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CHURCH REQUEL, 2 Marion Ave., Mansfield served a free lunch at the open air gospel music concert held on the church lawn on Saturday, July 24. Brian Trubachik, Mary Kay Pierse, Mark Baserman and Leia Walker helped to work at the concessions which offered a free hot dog, chips and cookie.

Health event is Friday, July 30

Richland Public Health will join other health care service agencies in a COVID-19 Vaccine Health Event at New Beginning Full Gospel Baptist Church on July 30. The Health Event will run from 10 am to 1 pm, in the parking lot outside the church, 91 Marion Ave., Mansfield.

All the health activities at the event will be free, including the COVID-19 vaccinations for ages 18 and older. Richland Public Health will be using the one-dose Johnson and Johnson COVID-19 vaccine at the event.

Eligible Medicaid participants will receive a \$50 VISA gift card for getting their COVID-19 vaccine.

In addition to a free lunch, provided by members of the New Beginning Full Gospel Baptist Church, those who participate in activities and screenings will be eligible to

win \$25 gift certificates or a gift basket.

At the event will be free pediatric dental health bags which include a toothbrush, floss and mouthwash for all children up to age 18. Free Deterra Drug Destruction packets will be provided by the Richland County Youth Substance Use Coalition.

Blood Pressure and BMI checks will be performed by Public Health Nursing.

There will be information on Ohio Buckles Buckeyes and how to qualify for a free child car seat and information on the AARP Senior Driving Refresher Class.

Richland County Mental Health & Recovery Services Board members will discuss the "Know It B4 U Need It" campaign and The Cleveland Clinic Cancer Center of Mansfield will have free cancer screening resources.

Area Agency on Aging to host blood drive at Hawkins Corner this Thursday

The Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging, Inc. has announced there will be a blood drive on Thursday, July 29, from 9 am to 3 pm at the Hawkins Corner Building, 2131 Park Avenue West, Ontario.

Hawkins Corner is located on the Richland County Transit bus route. The public is welcome to donate. To schedule an appointment call 1-800-REDCROSS or visit redcrossblood.org and use the sponsor code O5AAA.

Those who donate blood during July 7-31 will be given a \$10 Amazon.com gift

card by e-mail. They will also be entered for a chance to win gas for a year, a \$5,000 value.

For additional information contact the Area Agency on Aging at 419-524-4144 or 800-860-5799.

The Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging, Inc. provides leadership, collaboration, coordination and services to older adults, people with disabilities, their caregivers and resource networks that support individual choice, independence and dignity.

Madison School Board has busy agenda as school year approaches

The Madison Local School District Board of Education met July 21, in the Madison Middle School Auditoria.

Board president Tim Wigton called the meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mike Yost, transportation supervisor, gave a presentation, followed by a report from treasurer Robin Klenk.

Resignations were accepted from John Foust, assistant ninth grade football coach, effective July 9, 21; Tim Niswander, assistant varsity boys' basketball coach, effective July 16, 2021; and Susan Jolley, Special Ed Aide, Eastview, effective July 7, 2021.

Supplemental positions for the coming school year were awarded to Tieler Crouse, seventh grade cheerleading advisor; Katelyn Smith, seventh grade volleyball coach; Andrea Gerich, eighth grade volleyball coach; and Philip Atwell, assistant (JV) golf coach.

Mikaela Bush was approved as a volunteer for cross country.

Substitute employees approved on an "on call" basis, as needed, for the 2021-'22 school year were Vicki Maxey, cafeteria; Lorri Smollen, cafeteria; Penny Tamburrino, secretary; Dorothy Pugh, secretary; Dean Maul, cafeteria; Sam Thomas, custodial; Bobby Neal, custodial; Diana Roub, custo-

dial; John Craft, custodial; Mark Christy, custodial; Stacy Moore, secretary/aides; Daniel Brammer, bus driver; Carol Brown, bus driver; Lillian Galco, bus driver; Partena Tesca, bus driver; Trevor Kirsch, bus driver; and Todd Newberry, bus driver.

Harlan Neal was appointed as head bus mechanic, effective Aug. 9, 21.

The board appointed a delegate and alternate to OSBA Annual Business Meeting to be held Monday, Nov. 8, 2021 and approved the second reading of the Blended Learning policy.

A contract for educational/special services and employment services between Tri-County Educational Service Center and Madison Local Schools for the 2021-'22 school year was approved.

The board approved the Madison Early Childhood Learning Center's Latchkey and RAMS Club Program Parent Handbook for the 2021-'22 school year.

An unpaid leave of absence was given to Erin Schulz, kindergarten teacher at Mifflin, effective Aug. 1, 2021 through May 31, 2022.

The board approved the annual property and auto insurance premiums to the Schools of Ohio Risk Sharing Authority in the amount of \$162,291.

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Lexington approves employments for coming school year

The Lexington Board of Education met Wednesday, July 21.

The board approved an Agreement of Transfer to the Richland County Foundation for the Terry McCammon Scholarship Fund.

Resignations were accepted from Ashley Smith, Intervention Specialist and ETR chair at Western Elementary; and Vincent Sansalone, high school health/PE, both are effective at the end of the 2020-'21 school year.

Employment was granted to Laura Hoesman, Eastern, sixth grade science and social studies teacher; Megan Bechstein, Eastern, fifth grade science and social studies teacher; and Jami Gorrell, Western, third grade Intervention Specialist, all effective Aug. 16 as one-year contracts.

Tina Parr was approved for math camp (June 21-25), \$1,200.

Science Camp workers (July 26-Aug. 6), approved at \$1,200 per week were Michelle Rastetter, Tina Parr, Cara Pelphrey, Julie Lamp, Jaime Chambers, Annette Rush, Carla Pasheilich, Melissa Hassmann, Ashley Smith, Heiden Eichorn, Reanna Sutherland, Kim Earick, Heather Noland, Cindy Shasky, Joy Bowman, Stephanie Blackstone (seven days payment of \$1,680) and Lori Hoyt (three days payment of \$720).

Maternity leave was approved for Kaitlyn Swartzmiller from approximately Aug. 20 to Oct. 1, 2021.

Jen Brane, Western first grade, was approved for a continuing contract.

Resignations were accepted from Jenny Berick, food service, 4-hour general help/cashier, Central; and Jaclyn Dodson, food service, 2-hour position.

Employment was granted to Amanda Moeplin, high school educational aide, one-year contract, effective Aug. 16; Jenny Berick, food service, 6-hour general help high school/jr. high; and Jaclyn Dodson, food service, 4-hour general help/cashier jr. high.

Vincent Sansalone resigned as junior high football coach for the 2021 football season.

Jim Steele was approved as a volunteer assistant junior high school football, Herb Harkness will be the junior high football coach and Emily Patterson will be the weight/strength coach from August to October.

Jay Schmidt will be the athletic program coordinator for 2021-'22.

The district building handbooks for the 2021-'22 school year were approved.

