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## Local Woodcarver to Exhibit New Carousel

Local woodcarver/artist Don Kegarise will exhibit his newest carousel Friday, Saturday and Sunday, March 30 and 31 and April 1, at Kewanna Pro Hardware, 106 E. Main St., Kewanna.

Don's first carousel was a replica of the Dentzel carousel located at Riverside Park in Logansport. His newest creation is smaller, 30 inches in diameter and 19 inches high, and is easier to move from place to place. The carousel contains 24 animals, eight of which actually go up and down. The animals were hand-carved and painted using pictures of original Dentzel carousel animals from the 1800s. The carousel features 36 LED lights and rotates at five RPM.

The concept of carousels date back to the 17<sup>th</sup> century when knights and noblemen used them as a training device for jousting. Carousels became popular in America in the late 19<sup>th</sup> century and developed into a unique artistic achievement. The carousel is now a recognized and respected American art form.

There are two working carousels in Indiana. The one at Riverside Park was built in Philadelphia in the late 1800s by a grandson of Michael Dentzel, who was the pioneer of carousels in Germany in the early 1800s. The Indianapolis Children's Museum also houses a working Dentzel carousel.

According to Kegarise, there is a Carousel Museum in Sandusky, Ohio.

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**Kewanna Community  
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## Auditor Notes Filing Deadlines

Fulton County Auditor Denise Chandler reminds taxpayers of the following deadlines for filing for certain deductions.

Real estate/mortgages recorded by March 1, 2006 have until June 10, 2007 to file for the following deductions: mortgage deduction; age 65 deduction; blind or disabled deduction; all veteran's disabled deductions; veterans or spouses of veteran's of World War I; and geothermal energy/heating/cooling device deductions.

The State of Indiana does have certain restrictions and/or rules on some of the deductions. If you have any questions concerning these deductions, call the county auditor's office at 574-223-2912.

The last day to file for the following deductions or credits, unless an extension has been obtained from the township assessor, is May 15, 2007: economic revitalization area personal property; enterprise zone inventory credit; credit for inventory increases on industrial recovery sites; new manufacturing equipment or inventory located in a Maritime Opportunity District.

The last day a 2007 not-for-profit exemption application can be filed is also May 15, 2007.

If you have any questions concerning these deductions, please call the Fulton County assessor's office at 574-223-2801.

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## AREA FIVE MENU Kewanna Fire Station

Monday, April 2 - Chicken patty, baked beans, brussel sprouts, cookie, wheat bread and milk

Wednesday, April 4 - Turkey Manhattan, mashed potatoes, vegetables, pudding, biscuit and milk

Friday, April 6 - meal site closed (Good Friday)

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## Bake Sale, April 7

St. Ann's Catholic Church, Kewanna, will hold its annual bake sale Saturday, April 7, at the Community State Bank, Kewanna branch. The bake sale will run from 8:30 to 11 a.m.

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## Chicken and Noodle Dinner, April 1

The Saint Joseph Catholic Parish Confraternity of Christian Mothers, Pulaski, will serve its annual chicken and noodle dinner Sunday, April 1, from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the church hall. The cost of the meal is \$6 for adults and \$3 for children. Children under the age of six may eat free and carry outs will be available.

A bake sale on the premises will offer home-baked goodies as well as noodles. In addition, there will be a raffle with lots of prizes including a quilt, handmade by the ladies of the parish. There will be a fishing fame for the younger set at 25-cents a line.

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## Small Business Counseling

Fulton County small business owners and entrepreneurs can learn more about operating their own business by attending confidential counseling sessions provided by the regional Small Business Development Center and SCORE.

Through an arrangement with the Fulton Economic Development Corporation (FEDCO), this service is free to Fulton County residents. A business counselor can help current and prospective business owners with business plans, marketing, arranging financing and growing a business.

A counselor is available the second Wednesday of each month at the FEDCO office, 822 Main Street, Rochester. The next regularly scheduled date is April 11. To schedule an appointment call 574-223-3326.

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## Dredging Project Hits Snag

Phase one of the dredging project at Lake Bruce has experienced more setbacks.

The dredging company finally got everything setup and started to dredge only to blow an engine in the dredge on the second day of work. This required getting the dredge back to shore, removing the old motor and replacing it, losing close to a week's worth of work at a crucial time. The dredging has now resumed, but conservancy officials are not sure how much time they can make up before the Department of Natural Resources' April 15<sup>th</sup> deadline for spring work.

Another gigantic setback is that the Lake Bruce Conservancy District's application for a LARE grant for phase two of the dredging project, planned for this fall, has been denied. Phase one will be completed, however, even if it has to be done this fall.

Norm Steigely, chairman of the conservancy district board of directors, spoke with Jim Ray of the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) and reminded him that the district was led to believe that it would not be a problem going from phase one to phase two, that once the program was started the DNR wanted to see it completed. Ray noted that they would have liked to do it that way but since the maximum grant in any one year is \$100,000, the DNR can only guarantee one year's grant at a time as monies available are determined by what comes from the state. He went on to say that because the Hydrilla problem at Lake Manitou, large sums of money had to be diverted to address that very serious problem. The conservancy district was encouraged to resubmit its application again for next year. It was noted that the Lake Bruce Conservancy District was not alone as many applications were not approved this year.

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**Recycling Dates  
Fri., Apr 6th &  
Fri., Apr 20th**

## Red Cross Blood Drive Here April 27

The Kewanna United Methodist Church will be the site of a Red Cross blood drive Friday, April 27, from 12 noon to 5 p.m.

If you are at least 17 years of age, weigh a minimum of 110 pounds and are in good general health, you may be eligible to donate blood. All donors need to present positive identification. For more information or to schedule your blood donation appointment, call 1-800-GIVE-LIFE (1-800-448-3543).

Other blood collection dates and sites in April include Tuesday, April 24, at St. Joseph Parish Hall, Rochester, from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Thursday, April 26, at the Akron United Methodist Church from 1 to 7 p.m.

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## The News In Brief

The Fulton County Park and Recreation Board will meet at 9 a.m. Wednesday, April 4, in the commissioners' room of the Fulton County Office Building. The next regular meeting will be May 2.

The James F. Talbott VFW Post No. 1121, Kewanna, has added another day to its "open to the public" schedule. The post will now be open the first and last Sundays of the month beginning at noon. Activities will include euchre.

The Fulton County Drainage Board will meet at 9 a.m. Monday, April 9, at the County Office Building, Rochester, and the Fulton County Communications Board will meet at 9 a.m. Wednesday, April 11.

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## Easter Egg Hunt, April 1

The James F. Talbott VFW Post No. 1121 Ladies Auxiliary will hold its annual Easter egg hunt Sunday afternoon, April 1, at 2 p.m. at the Kewanna-Union Township Fire Station. Children ages infant through 11 years of age are welcome to participate.

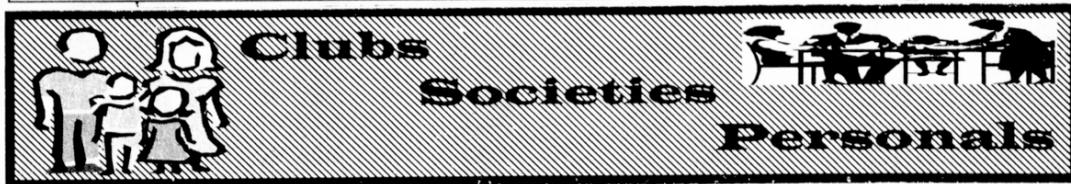
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## Kewanna Citizens I.O.O.F. Cemetery Clean-Up Scheduled for April 11th

Spring clean-up at the Kewanna Citizens-I.O.O.F. Cemetery has been set for 6 p.m. Wednesday, April 11. Everyone is urged to help with this community project to get ready for the mowing season.

Persons who have grave decorations they would like to save are asked to remove them before the clean-up as all the old, faded decorations will be removed. The cemetery association reminds everyone that new decorations should be placed on the stone or foundation, not in the ground, to make for easier mowing.

The association's annual meeting will be held immediately following the clean-up.



### Pinewood Derby

Submitted by Millie Redweik  
Cub Scout Pack #3215 of Caston School held its Pinewood Derby Monday, March 19, before a gym full of anxious spectators.

Thanks go to numerous helpers including Scout Master David Redweik, Cub Master Anita Doan, Larry Doan and Brian and Melissa Harvey for track set up; Millie Redweik, weigh-in and registration committee chairman; Larry Doan and Melissa Harvey, score keepers and tabulators; and Julie Spencer, assistant Cub Master, and Debbie Holliman, who called the names of participants as it became their turn to race.

