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Gwen Smith

THE NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER was celebrated Thursday, May 7 at First Church of the Open Bible, Madison area. Ben Mutti of Richland Community Prayer Network, Pastor Dink Porter of First Church of the Open Bible and Richland Community Prayer Network Director Rev. El Akuchie display a proclamation that came from the Richland County Board of Commissioners Marilyn S. John, Darrell E. Banks and Anthony M. Vero.



T-C Staff/Bud Motter

A CEREMONY was held at Open Bible Church, Madison area, May 7 for The National Day of Prayer. Richland County Commissioner Marilyn John (left) read a Proclamation from the commissioners and Pastor Paul Lintern (right) read a Proclamation from City of Mansfield Mayor Tim Theaker. A 28-hour "prayerathon" was held starting the night before. Scott Sanders, general manager of WVMC Mansfield Christian Radio FM 90.7, 91.1 and 102.7 moderated the program.

MRCPL will open for curbside service at all locations

When Mansfield/Richland County Public Library began the journey into sheltering at home, it entered a new world of unknowns. Now that the state is looking toward the future, the library is exploring how to resume services. At the forefront of that discussion is the safety of staff and patrons.

At this time, based on recommendations of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and Richland Public Health, MRCPL will not begin reopening branch locations to the public however, it will begin offering curbside service at all nine branch locations on Monday, May 18.

MRCPL will offer this convenient, new pick-up option for all card-holding patrons. Curbside service is an extension of the library's personalized services. To take advantage of this service, patrons will place their requested items "on hold" through the website or by calling their local

branch to request items. Once patrons have received notification that items are available for pick-up, they can come to their local branch for curbside pick-up.

In preparation for this new service, MRCPL began accepting the return of all checked-out library materials Monday, May 11. MRCPL, would like to encourage the return of library materials so that library materials can be put back into circulation.

Detailed information for this new service along with information on how locations will be providing safe and sanitary service and materials and will soon be available on the library's COVID-19 webpage. Additionally, digital resources remain available as well as many services on social media platforms. Follow MRCPL on Facebook for virtual story times, local history and much more.

Since Mansfield Richland County Public Library's opening in 1889, the first 700 books, and the first set of the Congressional Record, the library has been a source for free access to knowledge, information, and resources in Mansfield.

Through the website, www.mrcpl.org, the library can now provide access to resources for library card holders 24/7 in addition to the nine traditional locations.

Secrist named Lex Superintendent

The Lexington School Board of Education voted 5-0 at a special meeting recently to approve Jeremy Secrist as the replacement to Mike Ziegelhofer, upon his retirement.

Ziegelhofer will retire Aug. 1, after serving the district for 32 years.

Secrist, currently Lexington's assistant superintendent, has four children attending Lexington.

Secrist takes the role as Lexington looks toward the construction project for a grade 7-12 school building.

He has been with Lexington Schools for nine years serving as a junior high principal and high school principal before assuming his latest position as assistant superintendent for the past three years.

In the past few months, Secrist has taken the substitute role as principal at Eastern Elementary School, due to the resignation of Buddy Miller.

Secrist comes with high praises from Ziegelhofer as well as Lexington School Board President Robert Whitney and board vice president Keith Stoner.

Flags will be placed for veterans

On Saturday, May 23, flags will be placed on veteran graves at Mansfield Cemetery, starting at 9 am. Volunteers are needed and can meet at the flagpole at the Veterans Honor Grounds in the back of the cemetery.

Veterans will be there to hand out the flags and give instructions on placement. All Scouting groups and other groups are welcome to help with this important project to help remember the country's veterans and what they have done for us.

The Mansfield Community Memorial and Patriotic Association sponsors this project. For more information call Bruce Phipps at 419-544-0311.

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READERS' FORUM

To the board of Madison Township Trustees (James Houser, Kathy Swank and Dan Fletcher),

This petition is to inform you that we, the following signators, are opposed to any part of N. Stewart Rd., from Ashland Rd., to Piper Rd., being resurfaced in this year, or in any year, using the highly controversial chip and seal method.

To the contrary, a lot of us are property owners, and we pay the Madison Township 2-Mill Road Levy each and every year, so we expect to have a main road in our neighborhood, such as N. Stewart Rd., repaved with asphalt.

We are saying this especially after our township's alleged disastrous and mismanaged chip and seal project's in 2014 and 2019.

We are also requesting proper spot testing of any and all asphalt applied to N. Stewart Rd., and an ongoing inspection of the method by which it is applied.

If this requested inspection and testing cannot be a part of the defined overall repaving of N. Stewart Rd., then we ask that the repaving project itself is abandoned.

Submitted by David A. Spain and Carol L. Dinger and other residents

Editor's Note: The opinions expressed in the Tribune-Courier Forum are expressly those of the writer and are not the opinions of this newspaper. It is a way for readers to exercise their right to free speech guaranteed by the First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution. Letters submitted for publication in the Forum must be signed. They will be published at the discretion of the editors. Unsigned letters will not be considered. It is understood that the editors also reserve the right to omit parts of letters and to clarify content, without changing the meaning, or intent, of letters.



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THE GARDEN GATEWAY VISITORS CENTER at Kingwood Center (top photo) is under construction at Kingwood Center Gardens. It is behind schedule due to weather and COVID-19. The gardens opened on Saturday, May 9. Newly bloomed tulips (bottom photo) greeted visitors as they entered off of Linden Rd. Kingwood is open daily from 10 am to 7 pm. Admission is \$5 per person, children 12 and under are free. Visit www.kingwoodcenter.org for guidelines for visitors.

4-H News Report

The third meeting of the Blue-Gold 4-H Club was held April 19, 2020. We had a virtual meeting on zoom due to the Corona virus. The meeting was called to order and roll call was taken with the member's name. There was one new visitor.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and the treasurer's report was given. Members were told to get refunds for 4-H camp due to it being cancelled or it can be transferred to next year's camp. For the community service project, we are doing cards for the elderly. People were reminded to do their health and safety reports for the next meeting. The next meeting will be May 17, 2020 at 2 pm.

Kaley Bowman
Blue-Gold 4-H Club News Reporter

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!
May
17 — Keith Johnson, Ontario

Final virtual concert is this Saturday

A virtual concert series was launched recently on the Destination Mansfield-Richland County website.

