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THE LAKE BRUCE CONSERVANCY DISTRICT NEWS

The regular meeting of the Lake Bruce Conservancy District was held June 10. All of the directors were present as well as nine freesholders and one guest. The minutes and treasurer's report were read and approved.

Director Kathy Fisher reported that the dewatering basin has been torn down and final payment will be paid to Sean Gudas.

Director Paul Bradley said that the roll-off at the filtration plant is to be delivered within a week. Under new business, Richard Denny, the wastewater treatment plant operator, reported that there has been only one violation and it has been taken care of. He also said the plant is running very good. There is some concern about the amount of time that the air compressors are running. There is also a problem with fly larva which is common in newer plants. He will get some chlorine to solve this issue.

Director Gerald Porter reported that the weeds were sprayed May 24 and are slowly dying. He explained that the type of chemical that Clark Aquatic uses make the plants grow really fast to the point that they out grow their root system and then die. That is why they look healthy for a while after they have been sprayed. There will be another treatment later in the season. Mr. Porter handed out the bid for trees to go at the treatment plant. Director Brad Glasson will check out the quality of the trees from Springcreek Landscaping who was the lowest bidder. There is also a need to come up with some kind of cover for the roll-off and tanks to protect them in the winter. Any ideas will help.

Fulton County made a mistake in figuring the district's tax rate, so a special assessment will be made to make up the difference.

Director Rick Tompos proposed changing the director's pay structure from "per meeting" to "monthly". This was passed. Mr. Tompos also presented the first draft of the 2011 Lake Bruce Conservancy District proposed budget.

The meeting adjourned at 8:25 p.m. The next meeting will be Saturday, July 10, with the Lake Bruce Association. There will be a carry-in lunch at 11 a.m. and the meeting will follow. All lake residents/freesholders are urged to attend.

Relay for Life Father's Day Breakfast

The Crazyes for a Cure Relay for Life team will serve a Father's Day Breakfast Sunday, June 20, from 8 to 11 a.m. at the Rochester VFW. The menu will include biscuits and gravy with hash browns. Everyone is urged to attend and help support the American Cancer Society.

Library has new director



Nicholas Hughes

Mr. Nicholas Hughes took over his duties as director at the Kewanna-Union Township Public Library Monday.

Hughes, a native of Lapeer, Michigan, recently graduated from Indiana University Bloomington, along with his wife, with Master's Degrees in Library Science.

With a long work history in libraries, having started back in 2001 as a high school student, Hughes is very excited about working in Kewanna. As the expansion plans move forward, he is looking forward to the many growth opportunities and chances for public interaction within the library. He urges everyone to come in, introduce themselves, and watch the library grow and develop.

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Breakfast/supper at Twelve Mile

The Twelve Mile Community Board will serve a breakfast and supper Saturday, July 3, in conjunction with the basketball tournament and fireworks sponsored by the Twelve Mile Lions Club. Breakfast will be served from 7 to 10 a.m. at the Twelve Mile Community Building and will include biscuits and gravy, grilled sausage, pancakes and other items. A free will donation will be accepted.

Members from several local churches will be providing supplies, cooking and serving the supper which will be held in the pavilion at Twelve Mile's Plank Hill Park from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Supper will include ham, beans, corn bread, applesauce, cole slaw, pork burgers and homemade pie. Fireworks will begin at dusk.

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AREA FIVE MENU Kewanna Fire Station

Monday, June 21 - Pork loin, peas, vegetable blend, fruit and wheat bread and milk
Wednesday, June 23 - Cheeseburger sandwich, corn, green beans, apricots and milk
Friday, June 25 - BBQ ribbette sandwich, macaroni and cheese, cauliflower, peaches and milk

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James F. Talbott VFW No. 1121 June Activities

Tuesday, June 22 - Men's Auxiliary meeting, 6:30 p.m.
Sunday, June 27 - Open Sunday beginning at noon.

The News In Brief

Andy Eirth, boys' basketball coach at Caston for the past three years, has accepted the coaching position at his alma mater, Southwestern High School, at Hanover. He will also be the dean of students. At Caston, he was the physical education health teacher. Eirth went 12-54 in his three seasons at Caston, winning the sectional title in 2009.

The Nyona South Mad Lake Boosters will serve an all-you-can-eat fish dinner from 5 to 7 p.m. Saturday, June 19, at the club house, 2999 N. Knoll Road, Nyona Lake. The cost of the meal is \$8 for adults; \$6 for children 6-11; and \$3 for children 1-5. Proceeds will go towards street lighting.

The Fulton County Commissioners will meet at 6 p.m. Monday, June 21, at the commissioners' room of the Fulton County Office Building, 125 E. 9th St., Rochester. The agenda will include various reports, additional appropriations, transfers, claims, minutes and old and new business.

The Manitow Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution will meet at 1:30 p.m. Monday, June 21, at the Fulton County Public Library, Rochester. Suzanne Beattie will be the hostess. The meeting was originally scheduled for June 14, but was moved due to the library book sale. Ruth Reese will give a program on butterfly gardens. All interested persons are invited to attend.

Hope Hospice offers various volunteer opportunities including patient companion, bereavement, office, fund raising and community relations. Under the direction of the volunteer coordinator, volunteers undergo pre-assignment screening, training and orientation to the hospice philosophy of care. Call 574-224-4673 for more information.

Fake lottery scams are hitting northern Indiana fast and hard according to the Better Business Bureau. Residents (especially senior citizens) are reporting that they are receiving sweepstakes award winning notifications by phone and by mail and subsequent requests for funds along with threats. The BBB urges residents to call the BBB at 1-800-952-4631 if something does not seem right.

There will be a free cookout in Delong from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, June 26. The event will include games for the kids, music and free groceries. For more information, call 574-847-4041 or 574-835-6490.

Ernie Hiatt will fry cholesterol-free fish and chicken from 2 to 7 p.m. Saturday, June 26, at the Leifers Ford Community Building. Tickets are \$7.50 for adults in advance (\$8 at the door) and \$4.50 for children ages 5-12 (\$5 at the door).

Rummage Rumble, June 19

Kewanna's annual Rummage Rumble community wide garage/yard sale day is slated for this Saturday, June 19, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The event is sponsored by Kewanna H.E.A.R.T. For more information, contact Sheri Cook at 574-653-9919.

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Metzger receives 50-year service pin

Max M. Metzger, Royal Center and Kewanna, received his 50-year service pin award at the 130th Indiana Funeral Directors Association convention held at Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis, Wednesday, June 9.

