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THE OHIO AIR NATIONAL GUARD'S 179th Airlift Wing conducted a series of flybys across the state of Ohio as a salute to heroes at the forefront in the fight against COVID-19, and to lift the spirits and morale of fellow Ohioans on May 15. The 179th Airlift Wing was honored to extend the salute to Ohio healthcare workers, first responders, military members and other essential personnel, as a small thank you for helping to keep Ohioans safe. The trip included Ontario, Mansfield, Lexington, Bellville, Mount Vernon, Marion, Bucyrus, Cleveland, Akron, Canton, Massillon, New Philadelphia, Zanesville, Lancaster, Newark, Ashland and Shelby. All flights were conducted in conjunction with regularly scheduled training missions. C-130s at Mansfield Lahm Airport prepare for their flight.

Memorial Day Events Cancelled

Because of the COVID-19 pandemic and to follow Governor Mike DeWine's extended orders for Ohio to stay at home until May 29, The Richland County Memorial Day events have been cancelled. Events include:

Thursday, May 21, Honored Flag Ceremony

Sunday, May 24, Avenue of the Flags ceremony at Mansfield Memorial Park

Monday, May 25, WWI Doughboy and Korean War Ceremonies at Central Park Mansfield

Monday, May 25, Mansfield Memorial Day Parade

Saturday, May 23, the announcement that volunteers were needed to help place flags on the grave of veterans is no longer effective. The event has been cancelled.

LoveINC will host donation drive through

LoveINC will host a "Dump in a Truck" donation drive through Saturday, June 6, from 10 am to 2 pm at four locations.

Volunteers will be collecting personal care items to distribute to multiple church pantry locations.

Collection will take place at Area Agency on Aging, 2131 Park Avenue West, Ontario (old Hawkins building); Boliantz Hardware, 860 Ashland Rd., Madison area; Lexington Senior Civic Center, 67 E. Main St., Lexington; and Dan Lew Exchange, 28 N. Main St., Mansfield.

Items that can be donated include hand soap, body soap, bar soap, children's soap, dish soap, laundry detergent, laundry

softener, shampoo, conditioner, adult and children's toothbrushes and toothpaste, dental floss, mouth wash, razors for both men and women, shaving cream, toilet paper, paper towels, tissues, feminine pads, tampons, hand lotion, deodorant for both men and women, hand sanitizer, gargabe bags, multi-purpose cleaner and disinfectant spray.

For more information email MansfieldLINC@mail.com or call 419-522-1432 Tuesday-Thursday 9:30 am to noon.

Information is also available on Facebook at Love INC of Greater Mansfield and at MansfieldLINC.org.

Ontario Board reviews policies, moves forward with bus purchase

The Ontario Local School Board met Tuesday, May 12.

Superintendent Lisa Carmichael provided a report regarding the district's compliance with the nutritional standards.

Mike Ram, director of education, gave an update on Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment.

The board approved the employment of Certified Staff Personnel on a one-year limited contract, effective with the 2020-'21 school year. Kelly Conn was approved as a high school guidance counselor on a one-year time contract for the 2020-'21 school year for 15 days.

Megan Gwartz was approved as a high school and middle school vocal music teacher for \$39,830.

Justin Weber, James Willis and James Watkins were all hired as fifth grade teachers at Stingel Elementary. Salaries are \$43,546, \$39,830 and \$41,069, respectively.

Hannah Liska was hired as a Stingel Intervention Specialist at \$39,830.

A Resolution Contingency Plan was approved for the 2019-'20 school year since school is closed for more than the hours permitted under board policy and state law.

The purchase of a bus was approved per the 4/30/2020 bid. The lowest and only bidder was Cardinal Bus Sales. The bid was \$92,025 for an 84-passenger Bluebird bus. The state is providing \$36,871 towards the purchase.

A five-year forecast was submitted by the treasurer.

The board also approved the 2020-'21 salary notices.

Lauren Reichenbach's school year was extended 12 days in June and July as \$22.50 per hour.

A classified substitute list was given approval for next school year as was the North Central Ohio Educational Service Center substitute teachers and tutor list.

The board worked to revise policies dealing with employments, gifted education identification, drug and alcohol testing of CDL license holders and graduation requirements.

Student handbooks from all Ontario schools were approved as was the Ontario Warriors Athletic handbook.

The list of Ontario High School seniors for graduation was okayed for the Class of 2020, pending completion of all local and state requirements.

A \$500 donation was accepted from Stingel Elementary PTO for the Sadie Marie Turnbaugh Scholarship.

Contracts were extended for Alfred Nickles Bakery for supplying bakery products for the food service department for next school year and with Smith Dairy for supplying dairy products next school year.

Items approved for disposal include computers, projectors, Chromebooks, books, TVs and mounts and other miscellaneous.

The board went into executive session for the purpose of preparing for negotiations or bargaining sessions with employees concerning compensation and other terms and conditions of employment. No action followed.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, June 9, at 7 pm.

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Pioneer board accepts donations

Pioneer Career and Technology Center Board of Education met remotely Monday, May 18.

Douglas Theaker, board president, took roll call, led the Pledge of Allegiance and held a moment of silence.

The board adopted a Resolution for Approval of Student Insurance and approved an agreement with Richland Public Health for a school nurse.

A LAN Agreement was approved between Pioneer and NCOCC.

At the recommendation of Superintendent Gregory D. Nickoli, donations were accepted from Ike & Nick Costein, \$200 for the Ruth Klenke Scholarship fund which is used for an annual scholarship awarded to a Pioneer senior; and Hash, Inc., Vancouver, WA of 39 one-year subscriptions to *Animation Master* for students enrolled in the Computer Art and Design class. The cost of a subscription is \$79.99/each for a

total donation of \$3,119.61.

Richland County Men's Golf Association, Mansfield, donated \$500 for the HOSA Scholarship which is awarded annually to a Pioneer senior.