The board approved a resolution to not provide career-technical education in grades seven and eight.



West Main Street on a warm summer day

By Bob Carter

On a very warm summer day, the streets were nearly empty in Lexington. If too hot to labor in the heat it was wise to seek a shady place to rest.

This 1910 era photograph was taken in the street in front of the present day city building, looking east towards the town square. The small white spots under the trees on the left side of the picture are men sitting on chairs, no doubt trying to stay cool.

It's a rather peaceful scene back then. All the buildings on the left burned down in 1929 in a disastrous fire when the village had little in the way of fire equipment.

The old Culp building on the right was torn down a few years ago for a planned

new structure but contaminated ground from an abandoned gas station across the alley caused the EPA to stop that.

The present Kell Hardware building was further along.

The mostly unpaved street shows the wagon and buggy tracks as at that time very few owned an automobile. The dark spots are today often referred to as "road apples" and, at times, the village hired someone to clean the streets.

Another problem was dust which penetrated the open shop doors and settled on the merchandise. A series of pipes once laid along the downtown section watered the street from a gasoline engine powered pump devised by doctor Henry Smith. That effort didn't last long. In places the dust became mud.

Area nonprofits can apply for grant

The Women's Fund of the Richland County Foundation is accepting grant applications from nonprofit organizations for programs that support women and girls.

For information about the process or guidelines, contact Foundation Community Investment Officer Siera Marth-May at smarth@rcfoundation.org or call 419-525-3020 to assure a program complies with the focus and guidelines.

Programs must occur between Dec. 1,

2021, and Aug. 31, 2022. The deadline to submit an online application is Sunday, Sept. 5. Applications are available at richlandcountyfoundation.org.

The Women's Fund of the Richland County Foundation was formed in 1996 to promote philanthropy among women and to provide funding for programs to empower women and girls. The Women's Fund has awarded 304 grants that total \$442,390.

This Week's Outdoor Space

Send your outdoor space photos to news@tribune-courier.com



Paul Martin's Jazz Quintet will play at Kingwood Center Gardens July 29

Paul Martin's Jazz Quintet is the featured band for the final week of Kingwood's summer concert series, Live on the Lawn. The free two-hour concert on Thursday, July 29, begins at 7 pm on the Quad.

Paul Martin's Jazz Quintet features saxophone, piano, bass, drums and vocals by Kelly Knowlton.

This event is rain or shine. In case of inclement weather, the concert will be in the King Ballroom. Visitors should bring their own lawn chair or blanket. Seating will not be provided.

The Gateway Café will be open until

6:30 pm serving its summer menu. Buehler's Food Truck and Snacks & Sips will offer a variety of food and beverage options available for purchase throughout the evening.

Kingwood is grateful to Modern Woodman of America for being this year's presenting sponsor and media sponsor, North Central Ohio Media group.

As a reminder, visitors must be 21 or older to consume alcohol and all alcohol must be purchased and consumed on the grounds. For additional information, including inclement weather location, please visit www.KingwoodCenter.org

Reading program continues at parks

Richland County Children Services (RCCS), the City of Mansfield Parks and Recreation and United Way of Richland County are helping youths become future leaders through the "Being A Reader Makes You A Leader" reading program.

The program is part of the Community Nature Day Camp at Johns Park and North Lake Park from 9-3 pm for ages 5-12 years old.

Community leaders were invited to come and read a book to the youths participating in the camp and talk about their careers. Community leaders will read from 1-2 pm on the scheduled dates listed.

The goal of the program is to inspire youths to read, and help build their reading skills. Most importantly the youths have an opportunity to meet our community leaders our local heroes and learn how they became leaders.

Aug. 3: Johns Park, Reed Richmond (Health Education and Communications Specialist, Richland Public Health) and North Lake Park, Chief Steve Strickling (Mansfield Fire Department)

Aug. 5: Johns Park, Brenda Nelson (Development Director, Kingwood Center) and North Lake Park, Dr. Donna Hight

For more information call 419-610-6915.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

July 29 — Ben Steele, Madison

August 2 — Ben Vore, Lexington



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THE MADISON TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES held a special meeting on July 22, to put the final touches on the 2021 paving contract by rebidding the contract to include Mayer Dr., Burgraft Rd. and all of Evergreen Ave., after receiving notification from chief fiscal officer Leanna Rhodes that the road department has a balance of \$215,540. Hoping to get more bidders, the trustees moved the completion date from Sept. 15 to Oct. 15. The trustees also voted to look for a replacement for retiring road department employee David Murphy who will be retiring on July 31. New employees must be able to lift 50 pounds, operate equipment, drive and operate a plow and be able to back up trucks and trailers. The 2006 engine 75 will go to the ARFF corporation of Townsend, Georgia with a bid of \$26,101. Madison's Fire Chief Ken Justus addressed the trustees as his desire to purchase updates for the department policies and procedures, some of which are over 20 years old. The trustees said they will address the matter at the next meeting.

Grandstand events return to county fair

The Richland County Fair will open Aug. 8–14 with a full schedule of events and entertainment.

The fair will officially open Sunday, Aug. 8, with \$1 gate admission and harness racing at 5:30 pm at the grandstands at no extra charge. There are no rides on Sunday; rides open at 6 pm Monday.

Harness racing will continue at 5:30 pm on Monday.

Wednesday is Kids Day and features special ride prices from noon to 4 pm and special events and entertainment including a petting zoo.

On Wednesday, the rodeo is at 7 pm. Grandstand admission is \$5.

The OSTPA and county tractor pull is scheduled for Thursday at 7 pm. Admission is \$10 for the grandstand, \$20 for the pit and \$20 for the back gate.

Thursday is also Armed Forces Day from 8 am to closing. Fair gate admission is free with ID to all veterans and active duty.

On Friday, Aug. 13, Jessica Hannan will open at 6:30 pm before Nashville Crush takes the stage at 8 pm. Tickets are \$10 for track seating. Visit the www.richlandcountyfair.com for tickets.

The demolition derby will be held at 5 pm. Tickets are \$10 for grandstand and \$15 for pit.

Throughout the week, general gate admission is \$5 daily and admission for children 48" and under is free.

Membership tickets (seven admissions) are \$25 and a season ticket (seven admissions) is also \$25.

For a full schedule visit richlandcountyfair.com.

•Madison board has busy agenda

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The board voted to reject the one sealed bid received for the Cosmetology Theory Room renovation project. The sealed bid came in at double the cost of the published estimated budget.

The board then moved to approve the Cosmetology Theory Room renovation project at a total estimated cost of \$110,000 to be paid for out of Adult Career Center Care Act funds. The project will be man-

aged internally, using district-approved vendors.

The board went into executive session to discuss employment.

The board held a work session on July 22, at the Mid-Ohio Educational Service Center, 890 W. Fourth St. No action was taken.

The next regular board of education meeting is Aug. 25, at 6 pm in the Madison Middle School Auditoria.

