



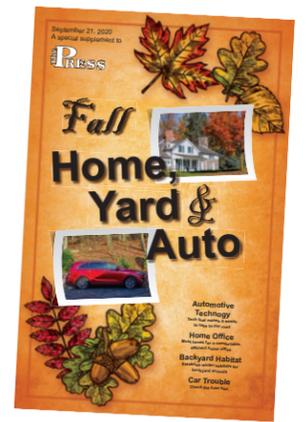
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## Sandusky County Court ruling weighs on ballot issue

By Larry Limpf  
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A recent federal court ruling raises questions about an issue on the ballot in Sandusky County that would start the process for transferring property from the Fremont City School District to the Gibsonburg School District if passed.

The area in question comprises the district of the former Washington Elementary School District in the eastern portion of Washington Township, including the Village of Lindsey. That school is being razed as the Fremont school board – after voters approved a bond issue in 2017 – opens four new elementary buildings and a new high school in Fremont. The local dollars raised by the bond millage are being used to leverage state funds through the Ohio Facilities Construction Commission for building costs.

Students who attended Washington Elementary will be bused to a new elementary school in Fremont.

Members of a group called the School District Transfer Committee are behind the ballot issue and cite the financial advantages to joining the Gibsonburg district, which has lower property taxes and a lower school income tax than the Fremont district.

A 1.25 percent income tax has been in effect since 1994 in the Fremont district and a 1 percent income tax in the Gibsonburg district since 2014. However, the Gibsonburg tax is levied only on earned income, not on Social Security and retirement benefits, while the Fremont tax is levied on unearned income such as retirement benefits. Both taxes are set to expire in 2023, according to the Ohio Department of Taxation.

Under the state open enrollment program, there are 28 students from the Lindsey area attending Gibsonburg

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### In it goes

Top photos, Jerusalem Township firefighters perform a “Push in Ceremony” with a new Brush Truck. The tradition goes back to the days when garaging a horse-drawn steam engine required a hands-on approach. The truck was a gift from the estate of Jerusalem Township resident Robert “Ollie” Halka. Halka, who was grateful to the department for years of service to himself and his family, stated in his estate will that the fire department should receive funds for the life-saving equipment. Bottom left, Chief Tony Parasiliti with the 1988 Ford mini-pumper that the new truck is replacing. The brush truck will give the department the ability to service brush fires as well as assist in other fires. (Press photos by Ken Grosjean)

## Oregon schools

# Survey: most want students to go back to school

By Kelly J. Kaczala  
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The Oregon City Schools Board on Tuesday was divided throughout a 2.5 hour meeting over whether students should return to school instead of learning remotely at home.

Superintendent Hal Gregory in August required students in the district to learn online only after it was strongly recommended by the Toledo-Lucas County Health Department as a result of an increase in COVID-19 cases in the county. The remote learning was to remain in effect until the matter is re-evaluated by the health department on Oct. 1. Just before the health department’s meeting, the district had agreed to a hybrid model that consisted of students going back to school on certain days of the week, and learning remotely on other days.

School board member Keith Kennedy wanted to discuss the matter following Gregory’s superintendent’s report, then vote on it. Gregory’s report had the results of a community survey the district recently conducted to gauge input from parents and teachers.

“We don’t have to vote on a return to

“**Obviously, we’ve been holding virtual meetings and we haven’t really had the same type of public participation.**”

school,” said Board President Carol Molnar. “That decision can be done by the superintendent. It’s nothing we have to vote on.”

“We did vote to go remote, correct?” asked Kennedy.

“Yes, but we don’t have to do it,” said Molnar.

“My thought process is, I think the board supersedes the administration. I would like to take the time to listen first to public participation and listen to Hal and the survey information. I think we’ll have

enough information after our conversations to make an educated decision,” said Kennedy.

Ziviski agreed. “We voted going remote. So the board should take action to come out of it for consistency,” he said.

Kennedy made a motion to add to the agenda a discussion and then a vote on whether the district should return to school five days per week by Sept. 28. It was defeated by a vote of 3-2. Kennedy and Ziviski voted in favor, while Molnar and board members Heather Miller and Michael Csehi, voted against the motion.

Kennedy made another motion for a return to having in-person board meetings held at Clay High School rather than held remotely by Zoom.

“I would like a resolution for us to return as opposed to just having a discussion,” said Kennedy.

That motion, too, failed. Molnar, Csehi and Miller voted against it. Kennedy and Ziviski voted in favor.

### Email

“Obviously, we’ve been holding virtual meetings and we haven’t really had the

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## Quote of The Week

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Nakiya Wakes  
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# Oregon Schools Survey: most want students to go back to school

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same type of public participation," said Gregory as he was about to review emails from the public. "There was a pretty heavy email campaign that came into my inbox today with people who are very much in support of coming back in person. I have quite a few emails – about 25."

Among the emails was someone who was a parent of two students at Fassett Junior High School that Gregory read into the record. It stated: "I strongly urge you to consider having all students attend school in person full time. My wife and I both work for health care systems in northwest, Ohio. Although we are not frontline caregivers, we have been working in our office buildings through the entirety of the pandemic. The benefits of being able to work in person vastly outweigh the potential risks that come with it."

Another email expressed concerns about her daughter learning from home. "My daughter is losing interest in school. She is showing no motivation towards her school work. I have listened to several lessons. It seems there is no interaction between the teacher and students. I feel she is going to fall way behind and there will be no way to get her caught up. There is no reason they should not go back full time. All other schools in our area are back in class. They are having no issues returning back. This virus, like all other viruses, will not go away. The kids can wear masks, have their temperatures taken and keep hands washed. Please put our children back in school. This is not healthy for them. They want to go back."

Gregory read several more emails for about half an hour. Most respondents wanted students back in school.

"I'm a realist. I understand there are people who have strong feelings about going back to school," he said.

## Survey

Gregory gave a brief presentation on the results of a survey conducted in the school community to gain input on the district's decisions on starting school.

"What we do next is going to require a level of cooperation, a level of understand-

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Students and parents held a rally in front of Clay High School last August. (Press file photo by Harold Hamilton/HEHphotos.smugmug.com)

ing, togetherness. Because no matter what we decide, it's going to cause division in our community," said Gregory.

"The current plan is to hear what the health department has to say on October 1," he said. "Then make an informed decision on our next step."

"The Lucas County Health Department has not changed its recommendation yet,"

he said. "So we'll see where that goes."

There were 1,643 responses to the survey, according to Gregory. Of those responses, 71.3 percent were parents, 14 percent were teachers, 4.7 percent were support staff, 5.1 percent were students, and 4.9 percent were other.

A total of 47.4 percent of respondents wanted students back to school five days per week, 22.8 percent wanted all students hybrid K-12, 10.7 percent wanted it to remain remote, 9 percent wanted all students four days per week, 6.7 percent wanted K-6 return four days, 7-12 hybrid, 3.3 percent wanted K-6 return five days, 7-12 hybrid.

Gregory said when the statistics were combined, 66.6 percent of respondents wanted students in grades K-6 to return four or five days per week, 22.7 percent wanted students in grades K-6 to return to hybrid, 10.7 percent wanted students in grades K-6 to remain remote, 56.5 percent wanted students in grades 7-12 to return four or five days per week, 32.8 percent wanted students in grades 7-12 to return to hybrid, and 10.7 percent wanted students in grades 7-12 to remain remote.

On the question of whether there were concerns keeping students six feet apart, 44.6 percent were not concerned, 32.5 percent were somewhat concerned, and 22.9 percent were very concerned.

On the question of whether child care has impacted families to start the school year, 48.6 percent said no impact, 25 percent said some impact, and 26.4 percent

had high impact.

On the question of when the schools should return to hybrid or all students attend in person, 37 percent said Oct. 1, 31.4 percent said Oct. 15, and 15.8 percent said Jan. 5, 2021. There were 15.8 percent who had random options, such as starting in-school attendance immediately while some wanted to remain virtual or remote.

## Next steps

Gregory made suggestions on the next steps for the district to take:

- Announce final plans sooner than later with the goal of September 21;
- Measured and phased-in approach with hybrid;
- Work towards all students attending by November;
- Update/prepare plans and communicate to the community;
- Prepare for the Oregon City Schools Digital Academy increase in numbers.

"What I want to do is stick with our plan as much as we can," said Gregory. "Then do a phased-in, two-week approach with hybrid."

Gregory said a final decision would be made by Monday. He hoped it would not cause divisions. "We can't let it divide and destroy our community. We just can't let that happen. I feel like that's starting to happen. I think we can work our way through this together," he said.

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# Court ruling

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schools. The Woodmore district is drawing 22 Fremont district students, including 17 from the Lindsey area and 15 students from Lindsey attend Benton-Carroll-Salem schools.

The proposed transfer area is bounded by County Road 161 on the north, County Road 122 on the east, State Rt. 6 on the south and the Gibsonburg school district border on the west.

Dennis Mock, interim superintendent of the Gibsonburg district, said the board of education hasn't taken a formal position on the proposed property transfer other than to remain neutral prior to the Nov. 3 election.

Jim Henline, who heads the transfer committee, said the decision by the Fremont school board to close Washington Elementary riled many Lindsey residents.

“That set off an uproar in town,” he said. “Then I started looking at the taxes and the best deal to save money was going to Gibsonburg. It was like the stars aligned after they decided to close the school. The income tax difference is a huge benefit for the senior citizens.”

### Law struck down

The state law that allows residents to move areas to neighboring school districts by holding a vote of petitioned areas was recently struck down in federal district court where Judge Michael Watson ruled it violates the Ohio Constitution due to the legislature inserting it into the biennium budget bill.

The case before the district court involved the Plain Local School District in eastern Ohio but two areas of the Bowling Green School District had used the transfer law to vote last month to leave Bowling Green for neighboring districts.

The legislation can be reintroduced as a stand-alone bill and the court decision can be appealed.

Henline said his conversations with Jon Detwiler, superintendent of Fremont schools, when discussing the ballot issue have been civil.

“Obviously Fremont is not happy with us. They don't want to lose the area because they would be losing tax money. It's nothing personal. What's best for the kids, what's best for the taxpayers? It's the transfer of the territory,” he said.

Washington Elementary was constructed in the late 1920s. Superintendent Detwiler said the district is razing seven buildings and not replacing three, including Washington. The new buildings opened to students this month, he said.

The new high school is scheduled for occupancy in January 2022.

The transfer committee has held three meetings and has scheduled two more: Sept. 27 at 2 p.m. and Sept. 29 at 6 p.m. Both will be held at the shelter house at Wendelle Miller Park in Lindsey.



### Surprise proposal

What started out as some random shots of a couple in a local sunflower field turned into a surprise proposal. Kaylee Halka was not expecting her boyfriend, Jared Hornyak to drop down on one knee, but she did say “yes.” (Photo by Maggi Dandar)

## Court Log Oregon Municipal Court

- Shiba Lindiwe Arnold, 1010 Ostrich, Toledo, 30 days Corrections Center of Northwest Ohio (CCNO), 30 days suspended, \$337 court costs and fines, unauthorized use of property.
- Jason Lee Peace, 716 Vandalia, Toledo, 90 days CCNO, 83 days suspended, \$337 court costs and fines, attempt to commit an offense.
- Lamarcus Campbell, 2563 Foraker, Toledo, 180 days CCNO, 150 days suspended, \$337 court costs and fines, possession criminal tools.
- Joshua Ryan Millimen, 2275 Pickle, Oregon, 30 days CCNO, 30 days suspended, disorderly conduct public intoxication.
- Jessica Marie Lewis, 508 Waldon, Toledo, 90 days CCNO, 60 days suspended, \$337 court costs and fines, possession of a drug abuse instrument.
- Kerri Allison Heck, 2895 First, Lasalle, MI, 180 days CCNO, 178 days suspended, \$387 court costs and fines, theft.
- Kerri Allison Heck, 2895 First, Lasalle, MI, 90 days CCNO, 88 days suspended, \$200 court costs and fines, obstructing official business.
- Scott Edward Fallon, 2728 Arthur, Oregon, 180 days CCNO, 171 days suspended, \$437 court costs and fines, domestic violence.
- James L. Coffey, 1304 Campbell, Toledo, 180 days CNNO, 150 days suspended, \$437 court

- costs and fines, theft.
- Sarah M. Foder, 823 Greenwood, Toledo, \$197 court costs and fines, disorderly conduct.
- Robert Edward Wolfe, 393 Elder, Ypsilanti, MI, \$197 court costs and fines, fishing license required.
- Dawn G. Rahmstock, 6046 323, Toledo, 30 days CCNO, 25 days suspended, \$297 court costs and fines, unauthorized use of property.
- Ricky Lynn Ford, 3460 Lakeshore, Newport, MI, \$162 court costs and fines, fishing license required.
- Jessica Marie Lewis, 508 Waldon, Toledo, 180 days CCNO, 177 days suspended, license suspended one year, \$546 court costs and fines, operating a motor vehicle under the influence.
- Barry J. Layman, 1110 Lewis, Rossford, 180 days CCNO, 177 days suspended license suspended one year, \$546 court costs and fines, operating a motor vehicle under the influence.
- Jonathan L. Moore, 1100 Laura, Oregon, 180 days CCNO, 177 days suspended, license suspended one year, \$546 court costs and fines, operating a motor vehicle under the influence.
- Ryan Christopher Huff, 6051 Pickard, Toledo, 180 days CCNO, 177 days suspended, license suspended one year, \$556 court costs and fines, operating a motor vehicle under the influence.

### Tours of historic courthouse set

The Wood County Bicentennial Committee and the Wood County Commissioners invite the public to explore the historic Wood County Courthouse during guided tours that will take place from 1-4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 10.

The tours are part of the celebration of the 200th anniversary of the founding of Wood County in 2020, and the 125th anniversary of the Wood County Courthouse in 2021.

Tours will take place every 30 minutes, led by former Wood County Auditor Mike Sibbersen and Wood County Common Pleas Judge Matthew Reger, and will explore areas of the courthouse that are not typically open to the public.

Each tour group will be limited to 10 people to allow for social distancing, and everyone must wear a mask while inside the courthouse.

Tours must be reserved ahead of time by emailing Jen Heffernan at [jheffernan@co.wood.oh.us](mailto:jheffernan@co.wood.oh.us) or calling Judge Reger's office at 419-354-9210.

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# Electric vehicle owners to converge at Levis

Owners of electric vehicles will gather Sept. 26 for the seventh annual National Drive Electric Week event at the Town Center at Levis Commons in Perrysburg.

Michael Hall, event organizer and president of the Electric Auto Association of Northwest Ohio, said the event is held to inform the public about the changing technology and markets for the vehicles.

"This organization has partnered with Clean Fuels Ohio and Plug In America to create awareness and educate the public of the availability and benefits of driving hybrid and electric vehicles as well as the growing availability of plug-in models," he said.

National Drive Electric Week is held throughout the country in September. Organizers expect thousands of vehicles will be displayed in hundreds of cities between Sept. 26 and Oct. 4.

Hall said the local event will feature a scholarship fundraiser for high school students entering the field of advanced automotive technologies.

"Today's hybrid and electric vehicles are very sophisticated, and the industry needs highly-trained technicians," he said, adding the goal is to raise money through a raffle during the event and on the group's Facebook page.

"The timing is right for this event. We have a very nice display of Chevrolet, Ford, Nissan and Tesla vehicles all because of the generosity of the vehicle owners," Hall said.

Visitors are encouraged to speak with the owners and discuss why they chose to purchase alternative-fuel vehicles. There will be no sales personnel or pressure to buy or lease.

