traveling eastbound when they observed a vehicle traveling westbound towards their location. As the vehicle passed, the vehicle had an inoperable rear registration plate light, in that the registration was not visible within 50 ft. Deputies conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of W IL Route 64 and Everett St in Mount Morris. After investigation, Brody Stone, 19 of Oregon, was arrested for Driving Under the Influence of Alcohol and Consumption of Alcohol as a Minor. Stone was also issued citations for An Inoperable Rear Registration Light and Improper Display of Registration. Stone was transported to the Ogle County Jail where he was released to Correctional staff and held in lieu of bond.

July 22

At 4:14 p.m. Deputies conducted a traffic stop in the 5800 block of South Illinois Rte. 2 for a registration violation. After a short investigation Deputies arrested Lacy E. Debrower, 35, of Altoona, IA for driving while license revoked. Debrower was transported to the Ogle County Jail and held in lieu of bond.

Alvaro Mireles, 56, of Rochelle was arrested for Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. Mireles had a bond of \$3000/10 percent. Mireles did post the \$3000/10 percent and was released from the Ogle County Jail. Mireles will return for court on 08/16/19 at 1 p.m.

At 4:14 p.m. Deputies conducted a traffic stop in the 5800 block of South Illinois Rte. 2 for a registration violation. After a short investigation Deputies arrested Lacy E Debrower, 35 of Altoona IA for driving while license Revoked. Debrower was transported to the Ogle County Jail and held in lieu of bond.

July 21

At approximately 1:54 a.m. Ogle County Sheriff's Deputies responded to a two vehicle accident without injuries in the 7000 block of N. IL Rte 251. After further investigation Shawn Skinner, age 24, of Sterling was arrested for Driving under the Influence of Alcohol. Shawn was also issued citations for Failure to Reduce Speed to Avoid an Accident and Operating an Uninsured Motor Vehicle. Shawn was transported to the Ogle County Jail where he was held in lieu of bond.

July 20

At approximately 10:30 a.m., Deputies conducted a traffic stop in the 8000 block E. Flagg Rd for a registration violation. After a brief investigation Deputies arrested Alejandro Toledo, 27, of Rochelle for Driving with an Expired Driver's License, more than one year.

July 19

At approximately 2:50 p.m., Deputies conducted a traffic stop in the 10000 block of North Il. Rte 2, for a registration violation. After a short investigation Deputies arrested Jerry L. Coffee Jr., 36, of Rockford for Driving while License Suspended. Jerry was transported to the Ogle County Jail and held in lieu of bond.

July 18

At approximately 3:27 a.m., Deputies conducted a traffic stop at the intersection of Walnut st. and Main st. in Stillman Valley. After investigation Megan Tracy, 37, of Davis Junction was arrested for Driving under the Influence of Alcohol. Tracy was also issued a citation for an Inoperable Rear Registration Light. Tracy was transported to the Ogle County Jail where she was released to Correctional staff and held in lieu of bond.

At approximately 10:39 p.m. Ogle County Deputies initiated a traffic stop in the 6000 block of West Oregon Trail Rd. After further investigation Jesse Russell, 23 of Rockfalls was placed under arrest for Driving While License Suspended. Russell was also cited for Possession of Cannabis and Possession of Drug Paraphernalia. Russell was transported to the Ogle County jail where he was held in lieu of bond.

July 17

At 9:35 a.m. Ogle County Sheriff's Deputies conducted an investigation at a residence in the Village of Davis Junction. The suspect of the investigation, Jemma J. Atterbury, 32, of Davis Junction, fled from the scene in a vehicle to avoid arrest. Sheriff's Deputies pursued Atterbury for approximately 2 miles; before Atterbury stopped her vehicle. Atterbury was taken into custody and charged with Aggravated Fleeing to Elude a Peace Officer, Reckless Driving, Resisting Arrest, Disorderly Conduct and several traffic violations. Atterbury was confined at the Ogle County Jail awaiting a court appearance.

At approximately 6:21p.m. Deputies initiated a traffic stop near the intersection of Pecationica Rd and Montague Rd. After further investigation Jose Claudio-Ocampo, 39, of Rockford was placed under arrest for Driving while License Revoked. Claudio was transported to the Ogle County Jail where he was held in lieu of bond.

July 16

At 9:09 p.m. Ogle County Sheriff's Deputies responded to 15184 West Illinois Route 72 in reference to a disturbance. While Deputies were en route a female offender left the area. On 07/17/19 at approximately 10:47 a.m. Ogle County Sheriff's Deputies located the offender from the disturbance in the 100 blk of East Mason Street in Polo. After an investigation Jessica E Myers, 30 of Polo was arrested for Disorderly Conduct. Myers was transported to the Ogle County Jail where she was held in lieu of bond.

Mount Morris Police report

June 24

Richard D. Davis, 45, Oregon was arrested for violation of orders of protection, obstructing justice, criminal trespass to residence. Davis was transported to the Ogle County Jail.

June 25

Cha E. Keller, 30, Mount Morris was arrested for domestic battery. Keller was transported to eh Ogle County Jail.

June 28

Richard E. Khanjian, 56, Mount Morris was arrested on an outstanding Ogle County warrant. Khanjian was transported to the Ogle County jail.

June 30

Joe Short, 45, Mount Morris was arrested for criminal trespass to residence. Short was transported to the Ogle County Jail.

July 1

Barbara J. Ballard, 59, Mount Morris was arrested for battery. Ballard was transported to the Ogle County Jail.

Kendell Pelt, 46, Mount Morris was arrested for domestic battery. Pelt was transported to the Ogle County Jail.

July 4

Nicholas R. Alexander, 18, Oregon was arrested for burglary. Alexander was transported to the Ogle County Jail.

Marcello Castillo, 27, Mount Morris was arrested for domestic battery/ Castillo was transported to the Ogle County Jail.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Mon., July 29

Movie Madness Matinee, 2 p.m. at the Bertolet Library in Leaf River. This month's movie is a family favorite "WALL-E." Popcorn and drinks provided.

Knit and crochet group meets at the Oregon Library, 6 p.m. These crafty people share their time and energy with anyone who enjoys the delights of the yarn.

Weds., July 31

The Ogle County Fair

begins at the ogle County Fairgrounds. It runs through Sunday.

For the final concert of the 2019 season, the Kable Band will be featuring two band members: Flautist Ryan Starkey and Jim Vancko, who will be performing a tuba solo. This final concert of the season will be at the Reckmeyer Band Shell at 7:30 p.m.

Fri., Aug. 2

Al-Anon Family Groups offer help to those who are affected by someone's

drinking. Join us each Friday for a free meeting, 10-11 a.m., at St Mark's Lutheran Church, 201 N. Division, Polo.

Sat., Aug. 3

Byron Farmer's Market is at the corner of Route 2 and Peru Street, next to the Hairy Cow Brewery, from 8 a.m.-noon. Homemade baked goods, honey, eggs, plants, crafts, seasonal produce and much more. Come and see what we have to offer you.

Franklin Grove's Harvest

Festival will feature activities begin at 10 a.m., with "Jammin' on the Bales" when Musicians and music fans find a seat on the hay bales in the shade along the treeline and let the music flow freely until 5 p.m. The festival is at Chaplin Creek Historic Village, located just south of Franklin Grove on Whitney Road.

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MOMENTS IN TIME

* On Aug. 17, 1877, though only a teenager, Billy the Kid kills his first victim, an Arizona blacksmith. Just how many men the outlaw killed is uncertain. Billy himself reportedly once claimed he had killed 21 men.

* On Aug. 13, 1902, German engineer Felix Wankel, inventor of a rotary engine, is born in Germany. Wankel reportedly came up with the idea for a new type of internal combustion gasoline engine when he was 17 years old.

* On Aug. 16, 1920, Cleveland Indians shortstop Ray Chapman is struck in the temple by a ball pitched by Carl Mays of the New York Yankees. He died 12 hours later. It was the only death as the result of a pitched ball in major league history.

* On Aug. 14, 1945, an official announcement of Japan's unconditional surrender to the Allies is made public to the Japanese people. Even though Japan's War Council had submitted a formal declaration of surrender on Aug. 10, fighting continued. In fact, two days later, a Japanese submarine sank two American ships.

* On Aug. 12, 1964, British author and journalist Ian Fleming, creator of James Bond, the world's most famous fictional spy, dies in England. His novels about the debonair Agent 007 were based in part on Fleming's real-life experiences. The first Bond book, "Casino Royale," was published in 1953.

* On Aug. 15, 1979, "Apocalypse Now," the acclaimed Vietnam War film directed by Francis Ford Coppola, opens in theaters. It told the story of an Army captain who is sent into the Cambodian jungle to kill a U.S. Special Forces colonel who has gone AWOL and is thought to be crazy.

* On Aug. 18, 1992, celebrated Boston Celtics forward Larry Bird retires. Bird entered the NBA in 1979 and was named Rookie of the Year after leading the Celtics to a 61-21 record.

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We need another big moment to unite us

My mother was bugging me, and I was not too happy about it.

It was Aug. 20, 1969 and we were visiting friends in Casa Grande, Ariz. My parents had moved from Casa Grande, the city of my momentous birth, in 1967 to Yuma, Ariz., where my dad took a job as an elementary school principal.

But we were back visiting, and I was having a great time running around the large house owned by my parent's friends. The dad was a dentist, so they had all the cool stuff – a pool, juke box, pool table – you name it.

But there was something on the TV that had the adults all engaged, and my mom wanted me to see it. So she corralled my squirming 6-year-old body and made me watch. And I'm glad she did, because what they were watching was man stepping foot on the moon.

Sure, it was hard for my tiny little mind to wrap my head around what I was seeing. These guys are on the moon? The one I look up to

Living the Life

By Brad Jennings



at night?

Little mind blown.

I remember the setting that day – the living room, the people, where the TV was. But I don't remember the actual footage in my mind. When I think of it, the replays I have seen over the years cloud the original memory.

But it was still something, and I can say I actually did see it live on television.

(And if you are one of the conspiracy nuts who says the whole thing was faked, please keep that to yourself

down in your basement surrounded by your sci-fi movie posters and action figures).

I thought about that day on the recent 50-year anniversary of this incredible moment in human history – and American history – and felt proud. We did it! We were the first, and so far only, human beings to step foot on the moon. It was a great accomplishment and something that made the country collectively proud.

But reflecting on such a huge event also made me a bit sad. It made me sad for us here, today. All those decades ago we embraced a dream and made it a reality. We believed in the power of science and logic. We worked hard through seemingly impossible problems and made them work.

Now, science is scoffed at by many people in power. And we have no collective dreams, just divisive policies and partisan fights.

It makes me very sad. It makes me think about the 6-year-olds running around these days. Do their parents

grab them and make them watch people in Washington constantly attack and belittle each other?

Doubtful.

Where are the big dreams for this generation? What is the next big goal that will unite the country? That will make everyone pull together and cheer for a big collective victory?

Instead, it is name calling and lying and yelling and on and on it goes. Left, right, center. We are certainly not a nation right now that is collectively anything – except dysfunctional.

I hope for the sake of the youngest in our nation and world that this too will pass. I hope that we will again unite in a beautiful dream for mankind that we can turn into a reality. I hope the mother of some little boy or girl will hold them in front of the TV or computer screen to see a transformative moment in human history that is full of hope and promise.

Brad Jennings is Editor of The Ogle County Life.



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Humbled to be part of the Kitchen Table

The Kitchen Table at Rochelle began operation 3 years ago on June 30th of 2016. Since then founders Carolyn and Grant Brown have fed a lot of hungry mouths, connected strangers as newfound friends, and shown all of us how much good can be done when we all come together as one in community. Matter of fact, the Brown's can lay claim to establishing the first community cafe' or, "pay what you can cafe," in Illinois!

Those of us who have had the honor of serving the Kitchen Table on the board of trustees have been both honored and humbled to be a part of this endeavor but it hasn't always been easy.

Guest Opinion

By Mark Schwendau



We have learned so many things that have made us pause and reflect... even had some experiences that raised the hairs on the backs of our necks!

Things that make us

pause include the number of people who go hungry right here in our State of Illinois by no fault of their own. So many people live paycheck-to-paycheck and any kind of interruption in their work life can lead to a catastrophe in their family lives. We also have learned that so many people live alone and are lonely and have a second hunger for simple human contact and conversation. Our senior citizens often fit in this category.

The thing that makes us shiver is when things just kind of miraculously happen and pieces of the puzzle just automatically fall into place. A piece of kitchen equipment is needed and all of a

sudden somebody writes us a donation check or some local corporation comes through with a grant for us.

The only real negatives in this adventure has been those who have spoken negatively about us or perpetuated gossip and rumors when all we (the Brown's and the board) are trying to do is good by serving others who are less fortunate! To put some of these misunderstandings to rest...

* As per our founder Carolyn Brown's vision, the Kitchen Table, Incorporated, is 100 percent volunteer operated! Nobody gets a dime from being involved with the Kitchen Table.

* It is not a "soup kitchen"

en"! I cannot recall us ever serving soup ... though we have had chili now and again when the weather was right for it.

* We are not out to compete with local restaurants! We only serve about 10 meals per month and we can only seat 36 at a time as of now. * It is not a dining establishment just for the poor! Rich and poor alike come to dine together in community and those who have much pay a little extra for those who have less and nobody needs to know, or care, who-is-who ... just as God intended us to live!

I would like to conclude by saying if you have yet to dine at the Kitchen Table,

you are missing out on a pretty amazing current trend ... and Carolyn Brown is an outstanding cook to boot! Also, if you have a long-term to volunteer and serve others, the Kitchen Table offers outstanding experiences to serve others in a food service setting. A great opportunity for church, civic and youth groups! Check out the "Volunteer" page of our website, www.KitchenTableRochelle.org. Our volunteers are the heart of the Kitchen Table cafe'. You could be a part of that heart!

Mark Schwendau is a Kitchen Table Board Trustee. He lives in Byron.



Bread of Life has Aug. 13 distribution

STILLMAN VALLEY – Bread of Life Food Pantry and Soup Kitchen serves residents of Ogle County and Meridian School District. Our usual distribution schedule, on the second Tuesday of each month from 3-5 p.m., will resume on Aug. 13.