MCS volleyball team will wash cars Saturday

The Mansfield Christian School middle school volleyball team will host a car wash on Saturday, July 31, from 9 am to noon at Rancho Fiesta, in the Appleseed

Plaza, 360 S. Trimble Rd., in Mansfield.

Car washing will be by donation and money raised will be used for uniforms and equipment.

News Briefs

Ridgeway Church of God, along with Advance Auto Parts, corner of McElroy Rd. and Ashland Rd., Madison area, will host a car wash on Saturday, July 31, from 10 am to 1 pm. Please bring canned goods for the food pantry. Any monetary/canned goods donated will benefit the church food pantry. For information call the church at 419-589-5385.

Work dates and times have been scheduled at Liberty Park Garden in Mansfield. They are July 31, Aug. 5, 9, 12, 19, 23, 26 and 30 from 6–8 pm.

Under the direction of the Rev. Stanley Wertz, the garden helps meet the needs for fresh produce through the east side's own Catholic Charities Food Pantry.

For more information contact Wertz at 419-378-2503 or 419-892-3539.

Paradise Church, 87 N. Illinois Ave., Madison area, will offer Bible stories, crafts, games, skits, snacks and prizes for children age 2 to grade 12.

The Bible school will be held Aug. 9–13, from 6:30–8:30 pm. Registration will be held July 31 and Aug. 7 from 9–11 am at the church.

For more information visit myparadisearchurch.com, Paradise Church on Facebook or call Angie Benedict at 419-512-8377.

All Souls Unitarian Universalist Church of Bellville, 25 Church St., Bellville, will host speaker Hayley Young of Bellville on Sunday, Aug. 1, at 10:30 am.

She will speak on "The Disney Evolution" and take the audience on a trip through the Disney Vault, exploring Disney's most questionable movies and celebrating its films that exemplify Unitarian Universalist principles, support beloved community, and showcase cultural diversity.

For more information visit www.all-soulsuohio.org.

Little Washington Congregational Church is hosting its 16th annual "Cruise-In" on Saturday, Aug. 14, from 4–7 pm.

Home-cooked food will be served along with ice cream and pie.

Cruise-In participants enjoy sharing information about their restored cars, motorcycles and farm equipment. To register call Gary Stone at 419-774-2714 or just stop in on Saturday, Aug. 14 and register. Please arrive by 3 pm.

For information call Ronda Stone at 419-774-2714 or the church at 419-756-9292. The church is located at the corner of Washington S. and E. Hanley Roads.

State Route 603, between Lucas Perrysville Rd. and Pleasant Valley Rd., will close Monday, Aug. 2 for three consecutive culvert replacements.

The locations of each culvert are at the SR 603 and Lucas Perrysville Rd. intersection for approximately two weeks; between Welty Rd. and Schrack Rd. for approximately one week; and between Hunter Rd. and Pleasant Valley Rd. for approximately one week.

The detour route for southbound motorists will be SR 603 to SR 39, east/south-east on SR 39 to SR 95, west on SR 95 to

SR 603, and reverse for northbound motorists.

Estimated completion is Friday, August 27, 2021.

The City of Ontario summer concert series is held at the Marshall Park Band Shell from 6–8 pm and concerts are free. Food vendors will be available.

The schedule continues with Thursday, Aug. 12, Sweet Beats, Beatles tribute; Aug. 26, Departure, Journey tribute; Sept. 9, Oolong Gurus, country/alternative; and Sept. 23, Just Jazz Live, jazz.

Visitors are encouraged to bring lawn chairs and blankets and enjoy a picnic as they enjoy the music.

Ridgeway Church of God, 1380 Park Avenue East, Madison Township, will host a spaghetti dinner on Friday, Aug. 6, from 4:30–6 pm in the fellowship hall. Drive-thru orders will be available. The menu will include spaghetti, bread, salad, dessert and beverage. Cost is a freewill donation. All proceeds will benefit the food pantry. For more information call the church at 419-589-5385.

A "Stuff the Bus" event will be held Friday, Aug. 6 and Saturday, Aug. 7, at the Ontario Walmart, 359 N. Lexington-Springmill Rd., from 9 am to 3 pm.

The event is to collect school supplies items which will be taken to Friendly House Mansfield, for distribution for pre-k and afterschool programs.

The event is in memory of Mary Jo Manocchio, a teacher at Crestview Schools who passed away from cancer earlier this year.

Most needed items include back packs, pocket folders, markers, crayons, colored pencils, composition books, earbuds/headphones, pencils, pens, spiral notebooks, loose leaf paper, boxes of tissue, binders, scissors, pencil bozes, large pink erasers, dry erase markers, rulers, hand sanitizer and disinfectant wipes.

State Senator Mark Romanchuk will have a fundraiser dinner on Wednesday, Aug. 25, from 5:30–7:30 pm at the home of Ben and Kim Ferguson, 1078 Twp Rd. 2156, Ashland.

Sponsorships are \$5,000 chair; \$2,500 sponsor; \$1,000 patron; or \$150 individual or \$250 couple.

To RSVP call 614-595-2646 or email amykerschner@outlook.com by Aug. 23.

The Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging's Senior Farmers' Market Nutrition Program (SFMNP) helps provide income eligible seniors with access to locally grown fruits and vegetables.

Participants receive \$50 worth of coupons through the growing season to use at participating farmers' markets and stands. Applications may be submitted or downloaded online at aaa5ohio.org/sfmnp. Call 567-247-7101 Monday–Friday, 9 am to 5 pm, to request an application by mail.

To submit a news brief item, email information to news@tribune-courier.com. Deadlines are noon Mondays

Area Agency on Aging receives prestigious award

The Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging, Inc. announced that its Repurposing Vacant City Lots into Affordable Housing Program recently received a 2021 Aging Innovations Award from the National Association of Area Agencies on Aging (n4a), the highest honor presented by n4a

to member agencies. The awards program is supported by iN2L, provider of the leading engagement and social connection platform for seniors, offering a foundation for activities that facilitate social interaction, cognitive and physical exercise, education, reminiscing, areas of interest and memory

support engagement.

Repurposing Vacant City Lots into Affordable Housing Program, which addresses a critical need for safe and affordable housing for aging adults through an innovative development of Ritter's Run Apartments. This program was among the

top 15 of 36 local aging programs to receive honors during the n4a Annual Conference and Tradeshow, July 19-22.

The 2021 n4a Aging Innovations and Achievement Awards recognizes Area Agencies on Aging (AAAs) and Title VI Native American Aging Programs that develop and implement cutting-edge approaches to support older adults, people with disabilities and their family caregivers. Among the selection criteria was the ease with which other agencies could replicate the program in their communities.