The participants included Josh Miller, Luca Santella, Derek Berkshire, Matthew Holliman, Zachary Slocum, Samuel Mittica, Trey Doan, Brandon Garver, Joe

Pinewood Derby Winners – 2<sup>nd</sup>, Joe Cattin, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and standing, Winners of this year's Pinewood Derby for Cub Scout Pack #3215 were, front left to right, Jacob Maroney, 1<sup>st</sup>; Derek Berkshire, Jacob Taylor, 5<sup>th</sup> and Michael Smith, 4<sup>th</sup>. Absent from the photo is 6<sup>th</sup> place winner, Shawn Brown.

Cattin, Bill Rude, Jacob Taylor, Shawn Brown, Michael Smith, Joshua Rude, Bobby Kite, Jimmie Rude, Jacob Maroney, Daniel Jones, Brett Milborn, Austin Fultz, Kyler Spencer and Brennan Fry.

The winners were Jacob Maroney, first place; Derek Berkshire, second; Joe Cattin, third, Michael Smith, fourth;

Jacob Taylor, fifth and Shawn Brown, sixth. Luca Santella's car won best of show, followed by Michael Smith in second place.

The evening ended with the boys receiving blue ribbons, photo taking and retrieving their cars. The winners will participate in the district Pinewood Derby at Logansport on April 14.



Best of Show – Luca Santella received the best of show award from Cub Master Anita Doan

during the recent Pinewood Derby.

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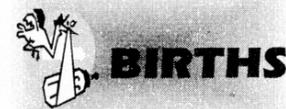
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### Longaberger Basket Bingo, April 10

Fulton County Special Olympics will host a Longaberger basket bingo Tuesday, April 10, at the St. Joseph Parish Hall, 1310 Main St., Rochester. The doors will open at 6 p.m. and the games start at 6:30 p.m. This fundraiser helps pay for events which the special athletes participate in including bowling, track and field, and basketball. For more information or tickets, call Barb Garringer at 339-7886; Ann Bauman, 223-7621; Manitou Training Center, 223-6963; Donna Rude, 223-8117; or John and Lorna Mollencupp, 653-2664.

Fulton County Special Olympics is also selling Kroger gift cards in \$10 and \$20 denominations. Every time you "reload" them, a portion goes into an account for Special Olympics. The cards can be used for groceries or gas.

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### SAMSON SARGENT SHAW

Chad and Jaclyn Shaw of Ft. Wayne are the parents of a son born at 3:57 p.m. Wednesday, March 21. He weighed 8 lbs 1 oz and has been named Samson Sargent Shaw. He has an older sister, Sophia. His paternal grandparents are Gary and Connie Shaw and maternal grandparents are Jim and Jane Teeter, all of Bluffton. His great-grandmothers are Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. Hankins of Bluffton and Ruth Cogdill of here. He also has two great-aunts from here, Donna Koebecke and Judy Collins.

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### Spring Elderhostel

Lindenwood Retreat & Conference Center's spring Elderhostel program is "Self Healing Practices for a Holistic Lifestyle". Classes begin Monday, April 22, at 9 a.m. and run through Friday, April 27, at 1 p.m.

Subjects taught will include:

*Using Essential Oils for Health and Wellness* – participants will learn the power of healing oils from the plant kingdom to enhance energy, boost the immune system and help relieve discomfort. This class will be taught by Deb Reis from Toledo, Ohio.

*Moving Meditations for Health and Fun: Mind, Body and Spirit* – Deb Reis will teach how breathing and movement can enhance fitness, boost energy and stimulate the immune system.

*A Sage-ing Circle* – Sage-ing is a positive approach to aging, of continued growth, helping realize our potential and sharing our wisdom. It enables participants to share their gifts, talents and wisdom with future generations. This class will be taught by Joan Milani.

Elderhostel programs are week-long experiences with college-level courses for persons over 55. The programs at Lindenwood are sponsored in cooperation with Ancilla College and Elderhostel, Inc., an international educational movement throughout the U.S., Canada, and more than 40 countries abroad.

To register contact Elderhostel at 877-426-8056 or register online at [www.elderhostel.org](http://www.elderhostel.org). Be sure to mention Lindenwood's program code #14739.

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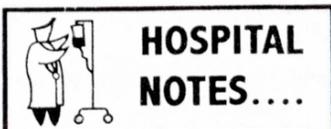

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**HOSPITAL NOTES....**

**WOODLAWN HOSPITAL**

March 19  
Admissions – Nico Pena, Rochester  
Dismissals – Isaac Barlow, Argos; Melissa Tillman and son, Robert Evans and Nico Pena, all of Rochester

March 20  
Admissions – Treva Smith, Argos  
Dismissals – Sally Leininger, Rochester

March 21  
Admissions – none published  
Dismissals – Treva Smith, Argos

March 22  
Admissions – none published  
Dismissals – Gordon Heltzel, Rochester

March 23  
Admissions – James Rukas and Jeremy Zeiger, both of Rochester  
Dismissals – none published

**PULASKI MEMORIAL HOSPITAL**

March 16  
Admissions – none  
Dismissals – Danielle Manns and daughter, Knox

March 17  
Admissions – Helen Freye, Monterey  
Dismissals – none

March 18  
Admissions – Debra Hanson, Knox  
Dismissals – Helen Freye, Monterey

March 19  
Admissions – none  
Dismissals – Billie Minix, Winamac

March 20  
Admissions – none  
Dismissals – Aladine Fulgham and Daniel Reedy, Winamac; Sylvia Planck, Star City; Olive Poisel, Medaryville

March 21  
Admissions – Bonnie O'Donnell, Winamac  
Dismissals – Debra Hanson, Knox

March 22  
Admissions – Louise Dommer, Winamac  
Dismissals – none

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**DEATHS .....**

**ERIC MICHAEL (LUTZ) MILLER**

Funeral services were held Tuesday, March 27, 2007 at 10:30 a.m. at the Harrison-Metzger Funeral Home, Kewanna Chapel, for Eric Michael (Lutz) Miller, 31, Kewanna. Curt White officiated and burial was in the Kewanna Citizens I.O.O.F. Cemetery. Eric passed away at 5:16 p.m. Thursday, March 22, in St. Vincent Hospital, Indianapolis.

Born September 5, 1975, he was the son of William "Bill" R. and

Nancy C. (Peters) Lutz.

Eric was a 1993 graduate of Caston High School where he was a pitcher for the baseball team. He attended Vincennes University and Central Arkansas University, where he was also a pitcher for their respective baseball teams.

He was employed by Stanley Steamer Cleaners for 10 years in both Alabama and Logansport. His hobbies were fishing, camping and golfing.

He was the proud father of four daughters, Brett Michelle Miller, Brook Madison Miller, Brynn Michael Miller and Bradee Mae Miller, all of Lewisburg. He is also survived by his parents, William R. "Bill" and Nancy C. (Peters) Lutz, Kewanna; his maternal grandmother, Lois Large and his paternal grandparents, William and Joy Lutz, all of Portsmouth, Ohio; three brothers, Shawn "Ern" Miller and his wife, Courtney, of Florence, Alabama, Shawn Lutz and his wife, Raymi, Rochester, and Chris Lutz, Columbus, Ohio; one sister, Andrea Wallace and her husband, Jon, Kewanna; and six nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his maternal grandfather, Brady Peters.

Online condolences may be made to the family at [harrisonmetzger.com](http://harrisonmetzger.com).

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**BEVERLY KAY (HIERS) REAMES KIMBLE**

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. this morning, Thursday, March 29, 2007, at the Kewanna United Methodist Church for Beverly Kay Kimble, 62, Kewanna. Pastor Mike Tatman will officiate and burial will be in the Kewanna Citizens I.O.O.F. Cemetery. Mrs. Kimble passed away at 9:32 a.m. Sunday morning, March 25, at her home after a four year battle with cancer.

Born June 23, 1944 in Logansport, she was the daughter of the late Roy Allen Hiers and Gertrude Stangle. She was then adopted by the late Charles Edgar and Mary Elizabeth Reames in 1947 and raised in the Fulton

area.

She was a 1963 graduate of North Caston High School. She was married November 10, 1963 at the Fulton United Methodist Church to Larry R. Kimble, who survives.