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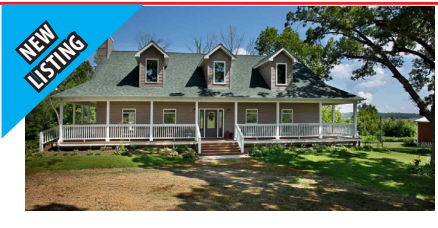
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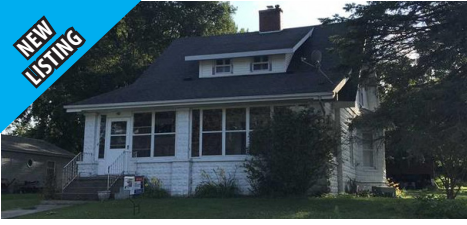
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Avalanche 14U takes third at USSSA Nationals

The Avalanche Fastpitch 14U NR team (at left) placed third at the USSSA Nationals in Gulf Shores, Alabama last week. During the week, the girls went 9-2 and had two dramatic come-from-behind victories to secure a top-3 finish in the National Tourney. The team did an amazing job representing the state of Illinois defeating highly ranked teams from Texas, Arkansas, Mississippi, Alabama and Indiana along their journey. Team members include Kaidynce Lynch, Gracen Pitts, Miami Poulsen, Ava Wight, Abi Rogers, Alyssa Mowry, Olivia Wynn, Reilee Suter, Elizabeth Mois, Sophia Morrison, Addi Miley and Jessalin Johns. The team is coached by Nate Rogers, Shaun Lynch, Kris Johns and Steve Poulsen. Additionally, Miami Poulsen took second place in the catcher pop time skill competition, and Ava Wight took second in baserunning speed (at right). Tryouts for the Avalanche teams are the weekends of July 27-28 and Aug. 3-4. Visit online at <https://sites.google.com/view/avalanche-fastpitch/home> for more information about Avalanche Fastpitch. (Courtesy photos)



Local officials bring home awards at IHSA Sports Official Conference

Crete LeFevre (left) of Mt. Morris was recognized July 20 at the 2019 IHSA Sports Official Conference. Sam Knox, assistant executive director of the IHSA, presented the award at a special ceremony at the end of the conference. LeFevre is highly respected for her volleyball, basketball, and softball officiating talents. LeFevre also keeps great records as the scorekeeper for Oregon High School basketball games. Jim Burch (middle) (Mt. Carroll) and Don Cook (right) (Forreston) were recognized by Knox on behalf of the IHSA for 50 years of sports officiating. Jim was seen on the fields for football and soccer throughout northwest Illinois. Don has officiated baseball, basketball, football, and softball. He starts his 51st year in football when the season opens Aug. 30. (Courtesy photos)

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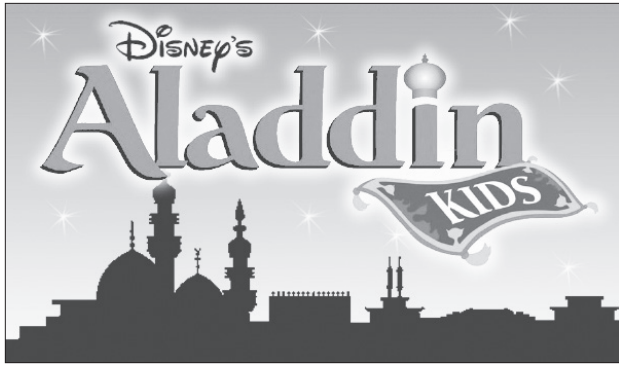
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Auditions and rehearsals will be held at the Oregon Elementary School. Every child who auditions will have a part in the performance and a moment in the light, all while learning about the art of theatre. We only have 50 spots available to audition so register now!

Fee is \$65 per actor. Everyone must be registered prior to the deadline.



The deadline to register is Friday, Aug. 16.

Auditions will take place at the Oregon Elementary School on Tuesday, Aug. 20 and Thursday, Aug. 22 directly after school and ending at 5 p.m. both days. Child only needs to be present at one audition. Students and families will be notified of characters casted before rehearsals begin the following week.

Rehearsals will take place every Monday and Thursday from Aug. 26-

Nov. 14 for all characters. Lead characters will also have rehearsal additionally every Tuesday. Rehearsals take place directly after school until 5pm.

Performances will be on Friday, Nov. 15 at 7 p.m.; Saturday, Nov. 16 at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 17 at 2 p.m. at the Oregon High School. Register your shining star today.

For more information or to register call 815-732-3101 or visit Nash Recreation Center, 304 S. Fifth St., Oregon.



Scholarship winner

At the post meeting on July 16, VFW Post 8739 of Oregon welcomed Phillip Conner Young as one of the post's scholarship winners. Young (left) is shown with Post Commander Jason Stoll.



Day trip planned to see 'Steel Magnolias'

OREGON – Join the Oregon Park District for a day trip out to Mt. Carroll to visit Timberlake Playhouse and see "Steel Magnolias."

"Steel Magnolias" features the women of Chinquapin as they make their way over life's many hurdles together. They find comfort and a fair amount of verbal ribbing in one another. "You have no idea how wonderful you are," M'Lynn tells the ladies at the end of the play. Truvy responds, with a smile, "Of course we do."

Meet at Nash Recreation at 12:30 p.m. for departure and the park district will provide transportation.

Performance time is at 2 p.m. and play will be 2 hours with a 30-minute intermission. We will return to Nash by 5:30 p.m.

Deadline to register is Aug. 14. Tickets are limited. Register at Nash Recreation Center or by calling 815-732-3101.

Serenity has free Virtual Dementia Tour

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Senior Center has upcoming events

Bingo and Lunch in Byron

Join us as we carpool to Neighbors Nursing Home in Byron for Bingo and Lunch. We will leave the Mount Morris Senior Center at 1 p.m. for an afternoon of fun on July 30. We will start with a delicious \$5 lunch made by the wonderful chef at Neighbors and complete the afternoon with free bingo before we head back to Mount Morris. There are many awesome prizes for the bingo winners. We hope you can join us for this community event. Please RSVP by Friday, July 26 by calling 815-734-6335.

Lunch Bunch

Join us for a delicious lunch at The River's Edge in Dixon on Friday, Aug. 2. The carpool from the Mount Morris Senior Center will leave at 11 a.m. or you can meet us at the restaurant at 11:30 a.m. All are welcome to join us! If you have any questions, feel free to call the center at 815-734-6335.

Weekly Events

We have several activities that happen every week, and we would love for you to join us for some of them. If you enjoy playing cards and want to play an easy game we are happy to teach you how to play Hand and Foot on Monday afternoons at 12:30 p.m. We usually bring snacks to share and play a couple of games. If you want a bigger challenge then please join us for Bridge on Wednesday afternoons at 1 p.m. We are happy to help you learn this fun card game that takes years to master. We also serve biscuits and gravy each Wednesday morning from 8-10 a.m. It is only \$2 for a half order and \$3.50 for a full order, and all are welcome! Another weekly activity is our fitness class sponsored by Highland Community College. Every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday morning at 9 a.m. this group gets together to stretch and move. All are welcome! The cost is \$38 for 10 weeks and pro-rated amounts are available, so join anytime!

Extension offering food protection course

Do you currently have a position handling food or are you looking to find a position in the food industry?

If so, this class may be required for you to get a step ahead. The Certified Food Protection Manager Course will be offered by University of Illinois Extension Nutrition and Wellness Educator, Marilyn Cernus, MS, RD at the Ogle County Extension office, 421 West Pines Rd., in Oregon.

The course is taught over two days on Tuesday, Aug. 20 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. and Friday, Aug. 23 from 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m. The exam will be administered from 12:30-2:30 p.m. on Friday. A valid photo ID is required for the course.

The fee for this course

is \$125 for the 2 days and includes the book, educational materials, examination, and lunch.

This course meets the 7-hour course work and examination required by the state of Illinois. This course is a National Registry of Food Safety Professionals® and once completed and examined you will be receive your Certified Food Protection Manger certification.

Register stopping in, 421 W. Pines Rd, Oregon or visiting us online at <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/bdo>

Space is limited register as soon as possible. If you have, questions call 815-732-2191. Our next available dates will be in December.

Oregon Chamber hosting business after hours event

Join the Oregon Area Chamber of Commerce for a free business after hours at the Jarrett Prairie Center, 7993 N. River Road in Byron on Aug. 7 from 5-7 p.m.

Prepare yourselves for an evening on the deck overlooking the peaceful prairie. There will be live music, drinks, and appetizers hosted the Byron Forest Preserve. Come join us for an evening to remember. If the weather doesn't cooperate we will be able to move indoors. All are welcome.

You must RSVP before Aug. 2 to chamber.director@oregonil.com. This will be catered so we'll need to know in advance if you are planning on joining us.

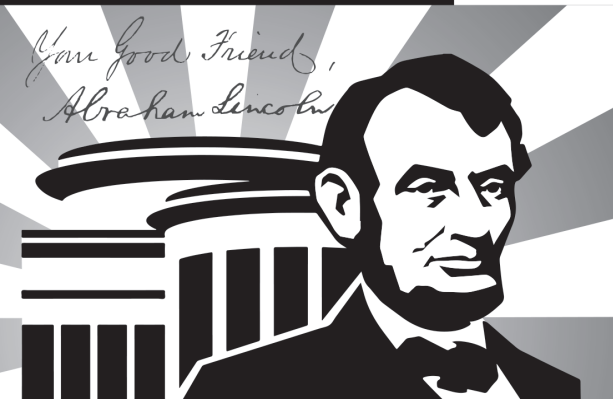
Green makes Upper Iowa Dean's List

FAYETTE, Iowa – Upper Iowa University has announced the Dean's List for the 2019 spring semester. To be honored, a student must have earned a minimum 3.50 grade point average for the semester and be enrolled as a full-time student. The honorees included:

Monroe Center – Alexandra Green, Marketing major.

About Upper Iowa University – Founded in 1857, Upper Iowa University is a private, nonprofit university providing undergraduate and graduate degree programs to about 5,800 students-nationally and internationally-at its Fayette, Iowa, Campus, 21 U.S. locations, as well as centers in Hong Kong. Upper Iowa University is a recognized innovator in offering accredited, quality programs through flexible, multiple delivery systems, including online and self-paced degree programs. With a focus on developing leaders and lifelong learners, UIU provides dual enrollment programs for high school students as well as continuing education and professional development opportunities for learners of any age.

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RRC announces upcoming activities and events

Crosswind Performs at Rock River Center July 29

Crosswind is the guitar/vocal duo of Harold Harrison and Lowell Harp. We are excited to announce that they will be performing at Rock River Center on Monday, July 29, 2019 from 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Join us as Harold and Lowell entertain us with songs that include originals and country/folk Americana.

Please call 815-732-3252 if you plan on attending this free program open to the public.

Refreshments will be served. We look forward to seeing you.

VMH Presents Women's Ambulance Safety Patrol on July 31

On Wednesday, July 31, Veteran's Memorial Hall will be at RRC from 10:30 a.m.-noon to share a presentation discovered in a scrapbook in their archives.

On April 3, 1940, the women of Rockford founded Women's Ambulance Safety Patrol, or W.A.S.P. Within months, this effort swept nationwide and was the first Women's Ambulance program in the country.

Come see if you are distantly related to any of the over 200 women who were involved in this effort. Step back into a 1940's time capsule of Rockford history.

This is free program and refreshments will be served. Reservation required. Call RRC at 815-732-3252 if you plan attending. Your prompt arrival is appreciated.

New Class – Intro to Mah-Jongg

Class will be held on Friday mornings, from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. starting Aug. 2.

Join us and learn how to play Mah-Jongg. All tiles and material will be provided. Come ready to learn and have fun. Similar to the Western card game rummy, Mah-Jongg is a game of skill, strategy, and calculation and involves a degree of chance.

Please call the Center at 815-732-3252 if you plan on attending.

Singin' In The Rain

Wednesday, Sept. 18, Circa21 Dinner Playhouse

Tap your toes and sing along in this splashy adaptation of the celebrated and beloved film.

The "Greatest Movie Musical of All Time" is faithfully and lovingly adapted by Broadway legends, Betty Comden and Adolph Green, from their original award-winning screenplay in "Singin' in the Rain". Each unforgettable scene, song and dance is accounted for, including the show-stopping title number, complete with an onstage rainstorm! Hilarious situations, snappy dialogue and a hit-parade score of Hollywood standards make "Singin' in the Rain" the perfect entertainment for any fan of the golden age of movie musicals.

"Singin' in the Rain" has all the makings of a Tinsel town tabloid headline – the starlet, the leading man and a love affair that could change lives and make or break careers! In silent movies, Don Lockwood and Lina Lamont are a hot item but, behind the scenes, things aren't always as they appear on the big screen! Meanwhile, Lina's squeaky voice might be the end of her career in "talking pictures" without the help of a talented young actress to do the talking and singing for her.

Filled with every memorable moment

from the film and a downpour of unforgettable songs, Singin' in the Rain, can't be missed!

Cost (includes RT transportation, show, meal, tax and gratuity): \$80 members/\$85 Non-members. Reservation/payment deadline: Aug. 23.

Please call Rock River Center at 815-732-3252 to make your reservation.

MyMedicare.gov

Have you signed up to use MyMedicare.gov? If not, you may want to consider doing so. Through this web site you can access your personal Medicare related information. For example, you can:

- * check to see the status of your new Medicare Card. Look for the message, "your card is in the mail"

- * view information about your Medicare Part D Prescription Drug plan or your Medicare Advantage Plan enrollment.

- * view a list of your prescription drugs.

- * view your Medicare Summary Notice and learn about the status of your Part B deductible, whether it has been met or not.

Plus, just as with signing up for a MySocialSecurity account, when you sign up for a MyMedicare.gov account, it keeps scammers from using your information to sign up for an account.

If you would like help signing up for a MyMedicare.gov or a MySocialSecurity account, we can help you. Just call us at Rock River Center, 815-732-3252, or 800-541-5479.

NICOR Gas "Sharing" Program Available

NICOR Gas Sharing Program is available to assist those NICOR customers whose income is above 150 percent of poverty level and less than 250 percent of the poverty level. For a 1-person household the 30-day income limit is \$2,529, 2-person household, \$3,429, 3-person household, \$4,329, etc.

For more information or to make an appointment, call Linda at 800-541-5479 or 815-732-3252.

Veteran's Assistance Available in Oregon at Rock River Center

A Veteran's Service Officer is available at Rock River Center on the second and fourth Monday of each month from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. (Except Federal Holidays)

The Veteran's Service Officer comes to Rock River Center to serve Veterans of all ages, and assist them with applications and other benefits available to them. Please mark your calendars accordingly.

This is a free service that has been provided for many years and you need not travel out of town. If you have any questions, call Rock River Center at 815-732-3252.

Cancer Support Group

"Facing the Challenge" is a support group that provides a safe, accepting environment for patients currently going through treatment, survivors, caregivers and loved ones to talk openly about the challenges a cancer diagnosis brings. Anyone who has been affected by cancer is invited to attend! Rock River Center and Home of Hope are partnering to offer information to this group. The group meets quarterly on the 4th Thursday of March, June, September and December from 3-4 p.m. at Rock River Center.

