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**THE MANSFIELD ROTARY CLUB** met at Richland Carrousel Park Sept. 22, to dedicate a new clock to celebrate 100 years of the club being in Mansfield. The club is one of 652 in the United States. Attending the ribbon cutting were Mansfield Mayor Tim Theaker, Dan Seckel, Scott King, Scott Young, Sharon Bishop, Marilyn John, Tony Vero, Darrell Banks and Jodi Perry.



## Bloodmobiles scheduled to help supply

Plasma from whole blood donations made through the American Red Cross that test positive for COVID-19 antibodies may now help current coronavirus patients in need of convalescent plasma transfusions. Donors are encouraged to make an appointment to give blood now to help ensure coronavirus patients and others who depend on transfusions have needed blood products this fall.

In April, the Red Cross began collecting COVID-19 convalescent plasma from previously diagnosed individuals, who could only give at one of approximately 170 Red Cross blood donation centers across the country. Convalescent plasma contains COVID-19 antibodies that may help the most critical patients actively fighting this virus. Now, whole blood donations made at any Red Cross blood drive or blood donation center could be helpful in this effort.

“Donations that come back positive for COVID-19 antibodies now undergo secondary testing to confirm antibody results, and that enables the Red Cross to then potentially use the plasma from those donations for COVID-19 patients,” said Rodney Wilson, communications manager for the Red Cross Central Ohio Region. “With approximately 2% of the U.S. population testing positive for COVID-19 antibodies, every donation is important to ensure patients with coronavirus have access to every treatment option available to them.”

The Red Cross encourages eligible individuals to schedule an appointment, download the free Blood Donor App, visit RedCrossBlood.org, call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or enable the Blood Donor Skill on any Alexa Echo device.

In thanks, the Red Cross is offering a \$1,000 Amazon.com gift card to five winners who come to give in October. Terms and conditions apply; visit rcblood.org/unite. Additionally, those who come to give by the end of September will receive a free haircut coupon by email to participating Sport Clips Haircuts locations. More information is available at RedCrossBlood.org/Sport-Clips.

Antibody testing may indicate if the donor’s immune system has produced antibodies to this coronavirus, regardless of whether an individual experienced COVID-19 symptoms. Donations are tested using samples pulled at the time of donation and sent to a testing laboratory where they will also undergo routine infectious disease testing.

COVID-19 antibody test results will be available within

one to two weeks in the Red Cross Blood Donor App or donor portal at RedCrossBlood.org. A positive antibody test result does not confirm infection or immunity. The Red Cross is not testing donors to diagnose illness, referred to as a diagnostic test.

Each Red Cross blood drive and donation center follows the highest standards of safety and infection control, and additional precautions – including temperature checks, social distancing and face coverings for donors and staff – have been implemented to help protect the health of all those in attendance. 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.

Friday, Oct. 2, 9 am to 3 pm, Area Agency on Aging, 2131 Park Avenue West, Ontario

Tuesday, Oct. 6, noon to 6 pm, St. Paul Lutheran Church, 48 Church St., Bellville

Wednesday, Oct. 7, 1–7 pm, Richland Mall RSMO, 2209 Richland Mall, Ontario

Wednesday, Oct. 14, 1–7 pm, Richland Mall RSMO, 2209 Richland Mall, Ontario; and 8 am to 1:30 pm, Shelby YMCA, 111 W. Smiley Rd., Shelby

## Medication collection scheduled for October 24

Unused or expired medication can be safely disposed of Saturday, Oct. 24, from 10 am to 2 pm at Richland County Regional Solid Waste Management Authority, 1125 National Parkway.

This is a completely confidential program and no information will be collected. It is asked that all prescription labels be removed before arriving.

Items being collected include prescription pills of any kind, over the counter medications, medication samples, pet medications and vitamins.

The site will not collect needles, syringes, lancets, thermometers, aerosol cans, IV bags, hydrogen peroxide, bloody or infectious waste, empty containers and personal products such as non-medicated shampoo and soap.

Call 419-774-5861 for more information.

## Sponsors make smoke detector program possible

Springfield Township Fire Department has approximately 300 residents in Springfield Township and the City of Ontario who participate in the Smoke Detector Program.

Although this program begins in September, it is in operation year round. Residents in the program are encouraged to contact Springfield Township Fire Department anytime throughout the year if a smoke detector is malfunctioning or signaling a low battery.

Department members not only replace batteries, they also replace non-hardwired detectors that are past the manufacturers recommended 10 year mark. It is important to check the date to determine if the smoke detector is 10 years or older. If so, a new smoke detector is needed.

Smoke Detector batteries should be changed twice a year. The department funds the program with donations and contributions of batteries as well as smoke detectors from The Modern Woodmen of Aericia, Sam’s Club, Lowe’s, Home Depot, Target and Walmart. For more information contact Josh Bradley, Fire Prevention Officer, at Jbradley@springfieldtwpfrc.org.

## Chicken dinner is Saturday

The Richland Rural Life Center, 969 E. Crall Rd., Madison area, will host its annual chicken dinner on Saturday, Oct. 3, from 4–6: pm.

The dinner includes a chicken half, slow cooked over an open pit, buttered parsley potatoes or Au gratin potatoes, old fashioned slaw salad or applesauce, dinner roll, beverage and scoop of homemade vanilla ice cream.

Cost is \$11 for adults and \$6 for seniors and children 10 and under (quarter chicken meals).

Ice cream will also be sold by the quart. Carry-out meals will be available and dine-in capacity will be limited due to social distancing requirements.

The Rural Life Center is a nonprofit organization that supports 4-H and Boy/Cub Scout troops. Proceeds from dinners and events help maintain the Rural Life Center land and facilities which are used by Boy Scout Troops and 4-H camp.

For more information call 567-307-4220.