Over the years she was employed at Paradise Truck Stop, the Elks Lodge #2120 and Hart, Schaffner & Marx, all in Rochester, and Lynn's Coffee Shop in Kewanna. She enjoyed spending time with her family, going to garage sales and flea markets, gardening, and playing with her dogs, Samantha and Annie. She was a member of the Women of the Moose Lodge #1107, Rochester, Eagles Ladies Auxiliary Lodge #1900, Plymouth, and the Kewanna Fire Belles.

Surviving with her husband are one daughter, RaeAnn Snider, Kewanna; three sons, David Kimble and his wife, Tiffany, Leiters Ford, Terry Kimble and his wife, Sarah, Rochester, and Michael Kimble and his wife, Jennifer, Talma; 13 grandchildren, Chad Heindol, Victoria and Bethany Snider, Dustan and Shawna Kimble, Adam, Austin, Aaron and Aiden Kimble, all of Kewanna, Latasha Reames and her husband, Dustin, Winamac, Patrisha and Corrine Kimble, Talma and Kendrick Kesler, Leiters Ford; one great-granddaughter, Haley Reames, Winamac; one brother, Charles Dewey Reames and his wife, Jane, Burlington; one half-sister, Teresa Newman, Colorado; one half-brother, Ralph Marter, Illinois; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by four sisters, Carol Hart, Margie McGill, Georgie Brown and Ethel Bliss; and one brother, Jerry Reames.

Visitation was held Wednesday evening at the Harrison-Metzger Funeral Home, which was in charge of arrangements. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Joseph Regional Medical Center, Cancer Institute, 1915 Lake Ave., Plymouth, IN 46563.

Online condolences can be made to the family at [www.harrisonmetzger.com](http://www.harrisonmetzger.com).

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**Pulaski Memorial Hospital Calendar**

Creative Club House and PMH are sponsoring an after school HEALTH Program for 10-14 year-olds in the 5<sup>th</sup> through 8<sup>th</sup> grades. The program will focus on health and fitness, relationships, drug awareness and conflict resolution in a fun atmosphere. Classes begin after school on April 18 and meet two or three times a week at PMH until May 18. Students may pick up registration forms and schedules at Eastern Pulaski Middle School or PMH Patient Services Department or request a form by calling 574-896-3612 or 219-716-7849. Locally, students can call 574-946-2193 or 574-946-2189 for information. This program is funded through a SAMSHA Federal Block grant, FSSA/DMHA Gamblers Assist fund and local donors.

The Help for the Hurting Parent bereavement support group of PMH will meet Wednesday, April 4, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the PMH conference center. The group is open to residents of any county who have experienced the death of any aged child. Call 574-946-2180 for more information.

The Living with Grief Support Group will meet Thursday, April 5, from 12 to 1:30 p.m. in the PMH board room. This group is for anyone grieving the loss of a loved one. Before attending the group experience, it is highly suggested that you meet with the grief counselor alone to assess your individual needs. Call 574-946-2180.

The PMH Mother's Group will meet on April 4 from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the hospital board room. Topics will include issues on feeding and baby care. Call 574-946-2113 for more information.

There is a walk-in immunization clinic from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Healthy Family Office on the third floor of the Pulaski County Building in Winamac. Vaccines available include DTaP, EIPV, Hib, Hep B, MMR and Td. Please bring any previous immunization records. Call 574-946-6071 for more information.

The Sweet Beginnings Prenatal Program at Healthy Families offers a walk-in clinic at the Pulaski County Building, Winamac, providing prenatal care coordination services. Services include free urine pregnancy testing, risk assessment and referral to other community services including medical provider and financial coverage. Services are offered during regular business hours, 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Call 574-946-6017 for information.

Families First offers a free smoking cessation program. The trained cessation therapist will provide counseling and support to those interested in quitting. Call 574-946-6017 to schedule an appointment.

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**Quiet Day of Reflection at Lindenwood**

Registrations are now being taken for a Quiet Day of Reflection program at Lindenwood Retreat & Conference Center, Donaldson, entitled "Tiptoe through the Lilies with the Fathers". Participants will find the richness of faith in the ancient words of the fathers of the church. The facilitator will be Fr. Tim Wrozek, pastor of Saint Joseph Church, Fort Wayne. The program will be held Monday, April 16, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The fee is \$21 and includes a big noon meal.

The registration deadline is April 9. For more information or to register, contact Lindenwood at 574-935-1780 weekdays from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. or email [lw@lindenwood.org](mailto:lw@lindenwood.org).

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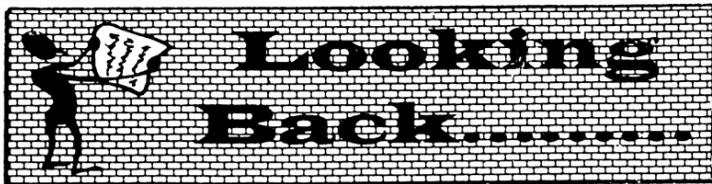
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**Fifty-Five Years Ago****March 28, 1952**

Dr. John C. Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Russell of here, and formerly of Monticello, has been named public administration advisor in the MSA technical and economic mission to the Philippine Islands at Manila, according to word received by his parents. An executive assistant to the chief of the MSA mission to Greece during the past three years, Dr. Russell and his family left his post in Athens, Greece, March 6 for Manila.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Keeney, whose 55th wedding anniversary was March 23, were honored Sunday, March 25, at a family dinner at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson.

Word has been received of the death of Grant Miller at his home in Madeira Beach, Florida. Miller owned and operated a 500 acre farm west of Kewanna until his retirement three months ago.

The Mispah Circle of the Kewanna Methodist Church will meet in the home of Mrs. Maomi Miller Wednesday, April 2. Mrs. Ruby Felder will give devotions and Mrs. Ida Hogan, the lesson. Margarette Fisher will be in charge of the social hour.

John J. Enyeart has been transferred from Camp Rucker, Alabama, to Fort Hood, Texas.

Nancy Brockey was an overnight guest of Donna Jean Earp Wednesday.

Ida Cornell fell Thursday and injured her hip. She was taken to Woodlawn Hospital for treatment and then returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rife.

Mrs. Michael Hines, Mrs. Edith Costello, Mrs. Kerry Walsh, Mrs. James Ware, Mrs. Robert Hendrickson, Mrs. Albert Walsh and Mrs. Peter Dwyer attended a meeting in Delphi last Wednesday for the Women's National Council Deanery.

A surprise party was given in the Lyman Hill home Thursday evening in celebration of their 45th wedding anniversary. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. David Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Huffman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Myers and family, Mrs. Rose Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Hill.

A surprise birthday party was given Monday night in honor of Mrs. Elston Sayers in her home. Helping her celebrate besides her family were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Jones and family of Winamac, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Rheinhold and family of Monterey.

**Fifty Years Ago****March 28, 1957**

The Kewanna Chapter No. 322, Order of Eastern Stars, will install recently elected officers tomorrow night. Martha Ann Cook will be installed as Worthy Matron, and John Urbin, Worthy Patron. Other elected officers include Polly Clark, associate matron; Don Troutman, association patron; Olive Herrold, secretary; Louise Masteller, treasurer; Ruby Woolington, conductress; and Ada Leffel, associate

conductress.

Mrs. Ted Hunt is in New York City visiting friends.

Jean Ann Smith celebrated her 13th birthday Saturday with a party for a few of her friends. Present were Vicky Saylor, Jerrilyn Brown, Carolyn St. Clair, Betty Erwin, Elaine Huffman, Sharon Scales, Odetta Gault, and Karen Sadler.

Ivan and Joe Dague flew to southern Indiana Sunday and delivered one of Ivan's registered Border Collie stock dogs to a buyer. They stopped in Fairfield and enjoyed dinner with one of Ivan's overseas war buddies, Hershel Kline.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Notz of Rochester, former residents of here, plan to fly to their native Germany in April for a three month visit. The Notz family came here 33 years ago from poverty stricken Germany in World War I, sponsored by Vere Calvin. Mr. and Mrs. Notz could speak no English, but with the help of Dan Kopp, the language barrier was breached and they went to work for Mr. Calvin.

Mrs. Oliver Clyde was hostess to the Business Girls Club Thursday evening in her home. Bunco was played with prizes going to Lois Kumler, Ielda Crabb, Jeannette Sanders and Lillian Ingram.

Jack Vigus underwent back surgery at the Mayo Clinic in Minnesota March 27.

Guy Urbin of Kewanna suffered two severe heart attacks a week ago Monday and is a patient at Woodlawn Hospital. He is reported as improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moon celebrated their 47th wedding anniversary March 24 with a family dinner in their home.