DIRECTORY OF AREA HUMAN SERVICES

Alcohol Abuse Counseling & Recovery

A.A. Hotline 800-452-7990
Sinnissippi Centers, Inc.
Oregon 732-3157
Rochelle 562-3801

Domestic Violence Agency/Shelter and 24-Hour Helpline

HOPE of Ogle County 562-8890 or 732-7796
Counseling, Court Advocacy, Latina Advocacy, Shelter

Education

University of Illinois Extension-Ogle County
421 W Pines Rd, Oregon 61061 732-2191

Low Income Housing

Ogle County Housing Authority
200 W Washington, Oregon 732-1301

Mental Health

Family Counseling Services 962-5585
Sinnissippi Centers, Inc.
Oregon 732-3157
Rochelle 562-3801
The Serenity Shed Grief Services 732-2499

Senior Citizens Services

Hub City Senior Center 562-5050
Mt Morris Senior Center 734-6335
Polo Senior Center 946-3818
Rock River Center 732-3252
Oregon, IL 800-541-5479
Visiting Nurses Assoc. 971-3755
4223 E State, Rockford

Sexual Assault/Abuse

Rockford Sexual Assault Counseling
24-hour hotline 636-9811
412 W Washington, Oregon 732-0000

Therapeutic & Recreational Horseback Riding

Pegasus Special Riders 973-3177

Veterans' Services

Rock River Center 732-3252
Serenity Hospice and Home 732-2499
Veterans Assistance Commission of Ogle Co. 677-0852
Medical Transportation 677-6515

Wellness Services

Ogle County Health Dept
907 W Pines Rd, Oregon 732-7330
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Dr. Ruter, D.D.S.
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Forreston Sauerkraut Days

All events will be at Memorial Park, unless otherwise noted. Memorial Park is located in the heart of Forreston; one block south of Rt 72 and one block east of Rt 26.

FRIDAY AUG 2nd

- ◆ 6:00 pm Bingo and Dunk Tank open
- ◆ 6:00 pm Bucket of Junk entries due
- ◆ 6:00 pm Beer Garden opens
- ◆ 6:00 - 11:00 DJ Tyler, Beer Garden
- ◆ 6:00 pm Registration for 2nd Annual Kraut 5K Fun Run/Walk
- ◆ 6:30 pm Kids One Mile Run; open to kids 12 and under
- ◆ 7:00 pm 2nd Annual Kraut 5K Fun Run/Walk
- ◆ 8:00 pm Outdoor Movie *featuring "Legos 2"* East side of grade school
Concessions available

SATURDAY AUG 3rd

- ◆ 7:00 am Sunrise Yoga *with Kelcy Moring* - Warnken Park
- ◆ 8:00 am 3v3 Basketball Tournament outside courts at Forreston High School
- ◆ 8:00 - 4:00 Car Show, Northwest corner of Forreston Grade School
- ◆ 9:00 - 4:00 Craft & Vendor Show
- ◆ 9:00 - 12:00 Bake Sale by Faith Lutheran Church
- ◆ 10:00 am Co-Ed Softball Tournament, Warnken Park
- ◆ 10:00 am Bingo and Dunk Tank open
- ◆ 10:00 - 4:00 Inflatables, *sponsored by Crossroads Church*
- ◆ 10:00 - 4:00 Lions Cheese Sale
- ◆ 10:00 am Kid's water fights, *Forreston Fireman's Association*, Birch St & Walnut Ave
- ◆ 11:00 - 3:00 Sauerkraut Lunch, *sponsored by American Legion Families*
- ◆ 11:00 am Bags Tournament Registration, Beer Garden
- ◆ 12:00 pm Bags Tournament, Beer Garden

- ◆ 12:00 pm Water Fights, *Forreston Fireman's Association*, Birch St & Walnut Ave
- ◆ 12:00 pm Beer Garden Opens
- ◆ 12:00 - 4:00 Freeport Humane Society Adoption Event
- ◆ 1:00 - 4:00 Face Painting
- ◆ 2:30 pm Watermelon Eating and Hula Hoop Contest
- ◆ 3:30 pm Car Show Parade - Rt 26 starting at Grade School
- ◆ 4:00 - 7:00 Lions Pork Chop Dinner, Memorial Park
- ◆ 4:00 - 7:00 JJ & BO - Beer Garden
- ◆ 8:00 - 10:00 Kids After Dark, Family Friendly, Fun games East side of grade school
- ◆ 8:00 - 11:00 Back Country Roads - Beer Garden

SUNDAY AUG 4th

- ◆ 8:00 - 11:00 Community Breakfast, *Pancakes, Sausage Gravy & Biscuits, Sausage, Coffee, Orange Juice, Water*, Fire Station
- ◆ 8:00 - 11:00 Lion's Club Blood Drive - Forreston Fire Station
- ◆ 9:30 am Community Church Service
- ◆ 1:00 pm Parade - Small Town, Big Pride

Small Town
Big Pride

Park District has upcoming events

Operation Move

Operation Move continues Tuesday, July 30 at Park East Ball Diamond, Oregon for a fun morning, all ages T-Ball game, from 10-11 a.m. Healthy snacks and giveaways are provided. Operation Move is a free program and is open to the public. For a complete listing of the events please go to www.oregonpark.org. The program runs through the summer months and is sponsored by KSB Hospital. Come join us and have some fun this summer!

Camp Oh Pea Dee

Our summer camp focuses on emphasizing fun, peer interaction, planned activities, and personal growth. Participants entering K-6th grade will have field trips each Wednesday, swimming each Tuesday and Thursday and visit the splash pad each Friday. On top of this, we will be playing at our local parks, engaging in many sports and outdoor games, themed crafts and so much more! Don't let your child miss out on this amazing, lasting experience! Register and payment are per week. Spots are filling quickly! Register today!

Summer meals

We are teaming up with Northern Illinois Food Bank this summer to offer free lunches around town for anyone 18 years and younger.

Monday - noon-1 p.m. @ Lions Park (Hosted by Riverstone Church)

Tuesday - 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. @ UNM (Hosted by Oregon United Methodist Church)

Wednesday - noon-1 p.m. @ Lions Park (Hosted by Riverstone Church)

Thursday - noon-1 p.m. @ Mix Park (Hosted Oregon Park District)

Friday - 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. @ UNM (Hosted by Oregon United Methodist Church)

Lunches must be eaten on site. Each lunch will follow the USDA standards of a meal. All meals are nut-free and packaged in a nut-free environment. These institutions are equal opportunity providers. For more information call 815-732-3101.

White Pelican: Paddle & Picnic

Pack some sandwiches, chips, cold beverages and enjoy a relaxing afternoon on the river! Park and launch at Kiwanis Park in Oregon and take a leisurely float to Castle Rock State Park (1-2 hours). There, take some time to enjoy your lunch and play by the water, and a shuttle will come around to bring you back to start! Cost includes canoe rental (plenty of space for 2 adults and 2 kids or 2-3 adults), paddles, life-jackets, and shuttle. Great way to spend a family day! Fee: \$40 Resident / \$48 Non-Resident per Saturday

Saturday, August 10 @ 10:30am-2pm (Deadline August 3)

5K group

Running can be a very lonely activity, but it doesn't have to be. Studies show having a group promotes accountability and raises the success rate for an individual to stick with a training program. This 6-week running group will keep you engaged in your training for the annual AOP 5K. Those registered are expected to participate twice during the week as well as every Saturday. Can't make it to the group? That's okay, but we will be asking you how your run went on your own schedule. Everyone is encouraged to choose between a Monday, Wednesday and Saturday schedule or a Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday schedule. We will meet at the upper parking lot at Park West. Everyone is welcome to choose their own training program and pace themselves as they feel comfortable. Come join us! Registration with this running group automatically registers you for the AOP 5K. AOP 5K is on 10/6. Program begins August 26. Fee is \$23 for Residents and \$28 for Non-Residents. Deadline to register is Aug. 5.

Entertainment in the Gardens day trip

Take a self-guided tour of the beautiful Anderson Japanese Gardens in Rockford and enjoy an outdoor concert in the gardens. Steve McClanahan of Rockford will be opening for Remember Jones from New Jersey. Remember Jones is a one-of-a-kind soul/pop singer, storyteller and band. Sign up for this fun day trip to Anderson Gardens on Tuesday, August 6, 2019 at Nash or by calling 815-732-3101. The van departs from Nash at 2:30 p.m. and returns around 8:30 p.m. Trip fee is \$20/Resident or \$24/Non-Resident and includes transportation and Garden Admission. Don't forget to bring your lawn chair and a picnic or purchase food and beverage at the Gardens. Registration deadline is Aug. 1.

Lemonade in the Shade & Flamingo Bingo at the Reading Nook

Join us Monday, July 29 across from Nash at The Reading Nook for refreshing lemonade and a few games of Bingo. It's the last day of Lemonade in the Shade & Flamingo Bingo for the summer. This is a fun activity for all ages and very affordable. \$1 for unlimited lemonade and \$1 per Bingo sheet (2 cards). We start playing at 10 a.m. Winners can choose a gift from the prize table! All proceeds benefit the Youth Scholarship Fund!

Art in the Park & Pop Up & Play

The Oregon Park District and Presenting Sponsor E.D. Etnyre & Co. bring FREE programs to the parks this summer. Join us for arts and crafts in the park or for organized play activities. No need to register, just drop in and enjoy! Join us at The Reading Nook (10-11 a.m.) Thursday, Aug. 1 for Art in the Park with Pipe Cleaners and Thursday, August 8 for Art in the Park making Window Clings. If you are looking for an opportunity to "cool" off and play at the park, join us at Park West (10-11 a.m.) on Monday, August 5 for Pop Up & Play with Super Soaker sponges!

Farmers Market

Stop at the Oregon Farmers Market on Saturday's this summer (through September) 8:30 a.m.- Noon on the Ogle County Courthouse Lawn. Buy Local! Buy Fresh! You will find everything from flowers, plants, artisan breads, fresh baked goods, crafts, honey, syrup, jams and jelly, fresh picked produce, food trucks and so much more. Farmers and crafters who are interested in having a booth this summer or if you would like more information please contact Debbie Leffelman at debbie@oregonpark.org.

Brown Bag concert

Save the date for the final Brown Bag Concert on the Courthouse Lawn Friday, August 9 from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Thank you to COUNTRY Financial, Mueller & Guzman, for sponsoring local favorite Burn N' Bush. This two piece acoustic band is back by popular demand playing a variety of Rock, Country and Oldies, and their fun/sing-alongs. This lunch on the lawn is fun for all ages. Enjoy the fresh air, get out of the office, bring your lawn chair and lunch from home. Or, purchase food from one of the on-site food vendors or grab lunch to go and bring it to the square to enjoy while listening to great entertainment.

Ce-ed softball

Recreational softball is back at Park West, with our Co-Ed softball league! This league is designed for men and women, 18 and older, to enjoy slow-pitch softball through friendly competition. Bats will be provided by the Park District for each team to use. The league will consist of a regular season and a postseason tournament to end the year. Registration deadline for teams is Aug. 7 with games starting August 15. The fee is \$385 per team. Games will be played on Thursday evenings. Please register at Nash Recreation Center or call 815-732-3101.

E-mail news items to
bjennings@oglecountylife.com
Please send photos in the jpeg format.
Deadline for all items is 3 p.m. Wednesday.



Green Iron Days at John Deere Site Aug. 2-4

GRAND DETOUR – Dozens of vintage John Deere two-cylinder tractors will be on display for public viewing during the 2019 Green Iron Days at the John Deere Historic Site, Aug. 2-4.

During the three-day gathering, guests to the Historic Site in Grand Detour, will enjoy seeing rare and restored John Deere machines, as well as some related brands, and will have an opportunity to talk with owners about the unique collection and restoration stories behind them. On Saturday at 7 p.m., the collectors registered for the event will have the opportunity to parade their tractors through the streets of Grand Detour.

“We host this event every two years and we are excited to welcome back regional collectors as they always make for a fun and entertaining weekend,” said Kristen Veto, manager of the John Deere Historic Site. “Their passion, hard work and enthusiasm for collecting attracts many visitors to this region to admire their

two-cylinder machines. We are proud to provide a setting that pulls it all together, allowing guests to learn more about the legacy of John Deere products as well as John Deere the man.” In addition to seeing a collection of vintage tractors, visitors to the John Deere Historic Site also have the opportunity to tour John Deere’s home and an archeological dig of his original blacksmith shop. The site’s blacksmith will also be on hand to conduct demonstrations throughout the weekend. Food vendors and a full gift shop will also be available to attendees throughout the weekend.

Tractor owners interested in participating and displaying their machines at the event should call 815-652-4551 or email JohnDeereHistoricSite@JohnDeere.com. Registration is free, but all equipment must be from 1979 or earlier.

The John Deere Historic Site is a free attraction and is open seasonally, March through December. Located in Grand Detour, the site is the original Illinois

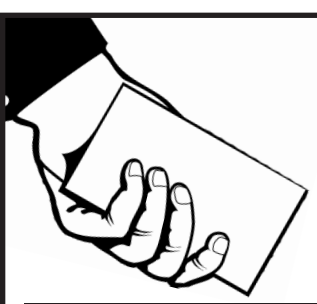


homestead of John Deere and is the location where he built his first successful “self-scouring” steel plow.

It was recently named one of Illinois’ top historic sites by the Illinois Bicentennial Commission. Gates

open daily, from 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday-Saturday, Noon-4 p.m. Sunday. For more information about

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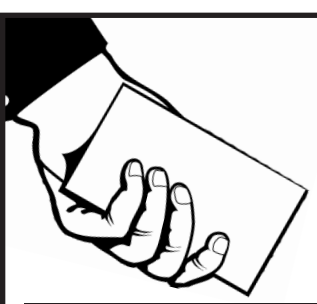
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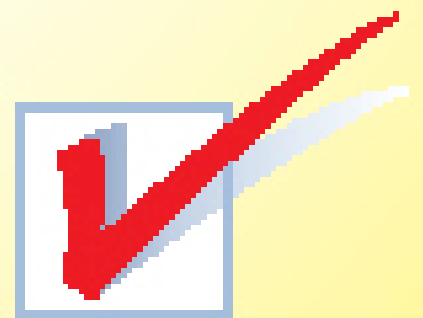
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Nash has upcoming closures for maintenance

OREGON – The Nash Rec Center Pool and locker rooms will be closed Aug. 12-25.

Improvements include cleaning and painting the entire pool surface, repainting the lane, transition, and stair indicator lines, and deep cleaning the locker rooms.

The Nash Fitness Center will be closed Aug. 26-30. Improvements include removing fitness center flooring and relaying, installing thicker flooring in free weight area, deep cleaning of the full area, and repainting areas of need.

If pass holders will not be using the facility

during the shutdown, passes can be turned in to the Nash Front Counter to receive membership credit for the pool and/or fitness center shutdown.

We thank you for your patience while we improve the facilities.

Harvest Festival will feature plenty of music

One of the focal points of the Chaplin Creek Historic portion of Franklin Grove's Harvest Festival will be dedicated to the late Jack Kelley.