A graduate of Bunker Hill High School, Max served four years in the US Air Force from 1954 to 1958. He registered as an embalming apprentice in the fall of 1958 and served his apprenticeship with the Drake-Flowers Funeral Home in Peru, then enrolled in the Cincinnati College of Mortuary Science. He graduated and received his embalmers license in 1960. After another year of apprenticeship, he received his funeral directors license.

Max worked in Royal Center for the Harrison Funeral Homes before he and John Hinshaw purchased the funeral homes (Royal Center and Kewanna) in 1967. He was the funeral director for Harrison-Metzger Funeral Homes, Inc. and still serves as a funeral director even though the business has been sold to Kyle L. Rans.

Max has served as an IFDA District 4 director with David A. Hall. They were the first disaster coordinators for the State of Indiana and he is a former chairman of the Indiana State Board of Funeral and Cemetery Service.

Max was elected to two terms as Cass County coroner and worked for the county coroner's office for over 20 years. He is also a past chairman of the Logansport Memorial Hospital Board of Trustees, serving as trustee for 23 years. He is now a member of the Cass County Veterans Memorial team.

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RECYCLING DATES

THURS., JUNE 3RD
THURS., JUNE 17TH

Caston names top graduates

Veronica Sheets and Caleb Siders are valedictorian and salutatorian, respectively, of the 2010 graduating class at Caston.



Veronica Sheets

Veronica received an Academic Honors diploma earning a GPA of 11.23 on a 3.95 point scale (equivalent to a 12.0 on a 4 point scale). She ranked in the Top Ten her entire high school career.

She was the recipient of several departmental awards including English (two years), Algebra II (one year), and Accounting I (one year). She was the MVP for her cross country team her sophomore and junior year and received the most improved award her senior year. Veronica received the Voice of Democracy Award from VFW Post No. 1343 as a sophomore.

Her extracurricular activities include cross country, Fulton County Youth Leadership Academy, National Honor Society, Science Club, Art Club, Drama Club, Student Council, band, Tri-M Society, choir, swing choir and Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

She enjoys sports, fishing, swimming, boating, riding four-wheelers, family, friends, movies, music, video games, reading, computers, Internet and having fun.

Veronica plans to attend Indiana University Kokomo and major in either elementary education or early child education.

She is the daughter of Ronald and Debra Sheets, Twelve Mile.



Caleb Siders

Caleb is the son of Ronald and Catherine Siders, Kewanna, and is currently enrolled at IUPUI where he plans to study mechanical engineering.

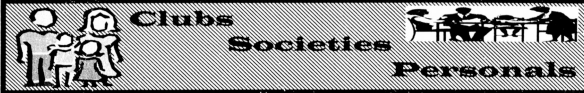
Caleb also received an Academic Honors diploma with a 10.833 GPA on a 12.0 scale. He received Top Ten honors for every semester from 2004 to 2010. Caleb is a member of the National Honor Society and received the John Phillip Sousa Award.

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Children under five may get free. For ticket information, call 574-542-2118. Proceeds will help Clyde and Donna Howard pay medical bills.

Farm fatalities in Indiana decreased in 2009 for the first time in three years, according to a report from Purdue University. Twenty Indiana residents died last year from farm-related accidents, down from 28 in 2008 and 24 in 2007.

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Harry and Dorothy Richter to celebrate 50th anniversary

Harry and Dorothy Richter, Rochester, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary at an open house hosted by their children Sunday, June 20, from 2 to 5 p.m. at the Fulton Baptist Temple.

Richter and the former Dorothy Douglass were married June 19, 1960 at the Lucerne Christian Church with Rev. Gene Sellers officiating.

She is a retired teacher from Caston Elementary School and Harry, a banker, is retired from Indiana Lawrence Bank having served several years as manager of the Kewanna branch.

Their children include Todd Richter of Dallas, Texas, and Brian and Jennifer Richter, Rochester. They also have two

grandchildren, Nicolas and Blake Richter, Rochester.

Methodist Women pack prescription bottles for mission field

The Kewanna United Methodist Women met Monday evening, June 14, in the church annex to clean and pack used prescription bottles to be used in the mission field.

The business meeting was opened with all repeating The Purpose in unison. The secretary/treasurer's report was read and approved.

Thank you notes were read from Willetta Wilson and Mildred McColley for the May Day rose buds that were delivered to them.

The group will meet at 9 a.m.

Thursday, June 24, to clean and re-organize the kitchen. A check was received from the county clerk for the meals served to poll workers on primary election day. The group will also prepare and deliver meals for the fall election.

The group discussed the church carry-in to be held Sunday, June 27. Former pastor, Rev. Todd Wilson, and his family will be the guests of honor. The Wilsons have been serving in the missionary field in the Ukraine.

Flooring samples were viewed and a pattern chosen for the church kitchen.

Devotions were given by Evelyn Peters. The next meeting will be July 12 at the home of Shirley Bussert.

Refreshments were served. The door prize went to Hannah Greenwood.

VBS at St. Luke Lutheran, June 28 – July 2

Kathy Zellars, director of the St. Luke Lutheran Church Vacation Bible School in Winamac has announced that June 28 – July 2 are the dates for this year's VBS. The school will be in session from 9 a.m. to 12 noon each day at the church located at 721 S. Market Street.

The theme for this year's event is Planet Zoom. Students will zip, zap and zoom for Jesus and all children age three through fifth graders (completed this year) are welcome to attend.

Pastor Woodley will do the Bible studies as well as the opening and closing sessions. Amanda Kistler will be in charge of the pre-schoolers; Kathy Zellars, Bible challenge and crafts; and Louise Gudas, games. The church youth group will help out in numerous activities.

The VBS work day is June 13 after church services, around 10:30 a.m. Please call the church for further information at 574-946-3901.

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Summer programs at library
Several interesting reading programs are on tap for the local library this summer. The schedule includes:
June 9 - Flowers. Master Gardeners will give a talk on flowers and participants will be planting flowers at the library.
June 16 - Sonya Cowles will give a talk on mining and participants will do models.
June 23 - Greek gods. Participants will explore the different Greek gods and will make a Father's Day craft.
June 30 - Indians. Participants will read about and discuss Indians of the area and make tiedye t-shirts.
July 5 - Bats. Participants will read and talk about bats.
July 13 - Surprise finish to the reading program.

Sign up sheets are available at the library for each of the summer programs. Please sign up at the library or call. The library staff would like for participants to sign up at least three days before the program. Jackie Hoskins is responsible for the summer reading program. If you have suggestions or would like to help with the programs, please let her know.