Hall noted that the cost-per-mile of driving an all-electric vehicle averages



At last year's Sixth Annual National Drive Electric Week at the Town Center at Levis Commons in Perrysburg, guests check out an electric automobile. (submitted photo)

about three cents per mile as compared to a gasoline vehicle that can exceed four times the cost per mile to operate and the purchase prices are competitive.

"Electric propulsion is a very efficient system with a fraction of the moving parts and complexity of a gasoline or diesel vehicle. These vehicles can serve the everyday needs of 80 percent of the American drivers. The variety of vehicles is growing

fast, and every major manufacturer will be introducing plug-in vehicles over the next few years," he said.

Patrons and participants will be asked to follow state and local ordinances regarding current pandemic conditions. Sanitizer, wipes, and masks made in the USA will be supplied.

Hours are noon to 5 p.m. and the event will be held rain or shine.

## Distracted driving

The Ohio State Highway Patrol will be launching a distracted driving initiative on Interstate 75 in Wood County.

The focus will be on the section of I-75 between the Greensburg Pike overpass and the Wood and Lucas County line. From 2015 through 2019, OSHP crash data showed this section of I-75 had 2,496 crashes with 536 resulting in injuries and eight resulting in fatalities.

Motorists will see an increased presence of troopers within this area in an effort to reduce crashes.

Last year, 48 people lost their lives and 7,200 were injured in 13,532 crashes as a result of distracted driving. Sending or receiving a text message takes a driver's eyes off the road for an average of 4.6 seconds, the equivalent of driving the length of an entire football field when traveling 55 mph.

"The dangers of distracted driving are apparent to everyone, but motorists still choose to participate in this dangerous behavior," said Lt. Angel Burgos, Bowling Green Post commander. "The purpose of this initiative is to bring further awareness, enforcement, and education to the problem of distracted driving."

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration describes distracted driving as any non-driving activity with the potential to distract a person from the primary task of driving and increase the risk of crashing. Distractions can be visual, taking eyes off the road; manual, taking hands off the wheel; or cognitive, taking the mind off driving. Texting while driving is an example that results in all three types of distraction. The public is encouraged to use #677 to report dangerous or impaired drivers.



# Obituaries

## Obituary

### Paul Ernest Henretty

January 13, 1938 – September 15, 2020

Paul Ernest Henretty 82, formerly of Oregon, Ohio, passed away early Tuesday morning, September 15, 2020 at Avalon Springs Nursing Center in Mercer, PA.

He was born in Greenville, PA on January 13, 1938 to the late Ernest and Dorothy (Andrews) Henretty.

Paul graduated from Farrell High School in 1957, then served in the Army until 1959. He loved taking pictures and had a passion for photographing old barns. During the 1960's he worked as a news photographer for channel 13 in Toledo, OH and he also contributed as a photographer to The Press Newspaper in Millbury, OH where he was employed as Circulation Manager for 10 years.

He was a VFW member and enjoyed playing bingo and gambling. Prior to his illness, he loved spending time with his friends, Ernie and Peggy.

Paul is survived by: a sister, Judith A. Pence of Sharon, several nieces and nephews, including Vickie Roby and her husband, Dan, James Smith and his wife, Ginger, Joe Smith and his wife, Crystal, and Wayne Fitzgerald and his wife, Amy.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by: two sisters, Patricia Rae Henretty, and infant Carol L. Henretty; four brothers, George P. Henretty, Robert D. McCann, William E. Henretty, and Thomas E. Henretty; and a niece, Susan Marie Redmond.

No services will be held, and cremains will be buried at Shenango Valley Cemetery, Greenville. Memorial contributions can be made to: Avalon Springs Nursing Center, 745 Greenville Rd, Mercer, PA, 16137. Messages of sympathy, stories, and photos can be shared at: [www.osborne-williams.com](http://www.osborne-williams.com).



## Obituary

### George Howard Williams

January 4, 1930 – September 15, 2020

George Howard Williams, 90 of Oregon, Ohio, lost his battle with cancer on September 15, 2020 at The Gardens of St. Francis. George was born on January 4, 1930 to Samuel G. Williams and Della M. (LeBaron) Williams in Toledo, Ohio. George graduated from Macomber High School in 1948. Following his graduation, George enlisted in the United States Marine Corp on July 3, 1948, where he served as a Radio Radar Repairman and was honorably discharged on August 1, 1952 at the rank of Staff Sergeant. George was very proud of being a Marine. He spent many years as a member of the Marine Night Fighters Assoc., and the American Legion Christ Dunberger Post 537.

Upon discharge, George worked from September 1952 until June 1956 as an Ironworker out of the Local 55, many times alongside his Dad. George met the love of his life, Janet whom he married on May 29, 1954. Janet was his best friend until her death on January 19, 2015. On June 1, 1956, George became a member of the Toledo Fire Department and retired due to disability on December 1, 1972 as Lieutenant on the #5 Ladder Company. He loved sharing stories about his time as a firefighter. George was instrumental in the founding of the Toledo Retired Firefighters Association in February 1980. He served as both Secretary and President for more than 25 years. George was the last survivor of the men that formed the Toledo Retired Firefighters Association. During his tenure with the association, George was involved in starting the Last Alarm Service honoring active and retired firefighters who have passed, and helped in restarting the June 10th Firefighters Memorial Service held in Toledo, Ohio. George was an active member of Christ United Methodist Church, where he served as Chair of Administrative Council and President of United Methodist Men's Association.

Surviving George are his children; Karen (Tom) Toth, Vicky Cronin, Dawn (Mike) Schaffner, Richard (Wendy) Williams, and Dianne (Todd) LaForge. Grandchildren; Kelly (Paul) Kayser, Chris (Kirby) Toth, Crystal Cronin, Mark Cronin, Stephanie (Justin) Barnett, Melanie Schaffner, Andy Schaffner, Bethanie (Brad) Bowron, Hannah Williams, Rebecca Williams, Jonah Williams, Kacey Williams, and Chase LaForge. Great grandchildren; Emma, Brandon, Wesley, Ella, Owen and Addy. Sister Barbara Veronie and Brother Richard Williams.

Preceded in death by wife, Janet, daughter Susan Marie Williams, special sister-in-law Nancy Mathews, his parents and siblings; Robert Williams, Genny Hanely, and Donald Keyes.

Eggleston Meinert & Pavley Funeral Home assisted with the arrangements. Those wishing to make an expression of sympathy in George's memory are asked to consider the Toledo Firefighter's Museum, Christ United Methodist Church or to Hospice of Northwest Ohio.

George's family would like to express their thanks and gratitude to Dr. Phinney and Hospice of Northwest Ohio for all their care, and The Gardens of St. Francis for their excellent care, and making it a home he loved for the past year where he made good friends with the Staff and Residents who affectionately gave him the nickname "The Mayor".



## Obituary

### Iris Ann Robinson

April 26, 1926 – August 15, 2020

Iris Robinson, 94, of Bradenton, Florida, passed away peacefully on August 15, 2020 at BayVue Nursing and Rehab Center. Iris was born on April 28, 1926 in Walbridge, Ohio to Edward Andrew Cavanaugh and Gladys Fern (Bowland) Cavanaugh.

Iris was happiest when she was surrounded by family. Her cooking was enjoyed by all, especially the fish dinners she served at their home on Lake Erie. Her mouth watering blueberry and pumpkin pies and her nut bread were favorites during the holidays.

Iris was a woman of faith and attended Mainstreet Church in Walbridge, Ohio and Orange Grove Free Methodist Church in Bradenton. She was very grateful for the long, full, and blessed life that God granted her. The family knows she is celebrating in heaven with Jesus, reunited with the loved ones who have gone before her.



Left to cherish her memory is her devoted husband, Kenneth Robinson, her loving children Charlotte (Garry) Saffran of Walbridge, Ohio, Jim (Irene) Robinson of Maumee, Ohio, Sally (Steve) McWilliams of Peachtree City, Georgia, and John (Carolyn) Robinson of Lake Kiowa, Texas; Elizabeth Albritton of Parrish, Florida, a dear friend, who became like another daughter; brother Terrance (Donna) Cavanaugh of Dade City, Florida; 14 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, her sister, Thelma Edyne Collins, her brother-in-law, Kenneth Collins, and her brother Thomas Cavanaugh.

A private celebration of life service will be held at a future date. Those planning on an expression of sympathy are asked to consider Orange Grove Free Methodist Church, 2202 26th Avenue East, Bradenton, Florida, 34208, or Mainstreet Church 5465 Moline Martin Road, Walbridge, Ohio 43465, or a contribution of the donors choice.

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During the Biggest Week in American Birding, Magee Marsh remains a popular spot. The access road beyond the Sportsman's Migratory Bird Center at Magee Marsh will be temporarily closed beginning Monday, Sept. 28. (Press file photo by Ken Grosjean)

## Magee Marsh road closure to begin

The access road beyond the Sportsman's Migratory Bird Center at Magee Marsh Wildlife Area will be temporarily closed beginning Monday, Sept. 28, according to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) Division of Wildlife.

The road on will be closed through Saturday, Dec. 19 to provide controlled waterfowl and white-tailed deer hunting experiences at Magee Marsh Wildlife Area. The closure will cover all areas beyond the Sportsman's Migratory Bird Center to the beach, including the boardwalk and beach trails.

Exceptions to the closure include weekend dates on Oct. 10-11, Oct. 17-18, Nov. 7-8, Nov. 14-15, Nov. 28-29, Dec. 5-6,

and Dec. 12-13. During these dates, the road will open at 3 p.m. on Saturday and remain open until sunset on the following Sunday. The road will also be open from Saturday, Oct. 24 at 3 p.m. until Nov. 1 at sunset. Anglers and wildlife viewers are permitted to access the beach area and wildlife trails during these days.

Visitors are reminded that the Sportsman's Migratory Bird Center will remain closed through at least Jan. 4, 2021, however the bird center walking trail will be open throughout the fall hunting season.

Magee Marsh Wildlife Area is located at 13229 W. SR 2, Oak Harbor.

For more information about Magee Marsh and other wildlife areas, visit wild-ohio.gov.

## Senior Centers to remain closed

The Ohio Department of Aging released the guidelines for reopening senior centers throughout the state of Ohio on Friday, Sept. 11.

Based upon the requirements/guidelines which must be satisfied in order to reopen the senior centers operated by the Wood County Committee on Aging, WCCOA has determined that Wood County senior centers will not reopen on Monday, Sept. 21, as announced by Gov. Mike DeWine.

Current requirements/guidelines released by the Ohio Department of Aging, in collaboration with the Ohio Department of Health, require the following to occur prior to reopening:

- Testing of all senior center staff and volunteers (initial baseline and at least once every other week thereafter).

- Strategic testing of participants with an initial baseline and at least once every other week thereafter. (Note: this is still being clarified as to how many people and demographics.)

- The state will support the training of the WCCOA registered nurse to conduct the testing for staff, volunteers and identified participants (supply nasal test kits, lab capacity, baseline and repeat testing).

- All services will be by appointment only once WCCOA has satisfied the requirements to reopen.

Based upon these restrictions, all WCCOA Senior Center locations, including Walbridge, Pemberville, Perrysburg, Rossford, Grand Rapids, Wayne, North Baltimore and the Wood County Senior Center in Bowling Green, will remain closed to the general public through Monday, Nov. 2.

WCCOA will continue working with the Wood County Health District to ensure its ability to reopen safely. WCCOA will continue to offer modified services during this time.

Online programming is being offered via the WCCOA Facebook page and the Zoom meeting platform. For a schedule of these programs and/or additional information, email programs@wcco.net or call the office at 419-353-5661 or 1-800-367-4935.

WCCOA also encourages the older adults who participate at the senior center congregate dining sites to take advantage of home-delivered meals during this time.

Wood County residents age 60 and older in need of home-delivered meals or other assistance should call WCCOA or email WCCOA@wcco.net.

## Ottawa County Health Dept. clinics on tap

The Ottawa County Health Department has released the clinic schedule for Sept. 21-25. Unless otherwise stated, all clinics are held at the health department, 1856 E. Perry St., Port Clinton.

**Sept. 21:** Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Clinic, 12:45-4:30 p.m.

**Sept. 22:** Immunization Clinic, 8 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

**Sept. 23:** Family Planning Clinic, 8-9 a.m.; Immunization Clinic, 12:45-4:30

p.m.; Tuberculosis Clinic (no appointment necessary), 3-4 p.m.

**Sept. 24:** Family Planning, Well Child and Sexually-Transmitted Disease (STD) Clinic, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

**Sept. 25:** Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Clinic, 7:45 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; Tuberculosis Clinic (no appointment necessary), 3-4 p.m.

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# Oak Harbor, Port Clinton mayors put down wager

In this year of uncertainty, any sign of normalcy is fully embraced by all.

High school football is one such tradition that stirs up positive feelings for so many in Port Clinton and Oak Harbor. Those feelings seem to be amplified in the days leading up to that one Friday night, each year, when a long-standing Oak Harbor/Port Clinton gridiron rivalry is renewed.

Mayors Quinton Babcock of Oak Harbor and Mike Snider of Port Clinton have agreed to once again set a friendly wager on the outcome of the annual Rockets'/Redskins' pigskin classic. The mayor of the losing school will serve pizza to the opposing team's senior class members while dressed in the victorious school's colors.

"It is hoped that the mayors will be permitted to watch the first half of the game from the bleachers of the opposing teams, crossing over at halftime to rejoin their hometown team and cheer them on for the remainder of the game," said an Oak Harbor press release.

Mayor Snider is looking for a better outcome for this year's matchup.

"I felt really good last year. The 'Skins had the home field advantage, and, yet, I still had to deliver pizzas, soda and cookies to OHHS. I just hope, this year, Mayor Babcock can keep the pizza warm when he has to make that journey down State Route 163," Snider said.

Mayor Babcock has a slightly different perspective on the game and the possible outcome.

"The Rockets have been working hard. Our boys have a very hearty appetite, and I'm sure the extra pepperoni will be added motivation for them. Besides, after last year, Mayor Snider is

quite familiar with the route to OHHS. I look forward to his return trip after the game."

Friendly banter aside, both mayors agreed, the bet is about recognizing the history of this rivalry and the meaning this game has to both communities and their respective fan base.

This year's Oak Harbor/Port Clinton football game will take place at Rocket's Football Field in Oak Harbor on Friday, October 2, with a 7 p.m. kick-off. Current COVID-19 protocols limit attendance to 15 percent of the stadium's posted seating capacity.

After three weeks, Oak Harbor is 1-2 with a 30-0 Sandusky Bay Conference Bay Division win over Vermilion, Bay Division

loss to Huron, 35-21, and non-league loss to Bellevue, 14-7. PC is 2-1 with division wins over Edison, 28-7, Vermilion, 58-13, and a non-league loss to Tiffin Columbian, 31-7.

Oak Harbor's offense is led by quarterback Ashton Schroder, who has completed 36 of 57 passes for 410 yards (63 percent) and one touchdown, which was scored by Collin Favuer. Favuer leads the team in rushing with 205 yards on 45 carries and four touchdowns, plus he has caught nine passes for 95 yards. Schroder has 121 yards on 41 rushing attempts, Ryan Ridener has 65 yards on 15 carries, and Dalton Witter has 51 yards on seven carries.

Tyler Wadsworth has caught eight passes for 97 yards, Hayden Hower has six catches for 83 yards Nick Wirkner has three catches for 61 yards and Gannon Duty has seven catches for 55 yards.

On defense for the Rockets, Ridener has a team-leading 34 tackles followed by Wirkner (18), Dylan Schiets (17), Favuer (16), Jack Zeitzham (15) and Schroeder (13).