Jack was a musician, historian, historic restoration expert – all dedicated to making Franklin Grove a better place to live.

Feature activities begin at 10 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 3, with "Jammin' on the Bales" when Musicians and music fans find a seat on the hay bales in the shade along the treeline and let the music flow freely until 5 p.m.

A companion feature along the treeline will be Farming Heritage's World Famous Kettle Korn. Making then very best Kettle Korn was another of Jack's many activities.

At 1 p.m. an Open Mic at the nearby Kelley Family Gazebo will join the festivities with featured musicians until 4 p.m.

If you like music and you like Kettle Korn, then Chaplin Creek Historic Village is the place for you!

Chaplin Creek Historic Village is located just south of Franklin Grove on Whitney Road.

Right: The ultimate in relaxed musical entertainment for both musicians and music fans can be found in the shade of the treeline with endless supply of Farming Heritage's World Famous Kettle Korn close at hand.



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Birthday

Family seeks cards as McNames turns 90

BYRON – Lois McNames Rhodes will be celebrating her 90th birthday on Aug. 10. To honor this milestone her family is requesting to shower her with cards.

Please send cards and memories to: 322 E 4th Street, Byron IL 61010



Military

Johnson completes Air Force basic training

U.S. Air Force Airman 1st Class Sydney L. Johnson graduated from basic military training at Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland, San Antonio, Texas.

The airman completed an intensive, eight-week program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness, and basic warfare principles and skills.

Airmen who complete basic training also earn four credits toward an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Johnson is the daughter of Tadd L. and Tracy R. Johnson of Davis Junction, Ill.

She is a 2013 graduate of Stillman Valley High School, Stillman Valley. She earned a bachelor's degree in 2017 from Central Methodist University, Fayette, Mo.



Mount Morris Library News

Thursday, Aug. 8 at 6 p.m. – 2nd Annual Poetry Jam!

A fun evening for all! We will have poetry, music and much more. Our Poet Laureate for 2019 is Mr. Paul Anderson. Plan to come and spend the evening listening to great poems and music! We are welcoming back *Await the Rain* for our musical guests. Sign up at the Library.



Calling all poets

If you like poetry, write poetry, sing poetry, This is for you. We want poets, songwriters and readers to come and share their love of poems. Please call the Library and let us know if you want to participate!

Saturday, Aug. 17 at 4 p.m. – “Chosen”

Documentary movie screening by film maker Abby Reese. Set with in a monastery in Rockford, IL, Chosen shares the story of “Heather” as she follows her calling to become a

contemplative, cloistered nun. The documentary will be screened on Aug. 17 at the Pinecrest Grove. Abby Reese is a writer and filmmaker from Mt. Carroll.

Tuesday, Aug. 20 at 6 p.m. – Recycled T-shirt projects – Do you have extra t-shirts with cool logos

that you want to keep but can't wear anymore? We will be taking two of your shirts and creating a piece of art and a practical shopping bag! Sign up at the library! Class is limited to 20 people, so sign up early!

Library Board meeting, Aug. 21 at 7 p.m.

Julia Hull Library News

Tween Scene: Candy Sushi

This August at the library, we'll be making edible food crafts! On Tuesday, Aug. 6 at 6 p.m., tweens will practice rolling, wrapping and chopping to become candy sushi masters. Ages 10-12. Registration required: 815-645-8611.

Storytime in the Park

Thursday, August 8 at 10 a.m., join us for a special storytime in Davis Junction Park! We'll enjoy stories, songs, and parachute play. Feel free to bring blankets or lawn chairs for your comfort. Park shelter is reserved in case of rain. Ages 4-7. Registration required: 815-645-8611.

Great Reads: If Beale Street Could Talk

Travel to Harlem in the 1970s for a stunning examination of love and injustice in James Baldwin's classic American story, *If Beale Street Could Talk*. Friday, August 9, 10 a.m.-noon. Copies available upon registration. Registration required.

After Hours Movie: Tween Edition

August's After Hours Movie theme is back-to-school, featuring *Matilda* (Rated PG), based on Roald Dahl's children's classic. As Matilda grows older, she discovers that she has telekinetic powers. When a teacher shows her kindness for the first time, she realizes that she can use those powers to do something good! Snacks will be provided. BYO blankets,

pillows, or beanbags, etc. to make yourself more comfortable. Saturday, Aug. 17 at 2 p.m. Ages 10-12. Registration required: 815-645-8611.

Young Critics Book Club (YCBC)

Pick up a copy of Katherine Applegate's *Wishtree*, then join fellow young critics Tuesday, Aug. 20 at 6 p.m. to discuss and rate the book, and do an activity that goes along with the story! Ages 7-10. Registration required.

Teen Crafternoon: DIY Popsockets

We're busting out the ModgePodge, nail polish, Sharpies, and paint so you can customize your own Popsocket and get a grip on your phone. All supplies provided. Limit 1 popsocket per teen. Join us after school on Friday, August 23, 2:45-4 p.m. Ages 13-18. Registration required.

Planning Your Trip to Utah's National Parks

Breathtaking and stunningly beautiful Utah has it all: including five fabulous National Parks: Zion, Bryce Canyon, Capital Reef, Arches and Canyonlands. National Park geeks (and avid hikers), Joanna and Wayne, return on Monday, Aug. 26 at 6 p.m. for a special presentation all about these American gems, including a rundown of trails, and what to know before you hike them. Registration is required; being a super-outdoorsy person isn't! Call 815-645-8611.



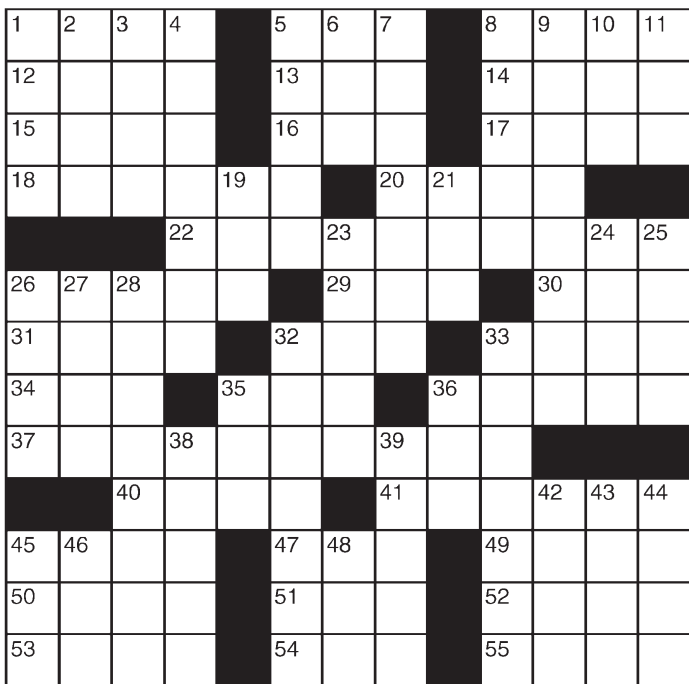
At July's Young Critics Book Club (Julia Hull District Library, Stillman Valley), participants discussed *The Show Must Go On!* by Kate Klise, then headed outside to play a minute-to-win-it circus act race with elephant feet.

Weekly Brain Busters

King Crossword

ACROSS

- 1 Healthful retreats
- 5 Meadow
- 8 "So be it"
- 12 Hay storage area
- 13 Plant bristle
- 14 Trademarked symbol
- 15 Emanation
- 16 Corral
- 17 Stench
- 18 Third-place medal
- 20 Honolulu's island
- 22 Waste time
- 26 Unexpected victory
- 29 Started
- 30 Nay opposer
- 31 Recording
- 32 Crazed
- 33 Pack away
- 34 Rd.
- 35 One of the Brady Bunch
- 36 Starts
- 37 Jerry Herman musical
- 40 Comic Jay
- 41 Brother of Andrew and Charles
- 45 Reed instrument
- 47 Pal of Wynken and Blynken
- 49 Wings



- 50 Gloomy
 - 51 Run-down horse
 - 52 Frost
 - 53 Connect the —
 - 54 Exist
 - 55 "Sports-Center" airtel
- DOWN**
- 1 Thick slice
 - 2 Serve tea
 - 3 Frizzy hairdo
 - 4 Strap hanger
 - 5 Boutonniere site
 - 6 Ram's mate
 - 7 Peeved
 - 8 20-Across greeting
 - 9 Vary, as a tone
 - 10 Freudian concept
 - 11 "Neither snow — ..."
 - 19 Pimple
 - 21 Toss in
 - 23 Grassy plain
 - 24 French city
 - 25 Some conifers
 - 26 Hexagonal state
 - 27 Macadamize
 - 28 Make absolutely plain
 - 32 "Material Girl" singer
 - 33 Computer security threat
 - 35 Garfield's owner
 - 36 Antiquated
 - 38 Lecherous looks
 - 39 Sill
 - 42 Muhammad and Laila
 - 43 Freeway access
 - 44 TV chef Paula
 - 45 Peculiar
 - 46 Scary cry
 - 48 Rowing tool

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally

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- Twitter
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Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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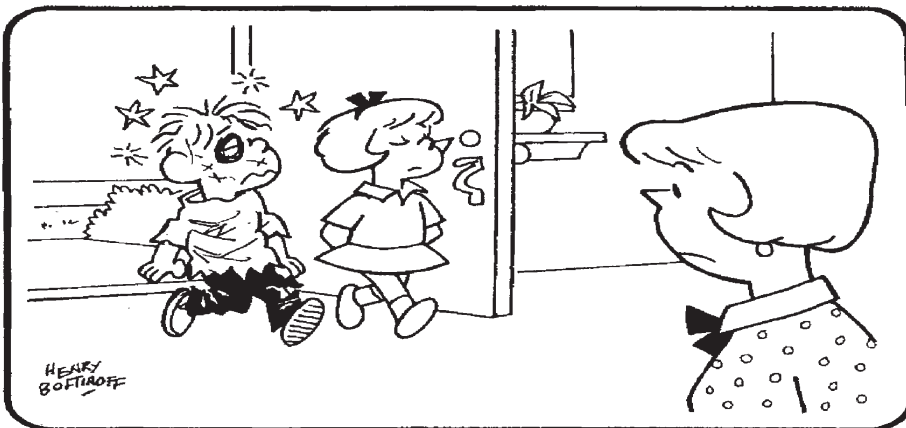
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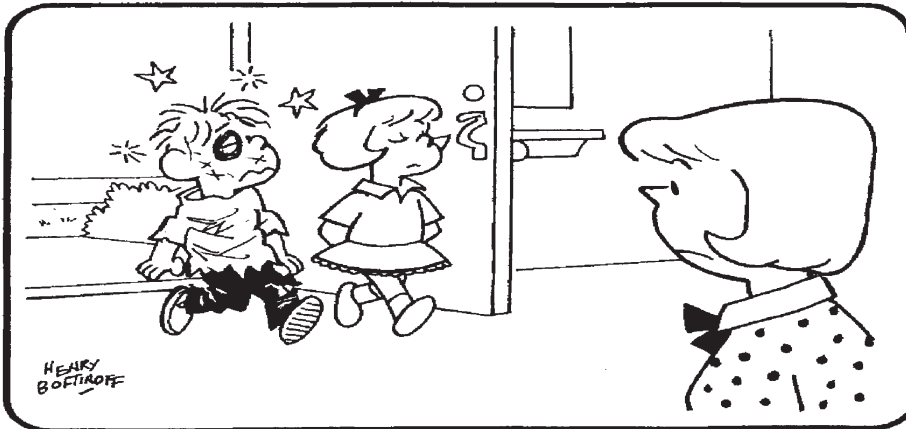
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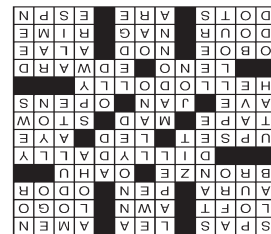
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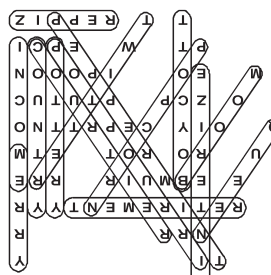
Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Mom's hair is longer. 2. Girl's dress has ruffles. 3. Indoor plant is missing. 4. Door handle is higher. 5. Dress polka dots are black. 6. Fewer stars around boy's head.



Solution time: 25 mins.
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 King Crossword



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Answer
 Weekly SUDOKU

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Bertolet Library News

Movie Madness Matinee

Monday, July 29, 2 p.m.
In keeping with our summer space theme, this month's movie is a family favorite featuring the lovable but lonely Waste Allocation Load Lifter-Earth class (WALL-E, for short). After hundreds of years cleaning up Earth, WALL-E meets the lovely space probe EVE and follows her across the galaxy beginning a fantastic adventure. Popcorn and drinks are provided.

LEGO Club

Monday, Aug. 5, 2 p.m.
It's LEGO time! Join us for an hour of designing and building with our huge

assortment of bricks and figures. Bring a friend for twice the fun!

Splash Bash!

Thursday, Aug. 8, 10:30 a.m.

Our ever-popular water program returns for a 4th year. We'll enjoy old favorites like "Duck, Duck, Splash" and "There's a Hole in my Bucket" plus a few new water games before ending with our annual "Water Balloon Battle". Come prepared to have fun and get soaked. If the weather is bad we will have indoor activities.

Explore More Illinois

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that provides discounts to museums, visual and performing arts centers, park districts, and more around the state. The program is easy to use and free with your library card. Just follow the link on our website, bertoletmemoriallibrary.org, or go to exploremoreillinois.org to browse attractions, discover discounts, and plan your visit.

SSET 4 School Donations

We are once again a collection point for school supplies for students in the Forrestville Valley District. Suggested donations include spiral notebooks, notebook paper, folders, pens, pencils, highlighters,



Merry Martha Club treasurer, Lorna VanBrocklin, presents a donation for the Summer Reading Program to Miss Julie and some of the program participants.

markers, crayons, colored pencils, Sharpies, erasers, scissors, rulers, glue and glue sticks. New and

gently used backpacks are also needed. Distribution of supplies is Monday, August 12th so please have your

donations in by Saturday, Aug. 10.

Plastic Recycling

Ogle Jolly 4-H Club has earned their bench but we will continue collecting film-type plastic. Shopping bags, sandwich bags, bread wrappers, or any bag-type plastic is acceptable. Wrap from new furniture (especially mattresses) and appliances are also welcome.

All plastic must be clean, dry, and free of food residue. Please do not bring hard plastic as that is not allowed in this program. We are located on the south end of Leaf River at 705 Main Street.

Thanks for your help!