"n4a is proud to recognize the innovative, successful and replicable programs and initiatives of our members through the Aging Innovations and Achievement Awards. We salute the winning AAAs who have enhanced the value of this awards program by sharing their initiatives with their peers in the Aging Network," said Sandy Markwood, Chief Executive Officer of n4a. "Our members work tirelessly, with little fanfare, in their communities, and this program enables us to shine a well-deserved spotlight on their critical work to support older adults, people with disabilities and caregivers," said Markwood.

Ritter's Run Apartments, located on Ohio Street between Sturges and Blymyer in Mansfield, is a pioneering development of 12 single-story apartments designed to serve a low-income aging population, and is in alignment with the City of Mansfield's Consolidated Plan 2019-2023. Ritter's Run is made possible through the collaboration and partnership of many entities. The Richland County Land Bank donated the land for the apartments, which has been a targeted area by the City of Mansfield for revitalization and redevelopment. The Agency applied for and was awarded HOME Funds from the City of Mansfield. The dedication of these HOME funds will make it possible for rents to be kept below the market rate and affordable to low-income adults. The remaining costs was secured with a first mortgage from

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GUESTS GATHERED on the lawn of Church Requel to hear a free 2-hour concert presented by members of the church. Performing were Mark Pierce, Brandi Walker, Missie Miller, Trish Trubachik, Con Angle, Brent Betts and Chris Thomon.

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Hillside First Church of God

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

St. Mary of the Snows Catholic Church

1630 Ashland Rd., Mansfield • 419-589-2114
Father Matthew Frisbee
Saturday Worship, 4 pm and Sunday Worship 11 am
Tuesday Worship 5:30 pm and Friday Worship 9 am
Faith Instruction & Bible Study on Sunday Mornings
www.mansfieldstmarys.org

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

Lexington Presbyterian Church

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

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All Souls Unitarian Universalist Church

25 Church St., Bellville
Pastor William Humphrey
Sunday Services at 10:30 a.m.



By Mátiece Thomas

To a lot of people, the word exercise is a bad word. It is associated with fatigue, sweat and sore muscles — three things the average woman does not want to experience in her day.

Yes, nutrition is 75 percent of weight loss but it is only one piece to a very complex puzzle.

Movement and exercise are also a key piece, and together they make an amazing team in the game of fitness.

Exercise is even more needed the older we get for strength, mobility and flexibility.

The more lean muscle we have the more it helps to make us look younger

and feel younger.

Lean muscle also revs up our metabolism, maintaining it with proper blood and oxygen, which helps burn more calories.

You don't have to lift heavy to achieve lean muscle. There are a lot of fun exercise classes that can help you achieve your fitness goals. For example Zumba, Yoga, Pilates, Pound and Barre are all fun ways to get active.

If you are wanting to workout at home, workout videos could also do the trick. There are videos for just about any desired fitness routine

The average person needs someone to keep them motivated, at least until the habit is formed. That is where someone like myself, a personal trainer, might be the perfect answer for you.

What matters the most is that you find what works best for you and get started this week! Don't wait for the perfect time — there is never a perfect time. There is no better reason than you being healthier and happier. Not to mention the amazing people you will meet along the way!

Follow me at Instagram-5ptsfitness_trainergirl for nutrition and workout tips.



Photo by Damon Callis

Day Trippin with Damon — Huntington Park is the home of the Columbus Clippers baseball team. The stadium boasts a capacity of 10,100.



Photo by Damon Callis

Day Trippin with Damon — Nickel Plate Beach in Huron offers an expansive sandy beach with scenic views of Lake Erie sunrises, sunsets and the Huron Lighthouse. The area offers a picnic shelter and tables, grills, a play area, ping pong table, corn hole boards and beach volleyball courts (bring your own game equipment). There are paddle board, kayak and beach gear rentals available.



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By Kim Sterry

Strawberry Bread Pudding

Ingredients

- 2 Loaves Italian Bread — cut in cubes (If loaves are large use 1 1/2)
(Keep in mind you want enough to fill the baking dish)
- 4 cups strawberries – washed and halved
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 2 tsp. vanilla
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 2 cups milk
- 8 ounces mascarpone cheese
- 2/3 cup powder sugar
- 1 1/2 cups heavy cream
- (You will need an additional amount of brown sugar and powdered sugar to sprinkle later)

Instructions

In a bowl add the strawberries, 1/2 cup sugar and 1 tsp. vanilla. Let sit for at least 2 hours (you can even do this the day ahead and let sit overnight)

Butter a 13 x 9 x 2 baking dish.

Blend the mascarpone and the powdered sugar together. (You can soften it up with a few seconds in the microwave if you need too). Set aside.

In a blender add the eggs, brown sugar, 1 tsp. vanilla and milk. Blend (or whisk in bowl) well and put in bowl with bread to soak. (You may need to do this in two batches)

Drain Strawberries, reserving liquid for sauce. Layer bread, strawberries and mascarpone in the baking dish, repeating to make several layers. Sprinkle with brown sugar.

Bake at 350 for 25 minutes uncovered and then turn oven off and cover, leave in hot oven another 20 minutes.

In a saucepan, heat the heavy cream, bring to a slow boil and stir until it begins to thicken, add the reserved strawberry juice and whisk in. Set aside to drizzle over top as you serve pudding.

Sprinkle with some powdered sugar as well.



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Hospice receives grant for training equipment

Hospice of North Central Ohio has been approved for a grant in the amount of \$6,353.47 for the purchase of new medical training equipment. The grant received from The Lorain-Medina Rural Electric Cooperative People Fund will help HNCO perform annual education for new and seasoned hospice and palliative care nurses.

HNCO QAPI Manager, Kim Knudson stated, "Our caregivers are better equipped and trained to respond to the special needs of our patients as a result of the generous support we have received from the LMREC People Fund". Ralph Tomassi, HNCO Chief Development Officer added, "The LMREC People Fund grants have long provided the Margin of Excellence for HNCO patients and caregivers". "We are grateful for their continued friendship and generous support of our special mission".

As the area's oldest and largest non-profit hospice organization, Hospice of North Central Ohio has served thousands of families with compassionate end-of-life and Palliative care, bereavement programs and services since 1988. Headquartered at 1021 Dauch Dr., in Ashland,

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. HNCO also operates the "What Goes 'Round Thrift Shoppe located in downtown Mansfield.

Call 800-952-2207 for more information. HNCO is a 501c3 non-profit organization with over 37 years of experience and a community partner of United Way of Ashland and Knox County.

Mansfield Arts Festival calls for artist participation

The Mansfield Art Sector is making a call for artists to participate in the third annual Mansfield Arts Festival. The festival will be held on Saturday, Sept. 18, from 11 am to 5 pm, on the Square in Central Park, downtown Mansfield. The festival will consist of arts and crafts vendors, live music, food trucks, live art demonstrations, a scavenger hunt, children's crafts and more.

