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Thought for the Week: Anything you're good at contributes to happiness. *Bertrand Russell*



LILLY REIGNS AS PIONEER

The 2000 Salamonie Summer Festival Samuel Jones Pioneer Award Winner is - Mrs. Lilly Nutter.

On hand Friday morning, June 30, 2000, were many local residents and one very surprised Lilly Nutter. The delicious meal at the Knight Civic Center was catered by Mike and Kim Nelson and Karen Herr.

David Daugherty, Master of Ceremonies (1997 winner), welcomed everyone bright and early at 7:30 a.m. Marilyn Morrison, Clerk-Treasurer, gave the invocation and Dr. J.B. Bennett (1995 winner) lead everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance. Clint Glessner, Chamber of Commerce president, also gave a short welcome before breakfast was served.

After breakfast, Rosemary Zeller (1992 winner) gave a few highlights of this year's festivities, Denny Stroud (1998 winner) read a history of Samuel Jones and Rosemary told of the purpose of the award.

Last year's winner, Forrest Pond and 1996 winner, James W. Mott, DDS then proceeded on with the actual presentation. Following is the transcript of their combined speech announcing Lilly: *While living in California and raising a family things were no different now than they were then. This person was very actively involved in making sure her family was being raised properly and they were active in community affairs such as little leagues and church youth groups. Does anyone in the room have a family of a daughter and two sons and lived in California?*

Lilly Nutter, would you please come forward to accept the year

of 2000 Samuel Jones Pioneer Award. Also, Betty and Neil would you please come and join your Mother in receiving this award.

These are a few of your accomplishments, Lilly, see if you agree with us. When your kids were growing up and in school, maybe 4th, 5th and 6th grades, you helped organize and sponsor baseball leagues. For example, one was called 'Cackle, Yak and Stitch' team. You were always letting your kids have tea parties and inviting friends over for tea and cookies. In fact, not to long ago when you went back to visit in California you shipped a tea set back and it had already arrived by the time you did for your 'tea parties'.

You were very active in the Dorkus Society of your Church and of which you were President for several years. At these meetings you would spend one day a week mending and making things to be sent to missions.

Your husband's family had homesteaded in Indiana, so when he retired from Marathon Oil you both came back to Indiana to live. After coming to Warren you were very active with your letter writing to help different things in town that were in trouble or trying to win awards for themselves. One of the things you were involved in was when the Warren Community and the Southern Wells School Community were awarded the Midland Community Spirit Award from Midland, Texas. You, as well as several other people, got on the bandwagon for the Warren community to win this award. This was a great honor for the people of Warren and the Knight Civic Center.

You have been involved with the Flower Show for the Festival for several years. Making things go well with it and being responsible for the people of the community having a spot to display their beautiful flowers. You also put a great effort out to make money for the Cancer Society selling Daffodils for a money making project they have.

When new people move into the Warren Community you and your friend Velma Lindstrom are one of the first people that these new people see at their front doors with a packet of information to

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ROYALTY NAMED

Nineteen beautiful young ladies participated in the Salamonie Summer Festival Queen, Jr. Miss and Princess competition on Monday evening at the United Methodist Memorial Home.

Organizers, Kelly Gray and Carly Souder, did a wonderful job and even though there could only be one winner in each age group, the girls were all fantastic.

The young ladies (and their parents) were left in suspense for the rest of the week until Friday evening after the parade awards were announced.

This year's SSF Queen is Miss Nicole Ackley (center), daughter of Mike and Cammy Ackley. She was sponsored by Citizen's Telephone Co. 1st Runner-up was Gretchen Brown, daughter of Ken-



neth and Pamela Brown, 2nd Runner-up was Crystal DeHaven, daughter of Jeff and Jill DeHaven. Erika Williams, daughter of Robert and Lisa Williams, was named Miss Congeniality by the girls and Diane Jacobs, daughter of Denise Jacobs and Jim Jacobs, also competed. Girls in this category were ages 13 to 19.

In the Junior Miss competition, Amanda Poulson, (left) daughter

of Ron and Rhonda Poulson, took top honors. She was sponsored by P.J's Flower & Gifts. Other contestants in the 9-12 age group were Ashley Hicks, daughter of Dave and Debbie Hicks; Haley Martin, daughter of Jim and Susan Martin; Amanda Nevius, daughter of Darlene and Jeff Wiley and Joe Nevius; Jenifer Schlotter,

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SALAMONIE SCHOOL SUPPLY LIST 2000-2001

Salamonie School teachers have prepared this list of supplies so that parents might take advantage of pre-school sales. Many items may be used more than one year. The bookstore will continue to stock several items needed as a convenience for students.

SUPPLIES NEEDED	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
8 X 10 1/2" wide lined paper (no spiral)				X	X	X	X	X	X
8 X 10 1/2" wide lined spiral notebook	X	X	X	X	X	X			
Crayons (box of 16)	X	X							
Crayons (box of 16 or more)			X	X	X	X			
Eraser	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Folder with pockets (No Trapper Keepers)	X	X	5	X	X	X			
Gym shoes - SEPARATE PAIR FOR GYM	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Kleenex - 2 boxes of 200			X	X	X	X	X		
Pencils (#2)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Pencils (colored)			X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Pointed Scissors		X	X	X	X	X			
Black shorts & Ash t-shirts*							X	X	X
School bag	X	X	X	X	X	X			
School box	X	X	X	X	X				
Trapper Keeper w/folders								X	
White liquid glue - large	X	X	X	X	X	X			
Empty 3-Ring Binder				X	X				
Calculator						X	X	X	X
Blank Cassette tape			X						
Glue Sticks	X		X	X					
Zip lock baggies - 1 quart size		X	X	X					
Modest 1 piece bathing suit - girls		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Swim trunks - boys (NO SPEEDO type)		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
1 pad Post-It-Notes (size optional)		X	X	X					
Ruler & Markers						X	X	X	X
Thesaurus		X				X			
Highlighter Markers (any color)				X					