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WOODLAWN HOSPITAL

June 4 Births - Erica Swartzel, Macy, a son

June 5 Births - Brett and Daylene Byers, Rochester, a daughter; Adair Zimplman, Akron, a daughter

June 7 Admissions - Jackie Sherman, Plymouth; Stephen Rans, Rochester

Dismissals - Elizabeth Marshall, Bourbon; Charles Saxe, Courtney Nolen and twin daughters, Sherri Brandenburg, Charmon Griggs and daughter, Rochester; Erica Swartzel and son, Macy, and Adair Zimplman and daughter, Akron

Births - Bradley and Jennifer Snyder, Rochester, a daughter

June 8 Admissions - Kisia Utery and Jay McCall, Rochester; Sandra Witham, Mentone

Dismissals - Stephen Rans, Rochester

June 9 Admissions - Sharon Swartz, Rochester

Dismissals - Daylene Byers and daughter, Rochester; Jackie Sherman, Plymouth

June 10 Admissions - Henry Bradley, Rochester

Dismissals - Marsha Black, Peru; Jennifer Snyder and daughter, Rochester; Sharon Swartz, Rochester

Births - Caleb and Tiffany Addington, Walkerton, a daughter; Jessica Goad, Plymouth, a son

June 11 Dismissals - Kisia Utery and Jay McCall, Rochester

DEATHS

LAWANNA NADINE MOBERLY

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday, June 19, at the Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church for Lawanna Nadine Moberly, formerly of Lake Bruce. Her grandson, Rev. Jeff Newton, Kokomo, will officiate. Burial of the remains will be in the Pleasant Hill Cemetery.

Mrs. Moberly died May 8, 2010 at Hospice of Cincinnati, Blue Ash, Ohio.



RAYMOND EUGENE HURLBURT

Raymond Eugene Hurlburt, 85, Logansport, passed away at 9:45 a.m. Saturday, June 12, 2010 at his residence.

Born August 8, 1924 in Kewanna, he was the son of the late John Leslie Hurlburt and Winifred Fern (Tippitt) Pummel. Raymond was a World War II Navy veteran who was in the first

wave at Normandy on D-Day. He then joined the U.S. Army in 1948 and retired in 1964. From 1964 to 1966 he was with the Department of Interior U.S. Fish and Wildlife serving in the Pacific Northwest and Alaska. In 1966, he was employed by the Department of Defense, Corps of Engineers working mainly in Southeast Asia and the Middle East.

Raymond spent his summers in Logansport and wintered in Florida. His passions included hunting, firearms, fishing and horses. He traveled the world and gained many friends at every stop. Raymond was a beloved father, brother, uncle and friend who truly lived life to the fullest. His wonderful stories from all his travels will be greatly missed.

Survivors include his children, Diana Sander of St. Petersburg, Florida, Frank Hurlburt and Karma Tran, both of Tacoma, Washington; Tom Ko of Seattle, Washington; a brother, Robert Cloese of Kokomo; a sister, Mary Ellen Gunter, Logansport; and grandchildren, Isabella Ko, Khoo Tran and Kayle Ann Tran. He was preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Eva Terry and Donna Rader; and a brother, Glen Hurlburt.

Military rites and a celebration of life were held at 8 p.m. Tuesday, June 15, at Marocco Funeral Chapel in Logansport. A visitation was held one hour prior to the service at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to anything veteran related. Online condolences and tributes may be made to the family at www.maroccofc.com.

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To register, call Patient Services at 874-946-2193 between 8 am and 4 pm Monday

Pulaski Memorial Community Calendar Sibling Class

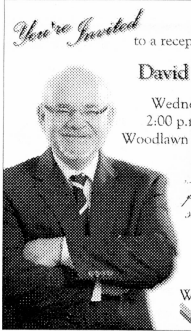
The next sibling class is scheduled for **June 26** at Pulaski Memorial Hospital. This class is offered the last Saturday of every other month, from 9 am to 10:30 am. The purpose of the class is to assist the big brothers and big sisters (ages 3 to 10 years) to adjust to the new baby in the family. They are offered a tour of the OB department to see where the baby is to be born, learn how to hold and assist in the baby's care, and explore their feelings about becoming a big brother or big sister. Parents are encouraged to schedule your child for the date closest to the expected date of delivery. An adult must accompany the child.

To register, call Patient Services at 874-946-2193 between 8 am and 4 pm Monday through Friday. Please provide your doctor's name, your due date and telephone number. There is no charge if you plan to deliver at Pulaski Memorial. There will be a \$6 charge if you plan to deliver elsewhere.

Prenatal Class
The Prenatal "mini-class" is July 17 from 9 am to 3 pm. The purpose of Prenatal Classes is to provide you with information on how to deal with the discomforts of pregnancy, understand the process of labor and delivery, breathing and relaxation techniques to manage labor, what to expect when you come to the hospital, and how to take care of yourself and the baby after delivery. Parents are encouraged to attend classes any time after your fourth month of pregnancy.

To register, call Patient Services at 874-946-2193 between 8 am and 4 pm Monday

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Prenatal classes are offered seven times a year; four sets of Thursday evening classes and three sets of all day Saturday class.

Rick Haschel Memorial 5k Run/Walk
The 2nd Annual Rick Haschel Memorial 5k Run/Walk is **July 17** in Winamac. Start time is 8:30 am EST. All proceeds of the 5k race will go to the Pulaski Memorial Hospice in their efforts to provide quality care for terminally ill patients and their families. Registration may be completed on-line at the race web site which is www.rhm5k.com.

Carcinerve
The next Carcinerve event is **July 20** from 4 to 5:30 pm in the Pulaski Memorial Hospital Conference Center. Dr. Laurence Bates, Medical Oncologist, will speak on "Changes in the Treatment of Prostate Cancer". Everyone is welcome to attend.

Indiana State Fairgrounds Upcoming Events

WEDJ Latino Festival: June 19 in the Infield. Gates open at noon; music from 1 to 11 p.m. Admission: free with \$5 facility charge. Contact: WEDJ (317) 860-0602 or www.wedjfm.com.

IMTA Indiana Truck Driving & Technician Championships: June 19 in the Ag/Hort Building and Midway Lot. Hours: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission: free. Contact: Tisha Terry (317) 630-4682.

Region 13 All Arabian Horse Show: June 23 - 27 in the Pepsi Coliseum, West Pavilion, South Pavilion & Outdoor Arena. Hours: Wed. - Sat. 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.; Sun. 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: free. Contact: Jan Decker (317) 861-4814 or www.region13.net.

Half Price Books Clearance Sale: June 26 - 27 in the Ag/Hort Building. Hours: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Contact: (317) 632-0441.

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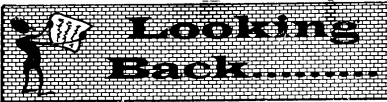
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SIXTY YEARS AGO
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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Willoughby of Kewanna announce the engagement of their daughter, Norma May, to Earl C. Daily, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Daily, Star City. No date has been set for the wedding.