Local artists partnered up with area restaurants to support each other and provide the public with "Dinner & A Show"—all from the comfort of their own homes.

The series will wrap-up with Henry J. Koncza Saturday, May 16 at 7 pm with The Wishmaker House in Bellville.

Those who want to know how to order food, can go to the "Restaurants Open for Take-out and Delivery" page. They can pick-up dinner or have it delivered, then grab the best seat in the house (their house).

These concerts are a collaboration of Destination Mansfield — Richland County, Richland Area Chamber & Economic Development, Downtown Mansfield Inc., and the local restaurants and artists of Richland County.

Tips for both restaurants and musicians are encouraged to support employees and artists furloughed due to COVID-19. #RichlandResilience #InThisTogetherOhio #SupportLocalOhio #RichlandLIVE



William B. Cockley



Mary Urania Beverstock

William B. Cockley helped to open Lexington's steam-powered flour mill

By Bob Carter

William B. Cockley had an interesting life. Born in Lexington, his father dies when he was nine and he was apprenticed to a wagon maker.

In 1862, he volunteered to serve in the Civil War and was with his company when they captured 2,350 Confederate prisoners at Cumberland Gap. He rose to the rank of Captain.

Mustered out in 1866, back home he married Mary Urania Beverstock whose father owned one of the general stores in Lexington. Mary was very pretty and be-

came one of the social leaders in the community for many years.

Eventually, William took over management of the store, which held the first bank in town. Later, with partners, he built a large steam-powered flour mill next to the railroad tracks. With this great business success, he was elected and served only two years of his term in the Ohio General Assembly when he died from cancer in January 1905.

The huge mill was the first major industry in Lexington until it burned in 1917. Two of his sons were successful in banking and law.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

If you attend a regularly scheduled meeting each month, please contact the organization to clarify if meetings are currently cancelled. The Community Calendar listing will return to the *Tribune* when COVID-19 ceases to cause scheduling conflicts.



The Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging, Inc. Corporate Board Meeting scheduled for Thursday, May 14, at 2 pm will be held virtually and will not occur in person. The public can attend virtually through <https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/862531789> or by phone: +1 (872) 240-3212 access code: 862-531-789. For more information contact Susie Danuloff at 567-247-7105.

Nominations accepted for senior awards

The Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging, Inc. (AAA) is currently accepting nominations for the Outstanding Senior Citizen and Community Service Awards. Nominations can be for someone who is volunteering their time to help or a group that is performing a community service. The deadline for nominations is May 30.

Award recipients from a nine-county area (one awardee from each county) will be honored by Area Agency on Aging. Nominees must be at least 60 years of age, a legal resident of Ohio for at least five years and have made significant contributions to the community. A husband and wife may receive the award jointly when both have been involved in community service.

Community Service Awards are targeted to an organization, agency, service club, business or the media that makes an outstanding contribution to the community on behalf of senior citizens. One award will be presented for the total nine county area.

Additional information, including nomination forms, can be found at <https://www.aaa5ohio.org/about/awards/> or by contacting Makaylee at 567-247-3458 or mmusic@aaa5ohio.org. Nominations can be mailed, faxed or emailed.



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Members and friends of Westwood Alliance Church in Ontario met at Lexington Middle School to travel in a caravan to Country Meadows Rehabilitation and Nursing Home to participate in the "Celebration of Mothers" drive-by parade on Friday, May 8. Leading the long line of vehicles were SUVs with flashing lights and blowing horns.



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THE MENS' GROUP of Westwood Alliance Church in Ontario gave gift cards to moms to celebrate Mother's Day. Nearly 40 moms stopped by the church to choose a \$5 gift card from Dairy Queen, Reindeer Grill or Nickel & Bean. (Left photo) Greg Boyce gives a gift card to Jenny Ward. (Right photo) Among those helping to distribute gift cards were Greg Boyce, Paul Sipes and Brad Johnson.

News Briefs

The following May events have been cancelled because of the COVID-19 outbreak and to follow Governor DeWine's stay at home order which has been extended until May 29.

Saturday, May 9, Mansfield Community Memorial and Patriotic Association meeting; Friday, May 15, VA Clinic Cookout; Thursday, May 21, Honored Flag Ceremony; Monday, May 25, WWI Doughboy and Korean War Ceremonies at Central Park Mansfield; and Monday, May 25, Mansfield Memorial Day Parade. For information contact Bruce Phipps at 419-544-0311.



CACY services are still in full operation as an essential mental health service for Richland County. Although the office lobby is currently closed to public walk-ins, personnel can still respond via email or telephone. For a quicker response, email any prevention educator directly or call the main telephone number 419-774-5683 and leave a message. For general questions, email andersont@cacyohio.org.

Several online lessons and resources are available for youth and parenting support is also available.



HEAP may be able to help residents with winter heating bills. To apply, fill out the application available by calling the Area Agency at 419-524-4144 or 800-860-5799 Monday-Friday 9 am - to 5 pm. Anyone age 18 and older may apply for this assistance. Those 60 and over can get assistance with filling out the application. All heating types are eligible for energy assistance programs - electric, wood, coal, natural gas, propane and kerosene. The heating assistance deadline has been extended to June 1, 2020.



Due to the current outbreak and health risk of contact, the Richland County Veteran Service Commission will not be conducting face to face interviews, allowing walk-in clients or transporting to the VA Medical Centers until further notice per the State of Emergency declared by

Governor Mike DeWine.

Those seeking financial assistance can call the office to speak with executive director Ken Estep. Answers to benefit questions and issues will be available by phone.

Those who have symptoms of fever, coughing, sneezing and trouble breathing should not leave their home. Veterans whose family physician is the VA should call 800-368-8262.

Anyone who cannot contact their physician should contact Richland Public Health at 419-774-4500 or the State of Ohio Health Department at 614-722-7221.



A recycling trailer will be in the parking lot at Ontario United Methodist Church, 3540 Park Avenue West, May 23 and 24.

Acceptable items include aluminum and metal cans, milk jugs, detergent bottles, plastic bottles with number 1 or 2 on the bottom (please remove lids and rinse), cardboard, all papers included with the newspaper but no other magazines or paper.



Richland Public Health is hosting a contest to win a \$25 Nickel & Bean gift card. To enter "Like" RPH's Facebook post and share a photo or 10 second video in the comments of a COVID-19 Richland County Hero. Deadline to enter us May 15, 11:59 pm. A winner will be chosen Monday, May 18.