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It is sent anywhere in the Continental United States for three (3) months for \$9.50, six (6) months for \$19 or \$38 for one year. Mail name, address, and payment to WARREN WEEKLY at: PO Box 695, Warren, IN 46792.
 Deadline for news and/or advertising is 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, for that week's edition. Call if you need something in but won't have it here on time.
 Leave news and/or advertising at P.J.'s Flower and Gift Shop or mail to P O Box 695, Warren. Van Buren residents may call Mary Jo Zoda at 765-934-3637.
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KUDOS, KICKS & KARATS

VAN BUREN TOWN RUMMAGE
 Mildred Lee and Darlene Rish want to thank the people who participated in the rummage.
 Thanks to those who paid their two-dollar fee. We were informed there were several who had rummages and didn't pay.
 We advertise the rummage and it costs around \$60.00 each year. Since some people chose not to pay we will not having anymore town rummages.
 When you don't collect enough to pay for the ads, I guess it's time to stop. We thought having a town rummage was nice.
 The rescue mission will pick up anything you wish to donate on July 14 at 9:30 a.m.
 George Brewer will open the conservation building the evening before too.

BILL OF RIGHTS: A CALL TO RESPONSIBILITY
 The first 10 amendments to the U.S. Constitution are known as the Bill of Rights. They guarantee, among other things, freedom of religion, of speech, of the press, and the right of the people peacefully to assemble and petition the government for a redress of grievances.
 Nowhere in the Constitution are the individual duties of citizens spelled out. In 1976, on the 200th anniversary of the birth of our nation, the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge, Penn., drafted the Bill of Responsibilities to fill that void. It carries no legal weight, but in defining the duties of citizens, it conveys a moral obligation that is undeniable.
 The bill calls on Americans to:
 1. Be fully responsible for their own actions and for the consequences of those actions.
 2. Respect the rights and beliefs of others.
 3. Give sympathy, understanding, and help to others.
 4. Do their best to meet their own and their families' needs.
 5. Respect and obey the laws.
 6. Respect the property of others, both private and public.
 7. Share with others our appreciation of the benefits and obligations of freedom.
 8. Participate constructively in the nation's political life.
 9. Help freedom survive by assuming personal responsibility for its defense.
 10. Respect the rights and meet the responsibilities on which our liberty and democracy depends.
 People often speak of their right to do something, but seldom do we hear the same people talking about their responsibilities.
 We should know what the responsibilities of a citizen are in a free society.

15 YEARS AGO - WEDNESDAY, JULY 3, 1985
 The Warren Volunteer Fire Department was called to a pick-up truck pulling a trailer, both loaded with household items. Several hundred dollars damage was reported.
 Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Galloway of Liberty Center had returned from 10 days in Greece, Israel and islands in the Aegean Sea.

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 Children's Church 10:30a.m.
 Youth Hours 6:00p.m.
 Evening Praise Hour 6:00p.m.
 Hour of Power (Wed) 7:00p.m.

CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 Van Buren, Indiana
 765-934-2199
 Todd Lamkin, Pastor
 Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:40 a.m.
 Bible Study, Monday 9:00 a.m.
 Bible Study, Wednesday 6:30 p.m.
 Youth Night, Thursday 7:30 p.m.

THE CHRISTIAN & MISSIONARY ALLIANCE — Majenica
 468-2160
 Rev. Kelly Wiley
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
 Wednesday Worship 6:00 p.m.

MT. ETNA UNITED METHODIST
 219/468-2148
 Rev. Tim Prowse - Pastor
 Worship 9:00 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

JEFFERSON CENTER UNITED METHODIST
 Corner of 900S & 300W
 Kathie Jones, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

WARREN UNITED METHODIST
 Rev. Mike Beall, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Handicap Accessible & Staff Nursery

WARREN CHURCH OF CHRIST
 375-3022
 Stephan Leininger, Pastor
 Kurt Hippensteel, Supt.
 Bible School 9:00 a.m.
 Worship & Communion 10:00 a.m.
 Youth Meetings (Aug-May) 5:30 p.m.
 Choir (Aug-May) 7:00 p.m.

DILLMAN UNITED BRETHREN
 8888S 1100W-90, Warren
 375-2779
 Lynn Mefford, Pastor
 Sun - People's Prayer Closet 8:15a.m.
 1st Worship Service ... 9:00 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 Youth Group 5:30p.m.
 Prayer Service 6:30p.m.
 Wed. Bible Study 9:00a.m.

McNATT UNITED METHODIST
 375-4359
 Bill VanHaften, Pastor
 B. Morton, Supt.
 Coffee Fellowship 8:30 a.m.
 Worship 9:15 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
 Bible Study - Wed. 7:00 p.m.

WARREN WESLEYAN CHURCH
 375-2330
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 Rev. Bill Barlow, Pastor
 Wesley Welch, Supt.
 Melissa Tejchma, Children's Ministry
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:15 a.m.
 Children's Church 10:15 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00p.m.
 Thursdays Bible Study 7:00p.m.