Doris McIntire and Delmar Crabb were united in marriage Sunday at the Kewanna Church of Christ. Rev. Joseph Dux officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Elston Sayers, Kewanna, are the parents of a son, Elton Floyd, Jr., born June 6, at Carmel Hospital in Winamac. The baby weighed 7 pounds and 12 ounces.

Barbara Lucille Steininger, five-year-old daughter of Calvin and Alice Steininger of near Fulton, died suddenly Wednesday, June 7, at Dr. Dean Simon's office. Services were held Saturday at the Pilgrim Holiness Church, Fulton, with Rev. Leonard Fletcher officiating.

John Collins, Rt. 1, Kewanna, has been awarded a Master of Arts degree by Columbia University's teachers' college. The degree was conferred Thursday, June 8, at the 196th annual commencement exercises at Columbia University.

Luther Shoemaker, Kewanna, entertained a group of friends at an all-day party Sunday at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shoemaker, on Lake Wawasee. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Carl Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cook, Dr. and Mrs. Paul Heinsen, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hiland, Woody Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Murray, Kay and Norma, Dick Nelson and Robert

Shoemaker.

The Wayne Township Trophy Finders 4-H Club met June 9 at the home of Bus and Tom Miller with 27 members present. Talks were given by Merl Wadupps on soil conservation; Roger Fields on dairy; and Jim Young on mounting leaves. A demonstration was given by Roger Long and Bus Miller on testing soil for acidity. A health and safety lesson was given by Jerry Myers and David Holiday.

FIFTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
June 16, 1955

The Kewanna branch of the Farmers and Merchants Bank will move into its new building on Main Street Monday, June 20. The new structure, remodeled by Loyd Woolington, is just three doors east of the present location.

John M. Steel, 71, formerly of here and now of Logansport, died Wednesday evening at St. Joseph Hospital in Logansport. He had been admitted there June 1 after collapsing at Fifth and Market. Mr. Steel was a barber in Kewanna for a number of years.

Rev. Frank R. Briggs, pastor of the local Methodist Church for the past year, has been returned to the church for another year by the Northern Indiana Conference which convened in Greencastle last week.

The Kewanna Fire Department was called to the home of William Jump east of town Monday morning when his stove became plugged up and caused considerable smoke in the house. No damage was done.

A flower bed has been planted in the west end of the ball park near the picnic tables. The flower bed was put there as a memorial to the late Claude Weller by his wife and children.

DeForrest Showley of Wilmette, Illinois, formerly of Lake Bruce, visited his aunt, Mrs. Howard Smith, Sunday. He and his family expect to spend the summer in Hawaii. He is the son of Charles

Shively and attended Kewanna High School. After leaving this community, he entered the YMCA College in Chicago and on graduation became the athletic director at the New Trier High School. He has held that position for 25 years, during which time he received a degree from Northwestern University.

FIFTY YEARS AGO
June 16, 1960

Robert Hoff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hoff, Kewanna, is in Bloomington this week attending Boys State. He is being sponsored by the Kewanna Businessmen's Club.

The Emmert Frasa Meat Market at Lake Bruce was recently purchased by Doug Ginn. Doug is experienced in meat cutting and butchering, having started to learn the trade at Mosher's Supermarket while in high school. After that he went to Kokomo where he was with the Standard Market for three years before going to Logansport with Standard.

Mary Esther Henning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henning, Kewanna, received a Bachelor of Science in education degree Saturday, June 11, during the 114th graduation exercises at Taylor University.

The Kewanna Fire Department was busy Monday afternoon. They were first called to the home of Mrs. Al Rans north of town when it was discovered that a garage was on fire. The building burned to the ground and all garden tools and other stored items were lost. Later in the afternoon, the department was called to the home of Herbert Hamman on South Logan Street when a transformer in a television set was destroyed. The set had evidently been struck by lightning Saturday night and when it was turned on Monday evening, it burned up.

Rev. Charles Cook, Kewanna, was ordained as an elder and admitted to full connection during the annual conference of the Methodist Church held recently at West Lafayette. Rev. Cook graduated June 13 from Garrett Biblical Institute, Northwestern University. He will return to serve as pastor of the Kewanna church another year.

FORTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
June 10, 1965

George E. Walters, Kewanna, will be one of 226 students receiving their diplomas Sunday at Indiana Central College. He is a candidate for a Bachelor of Arts degree.

Sally Masteller, Grand Representative to the Philippines, International Rainbow for Girls, will be the honored guest at reception to be held June 12 in the Masonic Hall, Kewanna.

Mrs. Jeanette Sanders, Kewanna, has been dismissed from St. Joseph Hospital, Logansport, where she underwent eye surgery.

St. Peter's Catholic Church in Winamac was the scene of a double ring wedding ceremony Saturday, June 5, when Lillian Lorraine Montz became the bride of Martin J. Koleszar. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Montz, Kewanna, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Koleszar, Winamac.

Nancy Walters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Walters, Kewanna, has been elected vice president of the student-faculty government at the Indiana University School of Nursing.

THIRTY YEARS AGO
June 12, 1980

Teresa Troutman was the winner of a bicycle in the recent

St. Jude Hospital bikeathon. Teresa collected the most money in the event which raised \$480 for the hospital. Roger Didelot was chairman of the bikeathon. He was assisted by Rev. Neil Millman.

Seven volunteers from ConRail laid 150 feet of railroad track at the Letters Ford Depot Museum Friday and Saturday. The track will be used to run two motorized work cars on and give rides.

Anita and David Redweik, Rt. 2, Kewanna, will be giving swimming lessons at their pool beginning the last of June and continuing into August. They are both certified Red Cross instructors.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison DeWitt and Mrs. Bea Harris were in Nappanee last week where they enjoyed dinner at Amsh Acres in celebration of the DeWitt's 55th wedding anniversary.

Robert, David and Susan Redweik, Rt. 2, Kewanna, have spent a month touring in Europe with their sister, Anita. Anita has spent the past six months studying at Cambridge, England, through the study tour program at Valparaiso University where she will be a junior this fall.

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"LOOKING BACK"
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Mr. and Mrs. John Hott were hosts at a dinner Sunday in honor of their son-in-law, David Sheetz, who was celebrating his birthday. They also helped Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hott celebrate their wedding anniversary.

TWENTY YEARS AGO
June 14, 1990

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Kewanna United Methodist Church for Wilma N. Van Duyn, 79, Rt. 3, Kewanna. Rev. Bryan Ton officiated and burial was in Mount Zion Cemetery. Mrs. Van Duyn died at 7:10 a.m. Monday at Pulaski Memorial Hospital.