**Celebrating 59 years of providing positive news to Richland County**



The new Netflix film *Enola Holmes* tells a story from the standpoint of Sherlock Holmes sister played by *Stranger Things* star Millie Bobby Brown. Brown plays Enola, a young woman raised by her mother (Helena Bonham Carter) who taught her many things from archery to sword fighting and one day comes up missing. Enola summons her brothers Sherlock (Henry Cavill) and Mycroft (Sam Claflin). Enola becomes a detective in her own right while trying to find her mother.



age with Enola which is certainly understandable but there are quite a bit of mother/daughter flashbacks that takes away from the continuity of the story.

There is nothing really wrong with the movie as it has everything you want in a Sherlock Holmes story; it's just that nothing seemed new or terribly exciting. There are some engaging action scenes, especially one on a train, but those are too few and far in between. Enola Holmes is a good effort and as much as it does right unfortunately just becomes rather underwhelming for too much of its run time.

Brown is perfectly cast in this role as are Cavill and Claflin as her brothers. It's interesting to see this story from a different point of view. The costumes and dialogue are quite good but the movie never really took off in the way it could have. There is a great deal of coming of

Look for The Entertainment Examiner's video posts on YouTube.



**STUDENTS IN MR. KNAPP'S SPORTS MEDICINE CLASS** at Ontario High School are getting hands-on experiences. Currently they are learning about ankle injuries and how to properly tape an ankle. Learning how to wrap an ankle are students Ryan Brophy, Josh Young and Jacob Barabani.



**Simple Tomato Sauce with Gnocchi**

**Ingredients**

- 2 Large Cans Diced Tomatoes
- 2 Cloves of Garlic, minced or finely chopped
- 1/4 Cup Olive Oil
- Fresh Basil, chopped
- Salt & Pepper
- Parmesan Cheese
- Gnocchi, prepare according to package directions (or if making your own, you know what to do)

**Instructions**

In a large sauté pan, heat olive oil and add garlic. Sauté for 5 minutes. Be sure to keep stirring so garlic does not become brown. Add tomatoes and salt and pepper to taste. Add fresh basil before serving. Toss with prepared gnocchi, add parmesan cheese and serve.



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**Federal Funds from ODOT help to enhance mobility in Richland County**

Richland County Regional Planning Commission (RCRPC) Executive Director Jotika Shetty announced the Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT) awarded \$57,615 in federal transportation funding for Ohio's Specialized Transportation (5310) Program to Regional Planning for federal fiscal year 2021.

These grant funds will be used to continue to assist in financing coordination projects of the Richland County "Mobility Management" program, and enhance mobility efforts in our community.

"These funds allow our Mobility Manager, Lyndsie Martin, to continue to coordinate county-wide transportation services between local human service agencies and transportation providers," said Ms. Shetty.

RCRPC serves as the broker between human service agencies such as the Area Agency on Aging and Richland Newhope Industries, Inc. and transportation providers scheduling trips, determining transportation options that meet specific needs of their consumers and handling all invoicing and billing between the two.

RCRPC completed the Public Transit-Human Service Transportation Plan (Coordinated Plan) as part of the 5310 grant requirements. The purpose of this

plan is to identify community resources for transportation and mobility, to understand the gaps and unmet needs within those resources, and to determine the approach to addressing those gaps and needs. ODOT uses this Coordinated Plan to ensure that requested projects address identified unmet needs and are in compliance with Federal Transit law and guidance.

For information about ODOT/Mobility Management and statewide efforts to improve mobility within a community visit <http://www.dot.state.oh.us/Divisions/Planning/Transit/Pages/Coordination.aspx>.

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**SEPTEMBER 17** marked the 233rd anniversary of the drafting of the Constitution of the United States of America by the Constitutional Convention. Jared Mansfield Chapter NSDAR was presented proclamations for Constitution Week Sept. 17-23, by Bellville Mayor Teri Brenkus, Mansfield Mayor Tim Theaker and the Ohio Genealogy Society Past President Sunda Anderson Peters. The chapter asks citizens to reaffirm the ideals that the Framers of the Constitution had in 1787 by vigilantly protecting the freedoms guaranteed to us through this guardian of our liberties, remembering that lost rights may never be regained. Jared Mansfield Chapter NSDAR had displays for Constitution Week in the Richland County Public Library at Bellville, Lexington, Ontario, Shelby and Mansfield from Sept. 17-23. Pictured are displays at Ontario (left) and Lexington (right).

## Richland Academy announces \$11,641 for tuition assistance and scholarships

Richland Academy of the Arts has announced the successful release of \$11,641.94 in Tuition Assistance and Scholarships to families who qualified for the fall semester. In an effort to offer quality arts education to all in the Mansfield and surrounding communities, Richland Academy offers tuition assistance and scholarship opportunities year-round.

"There is importance in providing students of all ages with opportunities to explore the arts, whether it is through music, art, theatre, dance, or martial arts," states Alli Lange, Richland Academy of

the Arts Media and Marketing Coordinator. "Richland Academy has been serving the Mansfield and surrounding communities faithfully for over 30 years, and we hope to continue to enrich the lives of all who participate in our programs."

Richland Academy of the Arts believes that creativity exists in everyone and has a deep commitment to guiding students of all ages and backgrounds into a successful lifelong journey in the arts.

For more information call Richland Academy at 419-522-8224 or visit [www.richlandacademy.com](http://www.richlandacademy.com).

## Mansfield will host trick-or-treat, parade

Downtown Mansfield, Inc. will present a night of Halloween fun in historic downtown Mansfield. Activities include downtown Trick-or-Treat with more than 60 participating merchants and the Halloween Parade.