**“ I just hope, this year, Mayor Babcock can keep the pizza warm... ”**

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# More lessons to learn from Flint, Michigan water fiasco

By Nakiya Wakes

In 2015, my life fell apart. The first signs of trouble came from my son Jaylon. He was five years old and, although he struggled with ADHD, perfectly healthy. But then he started acting out in ways he never had before. His school didn't know how to handle it, so they started suspending him. By the time he was six, they had suspended him 70 times.

Jaylon wasn't the only child struggling. Many other children in Flint were acting out too, and no one knew why.

Now we do: It was lead poisoning. That same year, I was pregnant. We didn't yet know we weren't supposed to drink the water. We didn't yet know we were bathing in poison.

I started bleeding and went to the emergency room. They did an ultrasound, said I had miscarried, and told me to go home. I told them something wasn't right, even more than the miscarriage. But they ignored me, a lower-income African American woman.

Back at home, I started hemorrhaging. I had to be rushed back to the hospital. It



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 turns out there was another baby — I had been pregnant with twins. The doctors had treated me so carelessly they didn't even know there was another baby when they

sent me home. That night, I lost that baby too.

Two years later, I lost another set of twins. My daughter miscarried my grandchild. She might never be able to have children.

This didn't happen because of us, the residents of Flint. It didn't even happen because of those we elected in our city. It happened because an “emergency management” board appointed by the state tried to cut costs by getting our water out of the polluted Flint River rather than Lake Huron.

This wasn't a decision decided by democratic vote. This was forced on us without even the barest measure of corrosion controls, even though the toxicity of the Flint River is notorious. They gambled with our lives, and we lost.

And who has been held accountable? No one. There are no active indictments, charges, or court cases related to the poisoning. A few weeks ago, they announced a financial settlement of \$600 million for victims, but it feels like too little, too late.

How can I put a price tag on the lost lives of my four babies, or on the damage to my son, which will last the rest of his life?

How do you put a price tag on the trauma, pain, and turmoil that greedy politicians inflicted on our whole community for the sake of profit? You can't.

Compensation for victims is the bare minimum of what needs to happen. My son and the kids of Flint need more support. The politicians responsible need to be held accountable. Black people, poor people, and struggling low-income people need to matter.

Ultimately, this isn't just a story about Flint.

Thousands of communities across the United States have lead levels as bad or worse than Flint's were. That's why the Poor People's Campaign is calling for clean, public water for every person in this country — and an end to water shutoffs for people struggling to pay bills, especially during a pandemic.

Enough lives have fallen apart. It's time to start putting them back together.

*Nakiya Wakes is a mother and water activist from Flint and a member of the Poor People's Campaign. This op-ed was distributed by OtherWords.org*

# The question to ask yourself: What do you do for others?

One way to assess a person's character is by watching how they treat someone who can't do anything for them. In life, you will go further, faster by helping other people get what they want. You get by giving.

Although this may seem antithetical, it is a time tested principle. All successful businesses operate based on this concept. Those businesses which satisfy their customers by providing them with exactly what they want flourish. Conversely, any business which takes advantage of their customers has limited longevity.

Utilize this principle and you too will experience success. This approach works in your job as well as in your personal life. Yet, far too many people take the opposite approach of seeking to do as much as they can for themselves.

There are numerous benefits which emanate when you do for others. You are connected to other people through your efforts. A special bond is created because of your selflessness. The relationship is often reciprocal, as the other person also does for you.



## Dare to Live

by Bryan Golden

You'll feel better about yourself as you brighten someone else's day. Most people are pleasantly surprised by your unexpected act of kindness. Their improved mood makes it more likely that they will pay it forward by treating others in the same positive manner. Kindness passed on multiplies.

Treat people with courtesy, kindness, and consideration. Smile and be friendly. These simple acts, welcomed as a pleasant surprise, are effective outlook boosters. Using please and thank you, a smile, a wave or nod, sends an often needed positive message. They are an appreciated counterbalance to the many daily stressors everyone experiences.

Accept people for who they are by

keeping an open mind. Never sit in judgment of others. If you do, you'll be reluctant to be of service. Avoid looking for reasons to be offended. For those people who are malicious, break off contact because nothing will be gained by engaging them.

Being a good listener is something you can do for others. Being there for someone who needs to vent is a great caring gesture. Offering suggestions on how to solve problems you have overcome saves the other person lots of time and effort.

Offer assistance without having to be asked. There are many ways you can be of service which cost you nothing but are significant to another person. Hold doors open. Run errands for seniors. Help carry groceries to the car. Let someone with only a few groceries go ahead of you in the checkout line. Let another driver merge in front of you in traffic. When shopping or eating out, compliment good service.

Common courtesy should be a regular part of your behavior. Keep in touch with family. Call a friend to see how they are doing. Give compliments. Be pa-

tient. Put away your phone while having a conversation in person. Send thank you notes. Tell people you appreciate them.

Doing the unexpected, such as forgiving someone who has hurt you, is a wonderful gift. Saying I'm sorry when you are wrong, and even sometimes when you are right, goes a long way. Allowing a person to retain their dignity after they have made a mistake is important. This is why you criticize in private while praising in public.

The more you do for others, without expecting anything in return, the more your life is enriched. Your actions must be without any ulterior motives. Your motivation is simply to be a caring person by offering assistance whenever possible.

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## Vote for transfer

**To the editor:** On Nov. 3, residents living in Lindsey village and the eastern portion of Washington Township will have the opportunity to vote for a district transfer from Fremont schools to Gibsonburg schools. A new law (Ohio Revised Code 3311.242) allows certain residents to more easily change their home school district and follow the tax rates of the new school district. If the measure passes in Washington Township, homeowners will no longer be within the Fremont City School District and concurrently, they will also see a decrease in their school taxes.

The Gibsonburg School District is approximately 7.6 percent less in property taxes than the Fremont City School District. Students can attend any local school they choose through open enrollment, while their parents have the potential to save thousands of dollars over the course of their residency here. In addition, residents would pay 1 percent income tax on earned income only. Currently, Fremont City School residents pay a 1.25 percent income tax rate on all income. With a transfer to the Gibsonburg district, retired persons and senior citizens will not be taxed on their pensions or Social Security.

The plan to leave Fremont City School District has been brewing within the community for a long time. The district's top-ranked elementary school was located in the Village of Lindsey. It is being demolished as this letter is written by the Fremont school board and not replaced. Thus, students from Lindsey will now be bused into Fremont city and attend one of the brand new elementary schools as part of a \$58.6 million dollar levy that was approved in May 2017 by a majority of Fremont voters, but disapproved by Washington Township voters.

But the motivation behind changing districts is more than financial. Many

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believe that forming an allegiance with a city school district that is 10 miles away is a moot point now with the demolition of Washington Elementary.

Rural Washington Township (including Lindsey) sits next to four school districts (Benton-Carroll-Salem, Woodmore, Gibsonburg, and Fremont). Over the last decade, more and more parents have open enrolled their children into one of these other smaller districts with the largest group going to Gibsonburg. Currently, 28 kids from the Lindsey area open enroll at Gibsonburg schools.

Members of the School District Transfer Committee (who are financing the ballot campaign) are asking the residents of Lindsey and the most eastern portion of Washington Township to vote yes on Nov. 3 for the Proposal to Transfer School Territory. For information go to [www.schoolistricttransfer.com](http://www.schoolistricttransfer.com).

**Meredith Edwards**  
Lindsey

*Editor's note: The state law allowing transfers of school territories has been struck down in federal court.*

## A national crisis

**To the editor:** Our nation is in a crisis, facing a distressing mix of violence, distrust, racism, misinformation, income disparity, polarization, injustice, and political corruption. Beneath it all is a fundamental problem: our elected officials do not listen to the American people, and instead represent powerful elite interests that pour billions of dollars into elections and policy decisions.

Constitution Day was Sept 17. This

is an apt date to emphasize that there is a solution to the money in politics problem. Our Constitution was designed with a brilliant strategy to ensure it would remain a living document able to grow along with our nation: the amendment process. Throughout our country's history, the grassroots amendment process has allowed Americans to expand rights and freedoms to more people. An amendment to limit the influence of money in politics would ensure every American has a voice in the decisions that affect our lives—during these turbulent times and in the future.

Recently the American Promise movement for the 28th Amendment has seen consensus and momentum. The majority of Americans across the political spectrum support a constitutional amendment to enable citizens, elected officials, and the states to enact limits on the vast quantities of money that dominate our political system and silence our voices in our democracy.

Here in northwest Ohio we have experienced first-hand the consequences of political corruption through an alleged pay-to-play scheme. Find out how to support constitutional reform at [americanpromise.net](http://americanpromise.net).

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## Poppy drive was a success

**To the editor:** The Genoa American Legion Auxiliary 324 would like to thank Miller's New Market, GenoaBank and Sunoco Mini-Mart for allowing us to collect poppy donations for veterans.

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## Cedar Point conjuring up fall fun at Tricks and Treats Fest

As the seasons transition from summer to fall, Cedar Point is welcoming guests back to the park with Tricks and Treats Fall Fest, a new daytime outdoor street festival every Saturday and Sunday.

With current COVID-19 safety protocols in place, the park has conjured up new and engaging ways to celebrate the season with Halloween décor, live entertainment, new fall food and drink tasting around the park, and of course, Cedar Point's world-famous rides and roller coasters.

"Halloween is a special time at Cedar Point, and our guests really look forward to it," said Jason McClure, the park's vice president and general manager. "While we all have to do things a little differently this year, Tricks and Treats Fall Fest is filled with fun activities for everyone, spectacular food, a variety of outdoor entertainment and a few tricks and treats. Our mission to make people happy continues into the fall season, and we're committed to entertaining our fans, friends and families safely."

### Fall food fest

Toxic Mac, Dragon's Leg, Goblin Soup and Frankenstein's Fries are just a small sampling of the fun foods being served up with the Tricks and Treats Food Tasting.

Cedar Point's culinary team cast a scrumptious spell with 24 new fall favorite items available at select dining locations around the park. Guests can purchase a tasting card and enjoy up to six "tricks" – foods that are out of the ordinary (but still delicious), and "treats" – more recognizable and traditional food items, or a little of both. Tasting cards can be purchased at the park or online in advance with a special Tricks and Treats Bundle ticket that includes park admission.

On the midways, Brews and Booze Bars will be serving up specialty drinks like Hocus Pocus Punch, featuring Fanta Orange with an essence of black cherry with gummy worm garnish; Jack-o-Lantern Juice, an apple juice concoction with pumpkin puree, apricot, vanilla and fall spices served hot or cold; I Want to Drink Your Blood, a drink featuring Minute Maid lemonade, peach schnapps and vodka with an injection of strawberry.

A scary variety of craft beers will also be on hand, including Yuengling Oktoberfest, Breckenridge Autumn Ale, Elysian Night Owl Pumpkin Ale, Platform Paranormal and more.

### Monstrous activities

Tricks and Treats Fall Fest features plenty of fun for kids and adults alike. The whole family can transform into silly creatures with a Monster Makeover. Artists will use face coverings as a palette to create not-so-scary manifestations that add to the festive feel of the event.

What fall would be complete without trick-or-treating? Kids can pick up treats at specially designed, socially distanced trick-or-treat candy stations, with some featuring mechanically driven contraptions.

Little monsters can also get crafty with mask and bracelet making, coloring stations and pumpkin decorating. Other activities for kids include the Howlin' Hay Maze, Harvest Tractors, Tricky Corn Maze and the Tricks and Treats Challenge Course.



Tricks and Treats Fall Fest, a new daytime outdoor street festival, runs every Saturday and Sunday through Nov. 1 at Cedar Point. (Photo courtesy of Cedar Point)

The Tricks and Treats Costume Contest, which recognizes the best Halloween looks from babies to adults, takes place several times each day. Categories for judging include babies, kids, tweens, families, teens and adults. The Costume Council will walk the park midways searching for

the best dressed guests and encourage them to enter the contest.

Guests can play several themed games, including some competition with The Witch Sisters, who will be ready with a lineup of tricky challenges. For guests brave enough to try, the Trick-or-Treat Bean Challenge will

have them facing off in a jellybean tasting extravaganza, with some interesting flavors to identify. In the QR Lost Candy Bag Quest, guests can use their phones to scan QR codes and join an adventure together.

### Shows to raise the spirits

From dance parties to live music, the entertainment lineup at Tricks and Treats Fall Fest is thoroughly thrilling.

Classic Halloween monsters come to life in Monster Mash-Up with The Shrieks Band; ghouls and goblins can dance the day away at the DJ Dr. Scream Dance Party; a twisted trio of witches will demonstrate their magical abilities at The Witch Sisters' Spellcasting Ceremony; The Fangtastics welcome all to feast on the sounds of the season; and the You're Too Old to Trick-or-Treat Game Show for adults may finally answer an age-old question.

All shows will take place at outdoor venues throughout the park, including the Celebration Plaza stage near Iron Dragon.

### 2021 season passes on sale

The best value for a visit to Cedar Point this fall is a 2021 Cedar Point Gold Pass. Cedar Point Gold Passes include admission and parking for Tricks and Treats Fall Fest, in-park discounts, admission to Cedar Point Shores Waterpark in 2021 and more.

Tricks and Treats Fall Fest runs every Saturday and Sunday from 12-8 p.m. through Nov. 1. For complete event information, including a full listing of live shows, attractions, activities, food and ride availability, or to purchase special ticket and overnight packages, visit cedarpoint.com.

The park anticipates that its traditional fall event, HalloWeekends, which includes The Great Pumpkin Fest and Haunt, will return in 2021.

## Toledo Humane Society launches Shelter Dog Field Trip Program for Dog Lovers

Someone let the shelter dogs out - and they're taking on the 419.

The Toledo Humane Society announced its "Tails Around Toledo" program, which pairs members of the community with shelter dogs for field trips.

Outings can last from a couple hours to all day, and can include a hike, a trip to a park, a trip to a pet-friendly store or drive-thru, or even a relaxing nap on a couch at your home.

The program offers a way for those whose schedule, housing, or allergies do not permit them to own a pet of their own, or for avid dog lovers to get their dog fix in.

The Tails Around Toledo program was created to help reduce kennel stress and provide dogs with enrichment and increased visibility to adopters in the community. Outings give the shelter

valuable insight on what the dog's personality is like outside a shelter environment, and can lead to better adoption matches. It's also a great excuse to spend a day doing something new or exploring Toledo.

Signing up is easy, and participants will be provided with all the necessary supplies for a successful field trip. Individuals interested in the Tails Around Toledo program should visit the Toledo Humane Society's website at [www.toledohumane.org/events-and-programs/tailsaroundtoledo](http://www.toledohumane.org/events-and-programs/tailsaroundtoledo) for more info and to sign up online.

The shelter offers field trip options to accommodate most schedules, and field trip opportunities will be offered Sunday through Friday every week.

To date, Tails Around Toledo has been very popular with the shelter's volunteers, and have led to more adoptions with adult pup participants.



The Toledo Humane Society's "Tails Around Toledo" program allows dog lovers to spend time with a canine companion, gives shelter pets enrichment and a fun day out, and offers THS valuable insight on a dog's behavior to help make good adoption matches. (Submitted photo)

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# Historical society redesigns website, plans Haunted History Tour

The Oregon Jerusalem Historical Society announced the launch of its redesigned website, [www.ojhs.org](http://www.ojhs.org).

The Society's Digital Media Committee, led by Kathleen Pollauf, OJHS vice president, worked to bring history to the digital age with the help of graphic designer Kerri Brimmer, of Brimmer Design. The Society welcomed Jillian Keller as Digital Media Manager.

The easy-to-navigate website makes it easy to step back in time to peruse photos and read stories about the region's history as compiled by Josephine Fassett in her history book entitled, "History of Oregon and Jerusalem," dated 1961.

Visitors may also register for membership, purchase tickets to events, browse and purchase from the online store and make a donation to the OJHS.