The winner must be a resident of Richland County.

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May is National Foster Care Month

By Brigitte Coles

May is National Foster Care Month and this year's theme is "Foster Care: A Support to Families, Not a Substitute for Parents."

Strengthening families and focusing on their well-being is the key to building strong communities. Whether it's promoting a collaborative relationship between birth parents and foster caregivers or providing parents with the right combination of supportive services to enable reunification, keeping families together is the primary goal in a successful child welfare system.

This May, National Foster Care Month recognizes that foster care must act as a support system for families, not a substitute for parents. Developing partnerships between local agencies, community organizations, and individuals within a family's network is key to building a supportive foundation that supports reunification and preservation.

The goal of Richland County Children Services (RCCS) is always reunification. RCCS has on average 100 children in custody with close to 60 foster homes. Out of the 100 children, 30 percent of them are teenagers. Families are needed for all age children, but especially for older youth. The Agency currently only has two foster homes willing to care for teens.

RCCS encourages all individuals to invest in the lives of children and to provide them with unconditional love, support, guidance, and every available resource to ensure their health and well-being.

RCCS believes every child needs a permanent home. Many of our foster parents adopt the children who are placed with them. Others help children prepare for placement with an adoptive family or relative.

Those interested in becoming a foster parent can contact Richland County Children Services at 419-774-4100 or go to richlandcountychildrenservices.org.



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THE SUPER MOON is captured as it rises in the east.



By Heather Hendrix

Virtual Recreation Department — Are you bored? Looking for something to do? Check out the Virtual Recreation Department. There are fun ideas for all ages from kids and teens to older adults. In each age group there are educational sites, exercise sites and online games. Visit <https://ontarioohio.org/recreation-department/>

Mother's Day photos — OYS and the Rec. Dept. offered free Mother's Day pictures in Marshall Park on Saturday, May 9. We had a great turn out and made sure social distancing guidelines were enforced. See the pictures at <https://www.facebook.com/OntarioRecreationDepartment/>

Online Contests — The Rec. Dept. will host virtual contests throughout the summer. Participants names will be put into a drawing, or we will vote on Facebook, and the top two winners will receive gift cards from local restaurants. Visit <https://www.facebook.com/OntarioRec->

Etta James musical will be performed outdoors

The Renaissance Performing Arts Association will present the musical *At Last: An Evening with Etta James* on Saturday, June 27, at 7:30 pm, following the Renaissance Rock 'n' Roll Car Festival. This presentation of "At Last: An Evening with Etta James" is sponsored by Richland County Foundation.

The performance will take place outdoors on the Renaissance property, and audience members should plan to bring their own chairs and follow appropriate social distancing measures. In the event that gatherings are still restricted at the time of the performance, the production will be presented as a drive-in event with the performance broadcast on an FM station.

Premiered in January 2020 in Theatre 166, "At Last: An Evening with Etta James" was a sold-out hit for writer and director, Michael Thomas, and Condrea Webber who portrayed Etta James. This original musical tells the tumultuous life story of the legendary singer through the songs that she made great. In addition, Alice Bond (piano), Ed Jonet (saxophone), and Rollie Harper (drums) of The Etta James Trio will provide live accompaniment.

Tickets are free, but required, and can be reserved at www.RenTickets.org.

Ontario issues permits

City of Ontario Zoning Inspector Adam Gongwer released the April 2020 zoning permit report.

Permits were issued to Chris Bower, Oakstone Dr., 256 square foot deck; Michelle Arcudi, Park Avenue West, 192 square foot shed; Robert Ohl, Hannah Faith Circle; Harry Johnston, Teakwood Dr., 11'x10' roof awning; and Patrick Beech, Rosewood Ct., 360 square foot shed.

Church Directory

Risen Savior Lutheran Church

1685 Lexington Ave., Mansfield • 419-775-1175
Pastor Brad Wright • risensaviormansfield.com
9 am Sunday Family Bible Time • 10 am Sunday Worship

Southside Christian Church Disciples of Christ

2055 Middle-Bellville Rd., Mansfield • 419-756-3436
Pastor Paul Lintern
10:45 am Sunday Worship

Lexington Presbyterian Church

35 West Church St., Lexington • 419-884-1330
Reverend James Randas
10:30 am Sunday Worship
Bible Study 2 pm Wednesdays

Ontario United Methodist Church

3540 Park Avenue West, Ontario • 419-529-4345
Rev. Chris Bell
Grace & Eggs (breakfast) every Sunday 8:30-9:30 am
Kingdom Kids (Sunday School) 10:15 am
Adult Sunday School 9:15 am
Sunday Worship 10:15 am
Bible Study Tuesdays 6 pm (A study for all: families, singles, seniors)

Hillside First Church of God

2369 Bowman Rd., Mansfield • Pastor Glenn M. Phillips
Sunday Worship 10 am • Wednesdays 6 pm
hillsidefcg@hotmail.com

Ridgeway Church of God

1380 Park Avenue East, Mansfield
419-589-5385 • RidgewayCOG@aol.com
Pastor John Dodds • Associate Pastor Billy Saunders
9:30 am Sunday School • 10:40 am Sunday Worship
6 pm Sunday Family Events
2 pm Wed. Joyful Journey Bible Study • 6:30 pm Wed. Night Kids

Mayflower Congregational Church

548 North McElroy Rd. • 419-589-6612
Pastor Rev. Dr. Rich Rader
9:15 am Sunday School • 10:30 am Sunday Worship
Wednesday Bible Study 11 am
www.mansfieldmayflower.com

Cornerstone Grace Brethren Church

1905 N. Lexington-Springmill Rd., Mansfield
Les Vnasdale, Philip Moeller • 419-747-5012
Sunday School 9:30 am
Sunday Worship 10:30 am
Tuesday Young Adult Bible Study 6:30 pm
Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 6:30 pm
Wednesday Word of Life (children 4 years through 6th grade) 6:30 pm

St. Peter's Catholic Church

60 S. Mulberry St., Mansfield
Very Rev. Gregory R. Hite, V.F. • 419-524-2572
Saturday Worship 5 pm
Sunday Worship 7:30 am, 9:30 am and 11:30 am
mansfieldsteters.org

Promise Land Fellowship

506 Park Avenue East
Pastor Rick and Shirley Wiseman • 419-512-2435
Sunday 9:30 am School of the Bible
Sunday 10:45 am
Sunday 4:30 pm End Time Studies
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TRISHA HUGHES, a third grade teacher at Western Elementary, mailed “flat Mrs. Hughes” figures to her students last week. Students were challenged to take her on adventures and use descriptive language to write about their journey with her.