Trick or Treat will take place throughout downtown beginning at 11am. Directly

following Trick or Treat, guests are encouraged to move to the route and watch the parade. The parade route will start at the corner of N. Main St. and 5th St., move south on N. Main St., head west on Park Avenue, then head north on Walnut St. The parade will step off at noon. Parade entries are reviewed and judged.

# News Briefs

Ridgeway Church of God, 1380 Park Avenue East (Madison Township), will host a drive-thru spaghetti dinner on Friday, Oct. 9, from 4:30-6 pm. The menu will be spaghetti, salad and bread. Those participating will drive thru and give their order, and it will be brought to the car. Cost is a freewill donation. All proceeds will benefit the church. For more information call 419-589-5385.

Trinity United Methodist Church, 1592 Grace St., Madison area, will hold its annual rummage sale, making adaptations to comply with mandates and recommendations because of the coronavirus. Masks will be required.

Dates and times are 3-7 pm on Wednesday, Sept. 30; 9 am to 6 pm on Oct. 1; 9 am to 5 pm on Oct. 2; and 9 and to noon on Oct. 3.

Rummage sale items will be categorized and spread out in more rooms this year to allow for social distancing. Rows of tables in Fellowship Hall will be six feet apart.

Lunch and dinner will be available for takeout only, with curb service provided. Picnic tables will be provided for those who prefer to eat on premises. Take-out can be ordered ahead by calling 419-589-5890.

Proceeds from the sale are distributed throughout the community and to other local ministries.

The 18th Century of American Heritage Event will be held Oct. 3 and 4, from 10 am to 4 pm at South Park in Mansfield.

On Oct. 2, there will be a Food Truck Festival at South Park from 11 am to 7 pm, during the time the reenactors are setting up their tents. The public can see the blockhouse and cabin during the event on Saturday and Sunday but they must obey the social distancing rules and wear a mask.

St. Paul Lutheran Church, 2010 Park Avenue West, Ontario, will host a free breakfast drive-thru on Saturday, Oct. 10, from 8:30-9:30 am.

The North End Farmer's Market will be held every Thursday this summer from 4-7 pm at the NECIC Urban Farm, 311 Bowman St., Mansfield.

Local vendors sell fresh produce, plants and baked goods. Food stamps cards are accepted. The market will match funds

up to \$20, meaning if someone swipes their card for \$20, they will get \$40. This match is only good for fruits, vegetables and honey.

While attending the market, everyone is asked to wear a mask and stay 6 feet apart.

Vendors are still being accepted to join the market. There is a vendor's application that must be filled out prior to participating, <https://www.necic-ohio.org/food-access-work/north-end-farmers-market> and sent to Mona Kneussat [mona@necic-ohio.org](mailto:mona@necic-ohio.org).

Those who need help with winter heating bills can apply for HEAP. Applications are 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 City of Ontario will host Trick-or-Treat on Thursday, Oct. 29, from 5:30-7 pm. Those wishing to participate should turn on a porch light. COVID-19 safety measures should be followed.

The Village of Lexington will host Trick-or-Treat Thursday, Oct. 29 from 5:30-7 pm.

To submit a news brief item, email information to [news@tribune-courier.com](mailto:news@tribune-courier.com).

Deadlines are noon Monday for Thursday's issue.

**ANNUAL CHICKEN BBQ**  
Saturday, Oct. 3, 4 to 6 pm

Adults: \$11  
Seniors/Children 10 & Under \$6 (1/4 chicken)  
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## Jared Mansfield Chapter hears from Reverend Robin McCullough-Bade during Zoom meeting

By Pat Jennings

Jared Mansfield Chapter, National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution convened virtually through Zoom on Sept. 11.

Regent Joyce Vanatter led the opening ritual. Pat Jennings, chaplain, gave the opening prayer. Pat James-



Regent Joyce Vanatter and Rev. Robin McCullough-Bade

Hasser led the Pledge of Allegiance and Teresa Boice led The American Creed. Regent Vanatter welcomed members and guests.

Jared Mansfield member Reverend Robin McCullough-Bade presented "How to Preserve Your Family Stories." Robin comes from a family of storytellers, including her late mother long-time DAR member and history teacher Lois McCullough. Robin now lives in Louisiana, but grew up in Mansfield. Her Ohio roots are deep as both sets of parents are descendants of First Families of Ohio. Robin shared insights gained from recording her mother on location throughout Richland County as well as preparations to portray her great-grandmother Ellen Lash Robinson at the annual Bellville Cemetery Walk on Saturday, Sept. 12.

DAR members were recognized for years of membership and certificates will be distributed to: Ruby Bonecutter, 30 years; Janet Grogoza, 25 years; Marijan Grogoza and Ruth Pohl, 20 years; Pat Bender, 15 years; Teresa Boice, Jean Steiner, Joyce Long and Pat Starr, 10 years.

The 2020-'21 chapter yearbooks have been printed and are ready for distribution.

Constitution chair Joyce Long announced the chapter has received three proclamations and had displays at five area libraries to celebrate Constitution Week Sept 17-21.

The next DAR meeting will be held Friday, Oct. 2. Eric Ebinger will present the program "Author/US Presidents/Ohio History."

The DAR is a women's service organization whose members can trace their lineage to an individual who contributed to securing American independence during the Revolutionary War.

Any woman 18 years or older who can prove lineal descent from an ancestor who aided in achieving American independence is eligible to join. Contact the Chapter Regent Joyce Vanatter at 941-224-4888.



MECHANICS BANK team members helped to paint at The Little Buckeye Children's Museum recently. Among them was Olivia Weimer, Information Security Specialist with Mechanics Bank.