## Haunted History Tour

OJHS has partnered with Oregon Rec to present a free, fun, family activity entitled, "Oregon's Haunted History Tour: Featuring Ghost Towns and Cemeteries." Registration is available on the Oregon Rec website, [www.oregonohiorec.com](http://www.oregonohiorec.com).

The tour activity will be posted on the OJHS website from Oct. 1-28. Participants may complete the tour as a timed event or at their leisure.

Additionally, OJHS is accepting local family stories and history for posting on the website. Email [ojhs1963@gmail.com](mailto:ojhs1963@gmail.com) to submit stories or obtain more info.

## Food Truck Fundraiser

The Northwest Ohio Gold Star Family Memorial Monument invites the community to a "take it to go" Food Truck Fundraiser.

The event will take place at Signature Harley-Davidson on Saturday, Sept. 26 from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Many veteran-owned local food trucks will be on site including The Iron Bean Coffee, Kona Ice and The Saucy Slamwich, with other food truck owners planning to participate, according to Veronica Mora, Gold Star Spouse and Committee Chair.

Plans call for the monument to be built to honor fallen service members and the families they left behind. Laser-etched paver bricks will be available for purchase during the food truck event. The bricks will be placed around the memorial and adorn the walkway once it is built at Riverside Park in downtown Perrysburg. They are priced at \$150, \$600, and \$1,200.

"We are honored to help the Hershel "Woody" Williams Medal of Honor Foundation establish this monument in our community as they continue their mission to place these monuments in as many communities as possible in all 50 states," said Brittinee Huntley, marketing director for Signature Harley-Davidson.

The black granite monument features two sides. One side bears the words "Gold Star Families Memorial Monument, a tribute to Gold Star Families and Relatives who sacrifice a Loved One for our Freedom." The other side tells a story through the four granite panels such as: Homeland, Family, Patriot and Sacrifice. The scenes on each



panel are a reflection of each community's Gold Star Families and their fallen heroes. At the center of this tribute is a silhouette of the loved one who paid the ultimate sacrifice in the name of freedom.

Social distancing and face coverings will be encouraged during this outdoor event at Signature Harley-Davidson. A tent will be available to enjoy food truck purchases, rain or shine.

To make a donation or for more info about the monument and the Hershel "Woody" Williams Medal of Honor Foundation, visit [hwwmohf.org](http://hwwmohf.org) or the local monument webpage at [hwwmohf.org/monument/Perrysburg-oh.html](http://hwwmohf.org/monument/Perrysburg-oh.html).

## Virtual art class signup

Registration is now open for a variety of virtual art classes offered by the Toledo Museum of Art (TMA) this fall. Both adults and youth have the opportunity to engage in an array of new classes via live-stream sessions or one-day virtual workshops.

Registration for these classes and workshops is now open. The deadline to register for Session 1 is Thursday, Sept. 24. Registration for Session 2 closes on Thursday, Oct. 27.

"The Toledo Museum of Art looks forward to continuing our tradition of quality art instruction this fall," said Mike Deetsch, the Museum's Emma Leah Bippus director of education and engagement. "These classes can be a fun way to explore a new medium or an opportunity to increase skill and hone technique in an artist's area of interest."

Young minds will be delighted and challenged by creating masterpieces in the Big and Little: Egypt class, designed for children three to five-years old and their grown-ups. In the Mythical Creatures class, instructor Amanda Speer will lead children ages 8 to 10 years old in creating their own mini villages, filled with mythical creatures. Speer says, "This class is so popular because it combines things young children like to do the most, including using their imaginations, experimenting with color and inventing unique creatures."

Adult creatives will enjoy participating in virtual classes featuring lost wax glass casting, glass engraving, acrylic painting, jewelry-making, drawing, plus many more options. Detailed information on more than 20 virtual art classes and workshops can be found on the TMA website at [tickets.toledomuseum.org](http://tickets.toledomuseum.org).

To register for an art class or workshop, visit [tickets.toledomuseum.org](http://tickets.toledomuseum.org) or call 419-254-5080. The Museum has a number of scholarship opportunities available for youth and adult students, which cover 100% of the registration fee for most classes. Scholarships are competitive and the volume of submissions is high. For more

information on art class scholarships, visit [toledomuseum.org/education/classes](http://toledomuseum.org/education/classes).

## Country Lane Fall Fun Days

Country Lane Tree Farm, located at 3525 N. Bolander Rd., Genoa, will present Family Fall Fun Days Sept. 26 through Oct. 31 from 11 a.m.-7 p.m.

In addition to a U-Pick Pumpkin Patch, families can milk a cow; feed goats, fallow deer, mini cows and Lulu, the farm's huge pig. They can also hold bunnies, ducks and chicks; kiss a llama and meet peacocks, chickens and more.

Hand-led pony rides and barrel train rides will be available every day.

New for 2020, there will be a Tiny Tots Straw Climb in the Family Game Area.

Learn more and get updates on [www.facebook.com/Farmfun1](http://www.facebook.com/Farmfun1).

## Seneca Co. residents receive Hayes discounts

Adult Seneca County residents can enjoy some physically distanced fun at the Hayes Presidential Library & Museums with a discounted site pass to tour the home and museum this month.

Seneca County residents will receive a discounted rate of \$15 for a site pass, which is a savings of \$5 on regular admission, through Wednesday, Sept. 30. Residents must show identification that includes their Seneca County address.

This promotion coincides with a special display of items from the Leiner Hat and Cap Store in Tiffin. The display is located in the Local History Gallery in the lower level of the museum.

Hayes Presidential has a collection of hats and other items from the historic business, and some of these items are featured in the display. The landmark store was open for 140 years and closed in 1992.

The site pass includes a guided tour of the historic Hayes Home. Seneca County residents who would like to reserve a tour spot

in advance at the discounted rate can call 419-332-2081. Walk-ins also are accepted.

The discounted site pass are sponsored by National Machinery Foundation.

Since the COVID-19 pandemic began, Hayes Presidential Staff have implemented additional plans for the safety of visitors, including additional cleaning and disinfecting, a smaller maximum capacity of people, sneeze guards at the front desk and museum store and physical distancing measures.

Staff clean and disinfect the museum multiple times a day and regularly wipe down counters and high-touch areas between points of sale at the Museum Store. Touchless hand sanitizer stations have been installed throughout the museum and library building.

Visitors are asked to maintain 6 feet of physical distance between their household group and other visitors. Face coverings are required in all facilities, per Gov. Mike DeWine's July 22 order.

The museum and home tour capacity has been reduced to allow for adequate physical distancing between groups.

Funding for additional cleaning and disinfecting supplies has been made possible through a grant from the Sandusky County Communities Foundation. Jerri and Chuck Miller of Fremont also have generously donated disposable masks for visitors who need them.

For information, call 419-332-208, visit [rbhayes.org](http://rbhayes.org) or follow HPLM on social media.

## Stroll the Street 2.0

The Rossford Convention & Visitors Bureau (RCVB) has extended "Stroll the Street 2.0 - Food Truck Fiesta" through Sept. 30. The weekly event, held Wednesdays from 4:30-7:30 p.m., features food truck vendors parked along Dixie Highway into Downtown Rossford. Food trucks are spaced out from Ford Memorial Park to the Rossford Recreation Center with signage for safe distancing as patrons wait in line.

## Jim Brickman brings you Comfort & Joy at Home Live!

Grammy-nominated songwriter and pianist Jim Brickman is donating to theatres across the United States this holiday season by performing a virtual concert series.

Brickman will present "With Comfort & Joy at Home Live! Virtually," on Saturday, Dec. 5 at 4 p.m. Tickets are \$125, \$75 or \$40, and include an interactive Zoom room, a meet-and-greet and Christmas gifts delivered to your door. Tickets are on sale Sept. 18 exclusively at [www.jimbrickman.com](http://www.jimbrickman.com)

A portion of each ticket purchased to this live event will benefit Broadway in Toledo. Fans and their families can enjoy this unique virtual concert experience from the comfort of home, while supporting the American Theatre Guild during this challenging time.

Brickman will bring the LIVE concert experience up close and personal by



Jim Brickman is supporting Broadway in Toledo with proceeds from an online concert, to be presented Dec. 5. (Photo by Jeff Klaum)

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## Nominations sought for WCCOA's Golden Care Awards

The Wood County Committee on Aging is seeking nominations for its annual Golden Care Awards, which recognize compassionate caregivers working in a facility or home-care setting, as well as community caregivers.

Caregivers will be recognized in a virtual event via Zoom on Tuesday, Nov. 24 at 2 p.m.

Nominations may be submitted online at [wccoa.net/activities/special-events/](http://wccoa.net/activities/special-events/) or contact the WCCOA Programs Department at 419-353-5661 or email [programs@wccoa.net](mailto:programs@wccoa.net) with any questions.

WCCOA also offers a number of virtual programs. A complete listing and schedule are available online.

Those looking to connect with others may join the WCCOA Pen Pal Group. Choose to communicate by phone, email or mail. Email or call the Program Department to sign up.

### Bingo Live

Oregon Senior Center will play Bingo Live on Facebook for prizes Thursday, Sept. 24 at 2 p.m. Get a bingo game packet Monday through Friday from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at the center, located at 4350 Navarre Ave. There is a maximum of four cards per game; one bingo packet per person. There is no cost to play. CHI Living Communities is sponsoring the event.

The center will also present a Junk in Your Trunk Sale Friday, Sept. 25 from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Call 419-698-7078 or follow on Facebook for more details.

### E. Toledo Senior Center offers bingo, lunches

The East Toledo Senior Center offers

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free Bingo every Wednesday at 1:15 p.m. on Zoom. Everyone age 60 and older is invited to play. Visit [www.facebook.com/EastToledoSeniorCenter](http://www.facebook.com/EastToledoSeniorCenter) to learn more.

The center, located at 1001 White St., provides lunches, made in the center kitchen, Monday-Friday. The lunches are available for "Grab & Go" or for home delivery. There is a suggested donation of \$2.50. Reservations must be made the day before by 10 a.m. or on Friday for Monday. "Grab & Go" meals are available at 11:45 a.m. Reserve lunches by calling 419-691-2254, ext. 202.

On Wednesday, Oct. 7, the center will present an online discussion about Medicare Open Enrollment with Shannon from UnitedHealthcare from 1:15-2:15 p.m. Visit the center's Facebook page for more details.

### Medicare Open Enrollment help

Medicare Open Enrollment will run Thursday, Oct. 15 through Monday, Dec. 7. There are several resources to help Medicare beneficiaries look at their 2021 coverage options.

Magruder Hospital and Ottawa County Senior Resources can help with comparisons. Due to COVID-19, extra precautions will be taken to limit face-to-face time.

Anyone who would like more information can call Magruder Hospital at 419-732-

4061 or Ottawa County Senior Resources at 419-898-6459. The Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program hotline can also help with comparisons by calling 1-800-686-1578.

### Advance Healthcare Directives assistance

Hospice of Northwest Ohio provides free, guided conversations with trained facilitators to assist in the completion of advance healthcare directives.

Through a series of questions, these conversations consider cultural, spiritual, and religious beliefs in completing written advance directives including living wills and selecting a health care power of attorney.

All adults, whether healthy, or coping with a serious illness, should think about, discuss and document their healthcare wishes. It is important to make wishes known upfront about any future medical treatment, in the event a person cannot express them him or herself.

Hospice of Northwest Ohio offers this service free of charge to anyone in the community. Advance care plans are legal documents that can be created without the assistance of a lawyer. Healthcare decision conversations can be done in-person, or via phone or video chat.

Set up an appointment by calling 419-931-5423 or emailing [acp@sinceracare.org](mailto:acp@sinceracare.org).

Learn more about advance directives at [www.hospicenwo.org/patient-care/advance-care-planning](http://www.hospicenwo.org/patient-care/advance-care-planning).

### Grab 'n Go meals offered

Ottawa County Senior Centers are offering Grab 'n Go meals to county seniors during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Meals can be ordered through the senior centers. Meals follow the regular monthly menu. To make a reservation, seniors must call the senior center of their choice by 10 a.m. one day prior to the day they wish to pick up the meal. All seniors 60 and older are welcome to join the Grab 'n Go program. The suggested donation is \$3 per meal; however, seniors may pay whatever they feel they can afford.

To learn more or make a reservation, call:

- Elmore Golden Oldies, 19225 W. Witty Rd., at 419-862-3874. Pickup is available Tuesday and Thursday 11:30 a.m.-noon.

- Genoa Senior Center, 514 Main St., at 419-855-4491. Pickup is available Monday, Wednesday and Friday 11:30 a.m.-noon.

- Oak Harbor "Harbor Lights" Senior Center, 8180 W. SR 163, at 419-898-2800. Pickup is available Monday and Wednesday, 11:30 a.m.-noon.

Learn more at [www.co.ottawa.oh.us](http://www.co.ottawa.oh.us). Click on Senior Resources on the left-side menu to find complete menus and updates or call Senior Resources at 419-898-6459.

### Otterbein SeniorLife announces affiliation with Sunset

The board of directors of Otterbein SeniorLife announced an affiliation with Sunset Communities, located in Toledo. Both are senior care non-profit organizations that provide an array of senior services, including independent and assisted living, memory support, skilled nursing and rehabilitative care, home health and hospice.

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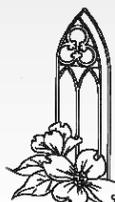


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## Ottawa Co. Riverview

# Assisted Living accepting admissions

Ottawa County Riverview is accepting new admissions into the new Hartford on the River Assisted Living.

Ottawa County Riverview Healthcare Campus, which has been county owned and operated for 149 years, opened the new assisted living service on March 1. The Hartford was a part of the facility's \$10 million renovation to the entire campus.

"With COVID-19 precautions and preparation for a possible surge in health-care, the assisted living shut down to new admissions just a few short weeks after opening, until just recently," said Kendra M. German, administrator.

Hartford on the River features 20 spacious living units, with studio, one-bedroom and two-bedroom options available. Each unit includes a bedroom area and a living room area. The units also include a kitchenette area with cabinetry, a sink, a small refrigerator and room for a small microwave. A private bathroom with a toilet, vanity and a handicap accessible shower are also included in each living unit.

Hartford offers three meals a day in its dining room. A spa room with an easily accessible jet tub is available for those residents who prefer a bath over the in-room shower option. While laundry service is included in the monthly fee, there is a laundry room for use by residents who prefer to do their own laundry, have an item with special wash instructions, or need something laundered quickly.

The Assisted Living also offers multiple different areas for visiting and socializing, including two living rooms, two outdoor porches and the Witt's Retreat Four Seasons Room overlooking the Portage River.

Activities are held daily in the Lake Erie Activities' Room. The facility also has a salon with a beautician and barber for an additional fee.

The Hartford has one monthly fee, with no additional nursing or care level fees added on. The monthly fee includes 24-hour nursing services for assistance



A spa room at Ottawa County Riverview's Hartford on the River Assisted Living features an easily accessible jet tub for residents who prefer a bath over the in-room shower option. (Submitted photo)

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In making the announcement, Jill Wilson, president and CEO of Otterbein SeniorLife said "We are very pleased to join forces with Sunset Retirement Communities. Their 149-year track record of enriching individual life journeys, combined with Otterbein's 108 years of enhancing the quality of life and holistic growth of older persons, will strengthen our organization and open up all kinds of strategic opportunities to carry out our mission.

Sunset Communities CEO/President Vicky Bartlett said, "Our board has been looking for the best way to assure the long-term viability of our organization and this is it. Otterbein SeniorLife is clearly one of the premier senior care providers in the nation and aligns best with us culturally and philosophically. The fact that Otterbein already operates four senior care organizations in Northwest Ohio, and their home office location is less than three hours away, are added bonuses."