Dawn Wright Smith, Your Cause, Wells-Fargo Bank, Plano, TX, donated \$90 to the Alumni Endowment Scholarship fund. This scholarship is awarded annually to a Pioneer senior.

The financial report was given by treasurer Linda Schumacher and the board approved a five-year forecast.

The Legislative Liason report was given by board member Mike Grady and Nickoli gave the Superintendent's Report.

Personnel recommendations were approved as were stipend contracts for Certificated personnel and employment of summer custodial workers. An agreement with Children's Hospital and the Project Search Program was approved.



Renaissance Performing Arts will broadcast online season preview party

The Renaissance Performing Arts Association's biggest party of the season is getting a make-over. The annual Season Preview Party at the Renaissance Theatre will be held online on Friday, June 5, at 6 pm. The event will officially announce the 2020-'21 Renaissance Performing Arts season lineup and will feature live performances, giveaways and surprises from the Renaissance.

Guests are invited to make it a "Watch Party" and enter the online drawings to win prizes.

They can use "#RenSeason" and post with a selfie on any social media platform and be entered to win a prize. They can also enter the scavenger hunt by finding all of the randomly placed words in the video stream and put them together to form a sentence and submit the correct sentence to be entered to win. Prizes including gift certificates from local restaurants such as Uncle Johns Place and The Old Bag of

Nails Pub, as well as season subscriptions and Family Four Packs to the Renaissance.

Beginning that evening, the 2020-'21 season subscription form will be available on RenTickets.org. By purchasing a subscription, patrons will enjoy the lowest prices of the season with 25 percent off the regularly priced tickets. Members of the Renaissance will enjoy 30 percent off the regularly priced tickets.

Performers during the event will include: Alice Bond, Bryce Dials, Leah Gesouras, Rollie Harper, Stephanie Hayslip, Peter Henkels, Ed Jonnet, Kelly Knowlton, Jenna Krivosh, Leah Lewis, Kyle Miller, Colton Penwell, Maddie Penwell, Pam Phillips, Jacob Poiner, Ross Pruettmiller, Ryan Shreve, Scott Smith, Deon Taylor, Lori Turner and Condrea Webber.

The Season Preview party will be live on the Renaissance Facebook Page, @RenTheatre, and on the Renaissance Theatre YouTube channel.



Rt. 30 ramp will have two closure periods

The U.S. 30 westbound ramp to State Route 39 northbound closed May 20 through May 22 for a gas line project.

The ramp will close again May 26 through June 5.

The detour route is to continue along U.S.

30 westbound to the Trimble Rd. exit, turn left at Trimble Rd., re-enter U.S. 30 eastbound and continue to the Route 39 exit.

These closures are for necessary work associated with the U.S. Route 30 Major Reconstruction project.

Local roads named after mill

By Bob Carter

Ever wonder how Lexington-Springmill Road got its name? How about Plymouth-Springmill Road? And then there is Springmill West Road. Cairns Road was once named Springmill East.

All these roads led to a large water-powered mill whose waterwheel was turned from a hillside spring, thus the name, the Spring Mill. It was built shortly after partners Condon and Welch established a water-powered sawmill there in 1817.

The sawmill would be needed to cut the boards and timbers for a more complicated grist mill. This was the usual common practice.

Ownership then passed to "Eleck" Welch who sold it to Mansfield lawyer Mordecai Bartley. Bartley had served in the War of 1812 and served on Congress from 1823-'31. He was elected governor of Ohio in 1844.

Welch bought the property back and records indicate members of the family ran it for the next 60 years.

The mill attracted others to the location. The Sandusky Mansfield & Newark Railroad, which later became the B&O, had a station below the mill along with a boarding house for station and track crews. An interurban line also passed next to the railroad tracks and there was a one-room school and a grocery and blacksmith shop.

Route 39 bypassed the old mill around 1930 and car train accidents at the rail crossing caused Richland County to close the road at the track.

The only one of three water powered mill buildings left in Richland County — at one time there were 190 — the building is now a beautiful residence located on dead end Greer Rd., just north of 39 before the Lexington-Springmill intersection.

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May

22 — Jeff Plieninger, Madison
25 — Solomon Hicks, Madison
27 — Jeanne Hillman, Ontario

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News Briefs

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.

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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.

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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.



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Senior award nominations being accepted

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.

AWARD WINNER — The Jacob William's Positive Attitude Award is a sixth grade award voted on at the end of each year by the staff of Eastern Elementary School in Lexington. It is generally presented at sixth grade promotion each May. This year, Xander Jellison was chosen as the award recipient. Xander had a tough year. His mother was battling cancer and passed away about two months ago. Even through this difficulty, he always carried a smile on his face. On May 15, as students came to pick-up their supplies left at school, the teachers saw an opportunity to recognize Xander. Coming to congratulate Xander was his entire family. (Top photo) Attending the celebration with Xander were Auden Brownell, Matt Brownell, Tom Brownell, Cindy Bogantz, Bud Bogantz, Miles Abramams, Brooklyn Abramams, Talon Mowery, Brittany Mowery, Bob Shoaf, Sonnie Shoaf, Monica Stroud and Gary Jellison. (Bottom photo) Congratulating Xander were Jeremy Secrist, incoming superintendent; Kelly Dove, Ashton Cannon, Jana Rhoad and Mike Ziegelhofer, outgoing superintendent. Jacob Williams passed away from brain cancer when he was a sixth grader at Eastern. Jacob is thought of as a young man who continued to have a positive attitude even when faced with adversity. The award was created following his passing to remember him.

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ODH issues guidelines for garage sale safety

The Ohio Department of Health has released guidelines to help with safety during garage sale season.

Ohio Department of Health Director Amy Acton, M.D., MPH, strongly recommends that Ohioans take the following actions when having and/or attending garage sales.

- Place posters encouraging social distancing for customers to see upon arrival and while shopping
- Set up tables and chairs six feet apart
- Use heavy-duty tape to form a flow for

customers to follow throughout the sale.