## Church Directory

### Risen Savior Lutheran Church

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

### Southside Christian Church Disciples of Christ

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

### Lexington Presbyterian Church

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

### Ontario United Methodist Church

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

### Hillside First Church of God

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

### Ridgeway Church of God

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

### Mayflower Congregational Church

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

### Cornerstone Grace Brethren Church

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

### St. Peter's Catholic Church

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

### Promise Land Fellowship

506 Park Avenue East  
Pastor Rick and Shirley Wiseman • 419-512-2435  
Sunday 9:30 am School of the Bible  
Sunday 10:45 am  
Sunday 4:30 pm End Time Studies  
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Advanced Bible Study Sat. 10 am

### Crossroads Church

1188 Park Avenue W., Mansfield  
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## Alzheimer's Association to hold virtual educational programs

The Alzheimer's Association Northwest Ohio Chapter will be presenting several virtual educational programs to help the community and families impacted by the disease.

These presentations cover a variety of topics and occur at different times during the day and evening via video-conferencing to allow individuals to participate in the convenience of their homes. They will discuss topics such as legal and financial issues, common warning signs of the disease, how to better manage behaviors, and how to better communicate and have difficult conversations. We also share how to keep your brain healthy! The programs are very helpful for anyone experiencing signs of memory loss, their family members who may be concerned, and the community member looking for more education.

All programs are free and open to the public. Registration is required. To register for the program call 800-272-3900

Monday, Oct. 5, Effective Communication Strategies, 3 pm

Tuesday, Oct. 6, Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia, 12:30 pm

Wednesday, Oct. 7, 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's, 1 pm

Thursday, Oct. 8, Understanding and Responding to Dementia-Related Behavior, 10:30 am

Tuesday, Oct. 13, Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia, 2 pm

Tuesday, Oct. 13, Healthy Living for Your Brain and Body — Tips From the Latest Research, 5 pm

Wednesday, Oct. 14, Dementia Conversations, 10 am

Wednesday, Oct. 14, 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's, 4:30 pm

Thursday, Oct. 15, Legal and Financial, 6 pm



**ONTARIO HIGH SCHOOL'S** McKenna Stoffer has been elected President of National Technical Honor Society this year. She is pictured with NTHS advisor Mrs. Hunt. Stoffer attends Pioneer Career Technology Center.

## Renaissance to show Hocus Pocus and Rocky Horror Picture Show in October

The Renaissance will show two classic Halloween films in October as part of the Lind Siegenthaler Cinema Series with additional sponsorship by Techman Sales, Inc. *Hocus Pocus* will be screened on Oct. 24 at 8 pm and *The Rocky Horror Picture Show* will be on Oct. 31 at 8 pm. Both films will be presented inside the theatre and simultaneously outside in the Ren Backlot.

*Hocus Pocus* is back to the Renaissance by popular demand. Featuring Bette Midler, Sarah Jessica Parker, and Kathy Najimy, this iconic hit of the '90s is set in Salem, Massachusetts and follows three witches set on revenge on Halloween night.

*The Rocky Horror Picture Show* is perhaps the oddest, most off-the-wall cult film ever made. A young couple stumbles into a castle inhabited by weirdos from the planet Transylvania and meet Dr. Frank N. Furter (Tim Curry) a transvestite Frankenstein in rhinestone heels. A marvelous musical spoof that urges, "Give yourself over to absolute pleasure."

Tickets for *Hocus Pocus* are \$8 per person for seats inside the theatre and \$15 per vehicle for a drive-in spot. Tickets for *The Rocky Horror Picture Show* are \$13 per person for seats inside the theatre and \$15 per vehicle for a drive-in spot. Tickets for both films can be purchased online at RenTickets.org, or by contacting the Renaissance Box Office via phone at 419-522-2726. The box office is currently open by appointment only.

The Renaissance has a complete health and safety plan in place for both indoor and outdoor events. To view the plan, go to [RenTicket.org/our-commitment-to-you](http://RenTicket.org/our-commitment-to-you).



**THE ONTARIO HIGH SCHOOL KEY CLUB** recently completed their first community service project. The club cleaned up the landscaping and the front of the high school entrance at OHS. Among those helping were Brooklyn Ward and Jake Kmetz.

## CACY releases tips for Suicide Prevention Month

September is National Suicide Prevention Month. Community Action for Capable Youth (CACY) has issued warning signs of suicide and what to do if someone see signs in yourself or others.

Warning signs of suicide:

- Talking about wanting to die or to kill oneself
- Looking for a way to kill oneself
- Talking about feeling trapped or being in unbearable pain

pain

- Talking about being a burden to others
- Increasing the use of alcohol or drugs
- Acting anxious, agitated or reckless
- Sleeping too little or too much
- Withdrawing or feeling isolated
- Showing rage or talking about seeking revenge
- Displaying extreme mood swings

What to do if you notice these signs in others:

- Demonstrate true care, concern and compassion for them and their pain by listening to them.
- Tell them suicidal thinking passes and it can get better.
- Get help— contact a doctor, take them to a hospital, find others to help.

• Create a safe environment by removing lethal access to means.

- Stay with them. Don't leave someone suicidal alone.

What to do if you notice these signs in yourself:

- Talk to someone. Be honest and tell them what you're thinking.
- Remember that suicidal thinking doesn't last forever.
- Get help by calling a suicidal hotline, 1-800-273-8255 or text Hello to 741741, or go to a hospital.
- Do something you enjoy. Listen to music, exercise, call a friend
- Find someone to be with. This is not a time to be alone.

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## Memorial concert is Sunday

The Mansfield Chamber Music Players will present the Twenty Fourth Annual Donald Bernhardt Memorial Chamber Music Concert on Sunday, Oct. 4 at 4 pm in the sanctuary at Trinity Lutheran Church, 508 Center St., Ashland.

This year's concert is a benefit concert for the Ashland Musical Club's Scholarship Fund, which each year awards a scholarship to an Ashland County high school senior who will be taking music classes in college. A free-will offering will be received.