In the affiliation, Otterbein SeniorLife will become the sole member of Sunset Retirement Communities, Inc. In keeping with the standard already in place with all Otterbein communities, Sunset will continue to retain the current staff, leadership team and local board of directors, with support from a home office team to create leverage for sales, marketing, communications, financial analyses, strategic planning, and other such activities.

Sunset's balance sheet remains intact and investments will be used solely in support of the Sunset Communities.

With the affiliation, the Sunset Communities will change their name to Otterbein Sunset House and Otterbein Sunset Village, and the independent living residences will be called The Woodlands at Otterbein Sunset House and Fieldstone Villas at Otterbein Sunset Village.

with activities of daily living (ADLs), a 24-hour nurse call system in each living unit, medication administration by a licensed nurse, daily activities, three meals a day, housekeeping and laundry services, and all utilities, including long distance telephone services, internet and cable.

In order to continue to protect the Riverview Campus' residents and staff from the COVID-19 virus, after a new admission has been accepted for admission, he/she will be required to have a COVID-19 test completed and remain quarantined in their current home until the COVID-19 results have returned negative. The resident then will continue to quarantine until they are able to move into the Hartford. The resident will be quarantined to his/her living

unit for his/her first 14 days on the campus. All services will be offered to the resident's living unit with staff in appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE).

At this time the Hartford is following visitation protocols given by the Ohio Department of Health (ODH), Ohio Department of Aging (ODA) and the Ottawa County Department of Health.

For more information please call RN Case Manager, Cara Densic, at Ottawa County Riverview 419-898-2851, ext. 4041.

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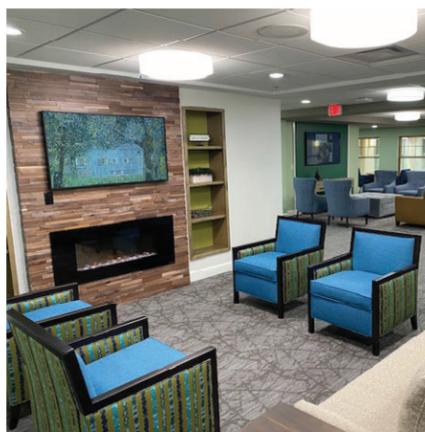
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# Ohio Dept. of Aging urges: Take Steps to Prevent Falls

The Ohio Department of Aging has issued a friendly challenge for all older Ohioans: take 10 BIG Steps to Prevent Falls during Fall Prevention Awareness Week, Sept. 21-25.

“One in four Ohioans over age 65 will fall this year. That fall can have long-ranging impacts on the individual as well as his or her family and community,” said Ursel J. McElroy, director of the department. “There are simple things all Ohioans can do right now to decrease their risk of a life-changing fall.”

10 BIG Steps to Prevent Falls is part of the department’s STEADY U Ohio falls prevention initiative. The week-long campaign pairs five free, daily, online learning opportunities with five personal action steps to promote different aspects of falls prevention. Each day, participants will learn about a unique topic from falls prevention and other experts. They will then be provided with a checklist, planning template, or other activity to apply the information to their daily lives.

Individuals can learn more, register for online learning opportunities, and download related personal action items on the STEADY U Ohio web page at [www.steadyu.ohio.gov](http://www.steadyu.ohio.gov).

**The 10 BIG Steps to Prevent Falls:**

• **Monday, Sept. 21:** Know your falls risk factors

Step 1: Learn about the factors that increase your risk of falling and steps to reduce your risk.

Step 2: Complete a falls-risk self-assessment and discuss the results with your family and care providers.

• **Tuesday, Sept. 22:** Exercises to reduce your falls risk.

Step 3: Learn about exercises and other physical activity that can reduce your risk of falling.

Step 4: Create a personal exercise plan and try a new exercise.

• **Wednesday, Sept. 23:** Fall-proof your home.

Step 5: Learn how to identify and remove falls risks in and around your home.

Step 6: Complete a home hazard walk-through and checklist.

• **Thursday, Sept. 24:** Eat well to prevent falls

Step 7: Learn how a healthy diet can help lower your risk of falling.

Step 8: Create a meal plan to prevent falls.

• **Friday, Sept. 25:** Talk with your health care providers

Step 9: Learn how to talk to your doctor and other health care providers about falls.

Step 10: Complete a medication inventory and discuss it with your health care provider or pharmacist.

Since September 2013, the Ohio Department of Aging’s STEADY U Ohio initiative has helped older adults, families, caregivers, professionals, and community leaders understand and recognize age-related factors that increase the risk of falling and fall-related complications. Individuals and organizations can find falls prevention information and resources at [www.steadyu.ohio.gov](http://www.steadyu.ohio.gov).

Facts about falls in Ohio (according to data from the Ohio Department of Health):

• One in four Ohioans age 65 and older will fall this year.

• Older Ohioans account for a disproportionate share of fall-related injuries. While residents age 65 and older make up 17% of the state’s population, they accounted for more than 87% of fatal falls in 2018.

• An older Ohioan falls every minute on average, resulting in an injury every five minutes, an emergency department visit every seven minutes, two hospitalizations each hour, and three deaths each day.

• In 2018, falls among older Ohioans resulted in 78,995 emergency department visits, 19,409 hospitalizations and 1,309 deaths.

• Falls account for 55.9% of fatal traumatic brain injuries among Ohioans age 65 or older and can lead to depression, loss of mobility, and loss of independence.

• The number of fatal falls among older Ohioans increased 62% from 2007-2018.

• The estimated total lifetime medical cost of falls (fatal and non-fatal) is \$1.1 billion in Ohio. Add costs related to work loss and the total climbs to \$2 billion.

• One in three Ohioans age 65 and old-

er living in the community fall each year, yet, less than half talk to their doctors about their risks or history of falls.

• In 2018, 61% of falls deaths among adults age 65 and older occurred in the home while 22% occurred in a residential facility, such as a nursing home.

*The Ohio Department of Aging serves and advocates for the needs of Ohioans age 60 and older, as well as their families, caregivers and communities. Programs include home- and community-based long-term supports and services, as well as initiatives to promote health and wellness throughout the lifespan. Visit [www.aging.ohio.gov](http://www.aging.ohio.gov) to learn more.*



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# Security system may be a good idea for a senior's home

By Ron Craig

As the colder weather approaches, now may be a good idea to consider installing a security system, which can be beneficial for anyone, but particularly for an older person's home.

Installing such devices may require a technician to make a trip or two in and out of a residence. When the weather outside is cold, this may result in a loss of heat from inside the home. It's no secret that the older we get, the more intolerant we become of cold air, so a rush of cold air from outside can make seniors more uncomfortable.

There are many things to consider when you investigate what system you may wish to acquire. It is important to check various systems, all the time resisting any urge to buy the first one into which you inquire. This can be difficult if a salesperson uses high pressure tactics.

If this is a scenario you encounter, just tell the salesperson this is an important decision; one that may take some study and serious consideration before you make a decision. If the salesperson continues with the high-pressure tactics, you may wish to consider taking his or her company off your list of prospective vendors.

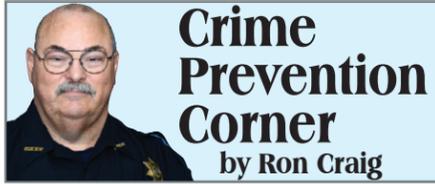
To avoid these issues, you can check with the local Better Business Bureau office for companies about which they have received complaints.

Another important aspect to investigate is the total costs of systems, not just the initial cost of the equipment and its installation but also the monthly monitoring fees.

Some systems are hard-wired, but the most advanced systems use a wireless network. Wireless networks allow consumers to control devices using smartphones, and these systems can be the most desirable.

Many people are including with their security systems ways to change thermostats, lock and unlock their doors, open and close their garage doors, and turn lights on and off. There can also be issues with these wireless systems being hacked.

Some of the most flagrant cases of



hacked security systems involve those with home security cameras. People are reporting incidents in which the hackers initiate conversations with the occupants of a home through the camera systems.

It's an eerie thought that something like a home security system that is supposed to make your home a safer place can do just the opposite.

Most of the cases involving hacked security systems have been traced back to systems that do not have secure passwords.

There are ways to make a system more secure, such as using a VPN (virtual private network) and using encryption if the camera's administrative tools allow it. Updating a system's firmware when possible is another way to further protect your system.

There's an old saying that proves especially true when deciding what type of security system to purchase—investigate before you invest.

*This article is a public service from the Community Policing/Crime Prevention Division of the Lake Township Police Department. Township residents may obtain further information on crime prevention and public safety topics by contacting Ron Craig, crime prevention specialist/community policing officer, at 419-481-6354.*



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Is 70 the new 62?

# Is delaying retirement a sound strategy for you?

As I scan the retirement advice landscape, I'm noticing more and more "gurus" pushing a work-'til-you're-70 narrative.

The reason? The vast majority of American workers will need to work longer than they may have anticipated because of a lack of savings and retirement assets, while also living longer lives (making for a longer retirement).

And while delaying retirement may be a very sound strategy for the masses, I wonder if there's another way to look at this blanket advice that may inform how we view our years preceding and beginning retirement. I wonder if there's a better way to plan for the possibility of a longer career than just indiscriminately moving the finish line to age 70.

Rather than bury the headline, I'll just ask you this, "If you knew you were required to work for money until age 70, would you make different career choices than if you thought 62 was your finish line?" I think I would. In fact, I did. I left a corporate career at a big, Fortune 500 company because even at age 26, I could see that the long end of that career offered very little relief from travel and stress.

I realized that more responsibility and pay were not likely to translate to more job satisfaction, so I sought a different path. And now I meet people who are so overwhelmed by stress, bureaucracy or the physical demands of their job that they're literally counting the days before they can



## Beyond the Money

by Adam Cufu

retire from it. And many are counting the years.

So again, I ask, "If you had to work until 70, what kind of work would you like to do?"

Consider for a moment those who've already retired from their main career; many are choosing to work part time. Whether it's boredom, desire for structure or social connections, or just for extra fun money, choosing to work after work ends is much more prevalent than it's ever been. And most retirees that I know who work part time choose something very different than what they'd done for the past 40 years. After all, why not do work that's more fun if you're doing it by choice?

Applying this reasoning to those who aspire to retire in the future, but may need to work longer, is it reasonable to consider finding more satisfying, less stressful work sooner than later? Could this help avoid the need to count down the days, weeks and years until you can finally get out of the game? Is it possible that shifting the objective from wanting to be done altogether to

instead seeking to do satisfying work for as long as possible might solve two or more problems at the same time?

I can imagine you saying, "But I wouldn't earn as much money at a job that's more satisfying or fun. If I stay here, I'll save the extra money I'm trading my life for and be able to get out sooner." While you may be correct, I'd simply ask that you consider the possibility that there are other options. I certainly don't know everything there is to know about your career and what's best for you. I'm simply asking questions to help you discern if you're on a path that actually gets you where you wish to go.

And asking questions out loud is the best way I know to go about helping people discover what's best for them, for you.

So, does a longer life always require

a longer career? Does a savings shortfall mean a person must remain head-down, working longer hours and sacrificing more years in order to reach the promise land? Maybe; maybe not. I would just caution that we too often accept the gurus' advice as gospel rather than questioning if there's another way.

If working until age 70 is the only answer, then what again was the question?

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## Golf outing benefits 225 local students

GenoaBank announced that its Annual Scholarship Golf Outing was another success.

This year's Annual Golf Outing was held on September 11 at the Oak Harbor Golf Club. This annual golf scramble provides scholarships to local students planning to major in business at a two or four-year college or university of their choice.

It was a great year for the outing with 44 teams registered. This year's events consisted of a "Closest to the Pig" contest to win a gift certificate for a whole pig. Also, an electronic raffle was held to win a Hewlett-Packard laptop computer valued at \$1,000.

This year the money collected will benefit the following schools: Cardinal Stritch, Clay, Danbury, Genoa, Lake, Maumee, Northwood, Sylvania Northview, Oak Harbor, Perrysburg, Port Clinton, Put-in-Bay, Rossford, Sylvania Southview, Waite and Woodmore.

GenoaBank's Annual Scholarship Golf Outing has provided scholarships to approximately 225 students since the bank began hosting this annual event.

Martin P. Sutter, CEO and President of GenoaBank states, "Throughout the year, GenoaBank focuses on building relationships with the community and our schools; however, our community looks forward to the annual golf outing. At these challenging times it offers us a chance to bring together local businesses and school administrators who gather with the purpose of giving back and swinging for education excellence."

The scholarships are presented to students selected by their school who have demonstrated academic success, have an interest in pursuing a higher education and seeking a degree in finance or business at a two or four year college. Students at the aforementioned schools should contact their guidance department to be considered for a GenoaBank Scholarship.

# Giles leads Genoa to co-championship

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Genoa golfer Tommy Giles is the Northern Buckeye Conference Player of the Year for the second straight year as his Comets and the Woodmore Wildcats finished as league co-champions.

Genoa and Woodmore had a league score of 44 points each, followed by Eastwood (36), Lake (32), Otsego (23), Rossford (18) and Elmwood (13). The Comets managed to save the co-championship by winning the league's 18-hole tournament after Woodmore won three of four of the nine-hole shootouts.

It is Genoa's fourth straight league championship and first for Woodmore in seven years.

The season was highlighted by fierce competition between Giles and Woodmore golfer Danny Greenhill, both seniors. Giles took medalist honors at three of the league tournaments and Greenhill was medalist at the other two.

In league play, Giles averaged 37.5 points per nine holes and he is joined on the first team by his teammate, Joey Large (42.4). Greenhill averaged 38.6.

Woodmore coach Rodger Jimison said Greenhill and Giles had a friendly rivalry going all season long. The two have combined to win NBC POY honors the last three years and both are now putting their sights on reaching the state tournament.

"They get along pretty well. They played together a lot this year. They played with each other in three of the four shootouts, and then obviously in the tournament," Jimison said.

Longtime Eastwood coach Mike Gardner (49th season) noted before the season began that Giles and Greenhill were "special players." Genoa first-year coach Chris Katafiasz knew that Giles had it in him to finish strong.

At Green Hills Golf Course in Clyde, Genoa won the league tournament as Giles shot 41-38-79, Large shot 38-46-84, Jake Ewerson shot 45-47-92, and John Huston scored 44-45-89 for a team score of 344, nine strokes better than Woodmore (353).

"Individually, Tommy Giles has been



Tommy Giles and Coach Chris Katafiasz. (Photo courtesy Innovations Portrait Studio/InnovationsVisualImpact.com)

working toward his goal of being the 2020 NBC Player of the Year since the end of the 2019 season. He practiced throughout the year multiple times per day from the course to the driving range to his own backyard," Katafiasz said.

"He knew whoever had a better score between himself and Woodmore's Danny Greenhill at the league championship would be Player of the Year. Throughout the round the two were no more than a couple of strokes apart and following matching birdies on the 16th hole, Tommy knew the final two holes would decide the winner.

"He was able to par the 17th hole and drain a 10-foot par putt on the 18th to seal the victory. The team really relied on his

leadership and drive all season and he is well deserving of the title of NBC Player of the Year."

Katafiasz took pride in his team's ability to turn the tables at the tournament.

"I am proud of the work the team put in this season, how they played during crunch time and to have earned a share of the 2020 NBC league championship with Woodmore," said Katafiasz.

"We felt all season that if we remained focused on our goal, continued to improve each day and peaked at the right time we would have a good chance of winning the league for a fourth straight year. As we progressed through the league shootouts we slowly closed the gap with Woodmore and knew that if we beat them at the league tournament we would have at least a share of the league title.