LIBERTY CENTER BAPTIST CHURCH
 694-6622
 Pastor Jeff McNicholas
 Sunday School 9:00 a.m.
 Fellowship 9:55a.m.
 Worship 10:15p.m.
 Mon. Bible Study (women) ... 9:00 a.m.
 Wed. Bible Study 6:30 p.m.

SALAMON CHURCH OF BRETHREN
 468-2412
 Mark S. Bendes, Pastor
 Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Church School 10:45a.m.

BUCKEYE CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 758-2085
 Nathan Doyle, Minister
 Sandy Keplinger, Supt.
 Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

BANQUO CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 8294S 900W 35
 Gary Riley, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Youth Choir Practice 5:00 p.m.
 Wed. Bible Study 6:30 p.m.
 Thurs. Kings Kids 6:30 p.m.
 BYG Youth Svc. (2&4Sun.) .. 6:00 p.m.
 CWF Ladies (3 Thu) Noon
 1st Sun. (Qtrly) Praise Hour.. 6:30 p.m.

LIBERTY CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Steve Bard, Pastor
 Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45 a.m.

HILLCREST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 375-2510
 Keith Bateman, Pastor
 Curtis Allen, Supt.
 Bus Service 375-2510
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
 Youth Group (Sun.) 6:00 p.m.
 Wed. Midweek Service 7:00 p.m.

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
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 Charles Dye, Jr., Pastor
 United Worship Service 9:00 a.m.
 Youth mtg 1st/3rd Sundays .. 6:00p.m.

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 Thursday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

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 Wayne Wright, Pastor
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Evening 6:00 p.m.
 Mid-Week (Wed) 6:00 p.m.

ASBURY CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST
 8013W 1100S - 90, Montpelier
 Pastor - Steve Gray
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Worship 10:45 a.m.
 Wed Evening Carry-in & Fellowship 6:30 p.m.

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 Joe Wiley, S. S. Supt.
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 Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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 765-934-2031
 Pastor Chris Stage
 Worship Service 9:30-10:45a.m.
 Sunday School 10:45-11:30a.m.
 MYF 5:30 p.m.

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 Carol Inck, S.S. Supt.
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 Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

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 Dan & Patsy Bryant, Assoc/Youth Pastor
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 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 2nd Worship 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
 Kids Klub (3rd/4th grade) 6:00 p.m.
 Klub 56 (5th/6th grade) 6:00 p.m.
 Cornerstone (youth 7-12 gr) .. 5:45 p.m.
 Thur. Terrific Thursday (Bible study, choir, kids activities) 6:30 p.m.

PLUM TREE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
 375-2691
 Charles Dye, Jr., Pastor
 Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
 Church 11:00 a.m.

LANCASTER WESLEYAN
 468-2411
 Kenneth B Sandefur, Pastor
 David Thrift, S.S. Supt.
 Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
 Worship 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY:
 CYC/Teen/Adult Meetings 7:00 p.m.
UNITED METHODIST MEMORIAL HOME SUNDAY:
 Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.
 OTHER SERVICES BY ANNOUNCEMENT
 Tues, Thurs, Fri & Sat
 Chapel Services 9:00 a.m.

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Attend the Church of your choice

AREA NEWS

MORE ABOUT LILLY ...

welcome them to the town. When there is an evening of good entertainment at the Pulse Opera House you and Velma are again one of the firsts that people greet, with you taking their tickets for the performance.

You have been involved with many projects that will benefit the elderly, for instance keeping the License Branch and Post Office in Warren open. Also, you do letter writing, addressing Christmas cards and hauling friends to the doctor in volunteering many hours at the United Methodist Memorial Home here in Warren where you live.

At the Home you are a member of the Residents Council, which helps the Administrative Board and the Home residents better communicate.

You also spend many hours volunteering for the Bread of Life Food Pantry, which help the needy people of the community.

You also were Huntington County Senior Volunteer of the year in 1998 and represented the County at the Indiana State Fair.

We are sure there are many other things that you have been involved with and that are very important but we are going to stop for now. Please meet our 2000 Samuel Jones Pioneer Award honoree, Lilly Nutter.

Upon acceptance of the 12th Annual Award, Lilly stated that 12 is her lucky number as she was born on 12/12/12 and the number 12 seems to be a factor in many other areas of her life.

Lilly's son Neil and daughter, Betty Campbell were on hand to witness their mother's achievement. Town Council president, Chod Boxell, presented Lilly with a key to the Town, mounted on a plaque crafted by Forrest Pond.

The breakfast closed with Lilly performing her official duty and proclaiming the 2000 Salomonie Summer Festival open.

MORE ROYALTY ...

daughter of Allen and Jill Schlotter; Leslie Ackley, daughter of Mike and Cammy Ackley; Miranda Sunderman, daughter of Belinda and Aaron Sunderman; and Natalie Knowles, daughter of Todd and Kelly Knowles.

Amanda Knowles, (right) daughter of Todd and Kelly Knowles, is this year's Little Princess. She was sponsored by The Celler in Bluffton. Other's competing in the age 5-8 category were Mackenzie Sharp, daughter of Larry and Anita Sharp; Jessica Stucky, daughter of Greg and Kathy Stucky; Nola Cummins, daughter of Dennis and Amy Cummins; Shelby Bradford, daughter of Bill and Marilyn Bradford and Rachel Herr, daughter of Jeff and Micky Herr.

All of the girls did a wonderful job and looked beautiful on the float that carried them all through the parade earlier in the evening.

BIBLE SCHOOL

The Warren Wesleyan Church invites all the children in the Warren community to join us at SonZone Discovery Center!