**Forty-Five Years Ago****March 29, 1962**

Bruce Scales, Phil Riggle, John Riggle, Bill Guthrie, Phil Fred, Wayne Thomas, Francis Brown, Steve Gosnell, Jim Thomas, Mike Stair and Scoutmaster Orville Thomas camped out Saturday and Sunday, March 17 and 18, meeting the requirements for a Polar Bear badge. The troop hiked five miles to attend church services Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Easterday, Lucerne, a daughter in St. Joseph Hospital, Logansport.

Daniel J. Pesaresi, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pesaresi, is one of 22 St. Joseph College seniors named to the 1961-62 edition of "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

Shelby Yount, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yount, Kewanna, recently underwent open heart surgery at Robert Long Hospital in Indianapolis. It is hoped the operation will correct a defect which the youth has had since birth.

The Grass Creek Ladies Aid met March 14 at the church. Mrs. Floyd Thomas was in charge of devotions. The secretary's report was given by Mrs. Andrew Kuhn and the treasurer's report by Mrs. Leroy Crippen. Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Ernest Mund, Mrs. Kenneth Overmyer

and Mrs. Elvin Kistler.

Round steak was selling for 69 cents a pound at the Fulton Supermarket.

Robert Hoff is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hoff during his spring vacation from Purdue.

Howard Livengood spent Saturday afternoon and night with Shelby Yount at Robert Long Hospital in Indianapolis.

James McKinney announced Friday that he would run for 2nd district county councilman.

**Forty Years Ago****March 30, 1967**

Pfc. Larry Plummer has arrived in Frankfurt, Germany.

Mrs. Ruth Smith, Kewanna, fell Saturday afternoon in her home and fractured her hip. She has been admitted to Woodlawn Hospital.

Edward L. Crippen, 16, Rt. 2, Kewanna, escaped injury when his 1963 Chevrolet slid on loose gravel and hit a stump on County Road 650 south at County Road 850 west late Friday night.

A Kewanna man escaped injury when his car was struck by a train near Lake Bruce Sunday morning. Carl Krueger, 73, Rt. 1, Kewanna, was driving a 1967 Oldsmobile north on County Road 1100 west when it was hit by a westbound C&O freight train at 10:05 a.m.

Captain Francis E. Hendrickson of Kewanna has received one of the highest U.S. decorations for gallantry in Combat, the Silver Star. Capt. Hendrickson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hendrickson, was presented with the award at Grand Forks AFB, North Dakota, for his heroic efforts to rescue two fellow Americans in Southeast Asia.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Grass, Rt. 5, Rochester, are the parents of a daughter born March 27. She has been named Renee Lynn. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Newcomer, Kewanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Corbett have returned home from California. They accompanied their son, Danny, to Camp Pendleton for further duty with the U.S. Navy. He recently returned from Vietnam.

Mrs. Elston Sayers was the honored guest at a birthday dinner Sunday in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Capper, Star City. Other guests were Elston Sayers Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sayers, Mrs. Mary Lemmon and Linda and Elston Sayers Jr.

Richard and Betty Graffis, students at Taylor University at Upland spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graffis.

Mel Crum, who has been living in a trailer on the Mike Hines farm, lost his trailer to fire a few days ago. Another trailer has been moved in and he is relocated.

**Thirty-Five Years Ago****March 30, 1972**

The annual Pinewood Derby was held Monday evening by the Kewanna Cub Scouts. The winners

were: Mike Rude, champion; Eddie Mollencupp, second runner-up; Tom Rude, first runner-up; and Jeff Good, best design.

Linda Hubeny and Judy Wilson of Vincennes University are spending their spring vacation here in the home of their parents.

Several members of the KHS 1927 basketball team, coaches and teachers gathered at the Maric Restaurant to celebrate their 45 anniversary Saturday evening. Those in attendance included Vernie Bowen, eighth grade coach; Ralph Baldwin, Blaine Orr, Gerald Zellers and Fred Graffis, all team members; Everett Jester and Scott Savage, teachers; and Claude Billings, coach and teacher. It was a cold, blustery January morning in 1927 when these fellows and their teammates shoveled their way to Akron and won their first county basketball tourney.

Christine Hickle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hickle of Lakeville, received her nurse's cap during the Memorial Hospital School of Nursing capping ceremony held recently at the Presbyterian Church in South Bend. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hyatt and Mrs. Eva Hickle, Kewanna.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thomas, Grass Creek, a daughter in Memorial Hospital, Logansport.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Feidner celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday in St. Joseph Hospital, Logansport, where he is a patient. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Feidner of Michigantown and Bob Feidner of here helped them celebrate the occasion. Cake and ice cream were enjoyed in the hospital lobby.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bucinski have returned home from Rochester, Minnesota, where Mrs. Bucinski underwent a check-up at the Mayo Clinic.

**Thirty Years Ago****March 31, 1977**

Funeral services were held today at the Harrison Memorial Garden Chapel, Kewanna, for D. Eldon Smith, 53, Kewanna. Rev. Ron Prilliman officiated and burial was in the local IOOF Cemetery. Survivors include his wife, Joan, and a daughter, Gayle Newton, Indianapolis.

Cindy Young, Mary Ann Locke and Ruth Ann Briney will host a walk-in shower Sunday afternoon in the annex of the Kewanna United Methodist Church for Joe and Gwen Hott. The Hotts' home and its contents were destroyed recently by a fire.

The Welcome Neighbors E. H. Club met recently in the home of Ann Zartman for a carry-in dinner and meeting. Officers were elected for the coming year. Chosen to serve were Louise Fisher, president; Helen Whiteman, vice president; Jane Green, secretary; and Wanda Cihak, treasurer.

**Twenty Years Ago****March 26, 1987**

Mark Wilson has been appointed by the U.S. Postal Service to be the regular carrier on Rt. 2, Kewanna. Mark, who has been the substitute on this route for seven years, fills the vacancy created by the recent

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retirement of Hugh Wilson. Mark's substitute will be Iris Plowman.

Tammy Uhrich, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Uhrich, Rt. 2, Kewanna, will represent Caston in the five-county regional spelling bee to be held April 18 in Logansport. Tammy won the Caston spelling bee last Wednesday night by correctly spelling "anguish" after spelling "aggravate", the word that was missed by Nikki Hayden, the runner-up.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Harrison-Metzger Funeral Home, Kewanna, for Arthur V. Zellers, 88, Kewanna. Rev. Sam Overmyer officiated and burial was in the Kewanna Citizens-I.O.O.F. Cemetery. He was a retired farmer and trucker and he and his brother had the first corn picker in Fulton County.

**Ten Years Ago  
March 27, 1997**

The 20<sup>th</sup> Century E.H. Club met recently with Vivian Crippen. The president, Wilma Thomas, presided over the meeting. Jeannie Rock led the group in singing Irish songs, accompanied by Shirley Crippen on the piano.

Jim and Paige Simpson of Naples, Florida, are the parents of a son born March 19. The baby has been named Chase Patrick. The maternal grandparents are Jeanne and Brian Markle of Frankfort. Ruth Urbin of Kewanna and the late John Urbin are the maternal great-grandparents.

Joe and Karen Good and Wade Bussert spent Thursday through Sunday in Zanesville, Ohio, where they met Diane Tesler of Alexandria, Virginia. Joe spent Friday on the golf course while the other three haunted the pottery and antique shops. Saturday, the group toured the Longaberger factory and the town of Dresden.

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**New Forever Stamp,  
Two-cent Increase  
begin May 14**

A new Forever stamp, shape-based pricing and a two-cent price increase for first-class letters are some of the changes U.S. Postal Service customers will see beginning May 14, according to Kewanna postmaster, Marvin Gilliland.

The Forever stamp will sell at the new 41-cent first-class mail one-ounce letter rate. The value of these stamps will always be the one-ounce letter rate and can be used for any future one-ounce letter mailing without extra postage. The Forever stamp will go on sale at the local post office April 12.

"This new stamp is a consumer innovation that delivers convenience and value," said Gilliland. "It will help ease the transition for mailing letters when prices change."

The Forever stamp will be good at the current price for mailing a typical one-ounce first-class letter - forever - regardless of future rate increases.

The Forever stamp will be available a number of different ways. These include sheets of 18 in automated teller machines, booklets of 20 at usps.com, by calling 1-800-STAMP-24, through post office vending machines and automated postal centers, and in post office lobbies nationwide.

The Postal Service will continue to honor the people, places and events that have shaped our country through the highly popular commemorative stamp program.

According to Gilliland, the Forever stamp should not impact this popular program.

Customers can also purchase two-cent Navajo jewelry stamps now to use with their 39-cent stamps when rates change.