For this year's eclectic concert, First United Methodist Church organist, Susan Gregg, will join with members of the Mansfield Chamber Music Players to perform Alec Wilder's Suite for Flute, Oboe, Bass and Harpsichord. The concert will also include Five Diversions for woodwind quintet by Doreen Carwithen, Serenata in

vano by Carl Nielsen, String Trio in G minor by Alexander Borodin, and String Sonata #4 by Gioachino Rossini.

Performing this year will be Michael Sieberg and Steve Domka, violins; Melanie Bernhardt, cello; David Lenigan, string bass; Carla Colon, flute; Carol Bernhardt, oboe; Pam Ellis, clarinet; Keely Krumweide, French horn; Jane Price, bassoon; and Susan Gregg, harpsichord.

The church pandemic protocols include temperature checks, specific seating areas, and required face masks per the governor's directives.

The concert is provided by the Donald Bernhardt Memorial Chamber Music Fund at Chase Bank in cooperation with Trinity Lutheran Church and the Ashland Musical Club. For more information call 419-525-2688 or email [carboe@embarqmail.com](mailto:carboe@embarqmail.com).

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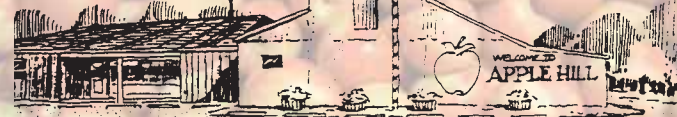
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# Tribune-Courier Sports Highlights



By Kenn Spencer

Save the Date: On Tuesday, Oct. 13, at 6 pm, be at the Ontario Band Shelter for the first 2020 Concert in the Park. Six Miles to Nellie will kick off the season. OYS is very thank full to our community sponsors for making the concerts possible.

We are excited to see what our community will come up with this year — Imagine a time and place when hundreds of people are walking around our town with a camera or cell phone taking pictures of “the good stuff.” We believe there are tons of talented people in our community and thousands of opportunities to showcase what makes Ontario great. Please make plans to join OYS in the Third Annual Can You Picture Ontario. The contest will run from Oct. 1–8.

Registration is open for the second annual OYS Amazing Chase. The family friendly competition is scheduled for Sunday, Oct. 11. Four people are needed to make a team and there will be tons of fun and tons of prizes! Get your team together now. The basic idea of the event is a combination of the Amazing Race/Tough Mudder/5k and a bunch of games added. The Amazing Chase is for anyone that would like to participate regardless of age. All proceeds go toward the Sadie Marie Turnbaugh Scholarship Fund.

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



Photo by Holly Bond-Rice

**THE LEXINGTON 2020 HOMECOMING COURT** is Olivia Newman, Halle Hamilton, Sophie Diningier, Ciara Baddour and Alyssa Takos. The queen will be announced at the Lexington vs. Madison football game on Oct. 2 during halftime.



Photo by Sophia Leasure

**LEXINGTON HIGH SCHOOL'S** Brayden Stoots (13) gains yardage vs. West Holmes on Sept. 18. Lex fell to West Holmes 0–16.



T-C Staff/Bud Motter

**THE TEMPLE CHRISTIAN CRUSADERS** defeated the Mansfield Christian Flames by a 2–0 score in a contest played on the Temple turf. Earlier in the season the Flames fell to the Crusaders 6–2 at MCS. TCS senior Hunter Hannan (16) battles with MCS senior Logan Cyphers (18). Hannan scored both goals for Temple in the second period.



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**NOELLE BEARE (13)** of Mansfield Christian School goes up against Grace Cisman (14) of Perkins. The Mansfield Christian Lady Flames continued their winning streak as they downed Perkins 4–1 at Comstock Field on Sept. 26. Scoring for the Flames were Anna Sparks with three goals and one assist. Abby Littel had one goal and one assist and Noelle Beare and Lillie Berryman each had one assist.



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**MANSFIELD CHRISTIAN SCHOOL SENIORS** Kristin Kaufman and Parker Barr were named homecoming king and queen. Dressed in casual attire, they attended MCS homecoming activities held on Comstock Soccer Complex on Saturday night Sept. 26.



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**MADISON JUNIOR** Jarrett Mandusic (10) is thrown for a loss by Mt. Vernon sophomore Joel Hubbard (15) late in the first period of the contest played at Madison's Startek Stadium on Friday, Sept. 25. The Rams fell to the Yellow Jackets 30-26.



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**WITH JUST 1.34 SECONDS LEFT** in the first period of the Madison Rams vs. Mt. Vernon Yellow Jackets varsity game played at Rams Startek Stadium on Friday, Sept. 25, Rams Head Coach David Stupka draws up a play before the Rams take the field on offense. The Rams fell to the Yellow Jackets 30-26.



**THE ONTARIO WARRIOR FRESHMAN TEAM** beat the Madison Rams on Sept. 24 on Copeland Field. They rang the victory bell to celebrate their 27-8 win.



**ONTARIO HIGH SCHOOL** hosted the Bill Brown cross country meet on Saturday, Sept. 26, and six hours later, the varsity team ran the first annual Seneca East Night Classic. Ontario Boys were runners-up with new personal records from Robey Bolen running 17:06 and Alex Phillips at 18:06. The girls were named Champions. Brie Trumpower had a personal record of 18:19 and broke the OHS school record. The Top five girls placed 1, 3, 5, 7 and 9.



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**MANSFIELD CHRISTIAN** High School Principal Craig Klotzback has his temperature taken by Michelle Easterling prior to entering the Mansfield Christian Homecoming event on Saturday night outside at Comstock Soccer Complex.