Max M. Metzger of Harrison-Metzger Funeral Homes has been elected chairman of the State Board of Funeral Service. The Funeral Service board is one of the 13 regulatory and licensing boards under the jurisdiction of the Professional Licensing Agency.

Everett Easterday, 54, Rt. 2, Kewanna, underwent surgery last week at Woodlawn Hospital for the removal of .22 caliber bullet fragments from his head. The bullet was apparently fired by youth who were shooting a .22 caliber rifle in an open field at a nearby residence.

Marine Cpl. Karen K. Dague, daughter of Jane Hizer, Rochester, and Joe Dague, Rt. 2, Kewanna, was promoted to her present rank while serving at Marine Corps Air Station New River, Jacksonville, North Carolina. A 1983 graduate of

Rochester High School, she joined the Marine Corps in October 1986.

Services were held at 10:30 a.m. Friday at the McCloskey-Hamilton-Gundrum Funeral Home in Logansport for Dwight Leon Reed, 69, Rt. 2, Kewanna. Survivors include one son, Kenneth E. Reed, Rt. 2, Kewanna.

Barbi Baldwin and son Cody, Kewanna, were the guests of honor at a baby shower held Sunday, June 3, at the local Church of Christ.

Letter To The Editor...



Albert D. Toner
"The Father of Kewanna"

Historically, Albert D. Toner (b. June 20, 1834 - d. June 22, 1915) is often regarded as the "father" or "builder" of Kewanna. In light of the fact that Father's Day is before us and Memorial Day just behind us, it is fitting that tribute be noted for our community's

most outstanding town father. In recognition of Mr. Toner's immense business and financial contribution in establishing Kewanna as a prosperous town during the early years (1865-1910), the following biography of "Kewanna's most outstanding citizen who did more for the town than any one man" (*The Kewanna Herald*, June 23, 1915) should be of interest to any resident of the community who wants to know what went before. No doubt, Mr. Toner's descendants could contribute more biographic information than what appears here.

Much of what Mr. Toner "fathered" is now gone to the ages: the Toner Hotel and most of the south side of the Toner Block on Main Street, the Opera House, gran elevator, the local Vandalia and CS&O railroad lines and more; however, his home (privately owned) located at the northeast corner of Main and Toner streets remains largely intact; an appropriate site for a historical marker commemorating Mr. Toner. The current "town fathers" should strive to preserve the historical integrity that those before us worked so hard to establish.

Albert D. Toner, "one of the most successful and prominent citizens of Kewanna and Fulton County" (E. Peattie, Pictorial History of America, Fulton County edition, 1896), was born in Fayette County near Connersville, Indiana, June 20, 1834. His parents were Samuel (b. Pennsylvania, ca. 1790) and Anna (Shaffer) Toner (b. New Jersey, ca. 1794) whom were married in Northumberland County, Pennsylvania. Into them were born eleven children and Albert D. Toner was the

youngest. He was about eight years old when his parents moved from Fayette County during the early 1840s and came north and west to Fulton County where they settled in Wayne Township and later Union Township (1850 U.S. Census), listing farming as an occupation.

Albert D. Toner grew up on the family farm and acquired a public school education. According to the 1860 U.S. Census, Mr. Toner, age 26 years, listed his occupation as farmer and livestock dealer, but shortly after 1860, he left the farm and became a resident of Kewanna. However, he did not completely cut his ties with farming. For the next two decades (1860-1880), Toner dealt successfully in the business of livestock (possibly helping to supply the huge demand for pork and beef for the two million soldiers of the Union Army during the Civil War and Reconstruction Period.)

In the 1880 U.S. Census, Albert D. Toner, now age 46, was still listed as a livestock dealer, but was also listed in a new career as banker. Mr. Toner established The Kewanna Bank of which he was the sole proprietor. Feeling financially confident, Mr. Toner became the key contractor in a movement for the construction of a railroad from Logansport through Kewanna to South Bend, and was instrumental in organizing a company of Kewanna citizens for the construction of the railroad.

He became a respected railroad contractor, securing the right-of-way and constructing portions of the north-south Vandalia railroad grade between Culver and Logansport, establishing the town of Lucerne, originally called Altener, and also the east-west CS&O railroad grade west of

North Judson to near Fulton where he built an elevator. As soon as the Vandalia railroad was completed, Mr. Toner constructed the Kewanna Roller Mills elevator, in which he later merged partnership with a Mr. Brunk.

During the prosperous times of the 1880s and 1890s, Mr. Toner built the town of Kewanna. After acquiring a considerable amount of the town's real estate, he commenced to construct three business blocks of commercial buildings and several residential homes. His "upbuilding" of Kewanna included the Palace Livery Barn Block, located west of the elevator and Vandalia railroad, the Masonic Temple of Kewanna, the Kewanna Handle Factory, and it was mainly due to Toner's encouragement that the H. Heinig Company was induced to establish a pickle factory at Kewanna in 1894. His pride-filled Toner block included the Toner Hotel and Opera House. He owned nearly 1,000 acres of farmland in Union and Wayne townships (part of second frame barn in Union Township). Running as a Democrat, Mr. Toner also served one term in the 1884-1885 Indiana state legislature as representative from Fulton and Pulaski counties. (E. Peattie, Pictorial History of America, Fulton County edition, 1896).

His failing health in his later years forced Mr. Toner to reside with Mr. and Mrs. John Leiter. At age 81 years and two days, Albert D. Toner passed away at the Leiter home, Tuesday, June 22, 1915, his death due to heart failure according to the

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physician and coroner. The following excerpt regarding Toner's passing appeared in *The Kewanna Herald*, June 25, 1915:

Kewanna's Leading Citizen Answers Final Call

"He brought Kewanna up from the shades of oblivion to the bright sunlight of commercial prominence, progress and prosperity. He had unbounded faith in her possibilities and unlimited confidence in her commercial future and backed his judgment unflinchingly and unflinchingly with the capital, brains and energy to see the successful culmination of each and every one of his plans. No man ever did so much for Kewanna, her stability, permanence, prominence and prosperity as Albert D. Toner. While he profited from his own efforts to the extent of acquiring a fortune, he put Kewanna on the map and assisted countless others to independence and happiness and made Kewanna the most talked about town of its size in all Hoosierdom."

Although Mr. Toner never married, he remained close to his relatives and friends. Mr. Toner willed his property to five associates in 1903, twelve years before his death: Mrs. Ida Howell, Mrs. Alice Leiter (executors of his will), Mrs. Lucille Leiter, Mrs. Flo Leiter-McNitt, and Ms. Emma E. Cleland; all receiving equal shares of his estate.