The new prices also reflect differences in the costs of handling letters, larger envelopes and packages. Mailers are encouraged to consider options available to reduce postage costs.

For example, if the contents of a first-class large envelope are folded and placed in a letter-sized envelope, mailers can reduce postage by as much as 39 cents per piece.

Not all prices are going up either, Gilliland said. For letters over one ounce, the new prices are actually lower than the current price.

For example, the cost to mail a two-ounce wedding invitation is going from the current rate of 63 cents to 58 cents.

The cost for the Postal Service to operate, like any other business, continues to rise. The service has experienced significant growth in health benefit payments for its nearly 700,000 career employees. The Postal Service receives no tax dollars for operations and relies solely on the sale of its products and services to cover all operating costs. This is the first increase to cover operational expenses since 2002.

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**Diabetes Ranks among  
Top 5 Health Problems  
for Schoolchildren**

*Hoosier Schools, Youth Workers Play Key Role in Recognition and Care Management*

Indianapolis - Diabetes is the second most chronic disease affecting children, so Indiana's educators and youth workers must arm themselves with the information necessary to help spot children exhibiting symptoms of diabetes, work with parents to manage the condition while children are away from home, and provide nutrition and exercise programs designed to prevent cases of diabetes linked to obesity.

That's according to the Indiana Youth Institute's Issue Alert, "A Top Health Concern for Indiana Kids: Know What to Look For; Know What to Do," which looks at a growing concern about the prevalence of diabetes and the high costs of managing the disease. Funding for the Issue Alert was made possible in part by Eli Lilly and Company.

The American Diabetes Association estimates that one in three children born in the year 2000 eventually will live with diabetes, which is the single most costly chronic condition in the United States. Indiana faces

several challenges in the care and management of diabetes, such as:

- tests for pre-diabetes and diabetes not being part of the routine physicals given to students entering school or participating in sports because of cost, time constraints and the need for fasting
- Indiana's youth obesity rates exceeding the national average, putting more children at risk of developing Type 2 diabetes, also known as "adult onset diabetes" because it typically occurs in adults after age 40
- the lack of a statewide registry to track the prevalence of diabetes.

"The issues raised by this report should not be viewed as an indictment of Indiana's school systems or state health initiatives, but should instead sound a wake-up call to educational leaders, healthcare workers and youth service providers," said Bill Stanczykiewicz, president and CEO of the Indiana Youth Institute.

"Because there is no cure for diabetes, youth serving professionals must work with parents to ensure children are diagnosed and properly manage their diabetes so these kids can enjoy normal activities such as taking field trips, engaging in after-school activities and playing sports."

The Issue Alert provides a list of warnings signs for diabetes, including extreme hunger, frequent urination, rapid weight loss and fatigue, among others. Parents, caregivers, teachers and youth workers will also find guidelines for helping children manage diabetes that include:

- encouraging a well-balanced diet and moderate to vigorous exercise for at least 30 minutes per day and five days per week
- consulting a family doctor if children are at risk for diabetes—overweight, family history of diabetes or display warning signs
- providing school nurses with a diabetes management plan and supplies
- understanding a diabetic child's need for eating at regular intervals, including between-meal snacks
- offering children a private area in schools where they can perform routine diabetes tasks
- making sure children have enough supplies available for field trips, sports or other activities away from an organization's main property
- knowing the symptoms of a diabetic emergency.

Pre-diabetes occurs when a person's blood glucose levels are higher than normal but not high enough to for a diabetes diagnosis. Type 1 diabetes occurs when the body's immune system destroys the insulin. Type 2 diabetes results from the

body producing insufficient amounts of insulin or not using it effectively, as is often seen in overweight adults and, increasingly, in obese children.

Diabetics are two- to four-times more likely to suffer heart attacks and strokes, and the disease is the leading cause of kidney failure, adult blindness and non-traumatic amputations. While there is no cure for diabetes, it can be managed in ways that allow diabetics to enjoy normal activities. Early detection enhances a patient's prognosis as does constant monitoring and treatment.

Even still, diabetes acts as a significant drain on healthcare dollars, such as:

- accounting for 32 percent of all Medicare expenditures
- increasing its patients' average annual medical costs 2.4 times more than medical expenses for those without the disease
- resulting in \$10.2 billion in hospitalization costs in 2003, with an average diabetic patient's stay reaching 5.5 days and costing \$20,700.

Indiana is not the only state without a diabetes registry, but the lack of diabetes statistics for children in Indiana makes it difficult for healthcare workers to measure its prevalence and make correlations to lifestyle factors. However, medical professionals believe the number of cases is on the rise. Genetics, obesity and sedentary lifestyles are thought to be the three main contributors to cases of diabetes, and children as young as 10 years old are developing Type 2 diabetes.

"That's why it's imperative that we take a close look at the dietary and exercise habits we teach our children and try to ensure that in the home, at school and in before- or after-school programs our children are eating healthy foods and exercising," Stanczykiewicz said. "The costs—both in the long-term health of our children and in dollars spent on diabetes treatment—are too high to ignore."

According to the report, Hoosiers appear to be doing a good job of managing the disease in children once it is diagnosed. Fewer children are being discharged from Indiana hospitals because of diabetes-related treatment, and the state's discharge rate is less than the national average.

Copies of IYI's Issue Alert, "A Top Health Concern for Indiana Kids: Know What to Look For; Know What to Do," are available free of charge by calling the Indiana Youth Institute at (800) 343-7060. The report is also available at IYI's Web site, [www.iyi.org/issue\\_alert/diabetes](http://www.iyi.org/issue_alert/diabetes).

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Some computers can be accessed remotely by scammers who want to gather and misuse your personal login and password information. If you have a weak password, your information is vulnerable to dictionary attacks or rapid automated guessing of common passwords. This is of special concern when you have set yourself to log in automatically. Never share or write down your password. Remember to change your password frequently and never store it in a password program.

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To lower your risk of spyware infection, set your browser security high enough to detect unauthorized downloads, use anti-virus and anti-spyware software and a firewall and update them frequently. Download free software only from sites you know and trust and don't click on links inside pop-up windows. Ironically, links that claim to offer anti-spyware software often actually provide spyware and trick you into downloading it yourself.

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### ADULTS:

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**Indiana Collection Nonfiction**— *The Yearbook of the Society of Indiana Pioneers 2005-2006* by The Society of Indiana Pioneers.

### JUVENILES:

**Ages 10 and Under Fiction**— *Easter Eggs for Anya* by Virginia Kroll; *Who's Afraid of Granny Wolf?* (from the Fitch & Chip series) by Lisa Wheeler; and *Santa's Rockin'* (from the Wiggles series) by Wiggles Pty Ltd.

**Ages 10 and Under Nonfiction**— *I Spy Santa Claus* (from the I Spy series) by Jean Marzollo and *Going by Bus, Going by Car, Going by Plane and Going by Train* (from the Going Places series) by Susan Ashley.

**Youth Nonfiction**— *Who was Daniel Boone* (from the Who Was--? series) by Sydelle Kramer; *You Can't Taste A Pickle with Your Ear* and *You Can't See Your Bones with Binoculars* by Harriet Ziefert; and *What A Hoot?* illustrated by Martin Chatterton and *Ho, Ho, Ho!* and *Seriously Silly School Jokes* illustrated by Troy Trimmer (from the Sidesplitters series).

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### Genealogy Workshop

There will be a free genealogy workshop Monday, April 2, at 7:30 p.m. at the Fulton County Museum. 4-H members and all ages are welcome to attend. Shirley Willard will give a talk on how to research without traveling, thus saving gasoline. The museum's Tetzlaff reference room will be available for research.

The Fulton County Museum is located on U.S. 31, four miles north of Rochester.

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### State Park Launches Wildlife Volunteer Vacations

Visitors to southeast Ohio's Hocking Hills can now experience the region's rich

wildlife in a more active and personal way, as the area launches its new Hocking Hills Volunteer Vacation. More than 2.5 million visitors a year come to Hocking Hills to experience the region's rich wildlife. These new Volunteer Vacations allow travelers to take an active role in the stewardship of the area's fragile natural resources.

Visitors who book the Volunteer Vacation will assist Hocking Hills State Park naturalists with the park's massive Ten-Year Wildlife & Resource Management Plan. Visiting volunteers will be armed with clipboards, pens, paper and binoculars, which they'll use to help chart wildlife habitat and population patterns (both plant and animal); geology; cultural; historical; and other details crucial to preserving the many natural resources found in the Hocking Hills. Efforts will include identifying nesting spots for birds such as bald eagles; searching for and logging black bear habitats; cataloguing deer population and movement; and identifying plant species and habitats.