Photo by Robin Barrett Photography

**TRIBUNE PHOTOGRAPHER** Bud Motter was spotted taking photos at a recent Madison Comprehensive High School football game. Bud has been a staple in the Madison community for many years and a dedicated photographer for the Tribune. He can be found at many sports and community events throughout Richland County.



# Clear Fork Homecoming • September 25

Photos by  
Jeff Hoffer



King & Queen: Jack Harris & Aubrey Bailey



# LOOKING BACK: This Week in Tribune-Courier History



Sept. 30, '66

**QUEEN AND COURT TO REIGN** — Ontario Homecoming Queen Mary Lou Zimmerman and her court, left to right, Shirlic Phillips, Susan Goettl, Shirlee Twitchell and Anette Zoll will reign at tonight's game with Fredricktown at Warrior Stadium. Following the game the annual Homecoming Dance will be held in the high school.

Photo by Nick Polles



Oct. 7, '76

**NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY OFFICERS** for Ontario High School 1976-77 are (top) Darlene Terman, Vice President; Jill Evans, Secretary; (bottom) Tammy Crawford, President; Corinne Bertin, Treasurer.



Oct. 13, '88

**TERRY ZORNES**, back in the Lexington line-up after an appendectomy operation several weeks ago, rumbled for 71 yards Friday night against the Marion Harding Presidents in an Ohio Heartland Conference game. Lexington grabbed a share of the conference lead with a 19-0 whitewash of the once-victorious Prexies. This week Lexington takes on Malabar at Arlin Field.

George Billman

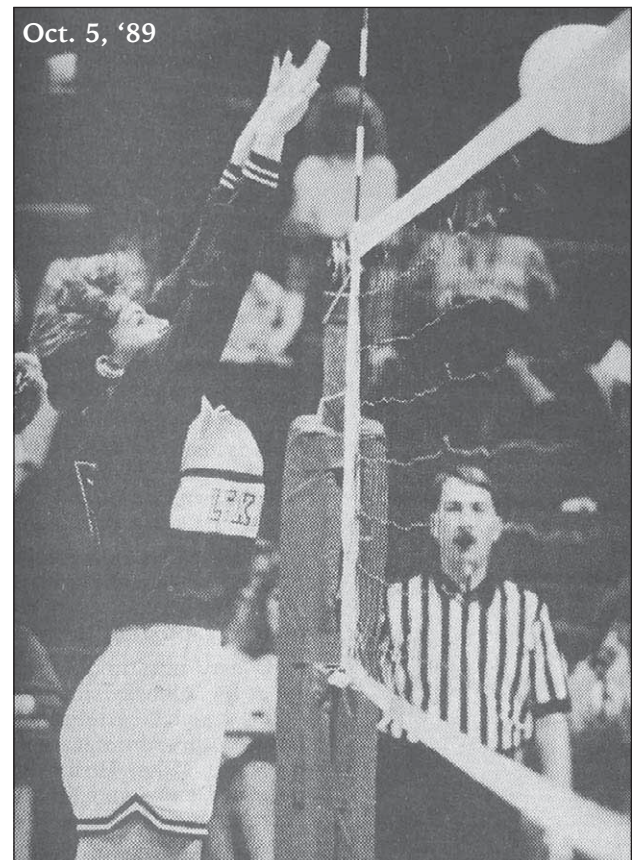
**On October 1, 1890** — An act of Congress creates Yosemite National Park, home of such natural wonders as Half Dome and the giant sequoia trees. It was signed into law by President Benjamin Harrison.



Oct. 7, '63

**OUTSTANDING CITIZENS** — Outstanding citizens at Madison South Jr. High have recently been chosen for September. The winners are (back) Tammy Eichler, 7th grade; (front) Judy Sands, 8th grade; Scott McClelland, 9th grade.

Marc Stumbo



Oct. 5, '89

**JOY BICKIMER** of Lexington puts one down in a recent high school girls volleyball match against the Ashland Arrows. The Lexington girls are 9-5 on the season and in their last two outings dumped St. Peter's and Madison, each by 2-0 scores. The Lexington girls also performed well in the recent Galion Invitational.

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The complete text of this Ordinance may be viewed and copies obtained at the Office of the Clerk of Council, Ontario Municipal Building, 555 Stumbo Road, Ontario, Ohio, during regular business hours.

RESOLUTION NO. 20-12 – A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE AMOUNTS AND RATES

AS DETERMINED BY THE BUDGET COMMISSION AND AUTHORIZING THE NECESSARY TAX LEVIES AND CERTIFYING THEM TO THE COUNTY AUDITOR.

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**STUDENTS IN JIM BUKER'S LASER AND DESIGN** class at Ontario High School created sugar skulls and painted them. Hadley Schultz works on her project.

## VFW contest taking entries

Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9943 will participate in the Voice of Democracy and Patriot's Pen Scholarship Contest. Patriot's Pen is for sixth through eighth grade students. Voice of Democracy is for ninth grade students through seniors.

The theme this year is "What is Patriotism to Me." Scholarship awards in the amount of up to \$30,000 are possible. Applications and guidelines are available at the Post, 806 Grace St., Mansfield. For more information contact Kim Reid at 419-526-1907 or Beth Baldrige, Boopher@neo.rr.com. The deadline is Oct. 31, 2020.

## Carrousel will run backwards

Richland Carrousel Park will host a First Friday event Oct. 2, from 4-8 pm. At the event, the carrousel will run backwards in celebration of Halloween.

A special price of six ride for \$3 will be offered and everyone who wears a costume will receive a free ride.

A Halloween costume contest will be held at 6 pm. The Girl Scouts will also have a camp fire.

Brats, hot dogs, chips and juice will be available for purchase. A combo of hot dog, chips, juice and a ticket to ride will be available for \$3.