Albert D. Toner is buried in the Shaffer Cemetery east of town, alongside his family and relatives. Although Mr. Toner did not have a gravestone or the fact that few pictures exist of him, former Kewanna residents would often remark, "if you seek Al Toner, just look around you,"

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agribusiness this year is North Central Co-op, which includes the Fulton County Farm Bureau Co-op established in 1923 in Rochester. The featured tractor is Cockshutt-Co-op. The Hooster Co-op Jamboree, headed by Chuck Smith of Macy, will bring many Co-op tractors, which includes Cockshutt, Co-op and Black Hawk. The Plus 50 pull is for tractors and drivers over age 50. The Powder Puff is for the ladies. A kid's pedal tractor pull will also be held and a pitcher pump contest.

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Caston honor roll

Caston Junior/Senior High School has announced the names of its honor-roll students for the final grading period of the 2009/2010 school year. Students named to the All A honor roll include:
Grade 7 - Sarah Holt, Jacob Kingery, Madeline Moeller, Thomas Shriner and Madison Taylor
Grade 8 - Michael Beall, Derek Berkshire, Haley Hoover and Anthony Strain
Grade 9 - Marissa Hicks, Katelyn Miller and Zachary Smith
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Grade 9 - Abriana Holt, Amanda Watson, Katarina Williamson and Meagan York
Grade 10 - Zachary Cowell, Maggie Daily, Emily Douglass, Amelia Hawkey, Holly Kingery, Jack Miller, Brittney Offenberger, Kara Smith, Michael Sommer and Jasmine Westbrook

Grade 11 - Alberto Carrido, Brian Gerald, Morgan Herrold, Dana Miller, Freya Thiel, Kaluub Walsh and Courtney Woodcox

Grade 12 - Phillip Burman, Matthew Clupper, Leviathan James, James Laing, Alexa Olinger, Megan Powell, Matthew Reichart, Wesley Rigney, Caitlin Scully, Emily See, Veronica Sheets, Caleb Siders, Paige Thomas, Kelley Thomson and Chelsea Troyer

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"Launching Your Own Business" Workshop

The Fulton Economic Development Corporation (FEDCO) in conjunction with the Indiana Small Business Development Center will host a another "Launching Your Own Business" on June 22nd from 8:30

to 7:30 p.m. at the Fulton Economic Development offices as the second of monthly starting business educational events. The seminar, offered for \$15, is part of an entrepreneurship initiative being launched by FEDCO. Future programs will include specific business-related topics and an extensive Business Planning and Management Course. The seminar is for anyone considering business start-up or for those already in business who need information about business plans or financing. LVOB is a hands-on seminar that provides proven tools to get students on the road to success. Participants receive a comprehensive workbook and free one-on-one new business consultation upon completion of the workbook.

The instructor is Jim Roudeshush representing the Indiana Small Business Development Center. Jim has spent the last five years in training and consulting with entrepreneurs all over Indiana. He has been a small business owner for the past 19 years and has an MBA in Marketing and Finance. Roudeshush helps participants identify their personal objectives, skills, and resources; understand entrepreneurial characteristics; describe business ideas and target groups; and evaluate business feasibility. Other topics include developing a business plan and ways to find funding resources. FEDCO Board President Terry Lee states, "Small businesses are proven job creators and FEDCO is creating a comprehensive support system to help them grow. Education is an important part of this process and the Launching Your Own Business seminar is a great first step."

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"Slices of Life"

By: Jill Pertler

Board game begets word creation

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You learn a lot about someone after a game of Scrabble – sometimes more than you want to know. You learn about vocabulary, psyche, competitive spirit, luck, creativity and who was listening in school when the teacher taught important facts such as I before E except after C. You learn who is good at placing big-point tiles like J, Q and X in the double and triple-score boxes.

We played Scrabble today – the four of us – my husband and I, along with two of our sons.

The 8-year-old started us out with the word A. You read that right. He started with a one-letter word. Plain old A qualifies as a word because it's an entry in the dictionary, which makes it legitimate, albeit simple.

Sometimes in Scrabble – as in life – simple is best.

We took turns in succession, forming words like DEAL, DAD, DOLE and DUEL. My older son placed his tiles to make VOYAGE and took the lead with a double-letter score on the Y.

After much face scrunching and rearranging of letters, the 8-year-old got excited. "When's my turn?" he asked.

"After dad," we answered. He fidgeted in his chair. We told him to be still. The wiggling continued.

"I've got a good word," he said, sitting up on his knees and leaning far over the Scrabble board, clearly in danger of knocking over his milk (which happened later, but not too much). It was obvious he couldn't contain himself.

No one asked him what his word was.

"It's HUTLUPIY," (pronounced huddle-uppy) he said long before it was his turn.

My husband grimaced. Our older son smiled. I laughed.

"Hutluppy?" we all spoke the word like a question.

"You know," he said, "When you play football and you get

together and hutluppy."

At that, we gave the Scrabble equivalent to an NFL out-of-equivalent call.

"Hutluppy's not a word," we said. "It's not in the dictionary."

He frowned. Our game continued.

A few turns later, the 8-year-old came up with GALAROO (pronounced gay-a-roo). "You know," he said as if explanation were necessary. "A gang of bad kids roo."

Without any expletives (which wouldn't be polite, not to mention politically correct, in a game involving an 8-year-old) we gave him Scrabble's verbal equivalent to strike three.

"That's not in the dictionary," we said.

"Should be," he said, returning to his tiles.

The game was drawing to a close. I placed WRITER, which I thought rather clever, given my vocation and all. Scrabble doesn't allow bonus points for cleverness, so I had to be satisfied with 24. At least it put me in first place.

My husband studied his tiles and placed just three to form QUIZ. It was a simple offering, which included at triple-word score. With this 60-point net play, my husband took the lead. Sometimes in Scrabble – as in life – simple is best.

The 8-year-old had one more turn. He was smiling – for a moment. "I only needed one more B and I could've made BOOGER," he said. Before any of us could speak, he continued, "And I know it's in the dictionary, because booger is for sure a real word!"

I didn't say anything at the time, because I didn't have the heart to disagree with him again. I looked it up later. It took three dictionaries, but I finally found my booger in Webster's Collegiate – right between boodle and boogie-man. Must have been a fairly new addition.

Today we played Scrabble. I lost the game but won something better. I learned some of the best words haven't been invented yet. As an admirer of our language, that was a sweet tidbit of information – delivered courtesy of MYSMYFRYBOY (pronounced my-smry-fry-boy) and defined as "my youngest son."

(If you can't beat 'em, join 'em.)

Dictionary ins and outs

It started with a broken cell phone and ended with a philosophical discussion about the evolution of the English language.