"This year's Vacation Bible School promises to be an adventure your children will never forget," said Pastor Bill Barlow of the Wesleyan Church. "SonZone is a very special place - a fantastic inventor's museum designed just for kids. Here your children will join Professor Mega-Noggin in her search for God's awesome plan. They'll explore the wonders of God's universe through lively songs, humorous skits and 'science-with-a-twist' based crafts and games. But most importantly, they'll look in the Bible for the answers to some very important questions such as, 'Why Am I Here?' 'What Is God Like?' and 'Why Did Jesus Have to Die?'"

"Everything will draw to a joyful conclusion at the Closing Program on Sunday, July 23rd, 2000 at 10:15 a.m. The program is a musical event that's fun for the whole family.

"We're looking forward to this very special opportunity to share

with the children and the parents in our neighborhood. We hope they all will join us at SonZone as we discover and celebrate God's plan for us."

The SonZone Discovery Center Vacation Bible School begins July 17, 2000 and continues through July 21, 2000. Classes are held at the Church on the corner of Sixth and Nancy Streets in Warren. VBS will open nightly at 6 p.m. and conclude at 8:30 p.m. For information call Pastor Bill Barlow at 375-2330 or the VBS Director at 375-4117.

TOWN RECLASSIFIED

The Fire Insurance Classification for the Town of Warren has been unproved to a Class 7 from a Class 8 following evaluation of the Warren Volunteer Fire Department and Town of Warren water supply, hydrant flow, conducted by Insurance Services. This change may result in a decrease in property insurance coverage calculations for residents in the Town. Therefore, policy holders should contact their agent or company to determine if this change in classification will effect premium costs for coverage.

CLEAN-UP DAY

Roll-Offs will be available from 8:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. (or until filled) at the Utility Building, 316 W. Second Street, on Saturday, July 15th. This service will only be available to those who can present a utility stub from Town of Warren Utilities or present identification showing residency within the Town. Items which will not be collected are: Appliances, Tires, Batteries, Fencing Wire, Telephone Poles, Chemicals, Paint, and Railroad Ties.

KOREAN MEDALS AVAILABLE

US veterans of the Korean War are now eligible to wear a medal initially offered to them more than 50 years ago, but never issued.

In a May 13, 2000, letter to Defense Secretary William S. Cohen, Republic of Korea Defense Minister Seong Tae Cho formally an-

nounced that his government would provide the Republic of Korea War Service Medal (ROKWSM) to eligible U.S. veterans of that conflict, or to their surviving next of kin.

The medal will be provided at no cost to veterans. The U. S. Air Force has been designated the lead agency to receive and distribute the medals.

"On the occasion of the 50th Anniversary of the Korean War," Cho wrote, "the ROK government decided to issue the ROKWSM to pay tribute to the Korean War veterans for their historic endeavors to preserve freedom of the ROK and the free world." The two governments will conduct fiftieth anniversary ceremonies throughout 2000-2003 and medals may be applied for at any time during this period. The war began on June 25, 1950, when North Korean forces invaded ROK territory. The armistice on July 27, 1953, ended the fighting, although a formal peace treaty has never been completed.

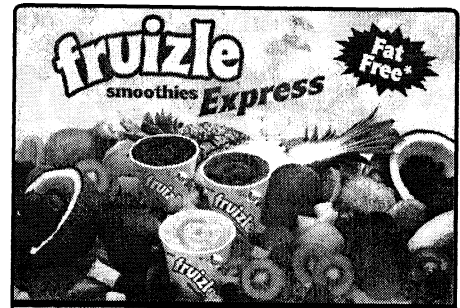
In 1998 the government of the Republic of Korea renewed its

original offer of the ROKWSM to U.S. military personnel. On Aug. 20, 1999, the Defense Department approved the acceptance and wear of the medal. Approximately 1.8 million U. S. veterans of the Korean War are eligible to receive it. Next of kin to eligible deceased veterans can also apply for the medal.

To wear this medal on U.S. military uniforms, US military personnel must have served between the outbreak of hostilities, June 25, 1950, and the date the armistice was signed, July 27, 1953, been on permanent assignment or on temporary duty for 30 consecutive days or 60 non-consecutive days, and performed their duty within the territorial limits of Korea, in the waters immediately adjacent thereto or in aerial flight over Korea participating in actual combat operations or in support of combat operations.

The ROK specifies the eligibility period and criteria. Only the ROK-provided medal is approved by the U.S. government to meet the

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- Jul 5 Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m.
- Jul 10 Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Firestation
- Jul 14 Warren Recycle Day
- Jul 14-27 Huntington County 4-H Fair
- Jul 15 Warren Town Clean-Up Day at Utility Building 8-2
- Jul 15-20 Wells County 4-H Fair
- Jul 19 Van Buren Town Council, 7 p.m.
- Jul 24 Warren Town Council, 6:30 p.m., Firestation
- July 24-29 Grant County 4-H Fair
- Jul 28 Warren Recycle Day

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THOMPSON HOME FARM CEMETERY MEETING

JULY 15, 2000

Meeting will start at 5:00 with a carry-in supper to follow at 6:00.

Anyone with an interest in this cemetery is invited to attend. 1 mile north of Buckeye Elevator on 500E. Sandra (Thompson) Hodges, Pres. Please bring your own lawn chair.



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U.S. criteria for wear on the military uniform.

To apply, veterans must provide a copy of their discharge paper, commonly known as a 'DD-214,' or a corrected version of that document, a 'DD-215.' National Guard members must provide their statement of service equivalent, "NGB Form 22."