## Renaissance offers new REN-spiration classroom sessions

The Renaissance Theatre will offer a new series of REN-Spiration Classroom sessions beginning next week. The free series will feature classes that are formatted as a four-week series of offerings, with participants meeting once a week for four weeks. Class sessions are scheduled during times that allow families the opportunity to explore the arts while accommodating other fall activities. The REN-spiration Classroom provides a variety of educational theatre activities designed with creativity in mind. The series, coordinated by Renaissance Resident Teaching Artist Daupne Maloney, expanded its offerings to the community in a series of live "classes," originally in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Based upon the popularity of its first series of online classes, the Ren's Education Department continued with new series of classes for the summer, and into the fall.

In addition to its latest series of online classes, additional writing prompts have been added to the Renaissance website. Maloney hopes that the continued

expansion of online educational resources will offer opportunities to not only students, but to their teachers and parents as well.

REN-spiration Classroom sessions offer free classes for a variety of students of different ages and grade bands, from 3 years of age through twelfth grade.

Interested parents and educators may visit [www.rentickets.org](http://www.rentickets.org) to register for a variety of sessions. Registration is free, and each session has a limited number of spots available. Information regarding any needed materials will be provided by Maloney prior to class sessions. All the material provided can be used by educators, as well as parents and students. Material for the website will be updated, and expanded upon, regularly to include new material and resources for other activities and creative exploration.

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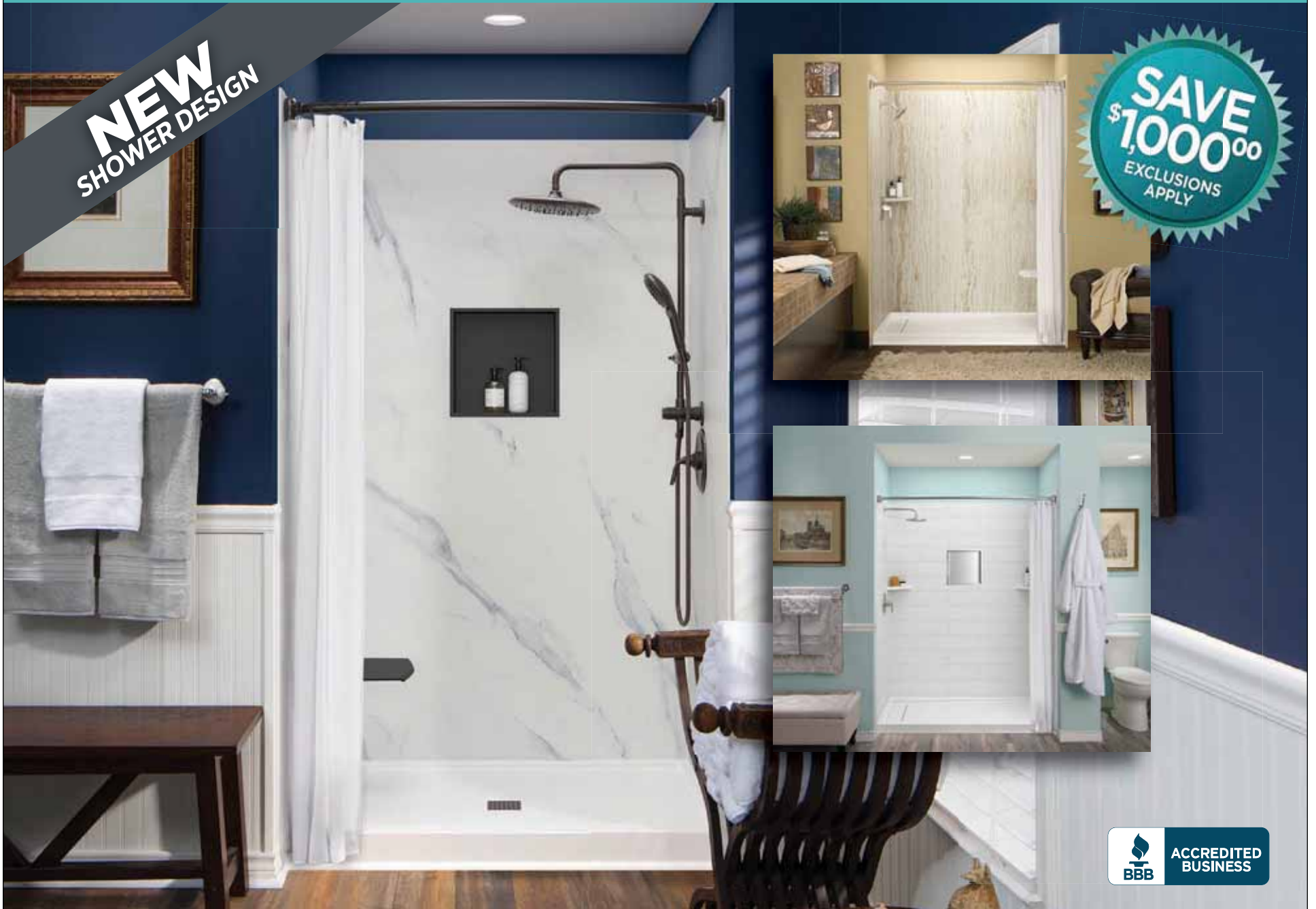
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## Food distribution continues

First English Lutheran Church, 53 Park Ave. West at S. Mulberry St., (west parking lot) will hold a free produce distribution on Tuesday, Oct. 13, from 11 am to 1 pm. This is open to everyone.

Those attending are asked to bring a state ID, driver's license or proof of residence. This will continue as a drive-through distribution. Distribution continues the second Tuesday of each month through November.

The produce is provided by the Greater Cleveland Ohio Food Bank. Questions can be directed to Jan Fisher at 419-589-2820.

## Trustees approve cleaning contract, culvert project bid

By Bud Motter

The Madison Township Trustees held the regular meeting at the township hall on Sept. 21.