Richland SWCD offering grant for cover crops

Richland Soil and Water Conservation District (Richland SWCD) is partnering with the Muskingum Watershed Conservancy District on a grant program for producers who plant cover crops. Last year, the grant program assisted in getting cover crops on over 206.23 acres of Richland County farmland and resulted in 87 tons of soil from eroding into our streams, kept 139 pounds of phosphorous on the land and 255 pounds of nitrogen out of waterways.

The 2020 cost-share rate is \$12.00 per acre for returning applicants and \$15.00 per acre for new applicants. Interested applicants may apply through Richland SWCD. Producers in the Rocky Fork, Black Fork, and Clear Fork watersheds are eligible.

Applications will go through a scoring process to see which fields are the most eligible. The goal is to get winter cover on fields with low residue, such as corn silage and soybeans. Therefore, low residue fields will score higher.

Some of the benefits of planting cover crops include reducing soil erosion and runoff, increasing rainfall and snow melt infiltration into the soil and increasing soil quality.

Additional information may be found at <https://richlandswcd.net/> or by contacting Matt at 419-747-8687 or at Wallace.matt@richlandswcd.net.

The Richland Soil and Water Conservation District develops, implements and assists landowners, government agencies and our partners with a wide range of natural resource conservation programs.

CACY accepting parent referrals

Community Action for Capable Youth (CACY), 1495 W. Longview Ave., Mansfield, is accepting parent referrals for its Parent Education Program for families in Richland County. Parenting support is available for individuals or small groups.

For information or to refer call Miranda Garrett at 419-774-5683 or email garrettm@cacyohio.com. Referrals can be faxed to 419-774-6364 or emailed to anderson@cacyohio.com.

CACY will provide tips, strategies and curriculums for parents to manage a variety of parental needs such as:

- Household Management
- Bedtime Routines
- Coping Skills
- Discipline
- Nutrition

Based on referrals, parent educators will complete an initial assessment and will use a curriculum based on the parent(s) needs. Parent educators are trained in a variety of curriculums and are prepared to work with families.

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LEXINGTON WESTERN ELEMENTARY second grade teacher Amy North was surprised by a parade of students and their families who drove by her house last week. They also created a video from a collection of photos taken in the classroom during the school year. The video project, led by Brittany Siringier, as well as a newly released video Western Staff members made for all Western’s students, can both be viewed on the Western Elementary Facebook page. North, wrote “Aug. 21, 2019, was the first day of school and I made a promise to my students and their families that together we would change the world. I believed that with all my heart. I never expected the year to end this way and I felt sad. Being the world changers I know they are, they proved just that. As the last couple of months have unfolded, a lot has changed but one thing hasn’t... our mission. As a community of learners we are changing lives. We have stepped up in our learning together and I am so proud of my students perseverance and their families too. I am grateful for you all and this unexpected visit.”

Western Elementary — Challenge Accepted

Every school day morning at 9:15 am, Western Elementary Principal Genelle Eggerton goes on Facebook Live for morning school announcements. Each day since the start of remote learning, students have been given a daily challenge. Students sent photos of challenges that included favorite outdoor activity, build a fort, read to a pet and go on an adventure.



Jacob Todd



Weston Davies



Curry Family



David Souder

Quarantine Cuisine

*Tired of the same old recipes?
Here's some new ones to try from the T-C and local readers*

Homemade Mac and Cheese Casserole

12 oz dry macaroni, ziti or penne
1/4 cup butter
1/4 cup flour
1 1/2 cups milk (*I used whole milk*)
1 cup light cream
(I had heavy cream. So I used 1/2 cup heavy cream and 2 cups milk)
1/2 teaspoon dry mustard powder
1 teaspoon onion powder
salt & pepper to taste
1 can condensed cream of cheddar soup
4 cups sharp cheddar
(I used shredded Mexican blend and had excellent results)
1/2 cup fresh parmesan cheese

Preheat oven to 425 degrees. Cook macaroni to just al dente to avoid getting mushy when it's baked. Melt butter over medium heat in a large saucepan. Whisk in flour and let cook 2 minutes while stirring. Slowly whisk in cream, milk, mustard powder, onion powder, salt and pepper to taste. Cook over medium heat while stirring until thickened. Remove from heat and stir in parmesan cheese, cheddar cheese and soup until melted. Toss cheese sauce & macaroni noodles together. Pour into a greased 9x13 pan. Bake 18-24 minutes or until bubbly. Do not over cook. Cool 10-15 minutes before serving.

Submitted by Korinna Goettel, Lexington
Adapted from recipe by Holly Nilsson/Spendwithpennies.com



Potato Soup

1 bag frozen cubed potatoes
1 box chicken broth
1 can cream of chicken soup w/herbs
8 oz cream cheese
chopped onion
chopped celery

Place all ingredients in slow cooker 4-6 hours.
Top with shredded cheddar cheese and bacon.

Submitted by Teresa Vore, Lexington



Slow Cooker Mexican Chili

1 lb. of lean hamburger
1 lb. of sausage (tube)
2 packets of ranch powder dressing
2 packets of taco seasoning
2 cans or freezer bag of corn (30 +/- ounces)
2 cans of black beans (wash beans with cold water in strainer)
2 cans diced tomatoes & green chillies
sour cream
corn chips

Brown meat, drain any excess fat. Dissolve dry ranch and taco seasoning with water and incorporate into browned meat. Simmer 5-10 minutes.

Place ingredients into slow cooker. Heat on low 4-6 hours. Serve over chips and add sour cream. (optional)

To season from mild to hot, options include spicy sausage, hot taco seasoning and diced peppers.

Submitted by Mark Willeke, Lexington

Blackberry Cream Cheese Cobbler

1 stick of butter melted
1 cup of sugar
1 cup of flour
1 cup of buttermilk
Splash of almond flavor
4 oz. of cream cheese
blackberries

Mix first 5 ingredients. Pour into pan and add fruit. If the blackberries are tart, add a can of all-fruit blackberry jam. Place the berry mix on top and then cut up 4 ounces of cream cheese into little cubes and place on top. Bake 400 degrees for 40 minutes or until bubbling.