Veterans' Service Officer, Tom Applegate, has indicated he would like all eligible veterans to apply through his office in the courthouse not later than August 5th. The medals will be presented in a special Veteran's Day Program hosting Korean War veterans on November 14th this year. He advises veterans who have already ordered their medal or who have received their medal through other sources to contact him anyway. "Only the medals furnished by the government of Korea are considered the 'official' medals," he said. "And besides, if the veteran doesn't contact me, I won't have his/her name on my list of those to be recognized on Veteran's Day." Veterans who know of other veterans who may be eligible should contact them and ask them to contact Applegate.

Applegate currently has received 52 applications. Those veterans need not reapply.

MEETING RESCHEDULED

The Warren Town Council has rescheduled its Regular Meeting from Monday, July 10th to Tuesday, July 11th. The meeting will be held at the regular time of 6:30 p.m. at the Warren Fire Station, 1103 Huntington Avenue.

Council will be hosting elected officials from Huntington County Municipalities, Van Buren and Zanesville for the quarterly meeting of W.H.A.R.M.M. on Monday, July 10th. Other county officials have been invited also.

NEW VAN FOR HCC ON AGING

On Monday, June 19th, the Huntington County Council on Aging received their new 2000 Dodge Maxivan. This van is a replacement for the van that was destroyed on the railroad tracks in December 1999. This new van has the capacity of transporting 13 people or with the use of flip-up seats, it can handle two wheelchairs and 6 people. It is also equipped with a wheelchair lift.

This van was made possible by donations received from both individuals in the community and the Huntington County HELP Inc. The donations were used for the local monies needed to match the grant through INDOT.

Insurance money for the destroyed van provided the balance of the needed funds.

We want to say a BIG THANK YOU to those that gave to help us meet this crisis after the railroad accident. From 1999 to 2000, the Huntington County Council on Aging has had an 87% increase in the amount of trips that need to use a wheelchair-equipped van.

What a blessing it is to have this new van!

This new van not only benefits the elderly but it is also used by handicapped residents of all ages. The Council on Aging has a 1999 Dodge minivan that will handle a wheelchair provided that the wheelchair is not too large. The 2000 Maxivan can handle two wheelchairs at a time, including larger wheelchairs.

Thanks again for all those that made this van possible! Calamity has indeed been turned into celebration!

BICYCLE RODEO

A bicycle safety program will be conducted in Liberty Center on Saturday, July 8 from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

The rodeo is open to children between the ages of four and 12. A course will be set up, with each bicyclist given an opportunity to ride. A representative from the Indiana State Police will be giving the instruction. The EMS in Wells County will be available to give tours of an ambulance.

The rodeo will take place on the asphalt driveway of the Liberty Center Baptist Church. Various businesses, and also the Liberty Center United Methodist Church, have made this program possible.

Each child is reminded to bring his or her own bicycle and helmet.

100 YEAR CELEBRATION

Banquo Christian Church is celebrating 100 Years. You are invited for activities on Saturday, July 15th and Sunday, July 16th. Banquo Christian Church is located just north of County Road 900W and County Road 900S intersection.

Activities for Saturday include: 12-3 Community Cookout; 3-4 Christian Magician and 4-6 Ice Cream Social. There will also be great Christian music all day Saturday.

Sunday events include: 9:30 Sunday School; 10:30 Worship Service; 12:00 Church dinner and 3:00 "Welcome Back" service.

LADIES DAY AT THE FAIR

Ladies Day at the Fair will be on Monday, July 24 at the Huntington County Fair. It will be under a canopy on the west side of the Family Living Building. The event is from noon to 6:00 p.m. There

will be a different session every hour and door prizes will be given at each session.

At 12:00 p.m. Nicole McCabe will present "Fancy Napkin Folding." She will show various ways to fold napkins in order to add a special touch to the dinner table. The audience will participate and learn how to do the different styles at home.

Sandy Thompson, of Channel 15-TV will present "The Weather" at 1:00 p.m. She will talk about forecasting the weather and explain her job as a TV weather forecaster.

"What's Up With Mexican Food" will be presented by Lisa Barnett, from Tyson Foods at 2:00 p.m. She has an interesting program explaining various Mexican dishes and the ingredients associated with Mexican foods.

At 3:00 p.m. Ann Emely will discuss "Everything You Want to Know About Hummingbirds and More." Be informed in order to more fully enjoy this small bird, popular in the summer in this area of the country.

Virginia Moore will present "Raising and Decorating With Herbs" at 4:00 p.m. She will cover several different herbs and how to use them in garnishing foods, in centerpieces, etc. She will also talk about growing the herbs.

"What? Dirty Hands" will be given by Beverly Morgan at 5:00 p.m. The audience will be shown how our hands are a carrier of germs and how to keep them clean. The effectiveness of hand sanitizer will also be demonstrated.

"Ladies Day at the Fair" is open to the public and free of charge. It is sponsored by the Huntington County Extension Homemakers Organization. Men, women and children are welcome to attend the programs. Each program lasts no more than fifty minutes in length.

COUNCIL NOTES

The Warren Town Council met in regular session on Monday evening, June 26, at the local Fire Station. President Chod Boxell opened the meeting at 6:30 p.m. with the Pledge to the American flag.

In special order of business, Council voted in favor of Citizens Cable rate increase from \$13.50 to \$15.50 for basic cable.

Approval was given to minutes

of a regular meeting June 12, and a special meeting, executive session May 31.

Resolution 2-2000 was approved by Council in regard to Cable Franchise. The Resolution supports Citizen's Cable request to increase basic cable monthly rates by \$2.00.

Council approved a request for a recommendation to allow for business with certain stipulation to Lee and Janet Dilts for operation of a beauty salon on a rental property. Council placed two stipulations on the recommendation.