Volunteer visitors should be available for a minimum of two days, with longer stays being more desirable, as they allow the volunteer to tackle more in-depth efforts. Hocking Hills Volunteer Vacations are booked by calling Hocking Hills Travel at 1-800-824-3598. These unique packages start at just \$159 per person, based on double occupancy, a two-night Volunteer Vacation, which includes lodging, dinner for two one night and a journal for chronicling unforgettable experiences.

"The Hocking Hills is home to some two dozen very rare and endangered plants and animals,

which must be identified and tracked," said park naturalist, Pat Quackenbush. "We need responsible visiting volunteers who are passionate about helping us chronicle the habitats, population and other issues critical to managing the park's significant wildlife."

Quackenbush added that all of the data visitors collect is important scientific information that will be assembled over the next several years into a document, which will help the Ohio Department of Natural Resources effectively manage the many resources found in the Hocking Hills. Teeming with wildlife, the Hocking Hills region includes more than 10,000 acres of unbroken forest, 2,300 of which makes up Hocking Hills State Park.

Beyond the outstanding wildlife, hiking, waterfalls, cliffs, forests and many other natural attractions, the Hocking Hills offers a wide variety of accommodations, from camping and cabins to hotels and country inns. The Hocking Hills area also offers unique gift and antique shops, kayaking, horseback riding, golf and many other attractions and activities. Complete Hocking Hills visitor information is available online at [www.1800Hocking.com](http://www.1800Hocking.com) or toll-free at 1-800-HOCKING.

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### Indiana State Fairgrounds Upcoming Events

Hoosier Horse Fair & Expo: March 20 - April 1. Hours: Fri. 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Sat. 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Sun. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission: \$15; children 7-12 \$6; children 6 and younger free; advance discount tickets available.

Eastside Reunion Fundraiser: April 7 in the Ag/Hort Building. Hours: 7 p.m. to midnight. Admission: \$20 at the door; \$15 in advance.

Hoosier Antique Expo: April 13-15 in the West Pavilion. Hours: Fri. & Sat. 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Sun. noon to 5 p.m. Admission: \$6.

Stewart's Indiana Flea Market: April 13-15 in the Ag/Hort Building. Hours: Fri. noon to 6 p.m.; Sat. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Sun. 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: free

hggregg-WFMS Country Music Expo: April 14-15 in the Blue Ribbon Pavilion & Champions Pavilion. Hours: Sat. 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Sun. 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

U.S. Coin Operated Game Auction: April 14 in the Pioneer Our Land Pavilion. Doors open at 8 a.m.; auction 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission: free.

Midwest Reptile Show: April 15 in the Healthy Lifestyles Pavilion. Hours: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission: \$5; children 8 and younger free

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- Stack in brown paper grocery bags
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## EASTERN PULASKI MENU

April 2 - 6

## Elementary Breakfast

Monday - Cereal, graham cracker, juice and milk

Tuesday - Cinnamon toast, string cheese, juice and milk

Wednesday - Muffin, yogurt, juice and milk

Thursday - Toaster pastry, juice and milk

Friday - Good Friday, no school

## Elementary Lunch

Monday - Pork tenderloin, fries, peaches, cookie and milk

Tuesday - Pizza, mixed vegetables, banana, muffin and milk

Wednesday - Macaroni and cheese, peas, pineapple, pretzel and milk

Thursday - Mini corn dogs, pickle, fruit ice, Teddy Grahams and milk

Friday - Good Friday, no school

## Middle/High School Lunch

Monday - Stuffed crust pepperoni pizza, asparagus, pears, cookie and milk.

Tuesday - Tenderloin sandwich, green beans, applesauce, cookie and milk. Choice - salad bar

Wednesday - BBQ chicken sandwich, fries, peaches, cookie and milk. Choice - salad bar

Thursday - Cheeseburger, baked beans, pineapple, cookie and milk. Choice - salad bar

Friday - Good Friday, no school.

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# EARTH TALK

Questions & Answers  
About Our Environment

From the Editors of E/The Environmental Magazine

*Dear EarthTalk: I saw warnings on bags of charcoal that said carcinogens are released when the briquettes are burned. Is it safe to breathe in the smell of a charcoal grill?* -- Joe Sliwa, via e-mail

Barbecue grills can be problematic for two reasons. First, both charcoal and wood burn "dirty," producing not only hydrocarbons but also tiny soot particles that pollute the air and can aggravate heart and lung problems. Secondly, the grilling of meat can form two kinds of potentially carcinogenic compounds: polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs) and heterocyclic amines (HCAs).

According to the American Cancer Society, PAHs form when fat from meat drips onto the charcoal. They then rise with the smoke and can get deposited on the food. They can also form directly on the food as it is charred. The hotter the temperature and the longer the meat cooks, the more HCAs are formed.

HCAs can also form on broiled and pan-fried beef, pork, fowl and fish, not just on grilled meats. In fact, National Cancer Institute researchers have identified 17 different HCAs that result from cooking "muscle meats" and that may pose human cancer risks. Studies have also shown increased risk of colorectal, pancreatic and breast cancers associated with high intakes of well done, fried or barbecued meats.

According to the Texas

Commission on Environmental Air Quality, Texans who like to say that they "live and breathe barbecue" may be doing just that to the detriment of their health. A 2003 study by scientists from Rice University found that microscopic bits of polyunsaturated fatty acids released into the atmosphere from cooking meat on backyard barbecues were helping to pollute the air in Houston. The city at times registers air quality levels that rank it one of the more polluted U.S. urban areas, though emissions from barbecues are certainly dwarfed by those generated by motor vehicles and industry.

Both briquettes and lump charcoal create air pollution. Lump charcoal, made from charred wood to add flavor, also contributes to deforestation and adds to the greenhouse gases in the atmosphere. Charcoal briquettes do have the benefit of being made partly from sawdust (a good use of waste wood), but popular brands may also contain coal dust, starch, sodium nitrate, limestone and borax.

In Canada, charcoal is now a restricted product under the Hazardous Products Act. According to the Canadian Department of Justice, charcoal briquettes in bags that are advertised, imported or sold in Canada must display a label warning of the potential hazards of the product. No such requirements presently exist in the United States.

Consumers can avoid exposure to these potentially harmful additives by sticking with so-called natural charcoal brands. Noram de Mexico's Sierra Madre 100 percent oak hardwood charcoal contains no coal, oil, limestone, starch, sawdust or petroleum products and, to boot, is certified by the Rainforest Alliance's SmartWood program as sustainably harvested. The product is available at select Sam's Clubs across the U.S. Other manufacturers of all natural charcoal include Greenlink and Lazzari, both of which can be found at natural food outlets across North America.

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## Public Notice

ORDINANCE # 022007  
AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING FEES FOR WEEKEND RELEASE AND WORK RELEASE  
WHEREAS, inmates at the Fulton County Jail are permitted to serve their jail sentences on weekends pursuant to the Courts sentencing orders; and  
WHEREAS, I.C. 11-12-5-2 authorizes the Fulton County Sheriff to establish a program whereby persons who have been committed to the Fulton County Jail on a con of a crime or adjudication of contempt to be temporarily released from custody to work; and  
WHEREAS, the temporary release from custody for work or weekend incarceration imposes a burden upon the jail staff and incurs additional time and expense to the Fulton County Jail; and  
WHEREAS, the Fulton County Board of Commissioners and Fulton County Council desire to establish fees for weekend incarceration and temporary release for work.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED by the Fulton County Board of Commissioners and the Fulton County Council to establish the following fees for weekend incarceration and for temporary release for work.  
Section 1. That an inmate shall be charged twenty dollars (\$20.00) for each day that an inmate is temporarily released from custody pursuant to a work release program established by the Fulton County Sheriff.  
a. Participants in the work release program, residing in the work release facility, shall pay a minimum weekly fee of \$100.00.  
b. For an inmate who lives and works outside of Fulton County, a non-refundable user fee of \$200.00 will be assessed for those participants serving a period of less than 180 days and a one-time fee of \$400.00

will be assessed for those serving a term greater than 180 days.

Section 2. That an inmate shall be charged twenty dollars (\$20.00) per day served for weekend incarceration. For purposes of this section, per day shall be defined to mean each 24-hour period irrespective whether an inmate is incarcerated for the full 24-hour period.

Section 3. That said fees shall be paid by the inmate prior to being weekend incarcerated and / or paid prior to acceptance into the work release program.