Vendor registration is open to all types of artists and crafters, as well as any organization working with the Arts. The registration fee for vendors is \$20 for a 10 x 10 space, which includes a listing on the Mansfield Art Sector webpage. All artists/vendors must supply their own tent and table set-up. Registration forms are available on the Mansfield Art Sector web page, or can be picked up at Relax, It's Just Coffee, the Mansfield/Richland County Public Library, Downtown Mansfield, Inc., or the Richland Area Chamber and Economic Development. Completed forms must be returned to the Richland Area Chamber no later than 4:00 PM on September 10, 2021.

For more information call Victoria Hoefler, Mansfield Arts Festival Coordinator, at 419-610-4665, or Patrick Clinage, Sector Coordinator at the Richland Area Chamber and Economic Development. Register at <https://richlandareachamber.com/wp-content/uploads/2021/06/Mansfield-Arts-Festival-application.pdf>

Ontario High School releases schedule change information

Necessary schedule changes for Ontario High School students can be made Aug. 3 and 4. Call 419-529-7010 beginning Aug. 2 for an appointment with a guidance counselor. (Last names A-K will see Mrs. Cain and last names L-Z will see Mrs. Conn).

Students should pick up schedules Aug. 10-12 from 7 am to noon and 1-3 pm.

Parents intending to enroll their children at Ontario High School should register as soon as possible online at www.ontarioschools.org, click on Final Forms and fill out the enrollment forms.

All supporting documents must be brought to the high school before the enrollment process is considered complete. The high school office will be open starting Aug. 2.

Employaplalooza is August 21 for area job seekers

The Richland Area Chamber and Economic Development, in partnership with Ohio Means Jobs Richland County will host "Employaplalooza" at the Mid Ohio Conference Center, 890 W. Fourth St., Mansfield, Saturday, Aug. 21, from 10 am to 1 pm. This free event is the latest version of the regional job fair that has traditionally been held each spring.

This will be a first of it's kind for Richland County — serving as a Celebration of New Beginnings, New Opportunities and Bouncing Back. Participating employers



Sophia Sandwall

Sandwall attends FCCLA National Leadership Conference

Sandwall, an Ontario Middle School upcoming seventh grader, represented the Ontario Middle School FCCLA (Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America) chapter at the National Leadership Conference in late June.

During the end of the school year, Sophia had earned her opportunity to attend and compete at the national meeting with her entrepreneurship project. In this project, a dance studio business was designed. Her efforts had been recognized at both the regional and state FCCLA level before she made it to the national competition.

During the four-day trip to Nashville, TN, Sophia enjoyed her time with her mother and younger sister. The trio attended the Opening General Session and heard the keynote speaker, Sabrina Thompson Mitchell.

They also attended Youth Sessions on topics including understanding your digital footprint and the importance of making human connections in the workplace.

Through donating and participating, they helped with a community service project called We Help Two, which provides funds to correct clubfoot in babies around the world. Sophia enjoyed wearing the funky socks during the conference. Another impactful part of the conference was listening to a panel on diversity and how FCCLA can be a positive change in schools across the country.

Sophia and her family enjoyed touring some Nashville attractions, as well. They experienced the Country Music Hall of Fame and the National Museum for African American Music. An evening at the Grand Ole Opry, for a show, was also a highlight.

After attending the meeting, Sophia is excited to bring ideas back to her chapter. She met members from all over the nation and made connections with both chapter members and state officers from other states.

Through her competition, she earned a silver medal and gained public speaking experience.

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FOREST HILLS GOLF COURSE wrapped up its Junior League season on July 22 with a family golfing event. Participants range in ages from 7–17 and attend many different schools in the area. The program begins in June and is every Thursday from 8:30–11:30 am. Forest Hills would like to thank Rick Belcher and John Neron for all of their help in running the Junior League Program.

Two boaters saved at Charles Mill Lake after late-night rescue

Two anglers narrowly escaped being pulled into the dam at Charles Mill Lake late Thursday night, July 22. Rangers patrolling at Charles Mill and Pleasant Hill Lakes received a distress call at 10:57 pm that a boat had capsized, two people were in the water, and the current was pulling them towards the dam. MWCD Rangers; Corbin Mager and Adam McLellan, along with an Ashland County Sheriff Deputy responded to the scene.

Upon arrival, they found a small fishing boat had capsized, and a 57-year-old

male, and 56-year-old female in the water in front of the trash gates at the dam struggling to stay above water. The Rangers and first responders retrieved rescue ropes and PFD's (life jackets) and were able to pull the anglers to safety. They were treated by EMS before being transported to an area hospital for treatment of non-life-threatening injuries. Mifflin Fire Department, ODNr and Ashland County Sheriff Deputies responded to assist with rescue efforts.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Dam

Attendant was contacted and closed the gates to slow the rushing water, so the boat could be pulled from the water. Rangers were able to retrieve the small fishing boat from the dam and pulled it to the shoreline adjacent to the beach.

"There is no doubt the Rangers and the First Responders performed their duties professionally and with the sense of urgency that saved the lives of two fisher-

man," said John Maxey, MWCD Chief Ranger.

"They jumped into action, and heroically saved these people. I am very proud of our Rangers and first responders who prevented what could have been a very tragic day on the lake. We cannot stress enough to wear a PFD while on the water and use extreme caution when fishing near the dam."

City of Ontario announces variable price for natural gas aggregation program

The City of Ontario announces that it has established a variable natural gas price for the city's aggregation program.

The program, supplied by Volunteer Energy Services, is an 8 percent discount off of the current Columbia Gas of Ohio Adder starting Oct. 2021 and running through Feb. 2022.

From March 2022 to Sept. 2023, the rate will be the New York Mercantile Exchange monthly rate plus \$0.158/Ccf. There is no early termination fee. Residents will soon be receiving notices.

Residents and businesses not currently under contract do not need to take any action as they will automatically receive the new pricing.

"Guaranteed savings are not offered by any other supplier as a default option. We hope residents will take advantage of the program. Low rates have been difficult to find this year," said Thomas Bellish, President, Buckeye Energy Brokers, consultant for the city.

"We are pleased by the selection of Volunteer Energy Services and look forward to serving the community's residents," said Volunteer Energy Services representative Jerry Smith. Residents who are served by another competitive supplier may seek enrollment in the city's aggregation program by calling Volunteer Energy Services.

Residents and businesses served by other competitive suppliers are encouraged to review the terms and conditions of their current supplier agreement before enrolling. For more information call Volunteer Energy Services 800-977-8374.

Volunteer Energy Services is a full-service energy provider, serving various businesses and industries throughout the region. Its expertise allows us to provide business solutions that assure competitive and consistent energy pricing for our customers. For more information visit www.volunteerenergy.com.

Buckeye Energy Brokers, Inc. provides local governments with deregulated energy consulting to achieve buying leverage, risk mitigation, budget predictability, costs control and potential savings by aggregating residential and commercial customers and procuring deregulated energy.