Oregon Library News

2019 Summer Reading program

Thank you to our "It's ShowTime at Your Library!" program supporters:

The Oregon Public Library would like to thank our sponsors, Oregon Park District, Friends of the Library, F. N. Smith Corporation, Stillman Bank, E. D. Etnyre & Company, Kaczmarzyk Agency, Inc., Scott Stephens State Farm Insurance, Farrell, Holland, Gale Funeral Home, Guist Agency, Hopper's Poppers, The Village Bakery and Exelon Corporation for their generosity and support of the 2019 Summer Reading Program. We greatly appreciate June Danekas and Evee, Kathe Wilson, Amanda Tauch, and Nancy Kerwin for donating their time and expertise in presenting special programs to the SRP participants.

Book review by Emily

The Demigod Files by Rick Riordan
"It has mini stories and gives facts about Camp Half-Blood."

Book review by Martin

Because of the Rabbit by Cynthia Lord
"Heartwarming, sad (a little) and interesting..."

Adult summer reading program - It's ShowTime at Your Library!

Beginning on June 3rd, anyone over the age of 18 may participate in our Adult Summer Reading Program. Punch cards will track how many books you have checked out and each completed card will go into a drawing for prizes! Ask at the front desk for your punch card when you check out any reading material. No sign up, no hassle, just READING on

your own! NEW this year - receive a punch for attending Adult Programs. All punch cards due by Aug. 10.

New - Computer classes

Need a little extra help with navigating Word, Excel or the Internet. Starting July 9, schedule a private session with our staff to assist you. Appointments are available Tuesdays between 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Schedule your time slot today!

Library book clubs

The 2WBC meets Wednesday, Aug. 14 at 12:30 p.m. to discuss The Simplicity of Cider by Amy E. Reichert. The Afternoon Book Club meets Wednesday, Aug. 21 at 1 p.m. to discuss My Sister, The Serial Killer by Oyinkan Braithwaite. The In-Between Book Club meets Wednesday, Aug. 21 at 1:30 p.m. to view the movie Holes PG and discuss the book Holes by Louis Sachar. Books on Tap Book Club meets on Thursday, Aug. 22 to discuss You Think It, I'll Say It Stories by Curtis Sittenfeld

Flying Fox Conservation Fund: Meet a live sloth - Monday, Aug. 5

Family Show - 12:30 p.m. and Adult Only Show 2 p.m. Come and meet Steve the Sloth and some of his mammal friends from Flying Fox conservation. We have two shows scheduled - first time adult only animal program and a family show. Limited seating...Reservations required.

Cooking healthy on a tight schedule - Aug. 6 at 6:30 p.m.

Would you like to make a commitment to cook healthier?

Panicking that school is starting soon? Not sure what to cook or which snacks will be best for your hungry kids when they get home from school? Worry no more... Lynnies' Kitchen has come to the rescue! Learn easy ways to feed your family, snacks to keep on hand and quick dinners to prepare in under an hour! Lynn Kaufman, registered dietitian and local food blogger, will provide you with tips and demonstrate plant-based recipes that you can prepare at home! No need to eat out every meal or rely on premade foods for you and your family just because of a busy schedule. Registration required 815-732-2724.

Wizard murder mystery - Saturday, Sept. 7 (two shows!)

It's the Back to School opening feast for Slugwort's School of Magic and you're invited! Come dressed in your best witch or wizard robes, but non-magical garb is allowed.

Family Show: ages 8 and up. Show begins at noon. Tickets: \$25 each or \$160 for a table of 8.

Evening Show: Ages 18 and over. Show begins at 6:30 p.m. Tickets: \$45 each or \$320 for a table of 8.

Tickets now on sale. Visit our website, Facebook page or call the library for more information. This event will be held at Cork N Tap.

No family yoga in August

Family yoga will not be held during the month of August. We will resume in September, date and time to be announced.

Adult Yoga Saturdays at 9:30 a.m.

Benefits of yoga include developing a mind-body connection and present centered awareness.

Strength, flexibility, stamina/endurance and a sense of calm for both the mind and body will increase with repeated practice over time. Please wear comfortable clothing and bring a mat and water bottle. Mats will be provided to those in need on a first come, first serve basis. Registration required.

Trivia night - second Wednesday of the Month at 6 p.m.

Test your knowledge of sports, history, movies and much more. Team of 2 to 4. Win a gift card to Hazel's Café. Registration required!

Knit and crochet

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

Library of Things

The Oregon Public Library now has a "Library of Things"! The LOT is a collection of non-traditional items that patrons can check-out. This collection includes: crockpot, spring-form pan, family games, audio/visual items, and much more. We are also taking requests for items that patrons might be interested in checking out. To find out more or to make requests, please stop by the library and talk to a staff member.

Oregon Writer's Group (OWG)

The OWG is a gathering of writers or writer-wannabes who

meet to support each other and to further their own writing. The purpose of the group is to help and encourage you in your writing. If you need brainstorming ideas, we can help suggest ideas or aid with the creative process. The Oregon Writers Group meets on the last Tuesday of each month.

New releases

Lonely Planet Coastal Queensland & The Great Barrier Reef (Non-Fiction 919.43 COA 2017)

Frommer's Maine Coast (Non-Fiction 917.41 FRO ED.5 2017)

Frommer's Hawaii (Non-Fiction 919.69 FRO 2019)

Fodor's Travel Aruba (Non-Fiction 917.2986 FOD 2019)

Big Red Tequila by Rick Riordan (Paperback Mystery)

Under The Cold Bright Lights by Garry Disher (Mystery)

Heart Of Barkness by Spencer Quinn (Mystery)

A Lady's Guide To Gossip And Murder by Dianne Freeman (Mystery)

One Small Sacrifice by Hilary Davidson (Mystery)

Biloxi by Mary Miller (Large Print Fiction)

Star-Crossed by Minnie Darke (Large Print Fiction)

Keep You Close by Karen Cleveland (Large Print Fiction)

Lanny by Max Porter (Fiction)

On Earth We're Briefly Gorgeous by Ocean Vuong (Fiction)

A Bend In The Stars by Rachel Barenbaum (Fiction)

Surfside Sisters by Nancy Thayer (Fiction)

Deep River by Karl Marlantes (Fiction)

Lock Every Door by Riley Sager (Fiction)

Deception Cove by Owen Laukkanen (Fiction)

Byron Library News

Mussels, Moonshine and Music

Monday, July 29
11 a.m.-noon

This presentation and performance by Dennis Stroughmatt features Mississippi Valley migrant life in the early twentieth century. Learn about the often-unknown migrant work of the river-based mussel shellers, moonshiners, and musicians that worked across Illinois via artifacts, photos, oral histories and fiddle music. Please visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to register.

Scrapbooking Event/Craft Supply Swap

Saturday, August 3
10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Drop in or spend the entire day with Melanie working on your scrapbook project. Tables will be first-come, first-served. There will be special tools available such as the Cricut Expressions with cartridges, Cricut Air, and Big Shot with Folders. Also, there will be a swap table for all types of crafts; leave something you don't need and pick up an item you could use. No registration required!

Enchanted Unicorn Forest – New Class Added!

Wednesday, Aug. 7
1:30-2:30 p.m.

Ages: 3-9 years (ages 3-5 with caregiver)

Create a magical indoor unicorn forest. Use glitter, twigs, feathers, paint, rocks, moss and a variety of crafting materials to complete your unicorn forest in a terracotta planter plate. Space is limited, so please visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to register.

Illinois I-Cash: Discover What's Yours Today!

Thursday, Aug. 8
4-7 p.m.

Discover what money is waiting for you! Bonnie Jefferson from the Illinois Treasurer's office will be available to meet with you and search for money owed to you by connecting you through the Illinois I-Cash program. Appointments available; drop-ins welcome based on availability. Visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to



Golden ticket winner Alan Schabacker poses with BPLD staff member Penny Meeker. There's only one golden ticket left to be found, so stop by the library today!

set up an appointment.

Crafting with Cathy: Glass Vases

Thursday, Aug. 8
6:30-7:30 p.m.

Come decorate glass bottles for your summer flower décor. We will start out with a basic white and you can pick out your own accent colors. All supplies will be provided. Please visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to register.

Escape Room: Escape from the Pharaoh's Tomb

Friday, Aug. 9
9:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

Ages: 8 years and up

You are an archaeologist, and you have just uncovered a bone in an ancient Egyptian pharaoh's tomb. As you lift the bone carefully from the dirt floor, the chamber door closes. You have 45 minutes to solve the clues and find the key to escape the tomb. Grab some friends or family members (ideal group size is 3-5 people) and register for a 45-minute time slot. There are only a couple spots left! Visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to register.

Toddler Read & Play @ the Park

Monday, Aug. 26
11:15 a.m.-noon

Ages: 18 months-3 years, with caregiver

Messy crafts, parachute play & outdoor explorations. Join us at Blackhawk Meadow Park for an outdoor toddler play day. Dress for mess and wear tennis shoes. Please register through the Byron Park District.

How to Use Your GoPro: Video Basics

Thursday, Aug. 29
6:30-7:30 p.m.

Learn how to operate and setup a GoPro camera with our expert Shea Bierman. You will leave with an understanding of mounts, accessories, and video modes to produce higher quality videos. Learn how to get the shots only a GoPro can capture! A GoPro is available for checkout. Please visit Byron.evanced.info/signup or call 815-234-5107 to register.

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

Polo Library News



Children in the summer reading program made cat masks after listening to the story *Kitten's First Full Moon*.

All programs are free (unless otherwise noted) and accessible. Please note that some programs require registration.

Children's Programs

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

Teen Programs

Book Subscription Box Pickup

Saturday, Aug. 31, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Pick up your Book Subscription Boxes for August

Adult Programs

Music in the Pavilion

Summer Concert Series

4th Saturday in August 2019

Enjoy a variety of free, live music with your family and friends. Bring your lawn chair or blanket, pack a picnic and wear your dancing shoes. Dippy's will have light meals and ice cream available for purchase. Lawn games will be available from 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Lyle Grobe & the Rhythm Ramblers, Classic Country

Saturday, Aug. 24, 7-9 p.m.

Pinterest Party

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

Activity: Small Terrarium

Please bring your own container. All other supplies will be furnished.

Registration is required for this program.

Book Discussion Groups

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

Afternoon Book Club @ the Library

Monday, August 26, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Selection: November Road by Lou Berney

Friday Book Discussion @ the Library

Friday, August 23, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Selection: 1,000 White Women by Jim Ferguson

Rock River Center representative

Wednesday, Aug. 28, 10 a.m.-noon.

The Rock River Center provides a caseworker to answer questions about Medicare, insurance, home care and anything else to do with caring for the older population. No appointment necessary. They will return every 4th Wednesday of each month.

New to the Collection

The following list is of new items available at the library. Come in and check out our new books and other items on display located in each section of the library. Visit our website (pololibrary.org) or come in to browse the new sections in our bookcases.

New Adult Fiction

Plain Vanilla Murder and Queen Anne's Lace by Susan Wittig Albert

Someone Knows by Lisa Scottoline

Tightrope by Amanda Quick

18th Abduction by James Patterson

TV WEEKLY

Tuesday, July 30, through Monday, August 5

Soap Opera Update

THE BOLD AND THE BEAUTIFUL

Hope reluctantly wed Thomas after baby Phoebe interrupted the ceremony. Liam begged his brother to help him find out what Flo had been hiding. Meanwhile, Flo told Shauna that Thomas threatened her life. Wyatt assured Flo that she shouldn't be afraid to tell him anything. Hope struggled to process that she actually married Thomas. Steffy caught Liam looking at Phoebe's adoption papers. Hope got upset when Thomas told her that he made honeymoon plans. Steffy admitted to Liam that she met Flo through Taylor. Later, Liam called the hospital in Las Vegas where Flo had her baby. Having overheard his father's conversation, Douglas asked Steffy about Phoebe's name. Wait to See: Wyatt is blindsided by Flo's heartfelt confession.

DAYS OF OUR LIVES

Lani questioned Ted about the inconsistencies in his statement. Stefan attempted to bargain with Kate. Susan pulled a gun on Kristen. Xander made Kristen grovel before ending his alliance with her. Jack was surprised when Eve supported him taking the serum. Jennifer was determined to move on and start dating. Haley had disturbing visions of Claire. Jack shared some surprising news with JJ. Eve took drastic measures to stop Jack from regaining his memory. "Nicole" shared her plans for DiMera with Brady. Xander and Rex had a fight about Sarah. A misguided Tripp tried to help Haley. Wait to See: Jack demands a divorce from Eve.

GENERAL HOSPITAL

Valentin had a tense run-in with Ava. Jordan pushed Stella for more information. Alexis looked for closure. Finn's interest was piqued. Hayden apologized to Curtis. Lucy approached Sasha. Cameron offered Josslyn his support. Sonny appreciated Carly's efforts. Sonny made a point of running into Robert. Jason paid Carly a visit. Cameron betrayed a friend. Chase and Finn reconnected. Nina had some bad news to share. Obrecht found herself being of little help. Carly ran into Jax. Ava looked for a second opinion. Liza and Franco did their part. Willow had a change of heart. Drew received a mysterious package. Ava faced her demons. Wait to See: Hayden makes a fool of herself.