- Ask customers to stand in a line, while spread apart, during a high traffic times
- Clean all tables and chairs several times throughout the day
- Make sure all merchandise is washed and dried and/or wiped down with a disinfectant product before placing on a table or chair for sale.
- Wipe down all tables and chairs using disinfectant at the end of the day or in the morning before the next day of the sale starts
- Wear masks and disposable gloves at

all times during the sale

- Have hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol on tables and other places for customers to use

For additional information, visit coronavirus.ohio.gov. For answers to COVID-19 questions, call 1-833-4-ASK-ODH (1-833-427-5634).

If you or a loved one are experiencing anxiety related to the coronavirus pandemic, help is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Call the COVID-10 CareLine at 1-800-720-9616.

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NCSC trustees will hold meeting

The May 2020 regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of North Central State College will be held on Wednesday, May 27, at 5:30 pm as a virtual meeting only via the Zoom application.

Anyone interested in attending the meeting via the Zoom application (which includes teleconference) is asked to contact the board secretary, Mr. Stephen Williams, at swilliam@ncstatecollege.edu or by phone at 419-755-4811 (please leave a message with your name and contact information).

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THE SIGNS OF SPRING are popping up all around Richland County. Kingwood Center is now open to visitors. The gardens will now be open year-round as Kingwood's new Garden Gateway project opens to the public later this year. The estate sits on 47 acres of outdoor garden at the corner of Trimble Rd. and Park Avenue West. Admission is \$5 per person (free for children 12 and under). Kingwood Center is open daily 10 am to 7 pm. "Free First Mondays" offer no-charge admission on the first Monday of every month.

Lexington BOE busy making plans

The Lexington Board of Education met Wednesday, May 20.

The board passed the five-year financial forecast for FY20 through FY24 and accepted appropriation modifications to Fund 572 Title I, \$8,011.63; Fund 590 Title II-A, \$3,051.74; and Fund 599 Title IV-A, \$475.55.

Maternity leave was granted to Ashley Todd from approximately Sept. 5, 2020 until approximately Jan. 29, 2021. Janet Rhodebeck was employed as a long-term substitute at Central Elementary to cover for Todd.

Jennifer Morris and Jennifer Thoman were approved to be employed as intervention specialists at Eastern, effective Aug. 21, on one-year contracts.

Salary adjustments were made for Carla Pashelich, Jeanna Godby and Summer Lamp.

A resignation was accepted from Larry Lieb of the transportation department, effective June 1, 2020 and from Brenda Welsh of the transportation department, effective Aug. 1, 2020.

Brenda Welsh will now be transportation director on a two-year contract, effective Aug. 1, 2020.

The board approved the graduating class of 2020, as presented by principal Kevin Young, pending successful completion of all graduation requirements.

Kayla Duryea was chosen as the staff member handing out diplomas at graduation, as voted on by the senior class.

Sydnee Detlef was chosen as the board's student representative for the 2020-'21 school year.

Approved as tuition students for the 2020-'21 school year are Sydney Winner, new, fifth grade, tuition waived per board policy following teaching parent; and Brooklyn Brokaw, new, kindergarten, tuition waived per board policy following teaching parent.

Hannah Hamilton and Mikaela McKenzie were hired as summer help for the maintenance department.

A resolution to not provide career-technical education for grades 7 and 8 was accepted.

It was recommended that the board consider the adoption of a Resolution notifying the Ohio Department of Education of the district's intent to administer the Third Grade English Language Arts and Third Grade Mathematics assessments in paper format for the 2020-'21 school year.

A Memorandum of Understanding was agreed upon with the Lexington Teacher Association to adopt the COVID-19 option provided by ODE regarding teacher evaluations for the 2020-'21 and to begin negotiations due to the current COVID-19 situation.

The board then went into executive session for the remainder of the meeting.

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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
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hillsidefcg@hotmail.com

Ridgeway Church of God

1380 Park Avenue East, Mansfield
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Wednesday Bible Study 11 am
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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

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60 S. Mulberry St., Mansfield
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Saturday Worship 5 pm
Sunday Worship 7:30 am, 9:30 am and 11:30 am
mansfieldsteters.org

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Lexington Western Elementary Science Days



LEXINGTON WESTERN ELEMENTARY STUDENTS and their science projects are Madison Thoman; Caden Henry; Grant Bohland; Reece, Isla and Dane Bauer; Aubrey and Addyson Crain; Abbey and Cecilia Young; Miles, Cecily and Violet Kastran; and Lucy Thomas.

Richland SWCD encourages gardeners to use native plants

As gardening season gets underway, Richland Soil and Water Conservation District (Richland SWCD) encourages residents to go native when planning a garden or landscape. Going native means utilizing native plants because of their many benefits.

Native plants are more suited to our climate and soil and typically do better in our gardens than non-native species. They also provide excellent habitats and food for insects, pollinators and wildlife. Because they have a strong root system, more soil is held in place which slows stormwater runoff and filters pollutants before they enter rivers, lakes and streams.

Richland SWCD is hosting a Native Plant Sale in conjunction with Natives in Harmony. Plant plugs cost \$3 and orders may be placed by calling Natives in Harmony at 419-688-9800 by June 5.

A list of offered plants and their descriptions are found in the Native Plant Sale Catalog available at <https://richlandswcd.net/services/water/rain-gardens>. Plants are subject to availability at the time of order.

The drive-up and pick-up of orders will be held Wednesday, June 10 from 5-6 pm

in the back parking lot of the Richland County Longview Center, 1495 W. Longview Ave., Mansfield.

For more information about the sale, call 419-747-8685 or send an e-mail to suter.theresa@richlandswcd.net.

Richland SWCD develops, implements and assists landowners, government agencies and our partners with a wide range of natural resource conservation services.

RPS launches virtual fundraiser

Like many events across the nation, the Richland Pregnancy Services Walk/5K Run for Life has been cancelled for this year. In its place, RPS has launched an online virtual fundraiser called the My33 Challenge.