"In the practices leading up to the tournament we talked about playing the course smart, limiting the number of wasted shots and trusting the golf games we spent all season polishing."

Katafiasz said it was a team victory, too.

"Senior captain Tommy Giles led the charge by sharing with the team course knowledge, swing tips and how to be mentally tough. Senior Joey Large had his ups and downs this season but really came through in the clutch on tournament day and showed everyone why he was our No. 2 man and deserving of first team all league honors," Katafiasz said.

"Freshman Jon Huston played up a roster spot at the tournament and his work ethic, maturity, and deep desire to help the team win the league led to a season-low round and was our third best team score. Sophomore Jake Ewersen played well and was our fourth team scorer while senior Liam Mazur and sophomore Ian Wilcox brought in solid scores as well in case we went to a fifth score tiebreaker."

Katafiasz was Genoa's junior varsity boys coach from 2016-18 and helped make the program what it is today. Last year's team, under then-head coach Mike DeStazio, qualified for the Division III state tournament. After DeStazio left the post, he decided that he could not stay away from coaching golf and is currently the head boys coach at Lake.

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# Greenhill leads Wildcats to first golf title in seven years

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Genoa and Woodmore shared Northern Buckeye Conference boys golf co-championships, but it was the Comets' fourth straight and first in seven years for the Wildcats.

Woodmore had won three of four nine-hole league shootouts, but Genoa won the league tournament to even the final accumulated score at 44 points each.

"We had a good league season. It was a bitter-sweet championship for those guys this year, said Woodmore coach Rodger Jimison, adding that his golfers were disappointed they could not hold on to win the final tournament.

"They wanted to win it outright, but they accomplished something that six teams prior didn't accomplish," Jimison said.

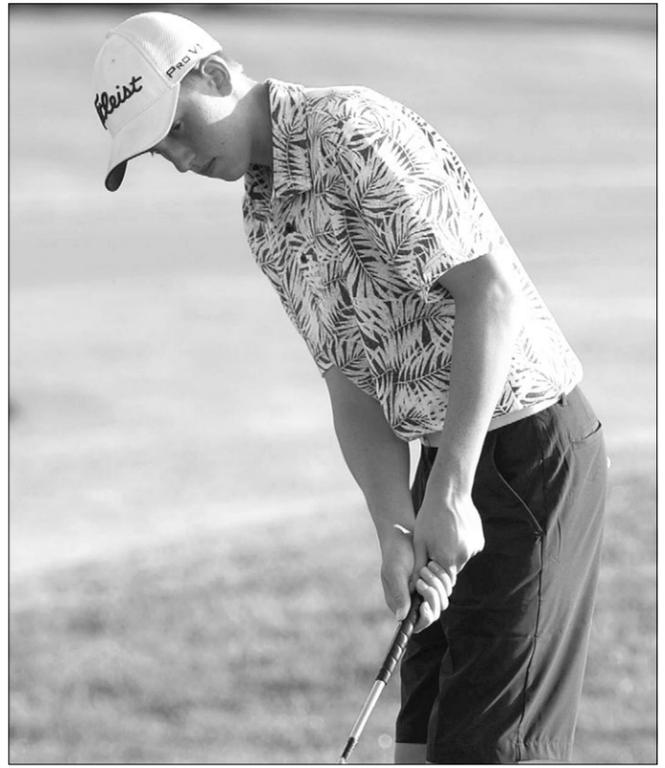
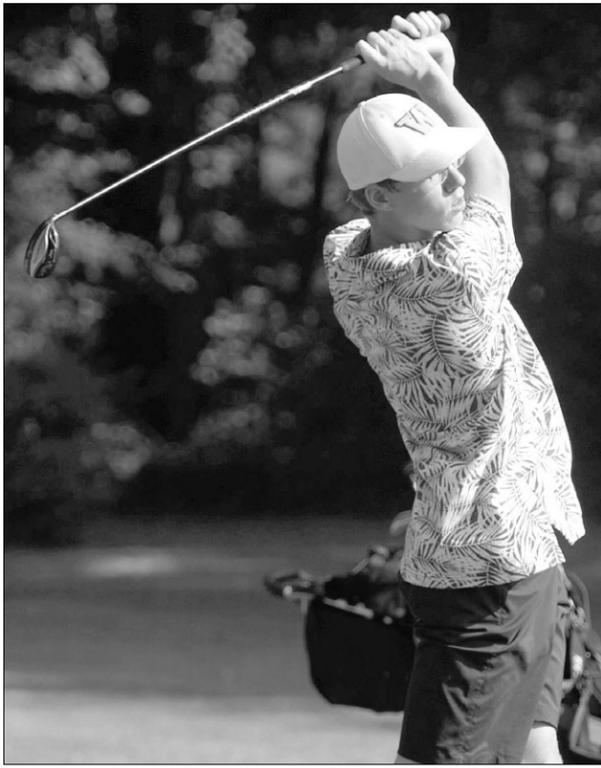
Senior Danny Greenhill, who was NBC Player of the Year as a sophomore and runner-up the last two years, shot 44-38—82 for the Wildcats.

"We had a rough go in the last shootout and the tournament, but hey, we got a championship and Danny had a great season. He started out really hot the first couple weeks of the season, then I don't know what happened — he kind of struggled a little bit at times, but kept his composure. He was player of the Year two years ago and two years as runner-up, so he had a pretty good career, too," Jimison said.

"The first tournament I hosted at Green Hills on the first day of the season, he shot a 69. He can go low there. It's a mentally-tough course," Jimison added, noting that Greenhill's score was 13 strokes higher in the league tournament than the season-opener at the same course. Jimison added that anything can happen on the golf course in any given day.

"You never know — it could be the wind direction, or they didn't mow because something broke down, and stuff like that," Jimison said.

Jimison said Greenhill is looking at college options and will continue playing in American Junior Golf Association Tournaments once his high school career



At far left, Woodmore golfer Aaron Miller and at right is senior golfer Danny Greenhill. (Photos by Lifetouch courtesy Woodmore Schools)

is over.

"He wants to continue playing after his high school career, but we have a few big tournaments coming up yet," Jimison said. "We have the Ottawa County — that is always big for me, you know. That was always big back in the day — you had the league championship, the Ottawa County and then the sectional and districts. We're going to go play Mohawk in the Van Buren Tournament and then we'll play Sawmill Creek in the Edison tournament, so we have some big ones coming up yet — some good competition."

### 'Cats dominate shootouts

In league play, Genoa senior Tommy Giles, the NBC POY the last two seasons, averaged 37.5 points per nine holes and he is joined on the first team by his teammate, Joey Large (42.4). Greenhill averaged 38.6, and the first team is rounded out by

Lake's Ben Luoma (41.5) and Eastwood's Zach Buehler (43.3). First and second team selections are determined by accumulated points in league shootouts, not on scoring averages.

Local second team selections include Woodmore's Aaron Miller (41.5), Genoa's Jake Ewerson (42.2) and Eastwood's Adam Graber (42.8) and Tristan Schuerman (44.2).

Earning honorable mention honors are Woodmore's Ian Jacobson (44.0), Duane Perkins (45.3) and Landon Emch (46.1), Genoa's John Huston (47.5), Eastwood's Trent Marten (46.9) and Lake's Aaron Lockname (47.2).

Woodmore won the first shootout at Sugar Creek Golf Course in Elmore, scoring 166 to beat second place Genoa (174), Greenhill was medalist, shooting a 36, and he was followed by teammates Jacobson (42), Miller (42), Emch (49) and Perkins (46).

The Wildcats won the second shootout

at Crosswinds Golf Course in Perrysburg Township, shooting 157 to defeat the second place Comets (161). Giles was medalist, shooting a 37, but for the Wildcats, Greenhill shot 38, Jacobson 39, Miller and Perkins both shot 40 and Emch shot 45.

The third shootout, at Hidden Hills Golf Course outside Woodville, was also narrowly won by Woodmore, 158-160, over the Comets. Greenhill was medalist with a 34, followed by Miller (40), Perkins (41), Jacobson (43), and Emch (43).

Eastwood won the final shootout at Stone Ridge Golf Course in Bowling Green, scoring a 176 to defeat Genoa (181) and Woodmore (185). Giles was medalist, shooting a 39.

For the Eagles, Buehler shot 43, Graber and Schuerman both shot 44, Marten shot 47 and Ethan Edelbrock shot 49.



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<b>Eastwood @ Lake*</b>	Eastwood	Eastwood	Eastwood	Eastwood	Eastwood	Eastwood	Eastwood
<b>Genoa @ Fostoria</b>	Genoa	Genoa	Genoa	Genoa	Genoa	Fostoria	Genoa
<b>Woodmore @ Elmwood</b>	Elmwood	Elmwood	Elmwood	Elmwood	Elmwood	Elmwood	Elmwood
<b>Clay @ Findlay</b>	Findlay	Findlay	Findlay	Findlay	Findlay	Findlay	Findlay
<b>Northwood @ Edon</b>	Northwood	Northwood	Northwood	Northwood	Northwood	Northwood	Northwood
<b>Cardinal Stritch @ Hilltop</b>	Stritch	Stritch	Stritch	Stritch	Stritch	Stritch	Stritch
<b>Oak Harbor @ Willard</b>	Oak Harbor	Oak Harbor	Oak Harbor	Oak Harbor	Oak Harbor	Oak Harbor	Oak Harbor
<b>Fremont St. Joseph @ Gibsonburg</b>	Gibsonburg	Gibsonburg	Gibsonburg	Gibsonburg	Gibsonburg	Gibsonburg	Gibsonburg
<b>Washington @ Cleveland</b>	Washington	Washington	Washington	Cleveland	Cleveland	Washington	Washington
<b>Detroit @ Arizona</b>	Arizona	Arizona	Arizona	Detroit	Arizona	Arizona	Arizona



### PREP GRID RECORDS

(After Week 3)

Team	Overall	PF	PA
Northwood (2-0, TAAC)	3-0	129	36
Eastwood (2-1, NBC)	2-1	94	30
Genoa (2-1, NBC)	2-1	41	52
Cardinal Stritch (1-1, TAAC)	2-1	83	63
Oak Harbor (1-1, SBC Bay)	1-2	58	49
Lake (1-2, NBC)	1-2	75	62
Gibsonburg (0-2, SBC River)	0-3	63	100
Clay (0-3, TRAC)	0-3	38	70
Woodmore (0-3, NBC)	0-3	23	93

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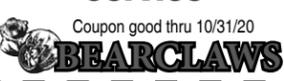
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Kallie Seimet (File photo courtesy BGSU Athletics)

## Seimet top 20 'fan favorite'

Bowling Green State University is asking its fans to vote for their favorite student-athletes of the past 20 years.

Throughout the month of September, the athletic department will reveal one selection at a time each weekday over a five-week stretch. BGSU highlighted the fan's No. 20 choice, volleyball player Kallie Seimet (Clay), who played from 2015-18.

A record-setting libero and an enthusiastic leader, no one in volleyball had an infectious smile quite like the 5-foot-8 Seimet.

Seimet became BGSU's all-time leader in digs with 2,365 in 2018, as she went on to become the first player in Mid-American Conference history to be named back-to-back MAC Player of the Year and MAC Defensive Player of the Year.

This came a year after becoming the first libero in league history to win MAC Player of the Year in 2017, during which she set multiple BGSU program records, including most digs in a match (45), most digs in a season (790), best digs per set average (6.81), and most MAC Player of the Week awards by a single player in a single season (seven). Her digs per set average of 6.81 was tops in the nation, with her 790 total digs being good for second.

Seimet also led BGSU in digs during her freshman campaign in 2015, recording 491 overall on the season, with an average of 4.38 digs per set.

She was also named to the Academic All-MAC Team in 2017 and 2018. During the offseason as a youth, she played for Premier Volleyball Academy.

At Clay, she led the Eagles to a second place finish in the Three Rivers Athletic Conference in 2014. She received first team all-district and all-league honors in 2014, was named second team all-district and second team all-league as a junior and guided Premier Volleyball Club to a second place finish in the 2014 AAU Tournament. She is the daughter of Kurt and Kathy Seimet.

### 'Cats Perry first team

In Northern Buckeye Conference girls golf, Rossford won the league championship with 48 points, followed by Otsego (37), Elmwood (35), Lake (34), Eastwood (24) and Woodmore and Genoa tied for sixth place with 16 points each.



Woodmore golfer Macy Perry was a first team All-NBC selection, averaging 50.2 strokes per nine holes. Rossford golfer Alyssa Haynes, who averaged 44.6, was the NBC Golfer of the Year.

Second team selections were Eastwood's Mariah Hahn (54.4), Lake's Olivia Feather (52.5) and Jewell Collins (56.6), and Genoa's Lily Schwalbe (52.7).

Honorable mention selections included Lake golfers Morgan Feather (56.4) and Kenzie Jackson (57.0).

### Monthly matches return

The Civilian Marksmanship Program's (CMP) Monthly Air Gun Matches have returned to the CMP schedule in September, with new safety procedures in place.

Each of the Monthly Matches will be held at the Gary Anderson CMP Competition Center in Port Clinton, which features 80-point ranges filled with CMP's own electronic targets.

During the Monthly Matches, competitors have the opportunity to be ranked amongst other match participants from across the country. Events set to be fired include a Junior 3x20 Match and 60 Shot Air Rifle Standing and 60 Shot Air Pistol events.

Monthly Matches remaining for 2020:

- Oct. 10, 2020
- Nov. 14, 2020

Registration for the 3x20 and 60 shot events will each be limited to 50 competitors (2 relays of 25 athletes). Walk-up entrants will be highly limited and are not guaranteed a spot on the firing line.

Participants are required to prepay for all events. Athlete check-in will be held outside of the facility and participants will not be permitted within the building until their relay is called, via text. Changing areas, classrooms, common areas and drinking fountains will be closed. Restrooms will also be limited.

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**Phillip P. Watkins**  
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Join us for a memorial tribute for Phillip P. Watkins at Sunrise Park & Banquet Center, Millbury, Ohio. Family and friends are invited on Friday, September 25th from 4pm - 8pm for fond memories and dinner. Hope to see you there! Face masks will be required to enter.

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### 70th Wedding Anniversary

**Jerry & Delores Beck**  
September 23, 1950

Congratulations to Jerry & Delores who will celebrate their wedding anniversary on September 23, 2020. They are the proud of their children; Rick, Tom, Cindy and Lisa and grandchildren; Carrie, Andy and Eric and also great-grandchildren; Gavin, Hayden & Ethan.

# Gibsonburg's refocused Mintz takes checkered flag

By Brian Liskai  
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A few weeks ago, Gibsonburg's Craig Mintz was down on himself.

He had crashed at Attica Raceway Park and decided to take some time away from racing to clear his mind and get refocused.

It paid off Friday, Sept. 11 as the two-time Attica track champion took the lead with just six laps to go and survived a late race caution to score his first win of the season on Mark Keegan Classic Season Championship Night.

"We haven't won in a couple of years and I can't tell you the last time we won at Attica. We have been struggling. And it's not my guys...it's me mentally. Some nights I'm not here mentally. Tonight we had a pretty good night overall. It was fun racing with Travis (Philo) and Cale (Conley) at the end. My wife is probably mad because she wasn't here but I love her and my son and daughter. I have to thank my dad and Rich and we threw a new guy on our team tonight...it's amazing to be here. To be honest with you this is a 2017 GF1 (chassis) so George Fisher must have been up there looking out after us," said Mintz beside his 09.

"There were nights I sat home on Fridays and Saturdays and barely could watch because I wanted to be here. But I knew for the best for the team was take some time off and go build another race car and have it set up the way we wanted and come back strong rather than keep banging your head against the wall," added Mintz about his 15th career Attica 410 victory.