(See C-10)

Weekdays Daytime		Insight Communications Oregon-Byron Polo																			July 30, 2019					
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WTTW	2	Curious	Wild	Nature	Molly	Go Luna	Tiger	Tiger	Sesame	Sesame	Pink	Pink	Tiger	Nature	Dino	Curious	Arthur	Go Luna	Nature	Molly	Wild	Wild	Odd	PBS NewsHour		
WREX	3 6	Today					Today 3rd Hour		Today With Hoda & Jenna		The Doctors		13 News at Noon	Days of our Lives		Steve		Millionaire	Jeopardy!	Jeopardy!	Dr. Phil		13 News at Five	Nightly News	13 News at Six	Wheel Fortune
WTVO	4 5	Good Morning America					Live with Kelly and Ryan		The View		Rachael Ray		Strahan & Sara		General Hospital		The Dr. Oz Show		Family Feud	Family Feud	Judge Judy	Judge Judy	Eyewitness	World News	Eyewitness	Ent. Tonight
WIFR	5 3	CBS This Morning					Morning Blend	Paid Program	The Price Is Right		The Young and the Restless		23 News at Noon	Bold	The Talk		Let's Make a Deal		Pickler & Ben		The Ellen DeGeneres Show		23 News at Five	Evening News	23 News at Six	Last Man
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CW	15	Varied Programs		The Real		The 700 Club		The Dr. Oz Show		Dateline		Wendy Williams		Jerry Springer		Caught	Caught	Jerry Springer		Divorce	Mod	Fam	Fam	Fam	Fam	
WHA	21 2	Wild	Molly	Curious	Go Luna	Tiger	Tiger	Sesame	Pink	Dino	Cat in	Sesame	Splash	Varied Programs				Molly	Odd	Arthur	News	PBS NewsHour				
WQPT	48	Pink	Tiger	Tiger	Go Luna	Ready	Nature	Wild	Molly	Varied Programs				Chicago	Varied	Sesame	Odd	Odd	Wild	Curious	Nature	Arthur	Chicago	Varied	News	
ESPN	7 24	Get Up					First Take			SportsCenter		Outside	Live	Varied Programs		NBA: The Jump		Noon	Ques	Around	Pardon	SportsCenter		Varied Programs		
CNN	8 26	New Day		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		At This Hour-Kate		Inside Politics		CNN Right Now		CNN Newsroom		CNN Newsroom		Jake Tapper		Situation Room		Situation Room		E. B. OutFront		
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USA	29 18	NCIS		Varied Programs																						
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ANPL	42 28	Varied Programs				The Zoo		Varied Programs		Pit Bulls-Parole		Pit Bulls-Parole		River Monsters		Varied Programs										
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TVLAND	44	Paid	Paid	Andy G.	Andy G.	Andy G.	Bonanza	Varied Programs		(10:50) Gunsmoke	(11:55) Gunsmoke	Gunsmoke		Gunsmoke		MASH	MASH	MASH	MASH	Andy G.	Andy G.	Andy G.	Andy G.			
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HALL	47	Golden	Golden	Golden	Golden	Home & Family				Movie				Movie				Movie								
MSNBC	49	(5:00) Morning Joe		MSNBC Live		MSNBC Live		MSNBC Live		Andrea Mitchell		MSNBC		MSNBC Live		MSNBC Live		Deadline		MTP Daily		The Beat With		Hardball Chris		
FOOD	52	Paid	Paid	Paid	Pioneer	Varied Programs				Pioneer	Pioneer	Varied Programs														
EWTN	53	Daily Mass - Olam		Varied Programs		Mother	Varied	Women	Rosary	Daily Mass - Olam		At Home	Varied Programs		Chaplet	Rosary	Varied Programs		Saint	News	Varied	Daily Mass - Olam				
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TRUTV	55	Varied Programs				Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes	Jokes															
OXY	56	Varied Programs																								

Tuesday Evening July 30, 2019. Table with columns for time slots (7 PM to 11:30) and rows for various TV channels (WTTW, WREX, WTVO, etc.) listing programs like Chicago Tonight, American Experience, and Beyond a Year.

Wednesday Evening July 31, 2019. Table with columns for time slots (7 PM to 11:30) and rows for various TV channels (WTTW, WREX, WTVO, etc.) listing programs like Chicago Tonight, Ancient Skies, and NOVA.

Thursday Evening August 1, 2019. Table with columns for time slots (7 PM to 11:30) and rows for various TV channels (WTTW, WREX, WTVO, etc.) listing programs like Chicago Tonight, Prohibition, and TBT Tournament.

Friday Evening August 2, 2019. Table with columns for time slots (7 PM to 11:30) and rows for various TV channels (WTTW, WREX, WTVO, etc.) listing programs like Review, Wash, Check..., and American Ninja Warrior.

Saturday Daytime

Insight Communications Oregon-Byron Polo

August 3, 2019

Table with 24 columns (7 AM to 6:30) and 48 rows (WTTW to OXY) for Saturday Daytime programming.

Sunday Daytime

Insight Communications Oregon-Byron Polo

August 4, 2019

Table with 24 columns (7 AM to 6:30) and 48 rows (WTTW to OXY) for Sunday Daytime programming.

Saturday Evening August 3, 2019. Table with columns for time slots (7 PM to 11:30) and rows for various TV channels (WTTW, WREX, WTVO, etc.) listing programs like Father Brown, Shakespa, Death in Paradise, etc.

Sunday Evening August 4, 2019. Table with columns for time slots (7 PM to 11:30) and rows for various TV channels (WTTW, WREX, WTVO, etc.) listing programs like Poldark-Master, Grantchester, Murder on the Home Front, etc.

Monday Evening August 5, 2019. Table with columns for time slots (7 PM to 11:30) and rows for various TV channels (WTTW, WREX, WTVO, etc.) listing programs like Chicago Tonight, Antiques Roadshow, POV, etc.

Soap Opera Update (From C-7) THE YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS. Phyllis eventually agreed to collaborate with Abby on the lounge for her new hotel. Includes a photo of Maura West and text about her role as 'Ava' on 'General Hospital'.

E-mail news items to bjennings@oglecountylife.com

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Garage sale
Franklin Grove
Annual Rummage Sales
Fri. Aug. 2nd, 8:00-4:00
Sat. Aug. 3rd, 8:00-4:00
50+ rummage sales.
Food stands all around town.
Don't miss out on these sales! PIA#81

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LEGAL NOTICES

ANNUAL TREASURE'S REPORT
WOOSUNG TOWNSHIP & ROAD DISTRICT
FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 2019

TOWNSHIP & GENERAL ASSISTANCE
REVENUE SUMMARY
REAL ESTATE TAXES-\$18,192.31- REPLACEMENT TAX-\$166.09
INTEREST-\$52.68-MISCELLANEOUS-\$800.00
TOTAL REVENUES \$19,211.08
DISBURMENTS MORE THAN \$2500.-COUNTRY MUTUAL INS. \$2967.18
DISBURMENTS LESS THAN \$2500.-\$4736.17
COMPENSATION SUMMARY RANGE UNDER \$25,000.

Tom Hoak, Matt Shore, Sharon Harrison, Ed Cox, Brent Scholl, Lorin Gatz, Jeff Scholl

TOTAL COMPENSATION \$9390.00
ROAD DISTRICT REVENUE SUMMARY
REAL ESTATE TAXES-\$37,827.52-REPLACEMENT TAX-\$589.79
INTEREST-\$37.21

TOTAL REVENUES \$38,454.52
EXPENDITURES OVER \$2500.00-BUFFALO TOWNSHIP \$18,517.00
GRAY EXCAVATING-\$7890.78-R.E. WOLBER & SONS-\$18,871.93
TRI-STATE ASPHALT-\$5277.11
DISBURMEMTS LESS THAN \$2500.00-\$1608.59
TOTAL DISBURMENTS \$52,165.41

I, Sharon Harrison, clerk of Woosung Township, Ogle County, Illinois do here by certify that the above is a true copy of the Annual Treasure's Report for fiscal year ending Mach 31, 2019.

Subscribed and sworn to this 20 th day of July, 2019
Matt Shore- Treasurer

GARAGE SALE
629 W. Pines Rd. Resale Shop
Oregon
25% to 50% off
at the West shop.
Estate Sale with 200 new items!
Vintage silver, 50 blue mason jars.
NEW CONSIGNERS WELCOME! PIA#78

MOVING SALE!!!
2 S. Gale Rd, Oregon
Take Oregon Trail to Gale and follow signs,
Thurs. Aug. 1st, 3:00-7:00
Fri. Aug. 2nd, 8:00-4:00
Yard and garden tools, pull behind sprayer, seeder, roller, and cart. Antiques, misc. lumber, lots of misc., and FREE items PIA#73

HUGE GARAGE SALE!
396 Margaret Fuller Rd, Oregon
Wed. July 31st, 12:00-6:00
Thurs. Aug. 1st, 9:00-5:00
Fri. Aug. 2nd, 9:00-5:00
Nice clean brand name clothing Junior & adult sizes. Lots of home décor, mirrors, designer handbags, shoes, power washer, ladder, pull behind spreader, weed eater with blower. Way to much to list! Stop bye! PIA#76

Garage sale
109 Amber Dr., Oregon
Thurs & Fri., Aug. 1st & 2nd,
8:00-4:00
Sat. Aug. 3rd, 8:00-12:00
Gas grill, bookshelves, hutch, kitchen items, bikes, basketballs & BB bats, lots of misc. PIA#74

Big Barn Sale!
Aug. 1st, 2nd, 3rd
9:00-5:00
3890 N. Hwy. 251
Davis Junction
Honda dirt bike and much more!
PIA#72

Garage Sale/Moving
August 8th & 9th
8am to 5pm
4894 East Ashelford Drive
Byron, IL 61010
Misc. Items, Wing Back Chair, End Tables, and Wall Hangings, Longaberger items. Outside - Ceramic Pots, iron chairs, small table & umbrella, Garden tools, Hose Reel & Hoses, Metal Shelve, Hand tools, 10 ft. extension latter, Life Jackets
PIA#77

PUBLIC AUCTION

To settle the Frey trust we will offer at Public Auction the following described clean line of personal property. **This auction will be held on site at 208 Linder Lane Rochelle, IL 61068.** Linder Lane is located off of Calvin Rd. Watch for Bearrows Real Estate & Auction signs on Rt. 38 by Presbyterian Church. Visit our web site at www.bearrows.com for further information & pictures.

SATURDAY, August 10th, 2019
10:00 AM

Comfort Station

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Personal Property

2 Walnut antique twin beds; Oak dresser w/ hankie drawers & candle holders; 5 drawer chest; Rocker; Twin electric hospital bed; Twin bed; Oak 2 drawer file cabinet & other 2 drawer file; Oak antique settee; Glider rocker; Sofa; End tables; Electric lift chair; Oak dinette table w/ 3 chairs; Oak dining rm. Table w/ leaves & 8 chairs; Oak glass front hutch; 2 corner glass front curios; Wicker love seat; 4 tier & 3 tier attorney book cases; Cedar armor; Cedar chest; Dresser; Corner TV stand; Quilting rack; Folding youth chair; Overstuffed occasional chair; Antique ice cream table w/ 4 chairs; Bistro set w/ 2 chairs; Park bench; Lamps; Old 35 mm camera; Crock jugs; Globe; Treadle sewing machine; Wall clock; Silver plate ware; Dirt Devil upright vacuum; Pictures & wall decorations; Umbrella stand; Usual kitchen items; Assorted dishes some collectable; Bose CD player/radio w/ remote; Office chair; Walker & wheel chair; Retro record player/radio & CD; Budweiser Bee box; Chicago Cub items including several signed items of original signatures; Old records; Childs ice cream set; Childs metal wagon; Toro power clear snow thrower; Wheel barrow; Lawn & garden tools; 2 wheel hand cart; Saw horses;

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103 AUCTIONS

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103 AUCTIONS

The Auction Shed

Location: The Auction Shed at 900 S. Division Ave (Rt 26), Polo, IL 61064
See advance salebills, possible color photos on our website at topauctions24-7.com/paspolo & Auction Zip

Sunday, August 11, 2019
9:30 am

Lunch by Triple P's BBQ

Note: Lenny has sold the Auction Shed, therefore this will be the **last sale** at the Auction Shed. We will continue auctions on-sight. We will start on hayrack items moving on to showcase items and ground items. Doors will open at 8:00 am for viewing.

Collectibles

JD A; JD barge box, gear & hoist (reconditioned); JD 54 spreader w/top beater reconditioned; JD hit & miss engine; 4 Oliver boat motors (2 are #6, 2 are #15); 3 Oliver boat gas cans; wood drop seeder w/wood wheels; 2 corn graders; IHC 1B walking plow; Kenwood marking plow; Grand Detour Plow Co plows; buggy wheel; IH umbrella; pipe puller; 2 Gem well pumps; wood frame corn sheller (Marseilles, IL); pedal sharpening stone; big cupola; Planet Jr cultivators; reel mowers; root cutter; 2R Keystone Sterling planter w/2 seats; JD pedal car (repo); JD 70 pedal tractor (repo); Oliver 880 pedal tractor; JD 4020 & 4430 pedal tractors & wagons; 12 various cast iron imp seats; 4 hayracks of **SIGNS** (many old, some repo) incl Blackhawk double sided, 3 lg Beier's Bread, A&P & Pontiac Porcelain, Dekalb Flying Ear; Duck hut; med brass bell; lg brass train eng bell; brass grain probe; hand planters; hay hooks; cast well pump; seed sacks; manuals; Revolv-A-Chest tool box (made in Polo); wood adv boxes; Western 15 gal crock; SR&S Co 10 gal crock; Union 10 gal crock; Pioneer Lionel train; toy JD 12A combine, flare wagon, misc other farm toys; Sunny Suzy washing machine; various advertising items incl many local; accordion; belt buckles; empty cigarette packs; Chicago Stockyards bullet pencils, paperweight, coin banks, calendars, plus other pieces; Hop Along Cassidy glass; Century of Progress Semi Greyhound bus; roll top desk; wood office chair; 2 piano stool w/glass ball feet; 3 section bookcase; wall telephone; postcards; various beer signs; Budweiser signs; plus lots more!

Miscellaneous

Flat screen TV; piano bench; wall 3 door showcase; conference table; glass showcase; holiday decorations; cement Blackhawk statue; various many totes; numerous packing blankets; rolling stairway; rolling carts; bleachers; floor sweeper; shop vac; assorted shop items; tarps; generator; pull behind ATV sprayer; 100 gal cattle tank; Bioto double barrel shot gun made in Brazil; Winchester 37 12 ga shot gun; Daisy BB gun; cork gun; plus whatever else is found.

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LEGAL NOTICE**

The Village of Stillman Valley will hold a Public Hearing before the Stillman Valley Village Board on Monday, August 12, 2019 at 6:30 pm at the Stillman Valley Village Hall located at 120 N Walnut Street, Stillman Valley, IL. The purpose of the public hearing is to review the proposed 2019 Village of Stillman Valley Comprehensive Plan. Dated this 22nd day of July, 2019
Submitted by Yvonne Dewey, Village Clerk, CMC, RMC
Village of Stillman Valley
No. 0741 (July 29)

PUBLIC NOTICE

STATE OF)
ILLINOIS)
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COUNTY)
OF OGLE)
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF THE 15th JUDICIAL
CIRCUIT
COUNTY OF OGLE - IN
PROBATE
In the)
Matter)Case
of the)No.
Estate of)19P37
MICHAEL)
L.)
MAHAFFEY,)
Deceased.)