My 33 is a “choose your own challenge” fundraiser, meaning that participants can choose 33 of anything they would like to do. Examples include 33 laps of running, walking, biking, 33 miles completed, 33 volunteer service hours, eating 33 hot

dogs, etc. RPS encourages participants to get creative to come up with their own “My33”.

Funds raised will support free services offered by Richland Pregnancy Services. RPS has set a goal to raise \$20,000 through this online challenge.

Prizes will be awarded for the most funds raised in each age category (child, teen, adult) as well as for the most creative “33” that participants come up with. Prizes will also be awarded weekly through a drawing of names of those registered for the My33 Challenge.

To participate in the My33 Challenge to benefit Richland Pregnancy Services, register at <http://www.fundeasy.com/e/20219/>

The “33” comes from Richland Pregnancy Services’ 33 years of service to the community. RPS has assisted thousands of individuals in Richland County with services and support which include free pregnancy testing and verification, limited ultrasounds, STD testing and treatment, peer counseling, mom-to-mom mentoring, a fatherhood program with dad-to-dad mentoring, parenting classes, boutique and much more.

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Western Elementary first grade student Wyatt Ott sends a message to his teacher Mrs. Brane



JILLIAN CORDIAL OF LEXINGTON, a 2020 graduate of The University of Cincinnati, made homemade pasta and chicken francese inspired by Darlene Dechellis.

Volunteers needed

In times of need, people come together to support one another. The American Red Cross is asking for healthy individuals to step up to help patients experiencing health crises by donating blood or platelets.

As COVID-19 continues to affect everyday life, people may not be thinking about blood donation. But blood and platelets are needed daily to help patients battling disease and facing the unexpected. Donating blood is an easy way to care for each other and ensure hospitals have the blood products patients rely on.

As a thank-you for helping ensure a stable blood supply, all who come to give blood or platelets May 15-31 will receive a special Red Cross "We're all in this together" t-shirt, by mail, while supplies last. Donors must have a valid email address on file to claim their t-shirt.

Healthy individuals who are feeling well are asked to make an appointment to donate by downloading the free Red Cross Blood Donor App, visiting RedCrossBlood.org, calling 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or enabling the Blood Donor Skill on any Alexa Echo device. Donors are asked to schedule an appointment prior to arriving at the drive and are required to wear a face covering or mask while at the drive, in alignment with Centers for Disease Control and Prevention public guidance.

Each Red Cross blood drive and donation center follows the highest standards of safety and infection control, and additional precautions – including social distancing and face coverings for donors and staff – have been implemented to safeguard donors, volunteers and employees.

The Red Cross is also looking for blood drive hosts to help ensure a stable blood supply. Learn more and sign up to sponsor a drive by visiting RedCrossBlood.org/HostADrive.

Tuesday, May 26, 1-6 pm, Crossroads Community Church, 1188 Park Avenue West, Mansfield

Wednesday, May 27, 1-7 pm, Richland Mall, 2209 Richland Mall

Thursday, May 28, noon to 6 pm, Resurrection Parish, 2600 Lexington Ave., Lexington

Friday, May 29, 3-9 pm, Community Building, 21555 Pealer Mill Rd., Butler



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AS SENIORS PREPARE for the end of their school careers, Mansfield Christian School senior class members were remembered as a special sign was placed beside a rock they painted in front of the high school.



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Farmers market returns next Tuesday, May 26

The Holy Trinity Farmers' Market will be returning for its 11th season on May 26th. The market will once again be held each Tuesday from 3-6 pm, in the west parking lot of the church, located on the corner of Cook Rd. and Lexington Ave.

Gardens were tilled in early spring and many seeds were sown in starter flats in the producers' greenhouses. Cold weather crops were planted directly in the fields and have been slowly growing. Producers grow, harvest and bake or make what they sell. There are no auction produce or plants and craft goods are not allowed at this market.

Items include a wide variety of seasonal produce, breads and baked goods, maple syrup, jam, jelly, herbs and more. Many producers have participated in the market for several years and a few have been coming from the start. They welcome questions and comments. To view photos from past markets or to learn what products may be available each week visit www.facebook.com/holytrinityfarmersmarket.

As a result of the pandemic, operational changes have been made. Market manager, Cindy L. Shasky, will be working closely to monitor updates from Richland Public Health and the Ohio Department of Agriculture to ensure Holy Trinity follows guidelines for this market.

To ensure social distancing, there will be an entrance and an exit, with no early entrance or sales.

The number of consumers allowed in at a time may be limited and marks will be placed at each table for waiting in line.

No re-useable bags, leaning on tables, or self-service will be permitted. Producers will only use new bags and will place items the customer chooses into them.

Producers will keep their area clean and sanitized during the market.

Community members are encouraged to check Facebook for weekly updates and a listing for what will be available that day, posted as the market prepares to open. Email holytrinityfarmersmarket@yahoo.com or call Cindy at 419-709-4468 for more information.



T-C Staff/Bud Motter

STEVE RAYBURN of Steve's Barber shop on Lexington Ave. gets back to business as he serves customers after a long stay at home due to COVID-19. He is now taking appointments. He is shown finishing up Mike Dailey's haircut.



ONTARIO YOUTH SPORTS held a clay/playdoh contest. Winners were first, Kailey Hale; second, Ava Irwin; and third, Parker Hale. Community sponsors made the contest possible. Prizes were first place, \$50 VISA gift card, \$10 Cove Coffee Shop gift card, \$25 Besta Fasta Pizza gift card and \$10 Warrior Drive-In gift card; second, \$35 VISA gift card and \$5 Cove Coffee Shop gift card; and third, \$25 VISA gift card.

Hospice of North Central Ohio receives Shelby fund grant

A grant in the amount of \$1,000 has been approved by The United Fund of Shelby to help charity programs at Hospice of North Central Ohio. Specifically, the grant will be used to help fund HNCO's Virtual Reality Therapy program, Special Request program and Camp Hope children's bereavement camp.