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Grandstand Events:

Sunday, Aug. 8, Harness Racing, 5:30 pm, Free

Monday, Aug. 9, Harness Racing, 5:30 pm, Free

Wednesday, Aug. 11, Rodeo, 7 pm, \$5

Thursday, Aug. 12, OSTPA & County Tractor Pull, 7 pm, \$10 Grandstand • \$20 Pit • \$20 Back Gate

Friday, Aug. 13, Concert

Jessica Hannan opening at 6:30 pm

Nashville Crush at 8 pm • \$10 Track

Saturday, Aug. 14, Demolition Derby, 5 pm

\$10 Grandstand • \$15 Pit

Wednesday Kids Day: Special Ride Prices Noon to 4 pm
Special Events & Entertainment

Sunday Gate Admission \$1 (No rides)

Thursday Armed Forces Day, 8 am to closing

(Free admission with ID to all Veterans & Active Duty)

General Gate Admission \$5 daily (Rides Open Monday 6 pm)

Admission for Children 48" and under is free!

Membership Ticket (7 admissions) \$25

Season Ticket (7 admissions) \$25

richlandcountyfair.com

Chalk it Up! event in Vermilion honors lighthouses of the world

Main Street Vermilion is preparing for a sixth year of Chalk it Up!, a colorful event that adds original works of chalk art to the historic district of Vermilion. The event returns Saturday, Aug. 7, from 10 am to 2 pm in Victory Park.

"Like most Main Street events, this one is also free to the public and brings our residents and summer visitors

to the downtown for art and kid-friendly activity," says Robbie Brown, event coordinator.

"This year we're honoring National Lighthouse Day with art depicting lighthouses of the world." It was on Aug. 7 in 1789, that Congress approved an act for the establishment and support of lighthouse, beacons, buoys, and public piers. What a fitting tribute to the beacons

that guide boaters' way all around the world."

Chalk it Up is supported by local businesses who sponsor the artists sharing their talent that day. There will also be a group of artists creating artwork on site. Guests can vote for their favorite works by buying "votes," \$1 each or 6 for \$5. The winning artist receives \$100.

This free, family-friendly event also invites budding artists to create their own chalk artwork on the shaded walks around Harbortown Fine Arts Center across from Victory Park. (formerly Old Towne Hall).

Kids, ages 3-10 are also invited to enter the Lighthouse Coloring Contest! Pick up a page to color at Main Street Vermilion or Ritter Public Library, add color and finishing touches and return to Main Street Vermilion or the library by July 31.

The winners will be announced and displayed during Chalk it Up on Aug. 7, prizes will be awarded, and the artwork displayed at Main Street until Aug. 31. Coloring pages can also be downloaded at www.mainstreetvermilion.org/chalk-it-up.

"While you're in Vermilion be sure to visit our shops and restaurants, explore our beaches and, of course, our own Vermilion Lighthouse at the foot of Main Street," said Brown. Also happening just outside of downtown the same day is the Vermilion Beach Market at Sherod Park.

For businesses, family and organizations that would like to be a part of this year's Chalk it Up! event, visit mainstreetvermilion.org/chalk-it-up or call event coordinator, Robbie Brown at 305-924-0874.



KRISTIN SCHNEID and family put finishing touches on their sidewalk art during the 2019 Chalk it Up! event.

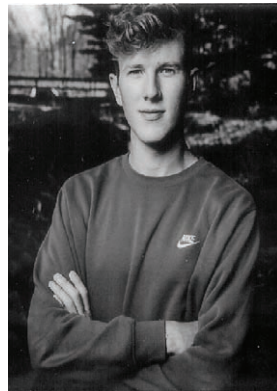
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St. Mary's festival planned for this Sunday, August 1

The St. Mary of the Snows annual festival will be held from 12-5 pm, on Sunday, Aug. 1, at the church, 1630 Ashland Rd.

Raffle tickets are \$50 and come with one meal and a chance to win \$5,000, \$1,000 or \$500.

Additional meals being available for \$10, and kids meals for \$5. They can be purchased at the door or at <http://www.mansfieldstmarys.org>.

A flea market will be in the church basement and visitors try the cake wheel and buy a chance to win a quilt made by the church ladies of St. Mary's.

There will be kids games as well as poker for adults. Taylor Schlupp will be performing live in the adult beverage area. All are welcome.

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GOLF CLASSIC — Chad Stucky, Denver Russell, Steve Hobson and Dr. J. D. Heddleson, chief of staff at Avita Health, participated in the Avita Health Gold Classic held at Westbrook Country Club on July 26. 144 golfers paid \$150 to participate in the annual event which draws golfers from as far away as Columbus. Foundation Director Chuck Cangelosi said, "We are grateful for all those who supported this outing. We had a great number of friends who have been behind us, leading us to sell out in 45 days. The outing supports efforts in collaboration with Avita pediatric primary care providers to offer reading literacy and cognitive development programs, including vision and hearing services, to children through preschool ages. These resources help physicians continue to provide comprehensive care for pediatric patients and their families. Cangelosi noted that over a third of the golfers were over 70 years old. For more information about the foundation visit avitahealth.org/foundation.

• Area Agency on Aging receives prestigious award

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Mechanics Bank of Mansfield. The agency's extensive experience coordinating services to area seniors has highlighted the importance of stable, effective, and affordable housing to sustain the quality lives of seniors. As a result, the agency developed this program to directly provide affordable senior housing. The Agency will also coordinate the provision of supportive services to the residents of these apartments, to safeguard healthy and independent lives. Praxia Partners, of Columbus, OH continues to serve as our Community Building Partners throughout all development stages to ensure maximum efficiency of construction and operation of the project.

"Ritter's Run was made possible through a strong partnership between the Ohio District Area Agency on Aging, Inc., the Richland County Land Bank, the City of Mansfield, Mechanics Bank and Praxia Partners. Affordable housing is a critical need in our communities. The Agency has a vision to be part of development within its 9-county region," said Duana Patton, Chief Executive Officer of the Area Agency on Aging. "Ritter's Run's development will allow seniors to age in place and will also provide supportive services connecting them to nutrition, health care, and advocacy for residents," said Patton.

The 2021 n4a Aging Innovations Awards

honored traditional and new strategies in a range of categories, including Agency Operations, Caregiving, Community Planning and Livable Communities, Diversity and Cultural Competency, Healthy Aging, Home and Community-Based Services, Housing, Intergenerational Programs, Nutrition, Social Engagement, and Transportation and Mobility.

All winners are showcased in the n4a 2021 AIA awards book.

The Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging, Inc., located at Hawkins Corner in Ontario, serves the North Central Ohio area including Ashland, Crawford, Huron, Knox, Marion, Morrow, Richland, Seneca and Wyandot Counties, providing assistance to aging individuals and disabled individuals. Contact the Area Agency on Aging at 419-524-4144 or 800-560-5799.