The world is in a constant state of flux and our language jettisons discos and macarons right along with it. The dictionary adds new words each year. Take cell phone, for instance. That's a pretty new word so far as the dictionary goes. Technology has been the impetus for lots of modern vocabulary. Google. Blog. Software. Hardware. Facebook. iPod. Texting. The list goes on.

We invent new words all the time. The dictionary welcomes them into its family. I never get mad when I see a new word. Then my son broke his cell phone, and I realized the truth. If new words are added to the dictionary, it only stands to reason that old words – weak, withered, never-used words – get the boot.

When words fall from grace, they become obsolete, losing their spot in the dictionary to newer and brighter verbiage. Recent dictionary additions include: staycation (stay-at-home vacation), locavore (person who eats food that's grown locally), frenemy (someone who pretends to be a friend, but is really an enemy), manpurse (no definition needed) and anything beginning with a lowercase "i."

How do words become obsolete? Much like my old Walkman, leg warmers and coffee percolator, their popularity fades and they are no longer deemed worthy. When a word wears out and is not used, especially in published writing, it becomes what's known as a "lost" word. Is there anything sadder than that?

Because of the cell phone breakage, we discovered a potentially soon-to-be-lost word: repair. As in: You broke your cell phone. Can we repair it?

Wondering about repairing a cell phone should be a common bit of thinking when one's cell phone requires repair. However, because repair is fading from our vocabulary, we don't consider it after our cell phone (or camera, computer, TV, fridge, DVD player, dishwasher, vacuum or fill-in-the-blank here) breaks. We don't think about repair. We think about new.

Which is exactly why I am predicting that repair will be a lost word by the year 2030. Oh, sure, I've done my best to use it here, in published writing, all of these years or fill-in-the-blank here) count for something. Have I managed to repair the damage to repair? Time will tell.

Other words become lost only to be replaced by similar terms. Egg cake became quiche somewhere back in the 1880's, right about the same time that minivan wagon morphed into minivan.

Some words stand the test of time by redefining themselves – literally. When I was a kid, I described someone as "green," meant they were envious, or had just eaten a bad meatball sandwich. Now, green has much more positive, environmental connotations. You didn't want to be green in the 1970's, but you do now.

No longer use the term "pre-owned." Instead, we talk about "pre-owned" or "refurbished." Sounds better, doesn't it? I don't want a used minivan, just pre-owned.

Anytime the dictionary has to delete a word, it's a sad thing. I know I'm still mourning the loss of embrangle (to confuse) and flubby (squat). They were good words. Still are. I guess. Good, albeit lost, words. Wonder what it would take to repair them?

Some dictionary changes are nothing but pitiful. Take the Oxford Junior Dictionary. It recently added the word BlackBerry – as in the popular cell phone. Guess what word it deemed lost and removed at the very same time? BlackBerry – as in the fruit. It seems kids using the dictionary no longer have a need to know about blackberries as fruit. Is there anything sadder than that?

Not much, unless you consider a kid who breaks his cell phone less than a year after he got it. It was an accident, to be sure, but accidents cost money. Who's going to pay for that? Luckily, the term "save your money" isn't obsolete in my son's world. He had the cash to buy a new phone.

We went to the store, and I was still hoping for the possibility of repair. The cell phone expert

took one look at the screen and deemed his cell phone "lost." Repair was out of the question and the only solution was a new phone. I guess the whole situation had me a bit embrangled. And, as it turns out, I didn't know flubby.

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Notice To Taxpayers of Budget Estimates & Tax Levies

BUDGET ESTIMATE / Lake Bruce Conservancy District

Notice is hereby given the taxpayers of Lake Bruce Conservancy District, of Fulton/Pulaski County, Indiana, that the Board of Directors at their meeting on July 10, 2010, at 12:00 p.m. will conduct a public hearing on the year 2011 budget. Following this meeting, any ten (10) or more taxpayers may object to a budget, tax rate or tax levy by filing an objection petition with the proper officers of the public hearing within seven (7) days after the hearing. The objection petition must identify the provisions of the budget, tax rate, or tax levy that taxpayers object to. If a petition is filed, the public hearing shall adopt a budget and tax levies and the objections filed and testimony presented. Following the aforementioned hearing, the fiscal body will meet at Kewanee Volunteer Fire Department on August 12, 2010 at 10:00 p.m. to adopt the following budget:

BUDGET ESTIMATE		Net Assessed Valuation \$11,500,000	
Complete details of budget estimates by fund and/or department may be seen at the County Auditor, City Controller, Clerk-Treasurer or Fire Protection District Offices.			
FUND NAME	BUDGET ESTIMATE	Maximum Estimated Funds To Be Raised (including appeals and levies exempt from maximum levy limitations)	CURRENT TAX LEVY
General	48,000	40,237	40.150
TOTAL	48,000	40,237	40.150

Persons appearing at the hearing shall have an opportunity to be heard. Pursuant to IC 6.1-11-13, after the tax levies have been determined, filed by the appropriate governing body, and the tax rates published by the County Auditor, ten (10) or more taxpayers or one (1) taxpayer that owns property that represents at least ten percent (10%) of the taxable assessed valuation in the political subdivision may initiate an appeal from the county board of tax adjustments action on a political subdivision's budget by filing a statement of their objections with the County Auditor. The statement must be filed not later than ten (10) days after the publication of the budget. The statement must specifically identify the provisions of the budget and tax levies to which the taxpayers object. The County Auditor shall forward the statement, with the budget, to the Department of Local Government Finance.

Date: June 17, 2010
Pub: 6/17, and 24, 2010

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GARAGE SALE

Two-family garage sale - Saturday, June 19, in conjunction with Kewanee Town Wide Garage Sale Day. Traci Powell residence - at corner of Smith & Elm St. Furniture, clothes and misc. items.

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Town & Country CHATTER...

By: Julie Brown Ph.: (574) 653-2451

Helen Whiteman had company Monday evening, June 7. Her son and daughter-in-law, Kevin and Monica Whiteman of Paluski, came over for a visit. While here, they took care of some little chores around the house and yard.

Betty Leazenby had guests Wednesday, June 9. Visiting with her were her brother and sister-in-law, Don and Mary Lou Carr.

Tim Cogdill of Macy, and his mother, Ruth Cogdill, had a good visit Wednesday morning. Ruth had been cleaning out some closets, so Tim had another bag to take to the Goodwill collection bins. Tim also ran some errands for Ruth which was much appreciated.

Wilma Wilson had a couple of visitors Wednesday. Stopping by for an afternoon visit were her nephew and his wife, Harold and Mary Dittman of Rochester.