Submitted by Deb Nutter, Ontario

90-Minute Cinnamon Rolls

3/4 cup milk
1/4 cup margarine plus 1/2 cup margarine, softened
3 1/4 cups all-purpose flour
1 (.25 oz) package instant yeast
1/4 cup white sugar
1/2 tsp. salt
1/4 cup water
1 cup brown sugar
1 tbsp. ground cinnamon
1 egg
1/2 cup raisins, optional

Heat the milk in a small saucepan until it bubbles. remove from heat and mix in 1/4 cup margarine, stir until melted. Let cook until lukewarm. In a large mixing bowl, combine 2 1/4 cup flour, yeast, sugar and salt, mix well. Add water, egg and the milk mixture, beat well. Add the remaining flour, 1/2 cup at a time, stirring well after each addition. When the dough has just pulled together, turn it onto a lightly floured surface and knead until smooth, about 5 minutes. Cover the dough with a damp cloth and let rest 10 minutes. In a small bowl mix together the brown sugar, cinnamon and 1/2 cup margarine. Roll out dough into 12x9 inch rectangle. Spread dough with margarine/sugar mixture. Sprinkle with raisins (if desired). Roll up dough and pinch seam to seal. Cut into 12 equal size rolls and place cut side up in 12 lightly greased muffin tins. Cover and let rise until doubled, about 30 minutes. Bake in preheated oven at 350 degrees for 20 minutes or until browned. Remove from muffin cups to cool.

Submitted by Jessica Steele, Madison area, who received from Joy Reynolds

Pressure Cooker Pot Turkey and Rice

1 lb. turkey (or chicken) cooked, cubed
1 medium onion, chopped
4 carrots, sliced
2 stalks celery, sliced
1 box chicken broth (32 oz)
1 can cream of chicken soup
1/4 tsp. pepper
1 tbsp. dried parsley
2 1/2 cups rice (*I prefer brown and sometimes partially mix with quinoa*)

Mix everything in pressure cooker. Use the rice setting for 45 minutes.

If making in a crockpot, high 30 minutes then low 6-7 hours.

Submitted by Jenna Wolford

Quarantine Cuisine

*Tired of the same old recipes?
Here's some new ones to try from the T-C and local readers*

Chicken & Sausage Jambalaya

- 8 tbsp. canola oil, divided
- 2 pounds smoked sausage, cut into 1/4-inch thick slices
- 3 lb. boneless skinless chicken thighs, cut into 1-inch pieces
- 2 cups diced yellow onion
- 1 cup diced green pepper
- 1 cup diced celery
- 6 garlic cloves, minced
- 1 cup chopped fresh parsley
- 1 cup finely chopped green onion
- 8 cups chicken stock
- 1 tbsp. cajun seasoning
- 3 cups long-grain rice
- 2 tsp. cajun pepper sauce

In a large dutch oven, heat 1 tbsp. oil over medium heat. Add sausage in batches and cook, stirring frequently until browned, 5–7 minutes. Remove and set aside. Add remaining oil to dutch oven. When oil begins to shimmer, add chicken in batches and cook, stirring frequently, until browned on all sides, 7–9 minutes. Remove and set aside. Add vegetables, garlic and parsley to dutch oven. Cook, stirring occasionally until onion is translucent, 5–7 minutes. Stir in sausage, chicken stock and cajun seasoning; increase heat to medium-high. Bring to a boil and add rice. Return to a boil. Store and reduce heat and simmer covered for 20 minutes. Add hot sauce and stir. Continue simmering uncovered until liquid is absorbed.

Submitted by Sara Cyr

White Chicken Chili

- 1 medium onion finely chopped
- 6 cloves chopped garlic
- 4 T olive oil
- 2 - 4 oz cans chopped green chilis-drained
- 4 t ground cumin
- 2 - 15 oz cans northern beans or cannellini beans
- 2 - 15 oz cans baby lima beans
- 1 can chicken broth
- 2 lbs. ground chicken
- 4 T old bay seasoning
- 2 t cayenne pepper
- 1 T dried cilantro
- 2 T garlic powder
- potato buds to thicken



Brown onion, garlic & chicken in olive oil.
Mix together and simmer a long time.
Garnish with sour cream & shredded cheese.

Submitted by Alice LaMar Frazier

Peanut Butter Cookies

- 1 cup peanut butter
- 1 cup brown sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 tsp. baking soda

Mix Together.
Bake at 350
10–12 minutes



Submitted by Rhonda Baddour

Peanut Butter Pie

- 8 oz. cream cheese
- 8 oz. whip cream
- 1 cup Peanut Butter
- 1 cup powdered sugar
- 1 tablespoon vanilla
- 1 graham cracker crust

Mix all ingredients until smooth and add into a graham cracker crust.

Chill for one hour.

Submitted by Heather Pauley, Lexington



Cheesy Potatoes

- 1/2 cup onions, finely chopped
- 16 oz sour cream
- 2 cans cream of chicken soup
- 1 tsp. salt
- 2–3 cups shredded cheddar
- 1 tsp. pepper
- 2 lbs. frozen shredded hash browns, slightly thawed

Preheat oven to 350°. Saute onions in skillet. In large bowl thoroughly mix the soup, cheese, sour cream and seasonings. Add onions and hash browns. Coat 13 x 9 pan with nonstick spray. Place ingredients in pan and bake for 45–60 minutes until golden brown.

Submitted in memory of grandma Evelyn Baumberger, Madison



Italian Beef Stir Fry

Aunt Becky's Sour Cream Coffee Cake

- 1 cup butter
- 2 cups sugar
- 2 eggs
- 2 cups sifted cake flour
- 1 tsp. baking powder
- 1/8 tsp. salt
- 1 cup sour cream
- 3/4 tsp. vanilla

- Topping
- 1 cup chopped pecans
- 3 tbsp. sugar
- 1 1/2 tsp. cinnamon



Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Mix nuts, sugar and cinnamon; set aside. Generously coat a 12 cup bundt pan with butter. Sift cake flour into a large mixing bowl. Add baking powder and salt. Sift together and set aside. Cream butter and sugar in a large mixing bowl until light and fluffy. Beat in eggs and vanilla. Gradually add flour mixture to creamed mixture, blending well. Carefully fold in sour cream. Sprinkle about 3 tbsp. of topping in bottom of bundt pan. Alternate batter with topping, ending with topping. Bake 55–60 minutes or until toothpick comes out clean. Cool in pan 10 to 15 minutes. Turn on to serving dish. This cake freezes well.