Ralph Tomassi, HNCO Chief Development Officer stated, "Charitable gifts and grants have allowed us to continue to offer these special programs free-of-charge to families in our service areas. We are grateful to The United Fund of Shelby for their continued support of our special mission through their annual campaign efforts".

Hospice of North Central Ohio serves more than 200 patients daily in Ashland, Crawford, Huron, Knox, Morrow, and Richland counties who are living with chronic and terminal illnesses. Additionally, free continuous bereavement services are provided for hundreds of families of hospice patients and to anyone in the community experiencing grief. Call 800-952-2207 for information.

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LOOKING BACK: This Week in Tribune-Courier History



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May 24, 1962 — Ontario High School National Business Honor Society members, front, Pat Esposito, Linda Earhart and Pat Ellis; and back Helen Danals, Sharon Boughton and Karen Betts.



May 11, 1984

Marc Stumbo

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH — Madison South recently chose its students of the month for May. The honor is based on the student's academic achievement, personality and citizenship. Chosen were Julie Heenan (left), eighth grade; Kim Caudill (right), seventh grade; and Sandy Gerstheimer (not pictured) ninth grade.

May 13, 1993



AT THE 1993 ONTARIO HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION, three generations of a local family will have graduated from Ontario. Brooke Evans will graduate this year. Next to her are her mother, Alenna Evans, and grandmother, Norma Fox, and behind them is grandfather Charles Fox, all graduates of Ontario High School.

Homemakers Stage Annual Style Show

May 24, 1962

ONTARIO — A spring garden scene accentuated the annual style show of the Homemaking Department of Ontario High School, Friday evening, May 11. Fashions shown this year featured the Bishop Method which emphasizes factory techniques to make items look ready-made. All girls plus members of the adult education class enrolled in homemaking under the supervision of Mrs. Robert Wildermuth and Mrs. Gerald Krichbaum participated. Kaye Hamrick, junior, was the narrator.

Awards for participation in F.H.A. activities went to Norma Kauffman, Carol Frietchen, Karen Milligan, Marjorie Marshall, Linda Long, Sharon Durrner, D'Larua Rosin, Bonnie Carpenter, Christi Panyik, Beverly Messer, Edythe Beer, Ila Kay Arter, Roberta Maglott, and Kaye Hamrick.

The Crisco Trophy sponsored by the Proctor and Gamble Co. for the outstanding girl in the department was presented to Kaye Hamrick.

A dessert served in the cafeteria followed the style show. Appointments on the tables were in keeping with the spring theme.



Left to right, Judy Craze, freshman, is shown wearing a 2-piece cotton print dress made as a Classroom experience. Norma Kauffman, sophomore, models a Turquoise plisse pajama and duster set done as a Home experience.



Left to right, Marjorie Marshall, a sophomore, is wearing a brown wool flannel dress completely lined, a Classroom experience; Julie Bishop, sophomore, is seen in a green wool flannel dress completely lined, a Classroom experience; Pat Astler, senior, made a brown wool suit as a Classroom experience. This was the first sewing experience for Julie Bishop and Edith Beer.

On May 21, 1881 — The American Red Cross, an organization established to provide humanitarian aid to victims of wars and natural disasters in congruence with the International Red Cross, was founded in Washington, D.C. by humanitarians Clara Barton and Adolphus Solomons. Barton worked with the sick and wounded during the American Civil War and became known as the "Angel of the Battlefield" for her tireless dedication.

Meet Your Teacher

May 24, 1962

Meet Philip G. Giffin, 8th grade Ohio History and Language Arts teacher. Mr. Giffin graduated with an A.B. degree in history from Oberlin College. He then moved on to Kent State University where he completed a year of education courses.

Before coming to Ontario Junior High, he taught for eight years in the Madison School District. He has been at Ontario Junior High one year and says he likes it very much. His extra curricular duties consist of being Ontario Cross Country coach.

A member of the Richland County Teacher's Association, Ohio Education Association, and the National Education Association. Mr. Giffin is currently serving as Ontario's representative for choosing a new county adoption for Ohio History textbooks. He is also on a committee for choosing a new county adoption for an American History textbook. He is serving as 8th grade chairman in selecting Ontario spelling bee representatives to the county spelling bee this year.

A member of the Ontario Community Methodist Church, Giffin sings in the choir and teaches Sunday school. Besides reading, Giffin is an avid bowler and is a member of the Rural Church Bowling League.

Giffin is married, has two children, and resides on Milligan Rd.



PHILIP G. GIFFIN

Douglas Theaker, author of these articles, and senior high school teacher said, "I hope your readers have enjoyed meeting some of their teachers. The articles were intended to convey to the reader a better understanding of the excellent teaching staff in the Ontario schools."

"Without the help of Dave Karle and my wife, Mary Jean, the articles would not have been possible. In the 1962-63 school year, I hope to continue so you may get to know the entire personnel in the Ontario Schools," said Theaker.

This is the last in the series of articles, "Meet Your Teacher" for the 1961-62 school year. Mr.

LOOKING BACK: This Week in Tribune-Courier History



Marc Stumbo

May 18, 1984 — “A Visit to the Magic Kingdom” will be presented by students at St. Mary’s School, 1630 Ashland Rd., Wednesday, May 23, at 7:30 pm. The production is under the direction of Brenda Leary, music teacher. The public is invited to attend the annual music program which will include performances by the Beginner and Junior High Bands with Disney selections by the kindergarten, first and second grad students and a “Disneyland Who Zoo” musical by the third and fourth grade classes. Pictured are Allison Wooley as the White Rabbit and Maria Blackledge as Alice in the Disney youth musical “Alice in Wonderland” by the fifth through eighth grade students.



May 11, 1984

MARCH CITIZENS OF THE MONTH — North Junior High has released the names of the Citizens of the Month for March. Included in the honor are, front row, Melissa Kidd, Scott Ransom and Steve Coffey. Back row, Denise Blamer, Chris Baker and Debbie Baumberger.