Council adopted Ordinance 2000-5 which amended a code for mowing of properties, raising penalty to \$50.00 and \$100.00.

Ordinance 2000-4 also amended the Town Code concerning stop intersections, placing a sign at the intersection of VanMalson Drive (Langton Estates) with Wayne Street Extended (CR200). W.H.A.R.M.M. meeting is set for Monday evening, July 10, at Tower Park. Municipal and County officials are invited to attend the quarterly meeting.

The next Council meeting was changed to Tuesday evening, July 11, 6:30 p.m. at the Fire Station.

Town clean-up day for Warren has been set for July 15. Two 30-yard dumpsters will be available at the City Barn on West Second Street Extended, in front. Paint, chemicals, appliances, tires, batteries and wire will not be accepted.

A 3A full board meeting was scheduled for June 29, to be a cookout at Kendallville.

Council voted to contribute \$100.00 to the Salamonie Festival Fireworks.

There had been reports filed that warning sirens in Warren cannot be heard at Tower Heights. All the sirens in Warren were expected to be checked at the next county-wide test.

Harold Jones, a member of the Council, had surveyed several residents at Salamonie Heights concerning an additional stop sign in that area. Some were unaware of the request for an additional sign. Most were in favor of a stop sign, but some felt the sign should be for those coming into the area. Some felt there should be a three-way stop at Riverview and Hillcrest. Council directed that an Ordinance be prepared for amendment of Town Code for a

three-way stop.

There also had been complaints of speeding at Tower Heights, where a number of children are playing.

Clerk-Treasurer Marilyn Morrison said that a schedule of budget meetings for Council is expected to be set up as the budget bulletin outlining the time frame for adoption has been received.

Darrel Bice reported from the Utility Department.

Potholes had been patched and work done at Tower Park. Weeds had been sprayed and playground equipment repaired.

Mosquito spraying was started in Warren on Friday evening, June 23. Spraying is expected to be done on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Tower Park was to be sprayed on Saturday evening, July 1, due to fireworks on Sunday evening.

Most preparations had been completed for the Festival. Some light poles had been removed. A recent problem of blown fuses was believed to be due to the brand. Fire Chief Tim Ford reported the grass truck was recently repaired.

Council asked the Fire Department to wash down the streets for the Salamonie Summer Festival.

Fire Chiefs in the County had met to discuss changes in coverage of the Departments. There are to be dual pages for County Departments in case of structure fires. This was set up for better insurance rating.

The local Police Department was reported ready for Salamonie Summer Festival.

Council meetings will be held July 11 and 24.

TEACHER OF THE YEAR

Carol Herzog, 1st grade teacher at Salamonie School, has been honored as the Huntington County Community School Corporation Teacher of the Year.

Herzog has been a teacher at Salamonie for the past 17 years of her 28 year career. She will now compete in the Indiana Teacher of the Year contest, with results to be announced later this year.

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GENEALOGY REPORT

GREEN

Roy "Buddy" Green Jr., 61, 175 Chestnut St., Andrews, died at 6:25 p.m. Sunday (July 2, 2000) at Wells Community Hospital, Bluffton.

Mr. Green worked for Kunkle Foundry, Andrews, from 1977 to 1997. He was a member of the Salamonie Avenue Freewill Baptist Church, and Local Union No. 8065, Andrews.

He was born March 8, 1939 in Vicco, Ky., to Roy and Mattie Hornsby Green. His marriage was Dec. 24, 1958 in Jeff, Ky., to Geardine Johnson Green. She survives.

Also surviving are five sons, Ora Lee Green, Huntington, James Earl Green and Jeff David Green, both of Warren, Roy Wayne Green, Warsaw, and Arnold Anthony Green, Andrews; two daughters, Mrs. Steve (Lisa) Riecke, Huntington, and Mrs. Thomas (Patricia) Garrison, Mt. Etna; three brothers, Ronnie Green, Jimmy Ray Green, and Ralph Gary Green, all of Austin, Texas; six sisters, Mrs. Alvin (Shirley Ann) Blakenship, Lonnie Bowling and Mrs. Wayne (Brenda) Stedam, all of Austin, Mrs. Junior (Martha) Beggle, Hamilton, Ohio, Mrs. James Earl (Jeanette) Huffman, Telhoma, Tenn.; and Mrs. Earl (Betty) Cuddy, Hazzard, Ky.; and 20 grandchildren.

Five sisters, Willa Mae Bowling, Hazel Bowling, Nannie Lou Barnett, June Green and Leoda Tincher, preceded in death.

Calling hours are from 2 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the Salamonie Freewill Baptist Church, 1805 Salamonie Ave., and one hour prior to services at 10 a.m. Thursday at the church. Steve Kohler will officiate. Burial will be in Lancaster Cemetery.

Preferred memorials are to the Salamonie Freewill Baptist Church.

HOCHSTETLER

Audrey L. Hochstetler, 89, a resident of the United Methodist Memorial Home in Warren, died there at 7:09 p.m. Saturday (July 1, 2000).

Miss Hochstetler was a former resident of Huntington. She had been a teacher of English and music for 36 years, employed by the Portage Township Schools in South Bend and the Fort Wayne Community Schools. She was a volunteer for the Emily Flinn Home, Marion, and was a 10-year volunteer at Huntington Memorial Hospital. She was a member of Central Christian Church, and was a 1928 graduate of Huntington High School and a 1932 graduate of Ball State University.

Miss Hochstetler was born Oct. 7, 1910, in Huntington, to Martin A. Hochstetler and Matie Viola Myers Hochstetler. She was also raised by her stepmother, Edythe Hochstetler.