Submitted by Teresa Vore in memory of "Aunt Becky" Vore

Italian Beef Stir Fry

- 1 lb. beef round tip steaks
- 1 cup cherry tomato halves, cut 1/8–1/4 inch thick
- 2 cloves garlic, crushed
- 1/4 cup bottled Italian salad dressing
- 1 tbsp. olive oil
- 2 cups hot cooked spaghetti
- 2 small zucchini, thinly sliced
- 1 tbsp. grated Parmesan cheese

Cut beef steaks crosswise into 1-inch wide strips; cut each strip crosswise in half. Cook and stir garlic in oil in large nonstick skillet over med-high heat 1 minute. Add beef strips (1/2 at a time); stir-fry 1 to 1 1/2 min. Season with salt & pepper. Remove with slotted spoon; keep warm. Add zucchini; stir-fry 2 to 3 minutes or until crisp-tender. Return beef to skillet with tomato halves and dressing; heat through. Serve over hot noodles; sprinkle with Parmesan cheese. Serves 4.

Submitted by Teresa Vore



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A REVOLUTIONARY MILITARY ENCAMPMENT was set-up near the blockhouse in Central Park in Mansfield. The tents were used by a history teacher from Willard who held a virtual Revolutionary War program for students in his class. The program included pre-recorded content and live interactive portions that were broadcast from the cabin and blockhouse.



T-C Staff/Bud Motter

THE SUPER MOON shines bright on the evening of Thursday, May 7.



T-C Staff/ Bud Motter

A BALTIMORE ORIOLE stops at the feeder of Bud Motter in the Madison area. The feeder was placed and only two days later this photo was caught of the visitor who came for some orange and jelly.



T-C Staff/Bud Motter

DESPERATE TIMES — With salons closed for such a long period, T-C photographer Bud Motter had his granddaughter, Ariel Lilly, cut his hair for him. Readers can send their home haircut photos to news@tribune-courier.com.

Association will offer virtual education program

The Alzheimer's Association Northwest Ohio Chapter will present a free virtual educational program Tuesday May 19. The chapter will utilize videoconferencing to allow individuals to participate in the convenience of their homes and will present "Understanding Alzheimer's & Dementia." The hour-long program will be held from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm. During this program, participants will learn about the difference between Alzheimer's and dementia, the risk factors of Alzheimer's disease, the stages of the disease, and treatments.

To register for the classes call 800-272-3900. The association provides around-the-clock support for individuals dealing with Alzheimer's disease and other dementias through the community-based services and the 24/7 helpline. The free workshop is open to the public. To register call 800-272-3900. Local staff is available during business hours at 419-537-1999.



CARY CARCIONE'S dance class at Ontario High School has been learning classical ballet positions during quarantine. Olivia Todd and her twin brother, Cameron, practice together. Olivia attends Ontario and Cameron attends Mansfield Senior High.

RCF funds COVID-19 Rapid Response Grants

In its second round of grants, the Richland County Foundation COVID-19 Rapid Response initiative awarded \$55,760 in grants to Richland County Youth and Family Council and Area Agency on Aging.

A matching 1:1 grant was awarded to the Richland County Youth and Family Council for its COVID-19 Relief Fund. Assistance will be provided to single adults, couples without minor children and those over the age of 60 and have experienced a job loss or wage reduction related to the pandemic. The assistance will be given to people who apply and meet certain criteria such as an income at or below 200% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines. Richland County Job and Family Services has additional programs and funds to assist families with children.

The Area Agency on Aging received a grant to deliver meals to people in need between the ages of 50 and 59.

The Foundation believes that generosity has the power to unite and heal communities in good times and bad. A global threat like COVID-19 affects more than just the infected. It is a time to come together to drive a spike of generosity, citizen engagement, business and philanthropy activation, and support for our community and nonprofits in Richland County.

To support this effort, donors are encouraged to contribute to the Community Fund at <https://www.richland-countyfoundation.org/donate>. Any Community Fund gifts received throughout 2020 will be used to assist nonprofits directly impacted by COVID-19.

In addition, Donor Advised Fund grants were awarded to the following organizations:

- Avon Theater Film Center — scholarships
- Catalyst Life Services — general support
- Community Health Access Project (CHAP) — Basic Needs for Babies
- Denison University — annual campaign
- Discovery School — general support
- Friends of the Black Fork — general support
- Healthnetwork — general support
- Idea Works — entrepreneurs' kitchen
- Little Buckeye Children's Museum — general support
- Mansfield Playhouse — general support
- Ohio Bird Sanctuary — general support
- Ohio State University Foundation — COVID-19 support for the medical center
- Richland County Veteran Mentoring Program — Yoga for Veterans
- Worthington Township — Hitchman Park Playground



ELLIE PAPST was a lucky mushroom hunter recently.



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DELORIS SCOTT, ANNA KIRST AND BILLIE HARRILL (right photo) wait to leave Lexington Middle School to drive to Country Meadow to take part in the “Celebration of Mothers.” Deloris couldn’t wait to see her mother Jeanie Cushing. (left photo) Waiting in her motorized wheelchair in the parking lot of Country Meadows was Jeanie Cushing and nursing assistant Kim Wiley. Country Meadow Rehabilitation and Nursing Center admissions and marketing director Cynthia Remaley said, “The entire staff has been concerned for our residents and their families since the temporary cessation of visitors to nursing facilities in early March. We all understand the frustration the residents and families have as we also have been unable to visit our parents, children and grandchildren. The staff wanted to do something for our mothers to give them a special day. We came up with the “Celebration of Mothers” drive-by parade and our staff teamed up to make it happen. Our residents were absolutely thrilled to have had that precious time to see their loved ones. It was truly a humbling experience for our staff as they all have a special place in our hearts.”