Lexington To Graduate 66

May 24, 1962



JEAN PAXTON
... Bowling Green Scholarship



JOSEPH WATERS
... president

LEXINGTON — Commencement exercises will be held in the Lexington High School gymnasium at 8:00 p.m., Thursday, May 31. Sixty-six seniors will receive diplomas from Raymond Fulton, president of the Lexington Board of Education. The senior awards will be presented by Richard M. Irvin, high school principal.

The Rev. George Parkinson of the First Presbyterian Church, Canton, will be the Commencement speaker. Baccalaureate services will be held in the high school gymnasium at 8:00 p.m. Sunday. The Rev. Thomas Leibrand of the First Presbyterian Church in Lexington will be the speaker.

Class honor students are Carol Cotterman, valedictorian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Cotterman, 1112 Bellaire Dr., and Michael Davis, salutatorian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Davis, 603 Brae Burn, Mansfield.

Officers of the graduating class are Joseph Waters, president, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Waters, 268 W. Main St., Lexington; James Popp, vice-president, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Popp, R. D. 2, Lexington; Karen Morkel, secretary, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Gordon Morkel, 1123 W. Cook Rd., Mansfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wittmer, R. D. 6, Mansfield, and Nancy Wittmer, treasurer.



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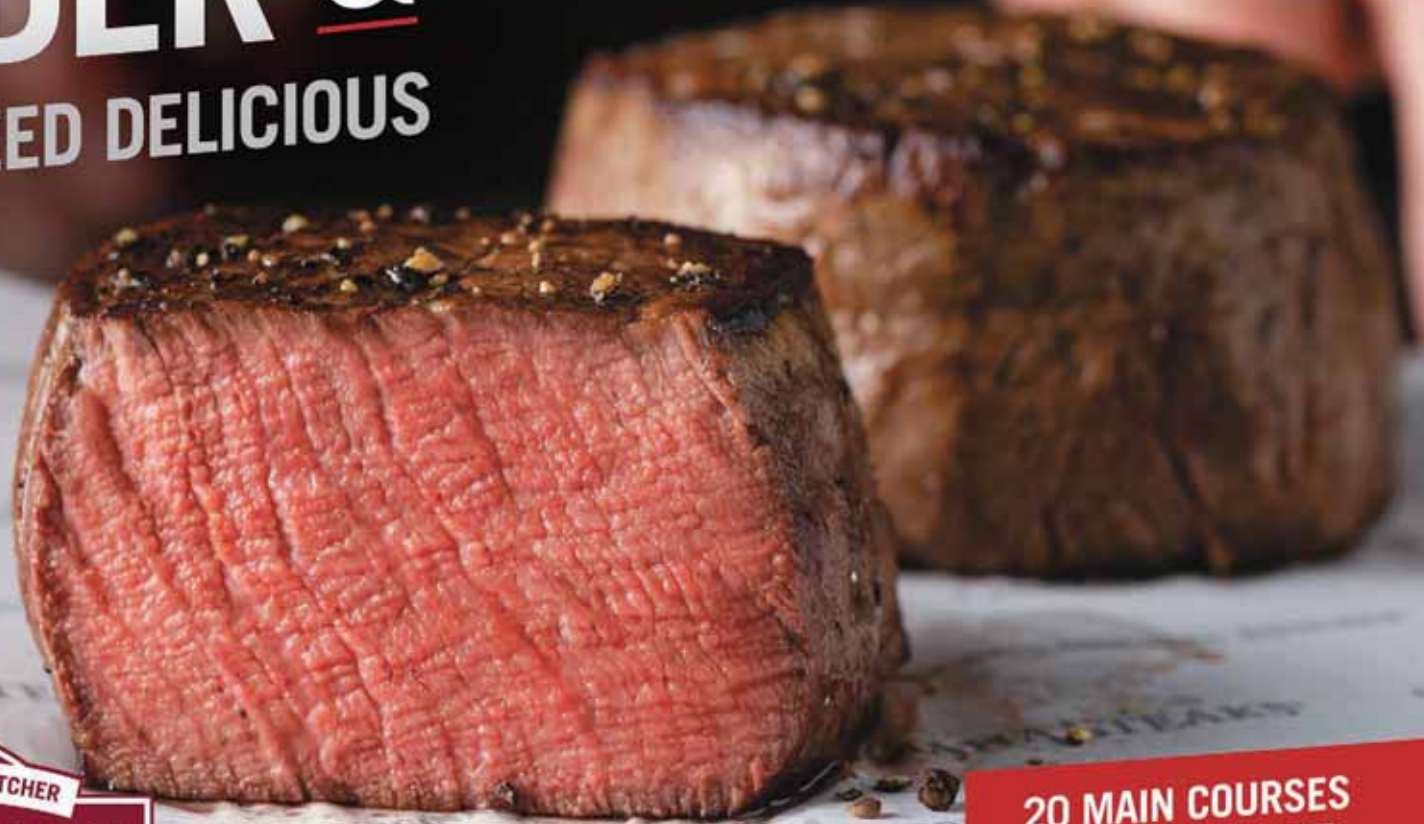
CAROL COTTERMAN
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MICHAEL DAVIS
... salutatorian

On May 21, 1927 — American pilot Charles A. Lindbergh lands at Le Bourget Field in Paris, successfully completing the first solo, nonstop transatlantic flight and the first ever nonstop flight between New York to Paris. His single-engine monoplane, The Spirit of St. Louis, had lifted off from Roosevelt Field in New York 33 1/2 hours before. Lindbergh convinced the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce to sponsor the flight, and a budget of \$15,000 was set. The Ryan Airlines Corporation of San Diego volunteered to build a single-engine aircraft to his specifications. Extra fuel tanks were added, and the wing span was increased to 46 feet to accommodate the additional weight. The main fuel tank was placed in front of the cockpit because it would be safest there in the event of a crash. This meant Lindbergh would have no forward vision, so a periscope was added. To reduce weight, everything that was not utterly essential was left out. There would be no radio, gas gauge, night-flying lights, navigation equipment, or parachute. Lindbergh would sit in a light seat made of wicker. Unlike other aviators attempting the flight, Lindbergh would be alone, with no navigator or co-pilot. On May 21, 1933, five years to the day that American aviator Charles Lindbergh became the first pilot to accomplish a solo, nonstop flight across the Atlantic Ocean, female aviator Amelia Earhart becomes the first pilot to repeat the feat, landing her plane in Ireland after flying across the North Atlantic. Earhart traveled over 2,000 miles from Newfoundland in just under 15 hours.