The National Association of Area Agencies on Aging (n4a) is a 501(c)(3) membership association representing America's national network of 622 Area Agencies on Aging (AAAs) and providing a voice in the nation's capital for the more than 260 Title VI Native American aging programs. n4a's primary mission is to build the capacity of our members so they can help older adults and people with disabilities live with dignity and choices in their homes and communities for as long as possible. (www.n4a.org)



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CHANEL HIPPI, Avita Health Foundation chair, and director Chuck Cangelosi display a green jacket which went to each member of the winning team of the Avita Health Gold Classic.

Donors needed as shortage continues

The American Red Cross has an emergency need for lifesaving blood amid the ongoing severe blood shortage. Blood and platelet donations continue to be critical to meet hospital demand and the public is urged to make an appointment to give now.

The Red Cross has been distributing about 12% more blood products to hospitals across the U.S. compared to this time last year. The Red Cross needs to collect more than 1,000 additional blood donations each day to meet the current hospital demand and end the severe blood shortage. Donors of all blood types are needed, especially type O, which stands at just a one-day supply right now.

To thank donors who help ensure a strong blood and platelet supply in August, all who come to give Aug. 1-15, 2021, will automatically be entered for a chance to win an exclusive, VIP trip for two to the sold-out 2021 Bonnaroo Music & Arts Festival. Those who come to donate throughout August will also receive a free 4-month subscription offer to Apple Music by email (new subscribers only).

Donors who give now will help stock the shelves as we wind down the summer season. Schedule an appointment to give blood or platelets by using the Red Cross Blood Donor App, visiting Red-

CrossBlood.org, calling 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or enabling the Blood Donor Skill on any Alexa Echo device.

In most cases, those who have received a COVID-19 vaccine can donate. However, knowing the name of the manufacturer of the vaccine they received is important in determining donation eligibility.

Wednesday, Aug. 4, 1-7 pm, Richland Mall RSMO, 2209 Richland Mall, Ontario; and 2-7 pm, Lucas Community Center, 252 W. main St., Lucas

Thursday, Aug. 5, 8 am to 1 pm, Shelby YMCA, 111 W. Smiley Rd., Shelby

Sunday, Aug. 8, 10 am to 3 pm, Richland County Fairgrounds, 750 N. Home Rd.

Monday, Aug. 9, 10 am to 3 pm, Richland County Fairgrounds, 750 N. Home Rd.

Tuesday, Aug. 10, 10 am to 3 pm, Richland County Fairgrounds, 750 N. Home Rd.; 12-6 pm, Saint Paul Lutheran Church, 48 Church St., Bellville

Wednesday, Aug. 11, 1-7 pm, Richland Mall RSMO, 2209 Richland Mall, Ontario

Thursday, Aug. 12, 12-6 pm, Resurrection Parish, 2600 Lexington Ave., Lexington

Sunday, Aug. 15, 11 am to 4 pm, Richland Mall RSMO, 2209 Richland Mall, Ontario

Agency to host special senior citizen festivities

The Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging Inc., will host its third annual Senior Red Barn event at the Richland County Fair.

The festivities will be held on Monday, Aug. 9 in the Red Barn at the Richland County Fairgrounds in Mansfield, Ohio from 9 am to 2 pm.

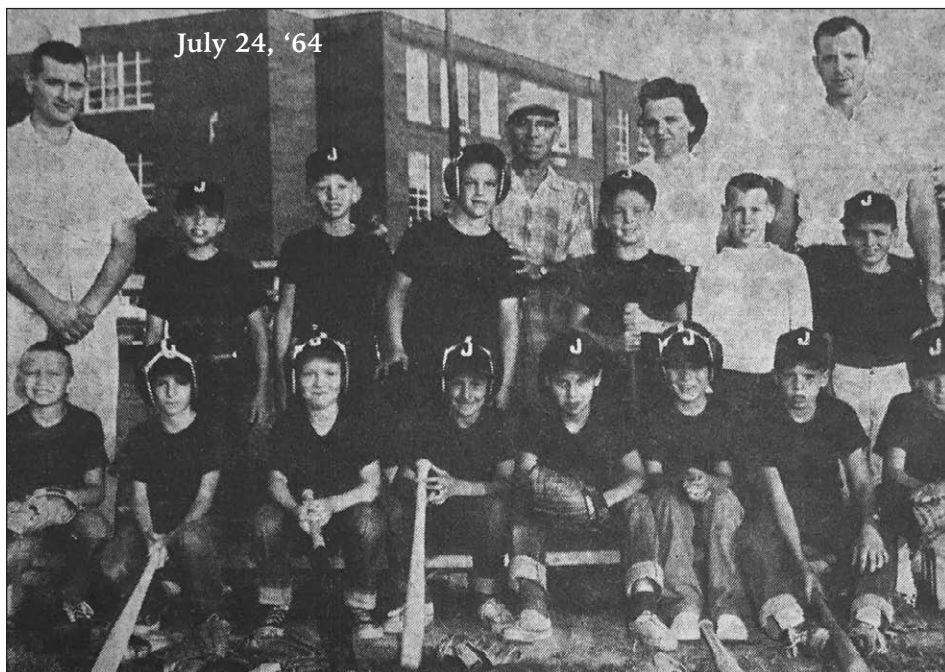
This event is free to all fair attendees with your paid admission to the fair.

The Senior Red Barn will showcase many resources and programs available to older adults and their caregivers including

health and resource information, blood pressure checks, balance test, Medicare Part D Information, there will be music, and giveaways provided by the Area Agency on Aging.

The Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging, Inc., located at 2131 Park Avenue West in Ontario, provides leadership, collaboration, coordination and services to older adults, people with disabilities, their caregivers & resource networks that support individual choice, independence and dignity.

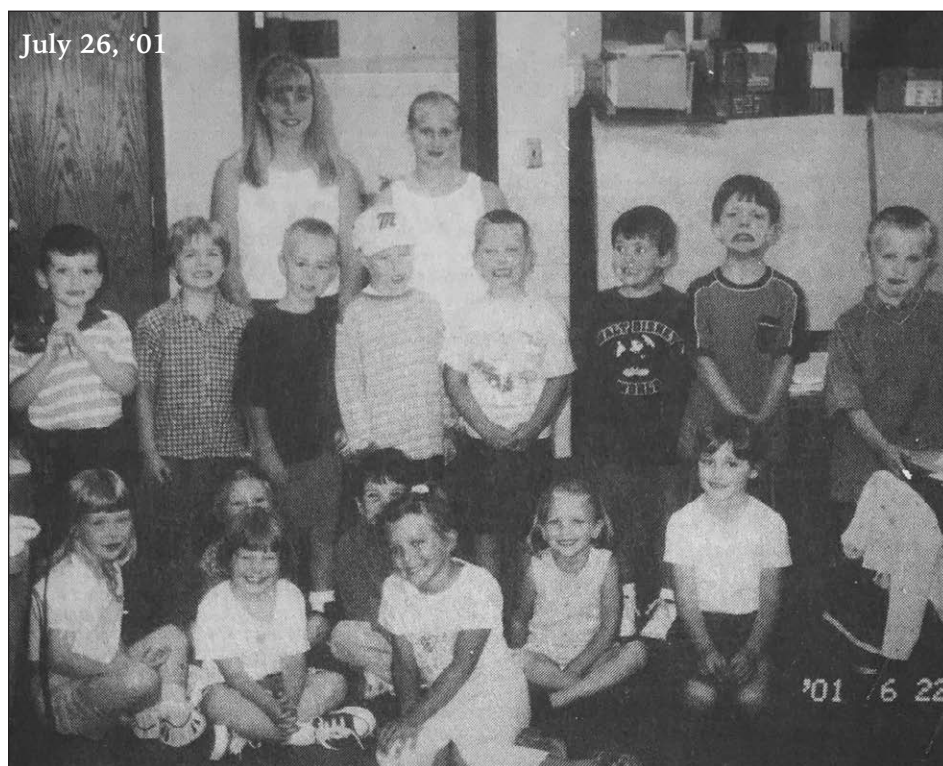
LOOKING BACK: This Week in Tribune-Courier History