Section 4. The Commissioners recognize that flexibility is required and that deviation from the fees may be appropriate in the interest of fairness and justice. Therefore, either the Sheriff or the Director of Work Release shall be authorized to deviate from the fees if either believe it to be appropriate. Any and all deviations should be recorded and included in the annual report to the Commissioners.

Section 5. That this repeals any existing Ordinance that might be in effect.

Section 6. That in the event any section, clause or portion of this Ordinance shall be declared invalid by any Court the remaining portions or sections shall remain in full force and effect.

Section 7. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon the passage and publication as provided by law.

ORDAINED and PASSED by the Board of Commissioners of Fulton County this 19th day of March, 2007, by a vote of 3 yes and 0 nays.

Fulton County Board of Commissioners  
Richard A. Powell  
Roger D. Rose  
Mark J. Rodriguez

ATTEST: Denise J. Chandler  
Fulton County Auditor  
Dated this 20th day of March, 2007

Fulton County Council  
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Michael Gearhart  
David Helt Christopher Sailors  
Gary Striver

ATTEST: Denise J. Chandler  
Fulton County Auditor  
Pub. 3/29/07

RESOLUTION # 031907-A  
POLLING SITES FOR THE 2007 PRIMARY AND GENERAL ELECTIONS  
PRECINCTS.....  
Rochester - Precincts 1,2,3  
Faith Outreach Church  
1129 E. 9th St., Rochester

Rochester - Precincts 4, 5  
Wynfield Crossing  
1729 Wabash Ave., Rochester

The Fulton County Election Board requests the approval of the above mentioned polling places for 2007.

Primary Election to be held on May 8, 2007.  
General Election to be held on November 6, 2007.

Fulton County Election Board  
Fred Bohm  
Gregory Brash  
Letty McKee

Approved this 19th day of March, 2007  
Richard Powell  
Roger D. Rose  
Mark Rodriguez

Attest: Denise Chandler  
Fulton County Auditor  
Pub. 3/29/07

## Fulton County Claims ADVERTISING LIST for April 2nd, 2007

ACS Government Inc., 1,725.00; AT&T, 250.00; Alexander Distributing, 1,151.52; Alfred Nickles Bakery Inc., 232.95; Amco Elevators Inc., 371.35; American Structurepoint, Inc., 14,091.57; American Wire Rope & Sling Cor., 7,033.30; Anco Inc., 2,134.51; Animal Control Services, 525.00; Appraisal Research Corporation, 932.87; Arrow Pest Control Inc., 48.00; Association of IN Counties Inc., 150.00; BI Incorporated, 5,098.36; BP, 27.00; Baileys Hardware Inc., 168.87; Bair, Richard P., 49.92; Boyce Forms/Systems Inc., 480.45; Brown, Richard, 88.00; Burke & Heller, 150.00; C&S Outdoor Equipment, 251.25; CSI-Computer Systems Inc., 38.57; Cardinal Office Products, 412.98; Centennial Wireless, 172.37; Chandler, Denise J., 6.65; Citicard, 34.00; Craid Welding & Mfg. Co Inc., 2,902.71; Cummins Crosspoint, 38.31; Dept of Homeland Security, 50.00; Dreibelbis Ashley, 19.66; Duke Energy, 3,476.19; ENDS Cleaning Service, 997.67; Emergency Radio Service Inc., 117.95; Engineering Aggregates Inc., 1,640.85; Engyarts True Value Hardware Inc., 42.12; Fansler Lumber Co Inc., 11.00; Fine Things, 163.78; Franger Gas Co Inc., 364.28; Fulton Co Tire & Service Cnt., 30.45; Fulton County EMS, 38,527.00; Fulton County Fair Association, 300.00; Fulton County Highway, 1,600.00; Fulton Marshall LP, 21,809.48; Global Gov't/Ed, 70.00; Gil Jenkins Automotive Corp., 13.50; Good Family Funeral Home, 400.00; Governmental Interinsurance, 823.50; HP Products Inc., 775.50; Hardesty Printing Inc., 290.00; Harrison Metzger Funeral Home, 100.00; Harter Beverly, 1,452.00; Hess Bruce, 1,411.60; Hilton Indianapolis North, 297.00; Holt Equipment Co LLC, 1,186.93; Hufnagel Equipment Co Inc., 3,450.00; IKON Office Solutions Inc., 449.71; IN Assoc of County Assessors, 323.00; IN Co Auditors Association, 330.00; IN State Police Training Fund, 99.00; Identikit Solutions Inc., 408.00; IN Dept of Homeland Security, 120.00; Barton Epstein, 2,400.00; Terry Laber, 3,100.00; Indiana Office of Technology, 338.81; Indiana Paging Network Inc., 64.12; Irving Materials Inc., 11,860.89; J&K Excavating, 400.00; Jensen, Carol, 6.08; Kellermeyer B G, 272.03; Key Waste Indiana Partnership, 238.36; Lawson Products Inc., 824.63; Lexisnexis Matthew Bender, 245.00; Liberty Twp Trustee, 39.00; Lighthouse Electrical Contract, 140.00; Lindco Equipment Sales Inc., 258.80; MAC Tools, 59.98; MTE Truck & Trailer Service Inc., 158.82; Madlem, Gary, 177.60; Manatron Inc., 1,204.17; Marrs, Michael T, 74.40; McKee Letty, 134.30; Morton Salt Inc., 11,973.88; NAPA Rochester Inc., 3,367.50; NEXTEL, 76.38; NIPSCO, 5,508.55; National Academies Of, 45.00; New Holland Rochester Inc., 101.75; Northern Equipment Co Inc., 1,790.00; O-Henry's Backhoe & Excavation, 2,731.50; Observer, 693.48; Oil Change Express, 38.70; Parkview North Hospital, 190.00; Peterson & Waggoner, 56.25; Plumlee Maintenance, 960.00; Powell,

Richard, 188.68; Power Brake & Spring Service, 477.50; Precision Alloys Co Inc., 1,305.23; Purdue CES Education Fund, 39.78; Quill Corp, 727.49; Robbins Diana L & Kenneth L, 65.16; Reed, Judith, 75.20; Reliance Office Supplies Inc., 289.83; Rochester Sentinel Corp., 561.58; Rock Industries Inc., 6,544.16; S&T Sply Inc., 470.25; Sanders, Steve, 10.00; Saylor J H Inc., 333.81; Schaeffer MFG Co Inc., 631.62; Shireman Pinsky, 94.86; Shopping Guide News, 58.00; Slisher Excavating Inc., 1,500.00; Smith Office Plus Inc., 12,751.00; Smith Sawyer Smith Inc., 112,137.00; Stoops Freightliner-Ft wayne, 4,782.30; T&T Rental, 32.92; The Tire Store, 28.70; Tilden Scott, 397.40; Treasurer Fulton County, 40,000.00; US Cellular, 100.17; United States Post Office, 49.00; Utter Jennifer, 13.66; Van Ausall & Farrar Inc., 189.55; Vomac Truck Sales & Service Inc., 890.62; W A Jones & Son Truck Bodies, 984.05; Walmart Community BRC, 218.16; Warsaw Waimart Co Inc., 6,391.35; Waste Management Inc., 69.35; Webbs Family Pharmacy Inc., 26.88; West Group Payment Center, 150.00; Widner & Sons Excavation, 14,140.10; Wiers International Trucks Inc., 137.86; Wildman Inc., /20 20; Wynnlow & Transport, 00.00; Winter Equipment Co Inc., 1,471.76; Word Systems Inc., 1,067.77.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, FULTON CO., INDIANA ON MARCH 26, 2007.

DENISE J. CHANDLER  
FULTON COUNTY AUDITOR  
Pub. 3/29/07

## LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Alcoholic Beverage Board of Fulton County, Indiana, will hold a public hearing at 1:00 PM on April 18, 2007, at the Conference Room, County Annex, Fulton County Office Bldg., in the city of Rochester in said county, to investigate the propriety of holding an alcoholic beverage permit by the applicants listed herein to wit:

DL2523080 Dealer - Beer and Wine, new; Gasamerica Services Inc., 102 McDonald Dr., Rochester; D/B/A Gasamerica Services; Stephanie White, 2700 W Main St., Greenfield, Pres.; Dennis Spegal, 2700 W Main St., Greenfield, Sec'y.