**NOTICE FOR
PUBLICATION - WILL
AND CLAIMS**

NOTICE is given of the death of Michael L. Mahaffey. Letters of Office were issued on July 12, 2019, to Jessica M. Mahaffey, Administrator, who is the legal representative of the estate. The attorney for the estate is Attorney Nathan J. Noble, P.C., 504 North State Street, Belvidere, Illinois. Claims against the estate

may be filed on or before January 22, 2020, that date being at least six (6) months from the date of first publication, or within three (3) months from the date of mailing or delivery of Notice to creditors, if mailing or delivery is required by 755 ILCS 5/18-3, whichever date is later. Any claim not filed by the requisite date stated above shall be barred. Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Ogle County Circuit Clerk-Probate Division at the Ogle County Court-

house, 105 S. 5th Street, Oregon, IL 61061, or with the estate legal representative, or both. Copies of claims filed with the Circuit Clerk's Office-Probate Division, must be mailed or delivered to the estate legal representative and to his attorney within ten days after it has been filed.
Date: 7/15/19
Nathan J. Noble
Attorney for Administrator
Nathan J. Noble, P.C.
504 North State Street
Belvidere, IL 61008

815.547.7700
ARDC 6290348
nnoble@attorneyoble.com
No. 0725 (July 22, 29, Aug. 5)

Laura J. Cook,
Ogle County Clerk
No. 0729 (June 24, July 1, 8)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received by the Ogle County Highway Department, Oregon, Illinois until 2:00 P.M. August 9, 2019, for the purchase of the following new equipment with trade in:
1) ¾-Ton crew cab pickup truck.
2) 1-Ton chassis cab pickup truck.
Specifications for the new equipment are available at the Ogle County Highway Department, 1989


South IL Rt. 2, Oregon, IL between the hours of 7:00 A.M. and 3:30 P.M. Monday - Friday.
The Road and Bridge Committee reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
No. 0744 (July 29, Aug. 5)

PUBLIC NOTICE

There will be a public hearing held on the proposed vacation of a portion of unimproved ROW on Walnut Street in the unincorporated Village of Grand Detour: South of Water and Walnut Sts. in the Township of Grand

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FULL TIME JOB NOTICE

The Byron Forest Preserve District, Byron, Illinois, is accepting applications for the position of **Assistant Food Service Manager** at PrairieView Golf Club. The ideal candidate will possess a proven track record in food & beverage operations, excel in leading and training a diverse staff, and be successful in promoting the golf facilities to the public. Compensation offered is between \$30,000 - \$40,000. This is a year round full-time salaried position. The Byron Forest Preserve District offers a competitive benefits package, which includes excellent health and pension plans. The position is responsible for assisting in providing leadership in supervising, administering, coordinating, and conducting food service operations out of the clubhouse, as well as the new TopTracer Range Facility set to open this fall. To see the full job description and/or to apply for this position, please go to www.byronforestpreserve.com, click the "About" section then click the "Employment" section to print an employment application. Please send completed application, and resume to Julie Whetsel, Food Service Manager at PrairieView Golf Club, P.O. Box 1075, Byron, IL 61010 or by email to julie@prairieviewgolf.com. The deadline for submitting applications is August 15, 2019.

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FULL TIME JOB NOTICE

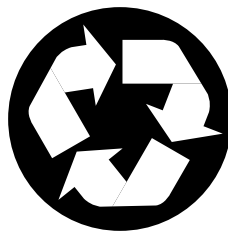
The Byron Forest Preserve District, Byron, Illinois, is accepting applications for the position of **Assistant General Manager for PrairieView Golf Club** and the new TopTracer Range facility set to open this fall. The ideal candidate will possess a proven track record in facilities and personnel management, have excellent communication skills, and excel at providing first class customer service. Compensation offered is between \$65,000 - \$75,000. This is a year round full-time salaried position. The Byron Forest Preserve District offers a competitive benefits package, which includes excellent health and pension plans. The position is responsible for management of operations in both the clubhouse and the new TopTracer facility. To see the full job description and/or to apply for this position, please go to www.byronforestpreserve.com, click the "About" section, then click the "Employment" section to print an employment application. Please send a cover letter, completed application, and resume to Matt Henkel, General Manager / Golf Course Superintendent at PrairieView Golf Club, P.O. Box 1075, Byron, IL 61010 or by email to matt@prairieviewgolf.com. The deadline for submitting applications is August 15th, 2019.

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Detour, Ogle County, Illinois. Said public hearing will be held on August 13, 2019 at 8:00AM at the Ogle County Court House, Room 100, 105 S 5th Street, Oregon, IL Kenneth Lowry Grand Detour Twp Rd Commissioner

No. 0745 (July 29, Aug. 5) **PUBLIC NOTICE** Public Notice is hereby given that on July 10, 2019, a certificate was filed in the Ogle County Clerk's Office setting forth the names and post office address of all of the person owning, conduct-

ing and transacting the business known as: Ms. Heather's Home Day-care, 402 E. Webster St., Polo, IL 61064. Dated: July 10, 2019 Laura J. Cook, Ogle County Clerk No. 0719 (July 15, 22, 29)



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105 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

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Byron CUSD #226 has an opening for a **Special Education Paraprofessional**
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Under the About Us tab in Employment Opportunities

Byron CUSD #226 Extra-Curricular Openings for 2019-2020

High School Assistant Boys Basketball Coach
High School Assistant Volleyball Coach
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Middle School Assistant Boys Track

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Life newspaper carriers wanted in Byron

The Ogle County Life is updating its list of individuals interested in a carrier route in Oregon, Byron & Mt. Morris

- Deliver just once per week on Sunday afternoons
- No collecting
- Good extra cash for kids or adults

Anyone 10 years or older who would like to earn some extra money by delivering the Ogle County Life should call 815-732-2156 and leave your name and phone number, and you may be contacted in the future when a route becomes available.

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2018 Ford Edge SEL AWD--Only 11,000 miles, Navigation, Sunroof, Heated Leather, One Owner, Perfect Autocheck, White Platinum **\$28,900**



2017 Jeep Grand Cherokee Limited--Only 26,000 miles, Navigation, Sunroof, 20" Wheels, One Owner, Perfect Autocheck! **\$32,900**



2013 Jeep Wrangler Unlimited Sahara 4x4--Hard Top, Auto, Local Owner, Perfect Autocheck! **\$23,900**



2012 Ford Fusion SE--Only 75,000 miles, V-6, Fully Loaded, Power Seat, Back Up Camera, Perfect Autocheck! Burgandy, **\$9,900**



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119 ANNOUNCEMENTS

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127 SERVICES AND REPAIRS

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201 DOMESTIC/CHILD CARE

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2017 CHEVY EQUINOX LT, HEATED SEATS, REMOTE START.....	\$18,703
2017 FORD ESCAPE SE 4X4, ONE OWNER, ONLY 25K.....	\$17,838
2017 CHEVY CRUZE LT, REMOTE START, HEAT SEATS.....	\$13,917
2017 CHEVY EQUINOX LT, REMOTE START, ONE OWNER, 3 TO CHOOSE FROM.....	\$17,931
2016 FORD F150 XLT, SPORT, CREW CAB 4X4, HEATED SEATS, REMOTE START, ONE OWNER.....	\$31,786
2016 JEEP COMPASS HIGH ALTITUDE 4X4, LEATHER, MOON ROOF, ONLY 15K.....	\$17,937
2016 FORD F150 XLT 4X4, X-CLEAN, ONE OWNER, ONLY 26K.....	\$29,762
2016 GMC SIERRA, LOADED, LOCAL TRADE, 8' BED, PW PL CRUISE.....	\$17,836
2016 BUICK ENCORE, ONE OWNER, ONLY 21K.....	\$15,859
2016 GMC TERRAIN SLT, AWD, V6, LOADED, LOCAL TRADE.....	\$18,872
2015 FORD TAURUS SEL, LEATHER, REMOTE START, ONLY 26K.....	\$14,810
2015 FORD EDGE SEL, LEATHER, ONE OWNER, ONLY 25K MI.....	\$21,835
2014 GMC SIERRA DC, 4X4, ONE OWNER, LOW MILES.....	\$23,852
2013 BUICK ENCORE, AWD, LOCAL TRADE, ONLY 37K.....	\$13,986
2013 CHEVY EQUINOX LT, AWD, MOON ROOF, LOCAL TRADE.....	\$13,605
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COMBINES: '17 Case-IH 9240 combine, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, power fold bin extension, chopper, Pro700 display, folding unload auger, 620-42 drive tires w/duals, 710 eng./560 sep. hours, SN YHG234245 - 12 months PPP; '17 Case-IH 8240 combine, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, power fold bin extension, chopper, Pro700 display, folding unload auger, 620-42 drive tires w/duals, 710 eng./530 sep. hours, SN YGG233189 - 12 months PPP; '12 Case-IH 7230 combine, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, power fold bin extension, Pro700 display, 620-42 drive tires w/duals, 1,795 eng./1,275 sep. hours, SN YCG217948; '14 Case-IH 7230 combine, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, power fold bin extension, chopper, Pro700 display, 36" tracks, 2,030 eng./1,720 sep. hours, SN YEG224504; '10 Case-IH 6088 combine, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, power fold bin extension, chopper, 30.5-32 drive tires, 1,425 eng./1,160 sep. hours, SN YAG004965; '13 Case-IH 5130 combine, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, power fold bin extension, chopper, Pro700 display, 800-32 drive tires, 1,505 eng./1,065 sep. hours, SN YDG010448 - 12 months PPP; '14 Case-IH 5130 combine, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, power fold bin extension, chopper, Pro700 display, 18.4-42 drive tires w/duals, 725 eng./485 sep. hours, SN YDG011013 - 12 months PPP; '11 Case-IH 5088 combine, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, chopper, Pro600 display, 800-32 drive tires, 1,585 eng./1,140 sep. hours, SN YBG005658; '11 Case-IH 8120 combine, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, power fold bin extension, chopper, 20.8-42 drive tires w/duals, 3,295 eng./2,215 sep. hours, SN YAG210525; '09 Case-IH 8120 combine, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, chopper, Pro600 display, 620-42 drive tires w/duals, 3,475 eng./2,680 sep. hours, SN Y9G206237; '08 Case-IH 8010 combine, 4WD, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, power fold bin extension, chopper, Pro600 display, 20.8-42 drive tires w/duals, 2,760 eng./2,085 sep. hours, SN HAJ203646; '05 Case-IH 2388 combine, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, bin extension, chopper, 30.5-32 drive tires, 5,130 eng./3,305 sep. hours, SN HAJ293831; '01 Case-IH 2366 combine, Field Tracker feederhouse, rock trap, chopper, bin extension, 30.5-32 drive tires, 3,785 eng./2,960 sep. hours, SN JJC0254012; '89 Case-IH 1660 combine, Cummins eng., rock trap, specialty rotor, inclined delivery auger, cross flow fan, spreader, 30.5-32 drive tires, 4,285 hours, SN JJC0102933; '86 Case-IH 1640 combine, Navistar eng., rock trap, 4,450 hours, SN JJC001418.

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July 31 - August 4, 2019



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Monday, July 29, 2019
Section D

Ogle County Fair 2019 – get ready for fun

Carnival rides, music animals and plenty of food

OREGON – Funnel cakes, ferris wheels and the county fair are summer staples across the country. The Ogle County Fair will run Wednesday, July 31 through Sunday, Aug. 4 at the Ogle County Fairgrounds in Oregon.

The Ogle County Fair is an event where the whole family can have fun at affordable prices. We offer free on grounds shows and carnival rides with gate admission. Live music in the evening at the pavilion. We have Grandstand events every night during the fair.

We have a large variety of food vendors. There will be vendors showcasing different items for sale in our exhibit tent and all around the fair grounds.

Ogle County 4-H members will participate in livestock shows and 4-H Club members will also have creative projects on display from cooking and photography to welding and woodworking in the exhibit building.

We will be crowning the new fair queen Wednesday afternoon. The fair queen pageant will be held beginning at 5:30 p.m. on the Fairgrounds.

Pre-tickets are for sale online, but will increase on the first day of the fair!

Entertainment

Free Pavilion music events (Lions Shelter) will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday featuring talented



local musicians. The music events will be offered from 7:30-10 p.m. each night.

Carnival

Times for the carnival are:

- July 31, 6-10 p.m.
- Aug. 1, 5-10 p.m.
- Aug. 2, 3-10 p.m.
- Aug. 3, noon-10 p.m.
- Aug. 4, 11 a.m.-4 p.m.

Grandstand

July 31 – Antique tractor parade, 5 p.m., free.

Riverbend antique tractor pull, 6 p.m., \$10

Truck and tractor pull – stock, 6:30 p.m.

Aug. 1 – Truck and tractor pull – Illini, 6:30 p.m., \$10

Aug. 2 – Big Hat Rodeo, 7 p.m., \$10

Aug. 3 – Demolition derby, 6:30 p.m., \$10

Fair baskets

The Ogle County Fair Queen committee is once again offering a beautiful hand-crafted basket for sale.

The basket is hand made by Judy Hodgkin of Apple River. This is the fourth year of offering her beautiful baskets.

This year's basket is and oval shape, measuring 5 inches wide and 7 ½ inches long and stands 7 ½ inches. It also features a fold down handle. The basket has blue and wine colored reed accents and accent petals. Each basket is stained in a medium walnut.

The cost of the basket is

\$40. Each basket comes with a commemorative tag made by Buffalo Run Enterprises of Lamoille, Ill. Each one is signed by Judy and is numbered.

All profits from the basket sales go to the Ogle County Fair Queen 2019, to help with costs at the state queen pageant January 2020. Contact Sharon Alderks at 815-645-1015 to purchase a basket or with any questions.

If there is anyone inter-

ested in entering this year's pageant for Miss Ogle County, Junior Miss, Young Miss, Little Miss or Young Mister, you can still enter. Go to the Ogle County Fair website at oglecountyfair.com and click on Fair Queen, or contact Michelle Josefowicz attn.: Ogle County Fair Queen pageant, 1207 Westview Dr., Rochelle, IL. 61068

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Meet the Fair officers

The 2019 Officer team of the Ogle County Fair Association are pictured left: Carol Zellers, secretary, Oregon; Brad Larson, treasurer, Mount Morris; Tom Simpson, vice president, Davis Junction; and (seated) Harlan Holm, president, Oregon. The 2019 Ogle County Fair will be July 31 to Aug. 4. Several free "on grounds" shows, unlimited rides, Antique Tractor Show, Antique Tractor pull, (Wednesday, July 31), the popular Tractor/Truck Pull (Thursday, Aug. 1) and The Big Hat Rodeo (Friday night Aug. 2) on the track in front of the Grandstand will be featured again this year. The demolition derby will be at 6:30 on Saturday night, Aug. 3. The 2019 Ogle County 4-H Fair will be held in conjunction with the 2019 Ogle County Fair.



FAIR: Plenty of fun events for all

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must be ages 15 and older. Volunteer work schedules can be adjusted to fit the volunteers schedule. Call Jon at 815-978-2264.

Schedule of Events

Wednesday: Truck & Tractor Pull – 6:30 p.m.
 Thursday: Truck & Tractor Pull (Illini) – 6:30 p.m.
 Friday: Big Hat Rodeo – 7 p.m.
 Saturday: Demolition Derby – 6:30 p.m.

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Antique tractor, implement show opens the fair

The Antique Tractor and Implement Show will be the opening event at the 2019 Ogle County Fair.

The show will start with The Flag raising ceremony and a Tractor Drive at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, July 31 followed by the Ogle County Fair Queen Pageant at 5:30 p.m.

For the 6th year the River Bend Antique Tractor Pull will take place at 6:00 PM in

front of the Grandstand. Tractors that are in the pull are 1958 or older stock tractors and will include nine weight classes from 3750 pounds to 7,500 pound tractors. Contact Ken Grant 815-541-6687 for rules and other information.