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An application has been filed asking to Admit a Copy of a Lost, Spoliated, or Destroyed Will to Probate. A hearing on the application will be held, June 19, 2020 at 10:00 o'clock a.m. Persons knowing any reason why the application should not be granted should appear and inform the Court. The Court is located at 50 Park Avenue East. Second Floor. Mansfield, Ohio 44902.

Jason B. Murray
Attorney at Law
11 North Mulberry Street
Mansfield, OH 44902
(5-7, 14, 21 '20) (25 L)

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. Hellingier 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.

Cathy VanAuker
Clerk of Council
City of Ontario, Ohio
5-7, 14, 21, 28, 6-4, 11 (20 L)

CITY OF ONTARIO GENERAL LABORER FOR WATER PLANT POSITION

The City of Ontario, an Equal Opportunity Employer, currently has an opening for a General Laborer in the Water Department. Duties may require operation of hand and power tools, heavy equipment, capable of lifting 50 pounds or more, working in inclement weather or other unpleasant conditions and call-in on short notice. Applicants must have a valid Ohio driver's license. Overtime is likely. Starting hourly rate is \$16.77 per hour. Position includes an excellent benefits package.

Applications may be picked up at the Ontario Municipal Building, 555 Stumbo Road, Ontario, Ohio, or on line at www.ontarioohio.org; and must be returned to the Municipal Building by May 29, 2020 at 3:00 p.m. in a sealed envelope addressed to the Civil Service Commission.

The Civil Service examination for this position will be held on Saturday June 6, 2020 at 8:00am in the Community Room at the Ontario Municipal Building, 555 Stumbo Road, Ontario, Ohio. Doors open at 7:30 am.

Jeffrey P. Wilson
Service-Safety Director
City of Ontario, Ohio
(5- 21, 28 '20) (41 L)

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Madison Township Board of Trustees will accept bids for the 2020 resurfacing program. Based on specifications prepared by Madison Township, Sealed Bids will be accepted at the office of the Madison Township Trustees, 817 Expressview Dr., Mansfield, OH 44905 until:

**May 22, 2020, 5:30 pm,
Eastern Daylight Time**

at which time they will be opened and read aloud. Bids shall be in a sealed envelope

and clearly marked "BID FOR Madison Township 2020 Road Resurfacing" along with the company name.

Bidders may secure copies of the specifications and project at the Madison Township Hall, 817 Expressview Dr., Mansfield, OH 44905, by calling 419-589-9999 or visiting our website and downloading the documents at www.madisontwp.us.

For questions contact Trustee Houser at 419-631-5093 or email jhouser@madisontwp.us, no later than 72 hours prior to the date fixed for the opening of bids.

Each bid shall be accompanied with a bid guaranty in accordance with Section 153.54 of the Ohio Revised Code, by a Bid Bond in an amount of 100% of the total Bid or a cashier's check or a certified check equal to 10% of the bid to be duly executed by the bidder.

All bids shall be on company letterhead and be signed by an authorized representative of that company.

The attention of bidders is directed to the special statutory provisions, RC 4115.02 et seq., governing the prevailing rate of wages to be paid to laborers and mechanics employed on public improvements, and also to RC 153.59 regarding nondiscrimination.

The Board of Madison Township Trustees have the right to reject and or all bids and to accept the lowest responsive responsible bid, which best fits the Township.

By the order of the Madison Township Trustees
Leanna Rhodes, Fiscal Officer
817 Expressview Dr.,
Mansfield, OH 44905
(5- 21 '20) (70 L)

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Madison Township Board of Trustees will accept bids for the 2020 resurfacing Road Improvement: 422 Chip and Seal Program. Based on specifications prepared by the Madison Township Board of Trustees, Sealed Bids will be accepted at the office of the Madison Township Trustees, 817 Expressview Dr., Mansfield, OH 44905 until:

**June 1, 2020, 7:30 pm
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at which time they will be opened and read aloud. Bids shall be in a sealed envelope and clearly marked "BID FOR Madison Township 2020 Road Improvements: 422 Chip & Seal" along with the company name.

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By Kenn Spencer

Last week the Governor of Ohio released the return to play guidelines for baseball and softball. 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 22. 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 22: Final day to register

May 23: Coaches notified/draft for teams

June 1: Games will begin

July 18: End of season

OYS Soccer Boot Camp will be July 20-24. Those who are looking for an opportunity for a child to expand his/her love of soccer, have fun, form friendships and improve soccer skills, should register. The camp is five full days of soccer at Marshall Park. This is the eighth year and we are excited to meet new players and welcome back returning players. Last year, soccer boot camp sold out, so register now to ensure your camper's spot.

•When registering, do not create a new account unless you have not registered in the past – please use your password and login from previous seasons.

•Follow us on Facebook. Sign-ups are posted regularly.

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A CONCESSION STAND will be added to the Milligan Road fields in Ontario this summer. Ontario Youth Sports will be using the two fields at Milligan Road this year and will be able to stock a full concession stand.

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IN DECEMBER, Ontario student Trista Jewel qualified for the regional Power of the Pen Competition that should have been held on March 14. The Power of the Pen organization worked with Kent State University to allow these district winners an opportunity to write for the regional competition. On May 9, Trista competed from the comfort of her home in the regional Power of the Pen competition. She wrote two stories during the allotted time period and is anxiously awaiting the results.