Republic, Ohio's Cap Henry racked up his first ever Attica Raceway Park track championship with his sixth place finish in a season that saw him win seven features at the track.

"My visor got so fogged up I couldn't see those guys and I knew I should quit racing with Craig when I couldn't find him. I just kind of backed up to make sure we could finish that thing. I can't say enough about my team...it's a team effort and I'm just proud of these guys. It's incredible. We got really close last year and just couldn't do it so to seal it off this year...it's been



Gibsonburg's Craig Mintz (09) closed out the season by winning the AFCS 410 Sprints feature. (Photos by Rick Sherer)



a remarkable season. I haven't won a championship in anything since I was a little kid in go-karts," said Henry of his Lane Racing team.

Mansfield, Ohio's Matt Irey came into championship night just 16 points behind Devin Shiels. All Irey could do was win and hope Shiels finished worst than third. Irey did his part but so did Shiels. Irey took the lead with five laps to go and drove to his second late model victory of the season at Attica and the fifth of his career. Shiels held on to finish third and claim his second track title by just two points.

"This thing has been a rocket ship all year. We broke a motor last week and we



Craig Mintz

put the small motor in to come out tonight. I couldn't do this without all my family and my wife...I got married two weeks ago. We did everything we could...just came up a little bit short," said Irey beside his No. 36.

For Shiels, the pressure of having to finish in the top three to win the track title was pretty intense.

"I love double point nights...not. We blew the water pump off last week for our worst finish of the year. Luckily it wasn't a point night," said Shiels.

Fremont's Paul Weaver put an exclamation point on his phenomenal year in the Fremont Fence 305 Sprints, dominating the 25 lap feature for his seventh win of the year and 56th of his career in the division. It wrapped up his fourth track title in the last five years.

"I have to thank B&B Drains...Pam and Steve Brown came on board last year and Dave Rice and Bob Hampshire for helping get the motor going...that's the most expensive part. Anyone can buy a

race car but the motors are out priced basically," said Weaver of his No. 1W.

Travis Philo and Ricky Peterson brought the field to green for the 30-lap 410 sprint feature with Philo grabbing the lead over Peterson with Cale Conley, Mintz, Cap Henry and Tim Shaffer battling hard for third. Mintz drove into second on lap two and closed quickly on Philo.

While the battle for the lead was entertaining so was the race for third between Conley and Henry. At the half-way point the leaders were slicing and dicing through heavy lapped traffic and Conley capitalized, taking second from Mintz on lap 17 and closed on Philo. But Mintz regrouped and retook the runner-up spot on lap 20 and four laps later drove under Philo for the lead.

The only thing that slowed Mintz' march to the checkers was a caution with two laps to go. Mintz got a fantastic restart and drove away to the win over Conley who took second on the restart, Philo, Shaffer and Chad Kemenuh.

# Bradner's Dussel, Gibsonburg's Brubaker battle at Fremont

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Nate Dussel was feeling upset about his racing fortunes as of late. Then a phone call with long time sponsor and family friend Bill Berrier Saturday morning put things into perspective.

The Bradner driver used lapped traffic to take the lead in the Fort Ball Pizza Palace 410 Sprint feature on lap five and sliced through lapped traffic on Fremont Speedway Saturday, Sept. 12 to earn his second feature win of the season and the \$5,000 payday. Dussel had to fight off Gibsonburg driver Stuart Brubaker to win the race.

"I had a pretty tough conversation with Bill Berrier this morning...you know his wife is going through hell right now. I was pretty pissy about how we've been running and last night and I thought grow up dude there's people fighting way bigger fights than we're fighting. This is for Bill and Cathy...hope it lifts their spirits a little bit," said Dussel in Victory Lane.

Dussel and Duane Zablocki brought the field to green for the 30-lap 410 sprint feature with Zablocki grabbing the early lead over Dussel, Stuart Brubaker, D.J. Foos, Caleb Griffith, Cap Henry and Trey Jacobs.

The leaders raced into heavy lapped traffic by the fifth circuit and Dussel used it to grab the lead.

Dussel began to pull away, slicing through lapped traffic like a surgeon with



Brubaker taking second on lap 12 with Zablocki, Henry, TJ Michael, Dean Jacobs and Tim Shaffer in pursuit. The first race stoppage came on lap 20 when Caleb Griffith tumbled in turn two; he was okay. After allowing drivers to put on more helmet tear-offs, the race resumed but only for a lap when something broke on Trey Jacobs'

mount. On the restart Dussel pulled away again with Henry, Michael, Foos and Dean Jacobs giving chase.

Dussel hit his marks perfectly the remaining eight laps and drove to the win over Brubaker, Henry, Michael and Foos.

"First half of that race I was probably one of the few who could maneuver. That

last nine laps I couldn't stop plowing and I thought man I'm going to give Stewie (Stuart Brubaker) this win. I would go through two tear-offs in one corner and I thought man that doesn't add up for 30 laps...I'm going to be out of tear-offs. I fell in line here and there but took my chances when I had to," said Dussel beside his No. 1.

Nate Dussel (1) and Gibsonburg-Helena area native Stuart Brubaker (35) battle for the lead with Dussel motoring away to win the AFCS 410 Sprints feature and \$5,000 at Fremont Speedway. Brubaker was second. (Photo by Rick Sherer)

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# Bulletin Board

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## Toledo

**God's Instruments Food Pantry** is open the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month, 10 a.m.-noon, 1705 Tracy St. between Oakdale Street and Andrus Road. ID and proof of residence required. Masks required. Open residents of Toledo, Northwood and Rossford.

**Vendors Wanted** for the East Toledo/Oregon Kiwanis Club Craft Show & Independent Sales Fair, Oct. 3, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m., Oregon Senior Center parking lot. \$30/space (a space will be a parking space. Rain date is Oct. 10. Contact Cathy King at [cking@crogan.com](mailto:cking@crogan.com) or 419-262-2325.

**Waite High School Class of 1951** meets the 2nd Mon. of every month. For info, call Betty at 419-691-7944 or Fran at 419-693-6060.

**Waite High School Class of 1955** meets the 2nd Tues. of each month. For more info, contact Ned at 419-893-4336.

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**Oregon Democratic Club** meets the first Thurs. of the month at 8 pm. The club normally meets at Firehouse #1 at the corner of Wynn and Seaman roads, however due to COVID restrictions, meetings are held via conference call/Zoom. Visit [www.oregondemocraticclub.org](http://www.oregondemocraticclub.org) for meeting information and details. The next meeting will be held Oct. 1.

**Rib Dinner & Karaoke**, Sept. 19, VFW 9816, 1802 Ashcroft. Dinner is \$10 and is available at 4:30 p.m. Karaoke from 6:30-10:30 p.m. Euchre played Sundays at 2 p.m.

**East Toledo/Oregon Kiwanis** meet the 2nd and 4th Mon. of each month at noon at The American Family Table, 846 S Wheeling St.

**Oregon Senior Center** is available for transportation, grab-and-go meals and essential services. Call 419-698-7078 for more details.

**Oregon-Jerusalem Historical Society**, Historic Brandville School, located at 1133 Grasser St. remains closed for open-hour tours due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The September Tea has been postponed. OJHS encourages the community to visit its newly created website, [ojhs.org](http://ojhs.org), for information on upcoming, socially distanced events and for historical information on Oregon and Jerusalem Township.

**Oregon Fire & Rescue Museum** is located at 4350 Navarre Ave. For private tours contact Mike Snyder at 419-297-2383.

**Food for Thought Food Pantry** at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Coy Road and Navarre Avenue, is open the 2nd Tuesday of the month from 3-5 p.m.

**Oregon Republican Club** meets the 1st Thurs. of the month at the Oregon Senior Center, 4350 Navarre Ave. Visit [www.OregonRepublicanClub.com](http://www.OregonRepublicanClub.com) or contact Lynn Gibbs at [lynlin3215@gmail.com](mailto:lynlin3215@gmail.com) for info.

**Ashland Church Food Pantry**, 2350 Starr Ave., open the last Saturday of the month from 1-2:30 p.m. ID required.

**Celebrate Recovery**, a 12-step, Christian-based recovery program to help anyone overcome addictions, anxiety, depression, grief, and co-dependency, meets Wed. from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at Intersection Church (formerly Heritage Christian Church), 1640 S. Coy Rd. Everyone welcome; free. Call 419-389-3299 for info.

**Christ Dunberger American Legion Post 537** hall at 4925 Pickle Rd. is available for rentals and accommodates up to 145 people. Call 419-704-5381 for details.

**Quilts of Compassion** seeks quilters to help make quilts for local charities, hospitals and disaster victims. No experience required. The group meets the last Wed. each month 1-3 p.m. at Faith United Methodist Church, 3415 Starr Ave. Call Flo at 419-693-3766.

## Northwood

**Northwood Neighborhood Block Watch Monthly Meeting** Sept 16, 6:30 p.m. Meet behind the fire station at 2100 Tracy Rd., weather permitting. Please wear a mask, bring your own chair and get to know your neighbors. Discuss safety and receive police/fire stats updates. Follow the group on Facebook for further updates throughout the month.

**Northwood Food Distribution**, Sept. 30, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. outside of the Josie Reinhart Community Room located at 6000 Wales Rd. Please remain in your vehicle and a City representative will bring the box of food to your vehicle.

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**Men's Prayer Breakfast**, every 3rd Sat. each month at 9 a.m. at Northwood Church of God, Coy and Curtice roads. For info, call 419-693-0260.

## Jerusalem Twp.

**Board of Trustees** meets the 2nd and 4th Tues. of the month at 7 p.m. Due to the coronavirus, the board is meeting via Zoom. The public is welcome to join in the meeting by call-in or video conference. The meeting phone number and link are

available on the Jerusalem Township website at: <https://twp.jerusalem.oh.us/trustees/>.

**Jerusalem Twp. Food Pantry**, open 2nd Wed. of every month, 9-11 a.m. at the township hall, 9501 Jerusalem Rd.

## Elmore

**Harris-Elmore Public Library** is open to the public with enhanced health and safety measures in place. Hours are Mon. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Tues. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Weds. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Thurs. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Fri. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Closed Sunday. Curbside service is still being offered for patrons who feel uncomfortable going into the library or for those who are unable to wear face coverings. The outside table is gone, but patrons may still call the library; use the online chat feature or fill out the curbside services online form ([www.harriselmorelibrary.org/curb-side-service](http://www.harriselmorelibrary.org/curb-side-service)). Requested items will be delivered to patrons' vehicles in the parking lot. Call 419-862-2482 visit [www.harriselmorelibrary.org](http://www.harriselmorelibrary.org) for details.

**Elmore Conservation Club Trap Shooting** every Wed. from 4-7 p.m. (weather permitting). Call 419-392-1112 for info.

## Genoa

**Genoa Branch Library** is open to the public with enhanced health and safety measures. Hours are Mon. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Tues. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Weds. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Thurs. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Fri. 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Closed Sun. Curbside service is still being offered for patrons who feel uncomfortable going into the library or for those who are unable to wear face coverings. The outside table is gone, but patrons may still call the library, use the online chat feature or fill out the curbside services online form ([www.harriselmorelibrary.org/curb-side-service](http://www.harriselmorelibrary.org/curb-side-service)). Requested items will be delivered to patrons' vehicles in the parking lot. Call 419-855-3380 or visit [www.harriselmorelibrary.org](http://www.harriselmorelibrary.org) for details.

**Al-Anon Family Group**, Genoa Giving and Getting, is meeting electronically Mondays at 8 p.m. Meetings are typically held at Genoa Christian Church, 415 Main St.

**Genoa Community Food Pantry** is open the 3rd Sat. each month 10 a.m.-noon at Christ Community Church, 303 W. 4th St. Serving Genoa School District residents. ID and billing address within the district required. For more info, call 419-341-0913.

## Gibsonburg

**Gibsonburg Branch Library** is offering a variety of programming. All programs are free, but some require registration. Programs include Virtual Adult Book Discussion, Sept., 28, 7 p.m. - Join the discussion of "Thunder Dog: The True Story of a Blind Man, His Guide Dog and the Triumph of Trust at Ground Zero," by Michael Hingson; First Chapter Fridays in September at 6 p.m. - Listen to the first chapter of a different children's book each Friday on Facebook. Register at [www.birchard.org](http://www.birchard.org).

## Graytown

**Zion UMC**, 18045 W. William St., Elliston-Trowbridge Rd. - LIGHT pantry open to residents of Ottawa County who struggle with food or financial insecurity the 2nd Wed. each month from 5-7 p.m.

## Luckey

**Luckey Food Pantry** is open the last Wednesday of each month from 1-3 p.m. and the last Thursday each month from 6-8 p.m. at 247 Oak St. in the former Loft Youth Center (behind the post office). Open to families residing in the Eastwood School District.

## Oak Harbor

**Open House**, Sept. 20, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Oak Harbor Conservation Club, 975 Gordon Rd. Emergency agencies will be present with rescue demonstrations, equipment, and activities. Chicken dinners will be available for carryout. Sponsored by the Oak Harbor Conservation Club.

**Oak Harbor Public Library**, 147 W. Main St., is open Mon., Wed. and Fri. from 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Tues. and Thurs. from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. and Sat. from 9 a.m.-noon. Patrons are asked to wear a mask. Children 15 and younger must be accompanied by an adult. The Local History Museum Center is open Tues. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. and Thurs. by appointment only 10 a.m.-noon. Visit the library on Facebook or YouTube for children's activities, local history, crafting projects, book news and more. Evening Book Club will discuss "J. Woodson's 'Red at the Bone,'" Sept. 25 at 6 p.m. at Veteran's Park Shelterhouse or via Zoom; Call 419-898-7001 for details.

**St. Boniface Sunday Night Bingo**, 215 Oak St. Doors open at 4 p.m. Early bird begins at 5:30 p.m. Main bingo starts at 6 p.m. Social distancing and masks required. Only snacks will be available for sale.

**Oak Harbor Alliance Chapel Food Pantry**, 11805 SR 105, will continue to provide food supplies to anyone in need by appointment only. Call 419-343-0126 for info or to make an appointment.

## Pemberville

**Community Food Pantry at Bethlehem Lutheran Church**, 220 Cedar St., is open every Tues. from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. and the 2nd and last Sat. of the month from 8-11 a.m. Eastwood School District residents may visit the pantry once monthly. ID and proof of residency required. Info available at Pemberville churches

## Port Clinton

**St. John Lutheran Church Fall Festival**, set for Oct. 17, has been canceled due to COVID-19 and

anticipated guidelines for social distancing. Plans are to resume the festival in 2021.

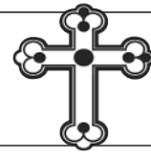
## Stony Ridge

**Stony Ridge Civic Association** meets the 3rd Wed. of the month at 6 p.m. at the Stony Ridge Library. Visit [stonyridgepark.com](http://stonyridgepark.com) for more details. **Shared Bounty Thrift Shop** is closed until further notice.

## Walbridge

**Walbridge Branch Library**, 108 N. Main St. is currently open Tues. 11 a.m.-3 p.m.; Weds. 3-7 p.m.; Fri. 1-5 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. The first hour of each open day is reserved for those age 60 and older and those who are immunocompromised. Closed Sun., Mon. and Thurs. Curbside pickup is available Mon.-Thurs. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. For safety measures and restrictions in place, visit [wcdpl.org/Phased\\_Reopening\\_Information](http://wcdpl.org/Phased_Reopening_Information). Call 419-666-9900 for info.

**Support Group for Families and Friends who are Dealing with a Loved One's Heroin/Opiate Addiction** meets Mondays 6:30-8 p.m. in the Municipal Building, 705 N. Main St. Sponsored by Mainstreet Church. For info, call 419-838-7600.