For the second year on Wednesday will be an Illini State Truck and Tractor-Stock pull at 6:30 p.m. No advanced entry needed. Tractors in this pull will be from 6,000

to 14,500 pounds. For additional information, contact: Scott Vivian at Illini State Pullers or Harlan Holm 815-732-6771.

Illini State Truck and Tractor pulls will also be held in front of the Grandstand on Thursday, Aug. 1 at 6:30 p.m. Entry forms for the Thursday tractor pull are available on the Ogle County Fair Web site or from the office at the Fairgrounds – www.ogle-countyfair.com or 815-732-6962.

The Antique Tractor display will be on the grounds from Wednesday, July 31 through Sunday, Aug. 4. Exhibitors and Tractors and Implements are asked to register and be in place by 4 p.m. July 31.

Each participant in the show who brings an Antique Tractor or Implement to display will receive a Dash Plaque in recognition of their participation. Join in the fun and participate in this free event.

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2019 Ogle County 4-H Fair schedule

The 2019 Ogle County 4-H Fair will be held in conjunction with the 166th Ogle County Fair in Oregon.

The fair will be open to the public from July 31-Aug. 4. Visit the 4-H Fair to see local 4-H club members in action with their animals and experience the wide array of displays and presentations they have created for showcase in the exhibit building.

4-H competitions and special events are set as follows:

Wednesday, July 31

3:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
3:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Exhibit Building Open
4-H Children's Farm Open
Livestock Check-in

Thursday, Aug. 1

7:30 a.m.
8:00 a.m.
9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.
10:00 a.m.
11:00 a.m.
3:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.
5:00 p.m.

4-H Dairy Goat Milk Production Milk-Out
4-H Swine Show
Exhibit Building Open
4-H Rabbit Show
4-H Dairy Show
4-H Children's Farm Open
4-H Sheep Show

Friday, Aug. 2

9:00 a.m.
9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.
12:30 p.m.
3:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

4-H Goat Show
Exhibit Building Open
4-H Poultry Show
4-H Children's Farm Open

Saturday, Aug. 3

8:00 a.m.
9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.
9:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.
2:00 p.m.
3:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m.

4-H Beef Show
4-H Children's Farm Open
Exhibit Building Open
4-H Bucket Calf Judging (Immediately following Beef Show)
Blue Ribbon Livestock Auction
Master Showmanship Contest

Sunday, Aug. 4

11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Exhibit Building Open
12:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. 4-H Children's Farm Open
4:00 p.m. Exhibit Check-out
4:00 p.m. Animal Check-out

The Ogle County Fairgrounds is located 2 miles west of Oregon, just off Rt. 64 on Limekiln Road. Daily admission to the fair is \$8 for individuals 4 years old and up on Wednesday, July 31 through Sunday, Aug. 4, and includes carnival rides. Discounted fair passes are available at Casey's in Byron, Mt. Morris, Oregon, Polo, and Stillman Valley.

4-H is the youth development program of University of Illinois Extension. If you are interested in learning more about 4-H or want to get involved, contact Ogle County Extension at 815-732-2191 or visit on-line at <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/bdo>.



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Blue Ribbon Auction will be Aug. 4

OREGON – The Annual 4-H Blue Ribbon Livestock Auction has been set for Saturday, Aug. 4.

It will be held at the Ogle County Fair at the fairgrounds in Oregon. The 4-H Auction Committee invites the public to support 4-H project work by bidding on a quality 4-H animal.

The auction will start at 3 p.m. in the Swine

Barn. It will feature 4-H market hogs, lambs, beef animals, goats, poultry, and rabbits as well as the champion and reserve champion beef, swine, lamb and goat carcasses.

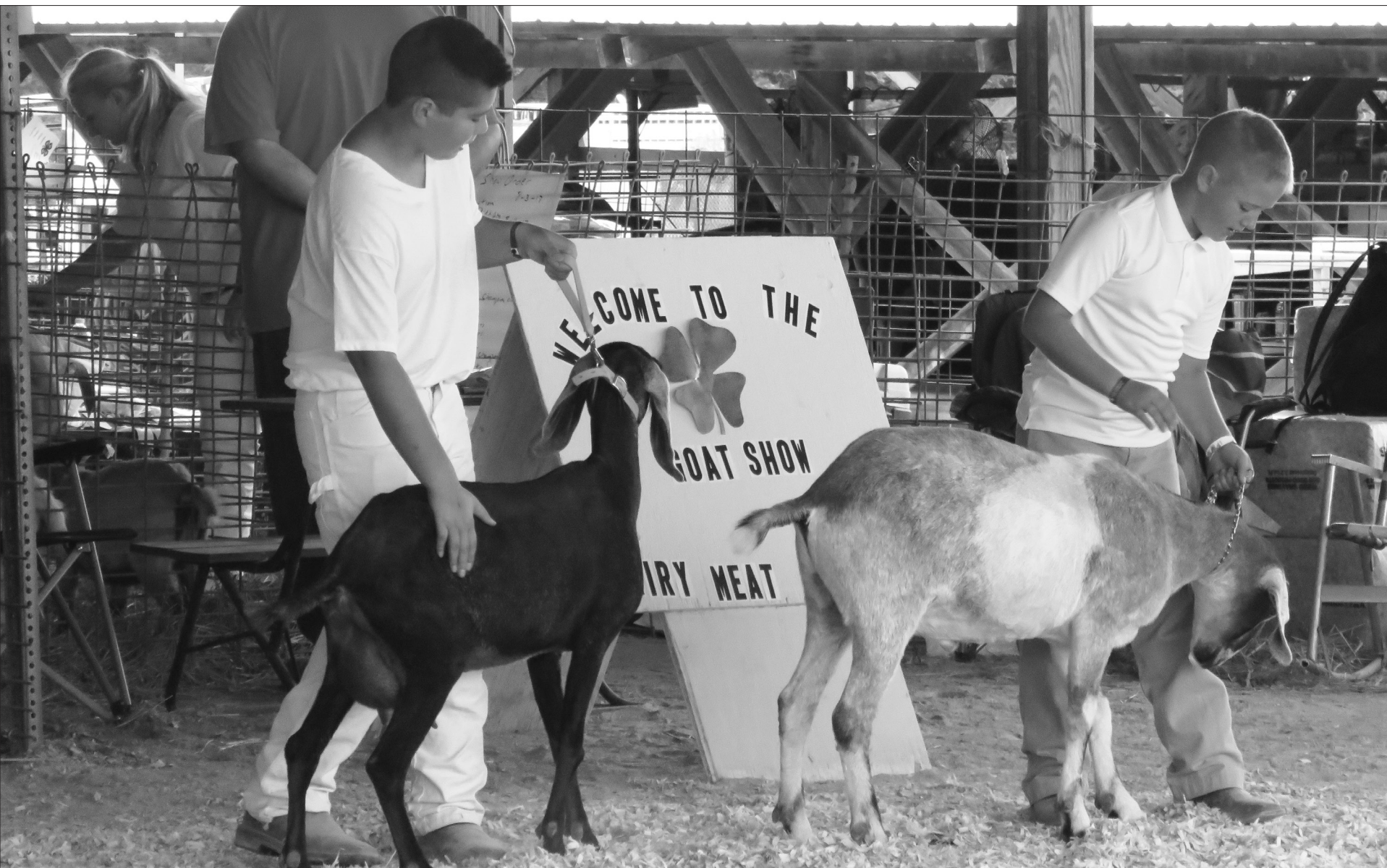
Live animals may be purchased and sent to a locker or may be bought and resold at a slaughterhouse. Slaughterhouse buyers will be attending. Transportation to processing plants will be provided. A floor price will be

set according to the current market trends the day of the Auction. A list of current market prices will be available. Champion and Reserve Champion market animals will be sold first. Pork and lamb carcasses will be sold whole. Beef carcasses will be sold in halves.

Auction order will be: Dairy Basket, Dairy & Meat Goat Wethers, Live Poultry, Live Rabbits, Beef Carcass, Live Beef,

Sheep Carcass, Live Sheep, Swine Carcass, Live Swine, Live Beef, Live Sheep, and Live Swine.

Auction brochures are available in the Ogle County Extension Office and on-line at <http://web.extension.illinois.edu/bdo>. Bidding arrangements can be made for interested parties who are unable to attend. Call 815-732-2191 for more information.



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Annual fair meeting

Ogle County Fair Association held its Annual meeting recently at the Ogle County Farm Bureau Auditorium. At left, three of the recent Ogle County Fair Presidents attended the Annual Meeting recently. Standing is Harlan Holm who currently serves as president; Dave Engelbrecht (seated left) and Forrest Floto who served as president when the Ogle County Fair moved to its present new location in 1993. Below left, Tom Snodgrass (standing), and longtime Ogle County Fair supporter Merle Snodgrass discuss 2011 Fair highlights with Fair Board and County Board member Lyle Hopkins (right). Snodgrass a former Ogle County Board member, has supported and attended the Ogle County Fair many years after the Fair reorganized and moved to the new location on Limekiln Road west of Oregon. Below right, Tom Simpson, vice president of the Ogle County Fair Association presented the Volunteer of the year award to Shirley Manis for her many hours of volunteer work with the gate committee. Not present for the picture but also recognized was the Ogle County Amateur Radio Emergency Service (ARES) for their volunteer work with the parking committee.



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Fair queen pageant will be July 31

OREGON – The Ogle County Fair Queen Pageant will be a featured attraction at the opening of the 2019 Fair on July 31.

The Queen Pageant activities will start at 5:30 p.m. at the Fairgrounds located off Limekiln road near Oregon.

2018 Ogle County Fair Queen Grace Mongan, who has proudly

represented the Ogle County Fair tradition this past year, will crown the new 2019 Queen at the ceremonies.

Contestants vying for the Little Miss/Little Mister crowns must be between the ages of 5 and 9; Young Miss contestants must be between the ages of 9-13; Junior Miss contestants must be between the ages

of 13-16; and the queen contestants must be between the ages of 16-22.

Queen Pageant questions may be directed to Michelle Eyster, pageant director at ocfqueen@gmail.com.

Contestants for Fair Queen are Adriana Costa, 19, Byron; Kayla Blum, 17, Polo; Alexis Point, 17, Oregon; Daysha McLain, 18,

Oregon; Emma Thurow, 16, Stillman Valley; and Haylee King, 17, Stillman Valley

The fair will feature the traditional grand stand shows including the truck and tractor pulls on Wednesday and Thursday, Big Hat Rodeo on Friday, and the Demolition Derby on Saturday.

Tickets may be purchased in

advance for \$6 per person which is a discount from the gate price at Casey's General store in Oregon, Mount Morris, Stillman Valley and Byron. Advanced tickets may also be purchased online at eventsprout.com/event2018-ogle-county-fair. Tickets purchased on line will carry an additional convenience fee.



Kayla Blum



Adriana Costa



Haylee King



Daysha McLain



Alexis Point



Emma Thurow



Top musical artists like Folk-Rock celebrity Kathy Cechetti, Country star Jim Wolber, and Nashville slide-guitar superstar Dennis Stukenburg are drawn to First Fridays at the Ogle County Fair.

First Fridays music hits the fair Aug. 2

OREGON – On Aug. 2, First Fridays will migrate a few miles west from their regular home at the Mount Morris Moose to the Ogle County Fairgrounds.

Following standard practice there will be an initial drawing for performance slots at 6:30 p.m. and the festivities will begin at 7 p.m.

Musical artist from across Northern Illinois and Southern Wisconsin look forward to the Annual First Fridays at the Ogle County Fair. Musicians from all genre's are included are country, bluegrass, blues, folk rock, soft rock, rhythm & blues and everything in between.

A professional sound system and sound engineer are supplied by the Ogle County Fair's official provider, 3D Sound Systems.

At First Fridays at the Ogle County Fair everyone is guaranteed a good time.

The Ogle County Fair runs July 31-Aug. 4 at the fairground, located Just off Route 64 on Limekiln Road.

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Help support building of new barn during the fair

The Ogle County Horse Barn Committee (Built-A-Barn booth) at the Ogle County Fair will be a busy place, starting July 31 through Aug. 4.

The group will be selling tickets for a 65-inch TV, generously donated by Exelon Generations, Byron Station. The drawing will be held Oct. 13 during the Spooktacular Horse Expo 2 day event at the fairgrounds.

Also, another donor has issued a Match-

ing Funds Challenge. This donor will match dollar for dollar up to \$2000, for all donations made during the 2019 Ogle County Fair. Our many donors

have sponsored our events and classes in our horse shows.

The 3rd annual Build-A-Barn Ogle County Fair Show will be held on Sunday, Aug. 4, beginning at 9:30 a.m., with a full schedule of halter, performance, and speed

classes. We have included classes for draft horses and mini horses this year.

The Build-A-Barn Committee is raising funds to build an exhibition horse barn at the Ogle County Fairgrounds. The barn and arena will be available for rent for various horse activities, which, in turn, will bring more people to our area. More people mean more revenue for our local merchants. The exhibition stalls can be disassembled dur-

ing the winter months and the barn used for RV storage for more revenue for the Fair Association.

Come out and enjoy our horse show and help us to fulfill our Matching Funds Challenge. To donate, sponsor classes, join the committee or to volunteer, contact Lynne Radville,

shadowboxerabians@gmail.com or Linda Schreiber, taffysbucky@gmail.com.

Baskets to support pageant again for sale

OREGON – The Ogle County Fair Queen committee is once again offering a beautiful hand-crafted basket for sale.

The basket is hand made by Judy Hodgin of Apple River. This is the fourth year of offering her beautiful baskets.

This year's basket is an oval shape, measuring 5 inches wide and 7 ½ inches long and stands 7 ½ inches. It also features a fold down handle. The basket has blue and wine colored reed accents and accent petals. Each basket is stained in a medium walnut.

The cost of the basket is \$40. Each basket comes with a commemorative tag made by Buffalo Run Enterprises of Lamoille, Ill. Each one is signed by Judy and is numbered.

All profits from the basket sales go to the Ogle County Fair Queen 2019, to help with costs at the state queen pageant January 2020. Contact Sharon Alderks at 815-645-1015 to purchase a basket or with any questions.

If there is anyone interested in entering this year's pageant for Miss Ogle County, Junior Miss, Young Miss, Little Miss or Little Mister, you can still enter. Go to the Ogle County Fair web site at oglecountyfair.com and click on Fair Queen, or contact Michelle Josefowicz attn.: Ogle County Fair Queen pageant, 1207 Westview Dr., Rochelle, IL. 61068



Don't forget the carnival rides





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Season passes with wristbands - \$30.00

VIP passes are with wristbands - \$60.00

Carnival wristbands will be issued daily at the Fair Office with the presentation of
VIP and Season Passes to be punched.

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