Tom and Barb LaFollette were in Rochester Thursday, June 10. They helped serve pizzas at the VFW post.

Don and Mary Lou Carr left Thursday for New England to visit with their children and their families. They had spent the previous two weeks visiting with Don's sisters and brother-in-law, Barb and Jon Gast and Betty Leazenby, and their families.

Leonard and Nancy Evers had a card Friday, June 11. Coming up for a visit were their granddaughter, Andrea Konchak of Indianapolis.

Renee Colley enjoyed spending Friday with some friends from Lake Bruce. She joined Larry and Jean Sosin for lunch at Poblano's restaurant in Winamac. Later, the trio enjoyed a boat ride together.

Barb and Tom LaFollette and their grandson, Nick Bohac, were in Rochester Friday evening. They had a fun time participating in the Round Barn Festival parade. They rode in their 1987 Chevy convertible, which won first place in the Classic Antique Car division.

Barb and Beth Waller were busy Saturday, June 13. They had a nice time attending the high school graduation open houses in honor of three of their

great-great-nephews. Their first stop was to the celebration for Chasne Baldwin, which was held in the community room of the local fire station. Then it was up to Plymouth for the party held in honor of Alec Carrie. Their last stop of the day was in Akron for the gathering in honor of Kyle Riffle. (They arrived home safely after being caught in the storm that raced through in the evening.)

Renee Colley was in Bartlett, Illinois Saturday. She was a visitor of her son and his family, Eric and Julie Colley, Nathan and Meghan. The group had an exciting time watching Nathan receive his black belt in karate.

Mathilda Lamb had a visitor Saturday. Art Foerg stopped by to do a little produce trading. He had some fresh vegetables for Mathilda; she had some fresh gooseberries for him.

Helen Whiteman hosted a family gathering Sunday, June 13. The guest of honor was her great-grandson, Nicholas Oliver, who is on military leave from duty with the U.S. Air Force. Joining them for a wonderful day of visiting were Nicholas's parents and siblings, Tim and Dr. Cathy Schauer, Jonathan and Meredith of Michigan; his great-uncle and aunts, Kevin and Monica Whiteman and Sherri Letz, his cousin and her daughter, Andrea Hook and Rylee of Winamac; and his cousin, Tristan Connor.

Pauline Brown and Julie had a fun time Sunday afternoon. They were among those who attended the high school graduation open house held in honor of Jacob Kiss, one of Julie's "manchikins". The event was held in the

community room of the local fire station.
Renee Colley and Dick Fedotchak took advantage of the nice weather Sunday. They enjoyed a bike ride, and later a boat ride.

Don and Pauline Scales had a couple of visitors Sunday. Coming over late in the day for a family chat were their daughter and son-in-law, Phyllis and Gene Kowitz of Rochester.

Nick Bohac was an overnight houseguest of Tom and Barb LaFollette Sunday.

Those persons who will be having birthdays next week (so please remember to give them your best regards) are: Terry Bohac, Angela Gast, Tyler McLane and Samantha Sparks, June 21; Theresa Bangel, June 22; Amy Agnew, Clay Hilliard, Ed Murling and Terry Troutman, June 23; Alexis Agnew, Jessica Bruce, Ethan Perry and Charles Thomas, June 24; and Tom Davies, Nicki Miller, Beulah Milliser and David Urhausen, June 26.

There are four couples who will be celebrating their wedding anniversaries next week: Mr. and Mrs. Chris Bland, June 21; Mr. and Mrs. John Agnew Jr., June 23; Mr. and Mrs. Bo Klinefelter, June 24; and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kelly, June 25.

Methodist Church selling chicken tickets

The Kewanna United Methodist Church is selling tickets for chicken halves prepared by Rochester Meat and Deli. The cost of the tickets is \$6 and they are available from Daniel Kreamer, Norm Steigely, Joe and Karen Good (The Observer) and at the Kewanna branch of Community State Bank. The chicken can be picked up at the church

Saturday, June 26, between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Proceeds from the chicken sales will help finance the proposed new contemporary church service.

The Crossroads and Turning Point youth groups will also hold a car wash at the church the same day from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The cost will be a free will donation. Proceeds from the car wash will help pay church camp fees for the youth.

Immunizations available at Health Department

The Fulton County Health Department offers an immunization clinic every Wednesday from 8 to 11:30 a.m. and 2-5 p.m. The fourth Wednesday of every month clinic hours are extended to 6 p.m. Parents are urged to beat the school rush and take their children to the clinic early to receive their school immunizations.

Children entering kindergarten in the 2010-2011 school year will need to be immunized before attending school. Students entering the 6th through 12th grade and first year college students are required additional immunizations as well.

In addition to the previously required immunizations, students entering pre-school or kindergarten (4-5 years old) must have two documented varicella vaccines, separated by at least three months, or written documentation that they have had the disease (chicken pox).

Students entering 6th through 12th grade and first year college students must have one DTap vaccine (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Acellular Pertussis); one meningitis vaccine (MCV4); two varicella vaccines (chicken pox) or documentation of the disease.

RECYCLING DATES THURS., JUNE 3RD THURS., JUNE 17TH



Materials accepted at the Recycling Center:

- Aluminum Cans
 - Beverage cans
 - Pop lab pet food cans
- Aluminum Foil
 - Foil wrap
 - Aluminum pie and dinner trays
- Chipboard
 - Cereal box type paper
 - Office paper - all types
 - Paperback books
 - Junk mail
 - Phone books
 - Hardback books - covers need to be removed
- No tissue or foil paper
- No carbon, carbonless forms or other treated paper
- No wax paper

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 - Computers (including mice, keyboards, monitors and printers)
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 - Fax machines
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 - VCRs
 - DVD players
 - Stereos
 - Telephones
 - TVs

- Glass Jars & Bottles
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- Magazines & Catalogs
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 - Slick newspaper insert

- Scrap Metal
 - Small amounts of any type of scrap metal are accepted
 - Aerosol cans - remove lids

- Miscellaneous
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 - Inkjet and laser cartridges
 - Items containing mercury
 - Fluorescent bulbs
 - Motor oil
 - Pallets - wood or plastic
 - Styrofoam packing peanuts - must be contained

- Newspaper
 - Stack in brown paper grocery bags
 - Remove glossy inserts and put with magazines
 - Do not pack in plastic bags

- Plastic Bags and film
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 - Bubble wrap
 - Clean plastic film

- Plastic Bottles #1-#7
 - All plastic bottles - look for the chasing arrows
 - Form chemical containers - MUST be triple rinsed

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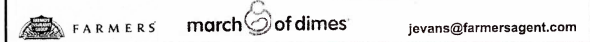
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