## The Press Church Worship Guide

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### Northwood

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419-836-8986

Fellowship Breakfast/Learning: 9:15am  
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Pastor Robert Noble



Seventh-day  
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2975 Eastpointe Blvd.  
NorthwoodAdventist.org  
Saturday Worship: 11:00am  
Thursday Bible Study: 7:00pm

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[ashlandchurch.com](http://ashlandchurch.com)

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### Oak Harbor

**St. Boniface Catholic Church**   
215 Church St. Oak Harbor  
Masses - Saturday 4:30 pm  
Sunday 8:30 am  
[www.sb-oh.org](http://www.sb-oh.org)

### Walbridge

**ST. JEROME CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Weekend Masses  
Saturday Vigil: 4:30pm  
Sunday: 8am & 10am

300 Warner St., Walbridge  
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### Woodville

**Solomon Lutheran Church and School**  
305 W. Main St. 419-849-3600  
Sunday Worship:  
8am & 10:30am  
Recovery Worship Thurs. 6:30-7:30 pm  
Pastor Alan Brown  
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### Genoa

**st. john's church**

10:00am Sunday Worship  
Sunday School begins  
October 4th at 9am

1213 Washington St.  
419-855-3906

[www.stjohnsgenoa.org](http://www.stjohnsgenoa.org)

**Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church**

204 Main St., Genoa, OH  
Masses-  
Saturday 6:30 pm  
Sunday 10:30 pm  
[www.ourladygenoa.org](http://www.ourladygenoa.org)

**Trinity United Methodist**

Main at 4th, Genoa  
Sunday School 9:15 am  
Worship 10:30 am  
Ramp & Elevator  
Pastor Greg Miller  
[www.genoatrinity.com](http://www.genoatrinity.com)

### Toledo



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### First St. John Lutheran Church

2471 Seaman St. 691-7222 or 691-9524  
Sunday Services:  
9:00 am  
Masks Required  
Jerald Rayl, Pastor  
[www.firststjohn.com](http://www.firststjohn.com)

### Lake Twp.

**ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
26535 Pemberville Rd.  
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Perrysburg, OH  
(Lake Township)  
Phone: 419-837-5023  
[www.zionlatcha.com](http://www.zionlatcha.com)

Drive-In  
Worship Service @ 9:15 am  
Rain or Shine.  
"God's Work, Our Hands"  
ELCA

### Elmore

**Trinity Lutheran Church**

412 Fremont St.  
419-862-3461

Stephen Lutz, Pastor

Worship 8 am - 10:45 am  
Sunday School - 9:30 am

**Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church**

Rt. 51 at Witty Rd., Just north of Elmore

Sunday Worship-10:00am  
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your radio to 94.1 FM  
Pastor Jaci Tiell  
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## Inspirational Message of the Week: Avoiding Strife

There are walks of life where one is required to argue. Lawyers, politicians and teachers are frequently in positions where they must argue persuasively for one position or another. That is part and parcel of their job, and arguing serves. The valuable service of allowing the truth to stand out in contrast to error or ignorance. In many areas of life, however, arguing serves no useful purpose and just creates needless strife and division. When people are making casual conversation it is easy to find things to disagree with, but such disagreements rarely foster peace and harmony. It is tedious to be around someone who is always correcting us. With family, friends, and co-workers it is usually better to find areas of

mutual agreement rather than disagreement. And even when there is disagreement, sometimes the way to resolve the issue is to start with what you agree on and see if you can move on from there. When we must argue, it can usually be done calmly and with civility. Sometimes we find ourselves drifting into argument without realizing how this even happened. Someone may have said something that we feel must be challenged. As the discussion turns from mild difference of opinion to angry disagreement, our tempers flare and we often say things we will regret. "It is to one's honor to avoid strife, but every fool is quick to quarrel."

—Proverbs 20:3 NIV

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- 3131 129TH, POINT PLACE \$67,000
- 1500 WEST ST., GENOA \$124,900
- 4719 CORDUROY RD., OREGON ACREAGE ~ REDUCED \$79,900

### PENDING:

- 1820 BOND ST., TOLEDO
- 2003 IDAHO ST., TOLEDO
- 717 GLENWOOD, ROSSFORD

### SOLD:

- 24046 LUCKEY RD., PERRYSBURG
- 32 N. YARROW, OREGON
- 3417 DOUGLAS RD., TOLEDO
- 1507 MILLBURY, NORTHWOOD
- 0 PLUMEY RD., NORTHWOOD
- 3137 GLENCAIRN, TOLEDO
- 2493 ST RT 590, GRAYTOWN
- 831 COLLEGE, WOODVILLE
- 15115 PORTAGE RIVER, ELMORE
- 1508 REMINGTON, TOLEDO
- 5715 ROAN RD., SYLVANIA
- 9350 JERUSALEM, CURTICE
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Sept. 26 10am-2pm  
520 Nissen Rd. Genoa, OH 43430  
4beds, 2.5 baths, 2981 sqft, Brick Ranch, Full basement, 4210sqft barn/shop \$379,900  
**PENDING:** 20916 Blausey Lane, Genoa, OH  
**SOLD:** 835 N. 5th St. Fremont, OH 221 Morgan St. Northwood, OH 308 Buckeye St. Genoa, OH

## 10 Homes For Sale

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- 4211 Woodville Rd. Northwood \*\*\*New Price \$119,000\*\*\* 6000 Sq. Ft. of prime commercial real estate! High traffic area with tons of potential!

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- SR. 20 @ Dutch. Woodville, OH 1.42 Acre Commercial lot
- 0 SR 20 Woodville, OH 3.06 Acre Commercial lot

- PENDING SALES!**
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  - 16020 W. Portage River S. Rd. Elmore 11103 Dyke Rd. Curtice, OH
  - 600 Pemberville Rd. Woodville, OH
  - 827 W. College Ave. Woodville, OH
  - 416 E. Union St. Walbridge, OH
  - 7051 Short Rd. Curtice, OH
  - 301 Hawthorne Ln. Rossford, OH
  - 3116 Cindy Dr. Oregon, OH
  - 18485 W SR 163 Elmore, OH
  - 10307 Belmont Meadows Perrysburg, OH
  - 17749 W. Riverside Dr. Elmore, OH
  - 6940 CR 107 Gibsonburg, OH
  - 0 S. N. Curtice Rd. Curtice, OH

- SOLD SOLD SOLD**  
All in the past month!
- 5630 Yarmouth Ave. Toledo, OH
  - 203 Perry St. Walbridge, OH
  - 734 Champagne Bowling Green, OH
  - 2413 CR 62 Gibsonburg, OH
  - 7536 Nordic Way Ct. Maumee, OH
  - 213 Portage St. Woodville, OH
  - 405 Huron St. Elmore, OH
  - 305 College Ave. Woodville, OH
  - 1215 Eastland Dr. Oregon, OH
  - 19035 W. Orchard Dr. Elmore, OH
  - 106 N. Cherry St. Woodville, OH
  - 20100 W. Portage River S. Rd. Woodville
  - 533 Niagara Ave. Holland, OH
  - 419 Dexter St. Toledo, OH
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OREGON- For Rent or Sale  
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## 80 Help Wanted

**Assistant Manager for cleaning company in Genoa, Ohio needed.** Part-time 12-20 hours per week. \$13.50 - \$15 per hour to start. Must have management experience, clear background and reliable transportation. Call Mon-Fri between 8-4pm. 419-261-6094

**Cleaners Needed** at Turnpike Plaza in Genoa, Part-time & full time shifts, including weekends. Starting wage \$9.00/hr. More for shift differential. Must have clean background and reliable transportation. Call 419-261-6094 Mon-Fri between 9am-4pm.

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**STNA**  
**\$3,000 sign on bonus available**

Fax resume to 419-637-2555 or send email to hkrotzer@windsorlanehome.com or stop in at address below.

**WL** 355 Windsor Lane  
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**Windsor Lane Health Care is seeking good candidates to join our team as a**

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Responsible to manage recruitment of department personnel, scheduling, ordering raw food, supplies, and otherwise manage the functions of the Dietary Department. This is a full time salaried position.

Apply in person or submit resume to:

**WL** 355 Windsor Lane  
Gibsonburg, Ohio 43431  
419-637-2104 • 419-637-2555 (fax)

**THE VILLAGE OF WOODVILLE IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION OF PART-TIME (20-25 hrs weekly) UTILITIES BILLING CLERK**

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**Qualifications:** Proficiency in Microsoft Office, particularly Excel, Outlook and Word; general accounting, billing, and computer experience preferred, or an equivalent combination of training, education, or experience which provides the desired knowledge, skills, and abilities to perform the essential functions of the position. Candidates should be organized and detail oriented.

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**Applications accepted until 3:00pm October 5, 2020.**

**Qualified applicants should send application to the Village of Woodville, P.O. Box 156, Woodville, OH 43469**  
Attention: Barb Runion or email to clerk@woodville.net.

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If interested please apply in person to: Genoa Mini Mart, 22210 W. State Route 51, Genoa, Ohio 43430

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**Windsor Lane Health Care is seeking applications for the following positions**



**RN • LPN**  
**\$15,000 sign on bonus**

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NORTHWOOD

**205 Craft Sales**

**VENDORS WANTED!**  
East Toledo-Oregon  
**Kiwanis Club Craft Show & Independent Sales Fair**  
Sat. Oct. 3, 2020 (9:30am-3pm)  
Oregon Senior Center  
\$30/parking space (outdoor event)  
Rain date: Oct. 10 (9:30am-3pm)  
Contact Cathy King @  
cking@croghan.com  
or 419-262-2325

**215 Estate Sales**

**LUCKEY 346 Wayne St. GREAT SALE!**  
Thurs. Sept. 24 8am - 6pm  
Fri. Sept. 25 8am - 4pm  
Sat. Sept. 26 8am - 4pm  
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**PUBLIC AUCTION**

**WHEN: Saturday, September 26, 2020 10:00 A.M. Household**  
For: Estate of Melvin Brough (Lori Johnson, Owner)

**WHERE: 3910 CR 106, Oak Harbor, OH 43449**

**BOAT:** 1994 Bayliner Classic 22' 4.3 V6 in-board, out-board w/Mercruiser outdrive (newer tarp) & 2-wheeled trailer

**ANTIQUES:** Oak corner cabinet w/glass upper doors, mantle clocks, old chandelier w/prisms, old leaf table, rod iron baby bed, 10 wooden chairs, Mother's Day plates, old figurines, dresser w/handkerchief drawers, cedar chest, oak what-not shelves, 2 wooden rockers, camel back trunk, oak full bed, oak dresser w/mirror, dresser w/mirror, vanity dresser w/chair, oak cabinet w/glass upper doors, enamel ware, lamps, German, Hall, tea leaf designed set of dishes, milk glass, Fenton glassware, salt & pepper shakers, wash board, Fenton chickens, oil lamps, Hall glass, buffet, wooden rocker, crocks

**HOUSEHOLD:** Whirlpool side-by-side refrigerator w/ice maker, Frigidaire electric range, Whirlpool electric dryer, oak kitchen table w/four chairs, TV stand, pots and pans, red lift chair, blue stuffed chair, 2 twin beds, knee hole desk, quilts, upright sweepers, afghans, pictures & frames, 3 tall-boy dressers, queen sized water bed w/drawers underneath, 2 small flat screen TVs, 1 large flat screen TV, full-sized bed & dresser, 4 wooden shelves w/glass doors, round end lamp table, sewing desk w/Singer sewing machine in it, typing table, small kid's organ, folding table, 3X clothes (pants & shirts w/tags on), games, puzzles, toys, cabbage patch dolls, VCRs & DVDs of movies, 2 roasters, York AM-FM cassette player, wooden magazine rack, many other misc. items

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**Real Estate:** Oct. 6th @ 5:07 pm (LIVE & SIMULCAST)

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**Open Viewing:** Mon. Sept. 21 (5 to 6:30 pm)

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The Village of Elmore will be accepting resumes for the Zoning Commissioner position for the Village of Elmore until September 28th, 2020. The Zoning Commissioner is the main Administrative Office of the Zoning Ordinance. The complete job description with salary can be viewed on the Village website <http://village.elmore.oh.us/> or can be obtained during normal business hours at the Village Office.

Resumes can be mailed to:

**Village of Elmore, Attn: Zoning Commissioner, 344 Rice St., P.O. Box 3, Elmore, OH 43416 David Hower, Village Administrator, 419-862-2667**

**Notice of Sealed Bid Auction**

The Village of Elmore will be accepting sealed bids for approximately five cords of maple tree firewood located at the Elmore Sewage Treatment Plant, Merle Harder Blvd. The sealed bids will be received until September 28, 2020 at 1:00 pm whereas at such time they will be opened at the Elmore Village Town Hall, 344 Rice St. Minimum acceptable bid for the lot is \$350.00 and is being sold as is/ where is. Removal from the area is sole responsibility of the bid winner. Onsite inspection of the materials can be completed by contacting the Village Administrator at the numbers below. Forms can be obtained at the Village website <http://village.elmore.oh.us/> or during business hours at the Village Offices.

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**VILLAGE OF OAK HARBOR PUBLIC NOTICE**

**ORDINANCE NO. 9-2020**  
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO 10-2017 TO SET SALARIES AND COMPENSATION FOR EMPLOYEES FOR THE SECURITY OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY OF THE VILLAGE OF OAK HARBOR, OHIO

**ORDINANCE NO. 11 - 2020**  
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 03-2020 TO MAKE APPROPRIATIONS AND OTHER EXPENDITURES FOR THE VILLAGE OF OAK HARBOR, STATE OF OHIO, DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2020 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

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A RESOLUTION PURSUANT TO OHIO REVISED CODE SECTION 709.023 SETTING FORTH THE SERVICES PROVIDED TO ANNEXED TERRITORY ON OAK RIDGE DRIVE AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

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**Don Hoefft Auction September 26th @ 10:00 A.M. 520 Nissen Rd. Genoa, Ohio 43430**

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**Backhoe:** Ford, good rubber, w/24" & 18" buckets, forks, & homemade trash bucket.

**Jewelry:** Some 14k, many men's & ladies watch's, pocket watches, costume jewelry.

**Christmas:** Huge amount of Christmas (some new), Inflatable's (in the boxes), animated, new lights and lighted deer for the yard. Trees, wreaths, train, lg. mangers, Nut Cracker collection & Halloween holiday dec.,

**Household:** Electric stove, under counter micro wave, built in D. W., washer, dryer, refrig, upright freezer, kitchen items, misc. glass, Music cabinet, dining set w/china cabinet, side chairs, tables, vintage sofa & love seat, 50's bedroom furn., 3 drawer chest, chest of drawers, glass top tables, drop leaf table, cedar chest, sm. Showcase cab., wash stand w/rack,

**Misc:** Floor safe, misc. wood, window, doors, 5' French door, 1 piece shower, new toilet, dial scales, rolls of alum., 4x8 sheets of plywood, 1500 + brick & block, barn gates, old gas pump, yard cart, outdoor deer, rabbit cages, sand bags, misc pipe, ladder & roof jacks, ping pong table, old trophies, bird bath, huge amount of flower arrangements,

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**Owner: Don Hoefft**

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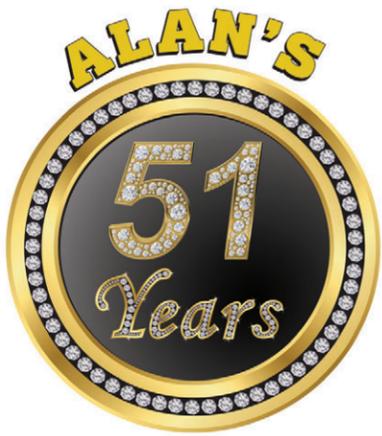
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