Survivors include several nieces and nephews, including Ron Hochstetler, Huntington, Jim Hochstetler, Huntington, and Martin Hochstetler, Fort Wayne. A sister, Thelma Fry, and three brothers, Nevin Hochstetler,

Edwin Hochstetler, and Rollas Hochstetler, preceded her in death.

Services were held at Central Christian Church, 500 MacGahan St. Huntington, with Rev. Cameron Douglas officiating. Burial was at the South Union Cemetery, Nappanee.

Preferred memorials are to the Activities Department of the United Methodist Memorial Home, 801 Huntington Ave., Warren, IN 46792.

The Deal-Robbins and Van Gilder Funeral Home, Huntington Chapel, was in charge of arrangements.

LONG

Ruth E. Long, 79, 801 Huntington Ave., Warren, died Tuesday (June 27, 2000) at the United Methodist Memorial Home in Warren.

Mrs. Long was a homemaker and former employee of General Electric in Fort Wayne. She was a lifelong resident of Huntington County and member of Wesleyan Church, Warren.

She was born on Dec. 7, 1920 in Huntington to Boston and Cleo Dinius LaVine. Her marriage was May 15, 1948, in Huntington, to Wilbur A. Long. He died on July 9, 1982.

Survivors include five daughters, Jean Long, North Manchester, and Roxanna Surfus, Glenna Long, Susan Long and Tina Marie Long, all of Warren; 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by four brothers, six sisters, and two daughters, Marcia and Salley Long.

Services were held at Glancy Funeral Homes, H. Brown & Son Chapel, with Rev. Bill Barlow officiating.

Burial was at Jones Cemetery, Warren.

Preferred memorials are to Wesleyan Church, 219 E. 6th St, Warren.

NEW ADDITIONS

Brady J. and Kristina Smekens of Warren are the parents of a son, Andrew Joel, born at Lutheran Hospital. The infant weighed six pounds, nine ounces and measured 19 inches in length. He joins a sister, Sophia Lee, age 18 months.

Grandparents are Joe and Barb Smekens of Bluffton, Jeff and Karen Friar of Montpelier and Ron and Cynthia Haas of Mt. Clemons, Mich. Great-grandparents include Martha Smekens and Gladys Kunkel, both of Bluffton.

Mike and Peggy (Lattire) Haigh, Poneto, are the parents of a son Kevin Alan Haigh, born at 5:44 p.m. on June 25, 2000 at Caylor-Nickel Medical Center. The infant weighed 7 pounds 5 1/4 ounces and measured 20 1/2 inches. He joins a brother David, age 7 and a sister, Vanessa, age 5.

Grandparents are Dorothy Lattire of Aurora, Marilyn Haigh of Kokomo and Jack and Kathy Haigh of Spring Hill, FL.

Jesse James and Lori Lynne (Loveall) Mossburg, Markle, are the parents of a daughter, Emily Nicole Mossburg, born at 11:26

a.m. on June 27, 2000 at Caylor-Nickel Medical Center. The infant weighed 8 pounds 12 1/4 ounces and measured 20 1/2 inches at birth. She joins a sister, Krysten Marie, age 2 1/2.

MEYER- CHAPIN

Carly Meyer and Brian Chapin, both of Warren, are engaged to be married Aug 12 at the Daugherty pond and gazebo in Warren.

The bride-elect graduated in 1998 from Huntington North High School and in October of the same year from Huntington Beauty College. She is employed as a hair-stylist by Country Class Hair Care. Her parents are Stan Meyer, 600 Buchanan St., Huntington, and Anne Powers, Fort Wayne.

Her fiancé graduated in 1994 from Huntington North High School. He is employed in sales by Daugherty Inc., Warren. His parents are Deb and Phil Schlotter, 6480W-800S, Warren, and Denny and Connie Chapin, 1055 Evergreen Rd, Huntington.

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GRADUATED

The following area residents graduated from Ball State University during the 2000 spring semester.

Stuart McDaniel, Carrie Shideler, and Angela Sisson (Cum laude). Each received of Bachelor of Science degree.

WATER SAFETY

The American Red Cross has the following tips to assist you in being safe around water this summer.

- Always swim with a buddy; never swim alone. Swim in supervised areas only.
- Know your swimming limits and stay within them, Don't try to keep up with a stronger skilled swimmer or encourage others to keep up with you.
- Obey "No Diving" signs that indicate the area is unsafe for headfirst entries. Enter feet-first rather than headfirst if you don't know the depth
- Watch out for the "dangerous too's" - too tired, too cold, too far from safety, too much sun, too much strenuous activity.
- Use common sense about swimming after eating. In general, you do not have to wait an hour after eating before you may safely swim, however, if you have had a large meal, it is wise to let digestion get started before doing strenuous activity such as swimming.

· Alcohol and swimming don't mix. Alcohol impairs your judgment, balance, and coordination especially in the water. It affects your swimming and diving skills and reduces your body's ability to stay warm.

· Know how to prevent, recognize and respond to emergencies Remember CHECK-CALL CARE; Check the scene to ensure it's safe and check the victim, CALL 911 or the local emergency number, and CARE for the person until help arrives.

HOME POOL SAFETY

- If a child is missing, check the pool first. Go to the edge of the pool and scan the entire pool, bottom and surface, as well as the surrounding pool area.
- Never leave a child unobserved around water. Your eyes must be on the child at all times. Adult

supervision is recommended.