News Briefs in Education

Weston Gunther of Lexington has been selected to the University of Jamestown's Spring 2020 Dean's List for maintaining a Semester GPA of 3.50 or better.

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Jessica Day was among nearly 700 students who graduated from Bob Jones University Friday, May 8.

Day graduated with a MS in Educational Leadership.

During the virtual ceremony, over 500 students received bachelor's degrees, nearly 100 students received master's degrees and nearly 40 students received associate degrees. Five candidates earned doctoral degrees.

Traditional, in-person commencement exercises will be held Saturday, Aug. 29, at 10 am in the Founder's Memorial Amphitheater.

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Slippery Rock University has announced its dean's list for the spring 2020 semester. The list consists of SRU undergraduate students who earned an adjusted semester grade-point average of 3.5 or higher, based on a schedule of at least 12 newly attempted and earned credits.

Madison graduate Cal Rickert was named to the list.

Have your university or college send your education news to news@tribune-courier.com.

Virtual race helps fund free programs for cancer patients

The Gathering Place is celebrating its 20th Anniversary Race for the Place with a virtual race, May 29–June 7. Presented by University Hospitals Seidman Cancer Center, participants are encouraged to walk or run their miles throughout the week and then participate in a special Cancer Survivors Day® and race ceremony from Facebook or Instagram.

"As we contend with the challenge of COVID-19, we recognize that cancer does not stop and neither do the needs of our participants that are coping with the impact of their own or a loved one's diagnosis. The ability for The Gathering Place to continue providing free programs and services that help individuals and families cope with cancer emotionally, physically, spiritually and socially is as important now as it has ever been," said Michele Seyranian, chief executive officer of The Gathering Place.

The Race for the Place helps fund the free services offered at The Gathering Place. Since COVID19 prompted the need to stop in-person programming The Gathering

Western Elementary invites community to join in activities

By Cindy L. Shasky, Educational aide
Lexington Western Elementary

Thanks to Western Elementary P.E. teacher Kelli Dyer, students will have the opportunity to participate in the OPEN National Field Day 2020 Activities, in lieu of the annual Western Games this year.

OPEN is an organization created by U.S. Games and BSN Sports designed to improve the effectiveness of physical education for every child and their materials are free. As Dyer has attended OPEN workshops and utilized activities in her school classes, she knows the kids will have fun with the activities.

On Thursday, May 21 and Friday, May 22, Western students will participate in the OPEN activities. The students will have Monday–Wednesday to look over the activities, watch the videos, practice them and decide which 10 activities they will choose to complete.

Dyer also attached an official score card to track scores for the activities that the students choose and an equipment list including all items that will be needed for the challenges. Students will open activity direction sheets that explain how to complete each activity and watch the activity videos at <https://openphysed.org/fielddayvideos>.

A Certificate of Completion will be available for parents to print and fill out. Western invites the community join in the fun.

Stephanie Coffman, third grade teacher at Lexington Western Elementary, loves science. She brings that love to students through live science experiment videos on the Western Elementary Facebook page every Thursday morning at 10:30 am. Western staff and students love seeing the science photos parents share of their children participating. Coffman conducted an interesting jumping raisins experiment a couple weeks ago showing the effects of carbon dioxide gas created when vinegar was added to baking soda and raisins were tossed into the mixture. She also did an experiment for invisible ink.

Dissolving peeps, a baby volcano and fireworks in a jar were created in Coffman's kitchen in recent weeks as well. Below is how you can create your own fireworks in a jar experiment at home. Be sure to have permission first!

Supplies: 1 glass jar, warm water, food coloring, 3 tsp. vegetable oil, plate and fork

Step 1: Fill the glass jar $\frac{3}{4}$ full with warm water.

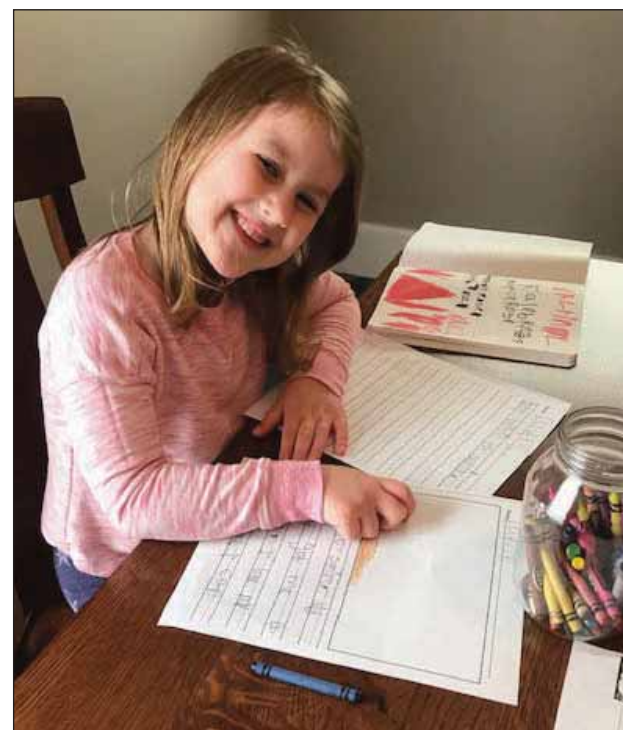
Step 2: Put 3 tsp. vegetable oil on a plate and drop random drops of food coloring onto the oil.

Step 3: Gently mix the food coloring into smaller specks with a fork.

Step 4: Drop the oil mixture into the jar of warm water.

Then... watch what happens!

Be sure to check out the Western Elementary Facebook page to see what supplies you will need to follow along and join in the fun for one final Coffman's Kitchen this Thursday. Video clips of previous experiments may also be found on the Western Elementary's page. You may want to give them a try!



WESTERN ELEMENTARY kindergarten student Payton works on her writing during remote learning. She is a student of Missy Betscher.

The Tribune-Courier
will feature
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