Adison Floyd, William Laskey named Madison MVPs

By Madison Swim Coach Chad Reynolds

The Madison swim team had a good 2019-’20 season. All of the swimmers dropped time at the sectional tournament in both their relays and individual events.

The boys had four members go to districts in four individual events and two relays.

The girls moved up to Division I and missed the relays by one and two teams. They did a great job at continuing to get better and winning more races as the season progressed.

The boys didn’t have many swimmers, therefore we couldn’t swim all the events each meet. William Laskey was the MVP.

The girls had enough swimmers, but moving up to Division I was a killer because of times at that level. Adison Floyd was the team MVP.

Seniors were Natalie Reynolds, Alyssa Carmel and Robert Hoagland.

Jenah Calderhead is now sixth all-time for Madison in both the 50 freestyle and 100 freestyle.

The boys had many top 12 Madison times: Relays were Dalton Deel, William Laskey, Griffin Darling and Robert Hoagland. They are fifth in the 200 Medley Relay and 10th in the 400 Free Relay.

William Laskey is second in the 200 Individual Medley, fifth in 100 and 200 free and 10th in 100 Fly and 500 Free. There is only one swimming event that he is not in the top 12 for Madison.

Griffin Darling is fourth in the 100 Back and fifth in the 100 Fly for Madison.

Dalton Deel is 3rd in the 500 Free and ninth in the 200 Individual Medley for Madison.

Robert Hoagland is 12th in the 100 Breaststroke for Madison.



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IN HONOR of Teacher Appreciation Week, Mansfield Christian School offered a pizza drive-thru to their teachers. Mr. Craig Klotzbach, high school principal, gives Becky Kurtz her pizza.



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A SIGN OF ENCOURAGEMENT and thanks was placed at Ontario United Methodist Church.

Clear Fork Graduation

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UH Samaritan remains open

UH Samaritan Urgent Care has remained open throughout the COVID-19 crisis, and stands ready to treat non-emergent medical conditions.

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LOOKING BACK: This Week in Tribune-Courier History



May 3, 1968

Seated, left to right, Steve Beilstein, Debby Stehle, and Tommy Keith. Standing, Lori Bottomley and Mike Summergrad.

Ontario Students Awarded Trophies

By KATHY BEER

Three Ontario students were awarded trophies in an essay contest on "Why We Should Obey Our Laws." The contest was sponsored in observance of Law Day U.S.A. by the Bar Auxiliary and the Bar Association.

Winners of the trophies from our school were Debbie Stehle, Steve Beilstein and Tommy Keith. Mr. Giffin and Mr. Adams

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were in charge of the contest at Ontario.

Requirements for the contest were that no entry be more than two pages long. All seventh grade students were eligible to enter the contest.

Students from twelve area schools were awarded certificates or trophies for their participation and winning essays.

The trophies were awarded Saturday morning, April 27th in the Mansfield Common Pleas Courtroom. Winners of certificates at Ontario

May 11, 1984



Gene Berrie

LITTLE BRETT BEAVER ran in the Big Wheel category over the weekend at the BMX races at Mid-Ohio in Lexington. The track will be holding races Friday night and Sunday afternoon again this week.

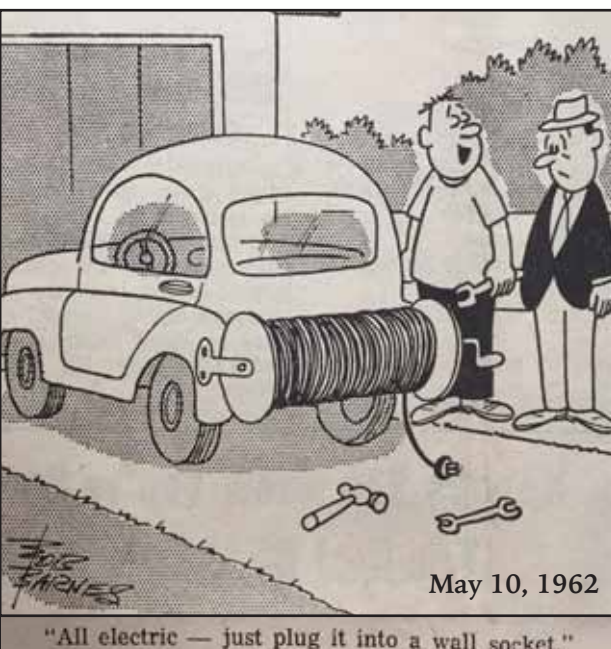


May 17, 1962

Witchey, Popp Reign As Youth King And Queen

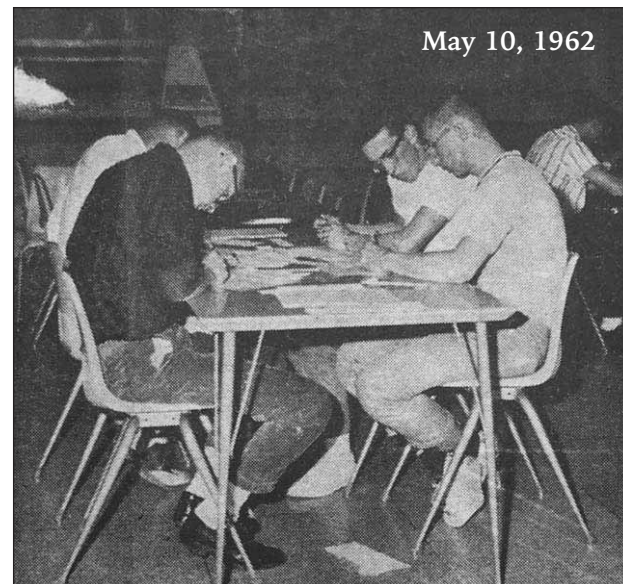
LEXINGTON — Janice Witchey and James Popp, both seniors, reigned all last week as King and Queen of the youth program at Lexington High School. They will be presented with a trophy bearing their names and will be guests at a Kiwanis dinner held in their honor. The dinner date has not been set as yet.

This is the second year the youth program has been sponsored in the Lexington Schools by the Kiwanis Club. Last year's king and queen were Gary Young and Pat Swank.



May 10, 1962

"All electric — just plug it into a wall socket."



May 10, 1962

Photo by Dave LeFevre

The Ontario Mathematicians who competed in the Mathletics held at Ontario High School are, left to right, Glenn Heller, Bill Beans, Robert Rauzi and Dick Bishop.