July 24, '64

JETS — CHAMPS OF "A" LEAGUE — The Jets baseball team are champs of the "A" League in the Ontario summer baseball program. Front row, left to right, Dave Gerhardt, Kirk Winemiller, Roger Lewis, Bob Brinley, Gil Ledbetter, Tom Little, Bruce Schraedly and Scott Stauffer.

Second row — Keith Brinley, Tom Heston Randy Crider, Jeff Hipsher, Reggie Menendez, Richard Papst, Mrs. Calvin Heston, scorekeeper, Sam Siebert, Tommy Hause and Don Wine-miller.



July 26, '01

SAFETY TOWN — The Lexington Safety Town program was held at Western Elementary School the last two weeks of June. The program is sponsored by the Lexington Police Department and is headed up by officer John Tingley. Stephanie Jedra, a teacher in the Lexington School District, is the program's director. The program is free to all children entering the kindergarten level the following year and is free of charge. Attending Safety Town this year were, front, Ellie Logan, Madaline Tingly, Christine Cockley, Ashley Sawyer, Theresa-Ann Jedra, Molly Dunham and Sarah Blubaugh; middle, Alex Keding, Kyle Miller, Justice Allen, Jacob Zahn, Kendall Kuhn, Noah Kovinchek, Brian Richmond and Gabe Benjamin; back, instructors Brittany Hester and Jessie Wendling.



Aug. 2, '01

JABC EXPLORER-14 TEAM — Front, Tim Knowlton of Mapleton, Chad Metzger of Crestview, Brad Linch of Norwayne, Jon Halter of Crestview and team manager Ron Russell of Ontario; middle, Jack Shuck III of Galion, Brandon Blankenship of Plymouth, Nate Winkler of Ontario and Tim Krebs of Shelby; back, head coach Fritz Iceman of Ontario, assistant coach Jack Shuck II of Galion, Brett Turson of Plymouth, Steve Roberts of Mapleton and Chad Blake of New London.



July 26, '01

TOURNAMENT CHAMPS — Lexington's Ropp's Insurance Agency U-10 boys' National Team won this year's Applesseed Youth Soccer Association Tournament, beating Eastview for the first time to accomplish the goal. Bill Ropp, head coach and president of the Lexington Soccer Association, said he was very pleased with the Lexington program. "We had 14 different teams in the tournament with 10 of them advancing to the championship game . . . eight of the 10 teams won their divisions!" he said. Members of the Ropp team are, front, Cody Hamilton, Christian Baker, Jory Ross, Daniel Kardasz, Michael Rinehart and Nick Angle; middle, Ryan Hershner, Jared Ropp, Matt Webster, Christian Logsdon, Bryan Freimark and Michael Hamilton; back, coach Bill Ropp and assistant coach Scott Hamilton.

July 29, 1958 — The U.S. Congress passes legislation establishing the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), a civilian agency responsible for coordinating America's activities in space. NASA has since sponsored space expeditions, both human and mechanical, that have yielded vital information about the solar system and universe. It has also launched numerous earth-orbiting satellites that have been instrumental in everything from weather forecasting to navigation to global communications. NASA was created in response to the Soviet Union's October 4, 1957 launch of its first satellite, Sputnik I. The 183-pound, basketball-sized satellite orbited the earth in 98 minutes. The U.S. prided itself on being at the forefront of technology, and immediately began developing a response, signaling the start of the U.S.-Soviet space race.

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THE NEW MISS OHIO LORA CURRENT leads The National Anthem at the AFL-CIO Golf outing held on Saturday, July 24 at The Woods at Possum Run. Pictured with her are Rick Fisher and Norm Shoemaker. Lora, a senior at Ohio State University, is studying social work. She said, "I work with students in education, empowering them to overcome obstacles and to finish high school." The outing was to raise money for Catalyst Life Services. All money raised will be used for programs at the agency which includes a new urgent care program. The new Behavioral Health Urgent Care will be opening on Aug. 2 at 741 Scholl Rd., Mansfield. Seventeen teams took part with six prizes handed out. The golfers were treated to a dinner afterwards which included a hamburger, hot dog, baked beans and drink.

Premier Bank announces new website

Premier Bank has announced the successful launch of the redesigned YourPremierBank.com, which boasts a modern design and responsive technology to optimize viewing capabilities across all devices and screen sizes. The new, intuitive navigation and simplified communication guides users to what they are searching for quickly.

Premier Bank is dedicated to bringing the best in digital banking to both current and prospective clients alike. As needs change and new technology becomes available, Premier Bank will continue to invest in solutions that ensure customers continue to enjoy a premier banking experience.

"As we introduce our new website, we present Premier Bank clients with the option to do just about everything that can be done in our branches, but online and at their convenience," explained Vince Liuzzi, EVP, Head of Community Banking Group and Chief Banking Officer for Premier Bank. "The new website features

a simpler, faster and smarter design to give clients more ways to search and learn. This cutting-edge technology will provide a banking experience that our clients will appreciate and have come to expect from our team."

"Essentially a virtual branch, YourPremierBank.com will allow clients to open an account, apply for a loan and learn about the wide variety of products and services that Premier Bank offers. In addition, the website is home to an assortment of informative resources, including educational videos, financial calculators and blog articles that cover topics such as financial planning, fraud, credit scores, mortgages and planning for college."

"Our website redesign highlights Premier Bank's commitment to creating the best online experience possible for our clients," said President & CEO, Gary Small. "As we continue to grow, we want to reflect the outstanding level of personal service we convey in our branches within our online services as well."



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RICK FISHER sounds the start of the AFL-CIO golf outing held on Saturday, July 24 at The Woods at Possum Run.



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DENNY SPANGLER AND JOHN LONG work on finishing the planks on the inside of the combination blacksmith/woodshop in South Park, Mansfield.

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