- Enclose pool completely with a self locking, self closing fence with vertical bars. Openings in the fence should be no more than four inches wide. If the house is part of the barrier, the doors leading from the house to the pool should remain locked and be protected with an alarm that produces sounds when the door is unexpectedly opened.
- Never leave furniture near the fence that would enable a child to climb over the fence.
- Keep toys away from the pool when it is not in use. Toys can attract young children into the pool. Always keep lifesaving equipment by the pool and know how to use it. Pole, rope and personal flotation devices (PFD's) are recommended.
- Pool covers should always be completely removed prior to pool use.
- Install a phone by the pool or keep a cordless phone nearby so that you can call 911 in an emergency.
- Learn Red Cross CPR and insist that babysitters, grandparents and others who care for your child learn CPR.
- Post CPR instructions and 911 in your pool area.

WATER SAFETY FOR PARENTS & GUARDIANS

- Maintain constant supervision. Watch children around any water environment (pool, stream, lake, tub, toilet, bucket of water), no matter what skills your child has acquired and no matter how shallow the water,
- Don't rely on substitutes. The use of flotation devices and inflatable toys cannot replace parental supervision. Such devices could suddenly shift position, lose air, or slip out from underneath, leaving the child in a dangerous situation.

NEW CT SCANNER

Caylor-Nickel Medical Center can now provide even more high-tech care with the help of a new \$775,000 CT (computed tomography) scanner. The scanner creates higher quality images than were possible before, because of new technology that was not available when the previous scanner was purchased in 1993. Plus, the new CT scanner can take a pic-

ture from one angle, then its computer can produce other pictures as if they'd been taken from other angles.

"We're excited to have such state-of-the-art technology available for our patients," says William F. Brockmann, President and CEO of Caylor-Nickel Medical Center. "The new scanner is one of the benefits of our being part of Quorum Health Group, Inc."

One of the most notable features of the scanner is speed. The time it takes to complete a scan is nearly half what it was before. For instance, a complete head scan can now be done within 15 minutes. Patients are in and out a lot faster and physicians can get results more quickly. That also allows a lot more scans to be done in one day. Currently, at least 250 scans are done each month at Caylor-Nickel Medical Center.

More scans are being done because of new possibilities. Now kidney stones can be discovered with a CT scan, which is more comfortable than x-rays that required dye, an IV and more time. Appendicitis can be detected. Scans can show exactly where to insert a needle to get an accurate sampling of tissue for a biopsy, usually of the liver. Plus, a 3-D osteoporosis scan can look through the bone from three different angles.

In addition, when a patient comes to Caylor-Nickel's Emergency Department and the physician on duty suspects internal bleeding from a car accident or stroke, the new CT scanner can help confirm that diagnosis immediately.

When someone has a throat problem but regular x-rays show nothing, a physician can order a CT scan to detect a mass. The surgeon can then use the high-quality computer pictures from the scan to precisely locate the mass for removal.

In addition, this fall, patients at

risk for heart disease will be able to have cardiac screenings at the same time as an EKG, all in just 15 minutes.

"We're getting a lot of patients from Fort Wayne physicians," says Vicki Grace, RT (radiologic technologist). "Some are probably sent because we can work them in the same day. But they're also sent because they know our scanner and staff are comparable to those in Fort Wayne."

FLOWERS AT THE LIBRARY

The Van Buren Public Library has had some beautification going on outside of their building. Have you noticed the pretty pots of flowers sitting on the side of the steps as you go into the library? They were placed there this month by the 4-H group, Livewire B, which is led by Stacy and Scott Clupper and Karl and Deana Kitts. Thanks, kids and leaders! It makes the library look so nice!

Also, have you noticed the new sidewalks and steps? They were added for your safety. Hope you come on over to the only grassy hill on First Street in beautiful downtown Van Buren to see us! We'd love to have you come in and check out a book, magazine or video to "cool" yourself down with this summer.

STORYTIME

The fourth and final Summer Reading Program was held at the Van Buren Public Library on Wednesday, June 28th at 10:30-11:30. With 26 children attending, we had a grand time reading about turtles with Franklin the Turtle in mind.

Guest readers were a "family affair" this week with Mother and Daughters, Mrs. Rose Marie Westfall and her 2 daughters Mrs.

Jane Hemmick and Mrs. Debbie DeLong.

They read the following books: "Franklin Plays the Game", "Franklin's Blanket", "Franklin and the Tooth Fairy", and "Franklin's Neighborhood" all by Paulette Bourgeois. Also read were "Shelly the Hyperactive Turtle" by Deborah Moss and "The Turtle" by Hidetomo Oda.

Activity was finding "food" for Franklin outside on the lawn, they were given a bag of gummy worms "food". They also enjoyed cookies and milk.

Students attending were Danielle Scott, Kendall Green, Cameron Green, Latia Henkel, Maryrose Burns, Peter Bryant, Emily Bryant, Olivia Bryant, Bobby Tate, Lance Hoch, David Irwin, Adam Slusher, Cady Swager, Ciara Swagger, Caleb Hemmick, Kyle Shaffer, Joseph Wood, Nathan Scott, Kelsey Green, Kayla Purvis, Nate DeLong, Tim Decker, Natalie Hoch, Brooke Hummel and Zachary Hodge.

The party for children who met the requirements of the reading program will be traveling to Markle for a swimming party and program for the afternoon.

The staff of the Van Buren Public Library wants to thank all the Mothers and Fathers who helped in any way so that this program could be so successful. THANKS!

For those children who won't be able to attend the party/program on Friday, they may come into the library to pick up their 'goody bag' next week. They'll want to remember to do that...it has lots of goodies in it!

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