OHS Mathematicians Compete In Mathletics

Lucas placed first in the Mathletics Contest held recently at Ontario High School and Ontario came in second.

Bob Rauzi of Ontario is the county individual speed answering champion and Glenn Heller tied for third place.

Ontario was the defending county champion. Mr. Fred Rice, math teacher at Ontario High School, was in charge of the Ontario squad.



May 6, 1993

LEARN BASKET WEAVING — Students in Sherry Berger's class at Central Elementary School in Lexington learned what it was like to be a basket weaving pioneer recently. Two parent volunteers, Lorraine McCann and Patricia Heney, worked with the students, helping them make a small hanging basket much like the early pioneers may have done in the late eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries. Pictured is Lorraine McCann with students Colin McCann and Tim Mangas.



May 18, 1984

Marc Stumbo

EIGHTH GRADE CHEERLEADERS for next school year were named recently at Madison South. They are (back) Debbie Wilson, Wendy Backensto, Tammy Eichler; (front) Kim Caudill, Janet Hamilton and Sue Schrack.

On May 14, 1804 — One year after the United States doubled its territory with the Louisiana Purchase, the Lewis and Clark expedition leaves St. Louis, Missouri, on a mission to explore the Northwest from the Mississippi River to the Pacific Ocean. The "Corps of Discovery" contained approximately 45 men (only an approximate of 33 men made the full journey).

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NOTICE OF HEARING ON CHANGE OF NAME

Applicant hereby gives notice to all interested persons that the applicant has filed an Application For Change of Name in the Probate Court of Richland County, Ohio, requesting the change of name of Kirra Elaine Kinney to Lela Kirra Elaine Earley.

The hearing on the application will be held on the 26th day of June, 2020, at 10 o'clock am in the Probate Court of Richland County, located at 50 Park Avenue East, Second Floor, Mansfield, Ohio.

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Notice of Public Hearing

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held before the Council of the City of Ontario, Ohio, at a regular meeting on June 17, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. at the Ontario Charles K. and Charlotte M. Hellinger Municipal Building, 555 Stumbo Road, for the purpose of vacating Leroy Drive to 2300 Fourth, LLC. The City is considering this vacating upon a petition by 2300 Fourth, LLC. All persons interested in this issue are invited to attend and express their views.

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Atterholt completes honors program

Mekenna Atterholt of the Madison area has gone above and beyond Baldwin Wallace University's degree requirements to complete BW's honors program.

Atterholt, a graduate of Madison Comprehensive High School, majoring in psychology, joined a community of scholars dedicated to academic excellence, leadership development and community engagement, developing the whole student along the way.

Interdisciplinary and experiential, the program offers students seminar-style courses that encourage academic exploration and independent thinking. Twenty-three students completed the program requirements in May out of more than 500 undergraduates.



By Kenn Spencer

At this point OYS is still moving forward with baseball and softball. We have pushed a few dates back so please take a look. We have extended registration to May 12. Below is a schedule of events as of today. We are doing our best to plan things, but also understand that we may have to be flexible as more details come out.

- May 12: Final day to Register
- May 13/14: Coaches notified/draft for teams
- June 1: Games will begin
- July 18: End of season

Soccer LIVE is back for another week. Wednesday and Friday at 10 am, we will be featuring Jesse Rider as our trainer. He will be coaching basic soccer skills. Keep following OYS on Facebook for more details.

This week we will once again be offering our community YOGA LIVE on Tuesday and Thursday at 1 pm. We will be featuring Aimee Monroe as our Yoga instructor. We will offer All Levels Yoga, Pilates, Family Yoga. Keep following OYS on Facebook for more details.

July 20-24: OYS Soccer Boot Camp is Live — If you are looking for an opportunity for your child to expand his/her love of soccer, have fun, form friendships and improve soccer skills, sign them up for boot camp. It's five full days of soccer at Marshall Park where kids have tons of fun. This is the eighth year and last year, the camp sold out, so register now to ensure your camper's spot!

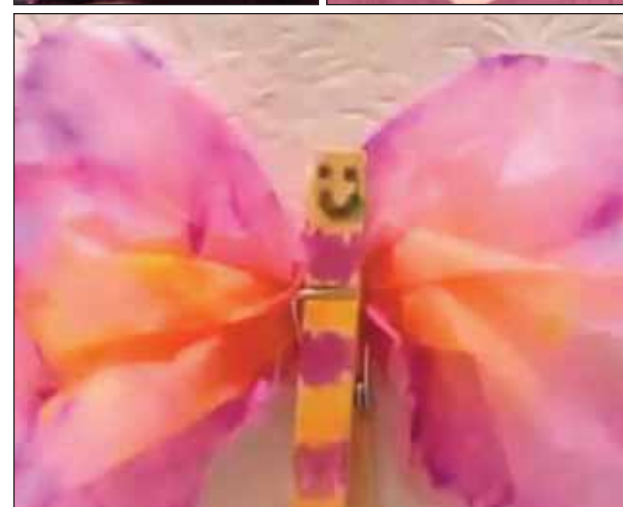
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- Call the sports director at 419-566-8072.

Wood graduates with D.O.

Harrison J. Wood was among the students who received a doctor of osteopathic medicine (D.O.) degree from Ohio University Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine at the college's April 18 degree conferral.

The son of Jane Wood and Dr. Mark Wood of Ontario, in 2016 Dr. Wood earned a B.A. in physics from Wittenberg University, and is a 2012 graduate of Mansfield Christian School. After graduation, he will begin a residency in internal medicine at Western Reserve Hospital in Cuyahoga Falls.



WESTERN ELEMENTARY'S Fine Arts team created a new learning opportunity for students called LAMP. LAMP stands for Library, Art, Music and PE. The Fine Arts team collaborates to develop theme-based video lessons for students with disabilities. The team consisting of Jeni Reamsnider, library; Ashley Todd, art; Jacob Poiner, music; and Kelli Dyer, P.E., have created a series of lessons based on bubbles, trees and most recently spring. This past week, Reamsnider read *It's Spring*, Todd led the students in creating a butterfly, Poiner sang a song about flowers using colors, and Dyer did stretches and poses including a bird.

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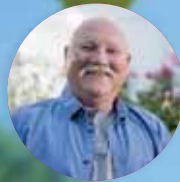
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