Among items addressed were hours the zoning inspector works. It was decided to cut his hours to 15 hours a week or 30 hours per pay period.

The fire department made a total of 110 calls with a total of 158 EMS calls. Patients transported totaled 105. There have been 1,702 calls so far this year.

The trustees entered into a contract with Precise Services, A Catalyst Company, 270 Sterkel Blvd., Mansfield. The company will perform an initial service with detail cleaning of offices, restrooms, the meeting hall, conference room and hallways including high and low dusting of horizontal surfaces, sills and cabinets. It will detail vacuum carpeted areas including edges, under desks and behind doors. Cleaning and sanitizing of telephones, chairs and tables in the office area will be completed for a price of \$245.31. The trustees went into executive session to consider employment in the fire department and compensation of an employee in the fire department.

The low bidder of the Hanna Road Culvert job was Great Lakes with a bid of \$89,849. Other bids were Kelstin with \$91,900 while Adena, \$99,195.78

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## Little Buckeye reopening to members

Little Buckeye Children's Museum has announced it will be reopening the doors to members on Thursday, Oct. 8.

Throughout the COVID-19 crisis, Little Buckeye Children's Museum has been committed to reopening at an appropriate time and in a manner that ensures the safety of their team members and guests. Little Buckeye is deeply aware of the importance of maintaining a safe and healthy environment. As such, they have developed a detailed and comprehensive reopening plan that expands on their reputation as a clean, safe, and fun museum and is closely aligned with the reopening protocols set forth by Ohio Governor DeWine's Responsible Restart Ohio Guidelines.

The museum will initially reopen to members only and will work towards opening to the general public at limited capacity. To manage capacity, admission will require a timed reservation. Visitors can now reserve admission online. Museum members will continue to enjoy free admission but must reserve admission in advance online.

Visitors to the museum will notice various changes put in place to help provide a safe and fun experience for all visitors. "The health and safety of our guests and team members remains our top priority and we thank you for helping us with these efforts," says Fred Boll, Little Buckeye Children's Museum Executive Director.

Changes include that admission will require a timed reservation made online in advance. Some exhibits have been modified and some will remain closed. Cleaning protocols have been further enhanced and all staff and visitors will have their temperatures checked upon entry.

Face coverings are now considered a required part of all staff uniforms. Visitors ages five and older are required to wear face coverings that cover the nose and mouth. Signage throughout the museum and on the floor will promote physical distancing.

Little Buckeye Children's Museum will also have reduced hours as part of their phased reopening plan. To start, reservations will be open Thursday-Saturday 10 am to 4 pm.

For additional details on changes at Little Buckeye Children's Museum resulting from the COVID-19 crisis, visit [littlebuckeye.org/reopeningplan](http://littlebuckeye.org/reopeningplan).

Since closing on March 13, Little Buckeye Children's Museum has been continuing its mission by providing free virtual resources and by implemented their new Buckeye Bags program with the help of the Richland County Foundation Summertime Kids Grant, Park National Bank, the Mansfield/Richland-County Public Library and the Richland Carousel Park.

## MRCPL extends weekday hours

The Mansfield/Richland County Public Library has announced it will be expanding service hours beginning Monday, Oct. 5. As the library continues in Phase 3 of the reopening plan following the spring COVID-19 pandemic shutdown, the five largest branch locations will extend hours to remain open until 8 pm two nights per week.

"Extending hours will allow patrons with busy schedules more time to stop in during the week and also allow for some of our in-person programs to resume," states Chris May, MRCPL Director.

The extension of hours will include the Bellville, Lexington, Ontario and Madison branches that will remain open until 8 pm on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Additionally, the main library will remain open until 8 pm. The Curbside Pick-Up Service will be available until 8 pm at these locations as well.

Although May is encouraged by this opportunity, he cautions that hours are continuously subject to change based on the recommendations of Richland Public Health. It is highly recommended that all customers routinely check their local branch location webpage at [mrcpl.org/locations](http://mrcpl.org/locations) or call the service desk for the most up-to-date hours.



## Kokosing Construction presents to KCCC students

Kokosing Construction Company presented at the Knox County Career Center on Sept. 22.

Andy Fox, regional workforce coordinator, and Billy Saunders, operator coordinator, presented information about opportunities at Kokosing, certifications for various jobs, the interviewing process and what employers are looking for in potential candidates.

"We are here to show the KCCC students all of the opportunities in the construction trade and the beneficial long term careers in the construction industry," said Fox.

Students from Building Trades, Auto Tech, Collision Repair, Metal Fabrication and Careers in Construction Trades volunteered to participate in a mock interview where they were each asked a variety of the same questions that an employer would ask them in a real interview.

Questions were asked by both Kokosing representatives along with several of their peers in the audience.

"It gave me a refresher for what I need for interviews in the future," said student Shay

J. from Metal Fabrication (Clear Fork). Zechariah S. from Building Trades (Mount Vernon) added, "Learning how the interviews are going to go and seeing what kind of questions are asked and how to answer them was beneficial."



T-C Staff/Bud Motter

**GEORGIOS AXIPOULOS**, owner of Athens Greek Restaurant, speaks to Madison Middle School Social Studies Online Academy Class who are studying Greece. He answered questions from students and told all about his life in Greece. With George is Madison Middle School seventh grade teacher Megan Studer. Some of the seventh grade students that were on the Google Meet were Emma Fugett, Nate Riggle, Jordan Clark, Sabrina Hoffman, Braedon Dawson, Kalayah Johnson, Cameron Porter, Ke'marion Mitchner, Lilliana Allen, Trevor Meadows, Emily Daugherty, Danica Sturgell, Brandon Potter, Laney Lewis, Brianna Fidler, William Volmer, Ciona Welch and Kaleb Minich.