Alcohol and Tobacco Commission  
Pub. 3/29/2007

## LEGAL NOTICE

Indiana Code 3-11-1.5 requires changing boundaries to correct precincts with the state, and to meet certain annexation requirements to comply with the directives of said law. Pursuant to IC 3-11-1.5 Fulton County, Indiana through the Board of Commissioners, has relined the precincts affected by the Rochester Southway Annexation for the said County.

Upon submitting copies of precinct summary statements, legal descriptions and maps for all voting locations in Fulton County, the Indiana Election Commission issued an Order on January 31, 2007, the date the proposed precinct establishment orders were approved by unanimous vote of the Commission.

A listing of all effected precincts and the voting locations are listed in this notice with

the necessary changes having been made. The maps, legal descriptions and estimated active voter population of the established precincts are on file for public inspection in the offices for the Circuit Court Clerk and the Fulton County Auditor.

FULTON COUNTY POLLING PLACES  
Rochester 3 - Faith Outreach Church  
1125 E. 9th Street, Rochester  
Rochester 6 - Fulton County Fairgrounds  
1009 W. 3rd Street, Rochester  
BY Denise Chandler  
Fulton County Auditor  
Dated this 19th day of March, 2007  
Pub. 3/29/07

RESOLUTION # 031907  
RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF FULTON, INDIANA, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF THE CDBG PLANNING GRANT APPLICATION TO THE INDIANA OFFICE OF COMMUNITY AND RURAL AFFAIRS AND ADDRESSING RELATED MATTERS

WHEREAS, the Commissioners of the County of Fulton, Indiana recognizes the need to stimulate growth and to maintain a sound economy within its corporate limits; and

WHEREAS, The Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, authorizes the Indiana office of Community and Rural Affairs to provide grants to local units of government to meet the housing and community development needs of low-and-moderate-income persons; and

WHEREAS, the County of Fulton, Indiana, has conducted or will conduct public hearings prior to the submission of an application to the Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs, said public hearings to assess the housing, public facilities and economic needs of its low-and-moderate-income residents.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners of Fulton County, Indiana that:

1. The President of the Fulton County Commissioners is authorized to prepare and submit an application for grant funding to address planning needs of the Wayne Township Fire Station/Community Center and to execute and administer a grant including requisite general administration and project management, contracts and agreements pursuant to regulations of the Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs and the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development.

2. The County of Fulton, Indiana hereby commits the requisite local funds in the amount of Eight Hundred Sixty-Four Dollars (\$864,000) in the form of funds to be provided by Wayne Township, as matching funds for said program, such commitment to continue upon receipt of CDBG funding from the Indiana Office of Community and Rural Affairs.

Adopted by the Commissioners of the County of Fulton, Indiana this 19th day of March, 2007.

Richard A. Powell, President  
Fulton County Commissioners  
ATTEST: Denise J. Chandler  
Auditor, Fulton County  
Pub. 3/29/07

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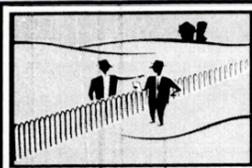
Your generosity and expressions of kindness are very deeply appreciated by the Union Happy Hoosiers 4-H Club. We were so blessed by the outpouring of support from the community during our car wash fundraiser Saturday, March 24. Even though the weather was not the most pleasant, the clouds did not shade your hearts! Thanks again, Kewanna business owners and Union Township residents for supporting our kids.

A special thank you to Sheri Cook and Kewanna Pro Hardware employees. It could not have happened without you!

Union Happy Hoosiers  
4-H Club Members  
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I would like to thank family, friends and acquaintances for all the cards, phone calls, candy, well wishes and words of encouragement before and after my recent knee surgery. Your acts of kindness and concern are very much appreciated.

Shirley Bussert  
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## Town & Country CHATTER...

By: Julie Brown (574) 653-2451

Mary K. Williamson and Karen Kruger traveled to Mishawaka Saturday, March 17. They had a wonderful time visiting with Karen's daughter and her family, Lori and Gene Harding, Graham and Annabelle. The family met at the Farmers' Market for lunch and then returned to the Hardings' home for an afternoon of catching up and dessert. Also during the afternoon, Annabelle performed a private concert for the family. She has been taking piano lessons and wanted to play some of the pieces she had learned for everyone.

Barb Hieber and JoAnn Tsoodle had guests Sunday, March 18. Joining them for a day of visiting were Barb's daughter and her family, Sue and Ed Janes and Tom and Joey Wilk of LaPorte.

Mathilda Lamb drove to Logansport Wednesday, March 21. She enjoyed a visit with her sister, Patricia Koons.

Beth and Ray Weller had houseguests over the weekend. Arriving Friday, March 23, were their daughters, Beth Ann Deckard and Linda Tufts of Lebanon, Ohio. In the afternoon, Beth Ann and Linda traveled to Logansport to visit with the Reason family. They had a delightful time looking through family pictures and reminiscing.

Lois Wilson had company Friday. Coming up for an overnight visit were her son and daughter-in-law, Dennis and Susan Wilson of Greensburg. During the early part of the day, the threesome took care of some business in Rochester and Plymouth. In the afternoon and early evening, they tackled several chores around the house.

Linda Bangel was a weekend houseguest of her parents, Earl and Mary Bangel.

John Lincoln and Jackie Heidenreich enjoyed dining at the Paradise Plaza Family restaurant near Rochester Friday.

Jerry and Kay Brown were in

Culver Friday evening. They were joined by Jerry's siblings and their spouses, Vivian and Bob Hathaway of Warsaw and Fred and Barbara Brown of Rochester, for a visit over supper at Pappa's Restaurant.

Several of the Tomlinson women got together Saturday, March 24 for a mini-reunion. Gathering at Angelo's restaurant in South Bend for brunch and a visit were Becky Lincoln and Sara Edwards and Kahlan of South Bend; Patricia Hoover of Rochester; Jennie Carey of Plymouth; Ruth Ann Anderson, Mildred McColley and Beth Weller; and Beth Ann Deckard and Linda Tufts. Also joining the group was Becky's sister-in-law, Carla Fagan. Following the meal, the group headed for the Farmers' Market and some shopping.

Helen Whiteman had a couple of visitors Saturday. Stopping by in the afternoon for a pleasant family chat were her granddaughter and great-granddaughter, Andrea Hook and Rylee of Winamac.

Barb Hieber accompanied Sue Janes to a baby shower in Ft. Wayne Saturday. The guest of honor was Sue's stepdaughter, Cecilia. Afterward, Sue and Barb dined at Biagi's restaurant and enjoyed dessert at DeBrand Co.

Kay and Jerry Brown had luncheon guests Sunday, March 25. Coming for a visit and the midday meal were their son, Mike Brown, and their son-in-law, Mike McKinney of

Rochester. During the day, the Browns received a very relieving and welcoming telephone call from their grandson, Jason Brown. He has returned to his home base in Hawaii after serving in Iraq for the past six months.

Hugh and Maryellyn Tennent were in Kokomo Sunday. They enjoyed visiting with their niece and her husband, Pam and Russ Dance, and with Hugh's brother and sister-in-law, Nat and Jennie Tennent.

Florence Bauman and Mathilda Lamb were guests of Carol Bauman Sunday. The ladies attended the Mother-Daughter Tea held at the St. Joseph Parish Hall in Rochester Sunday afternoon.

Louis Bangel was the guest of honor at a family gathering Sunday. The occasion was in celebration of his birthday and hosted by his wife and daughter, Jean Bangel and Joyce. Helping them mark the event with dinner were Louis' parents, Mary and Earl Bangel; Jean's mother, Elsie Scheffer of Pulaski; Louis' sister, Linda Bangel; and Jean's siblings, Chuck and Cheryl Scheffer.

Ellen Walsh had houseguests early this week. Arriving Monday, March 26, for a three-day visit were her son and his family, Kerry and Beth Walsh and Andy of Clinton.

Helen Miller had guests at the beginning of the week. Coming up Monday for a couple of days of family catching-up were her granddaughter and great-grandson, Suzanne Crump and Tyler of Muncie.

Those persons who will be having birthdays next week (so please remember to give them

your best regards) are: Paul Bauman III, Carita Brown, Dale Herrold and Stacey Kozar, April 1; Taylor Carpenter, Al Haimbaugh, and Sharlene Haimbaugh, April 3; JoAnn Cohagen, J.C. Herrold, Samantha Kuptz, Jeremiah Miller, Patrick Mills, Jeremy Mollencupp, and Beth Thomas, April 4; Chris Riffle, April 5; Vivian Bauman, Matt Fisher, Lisa Patterson, Nick Sommers, Jenni Van Scoy and Stevanna Young, April 6; and Samantha Ricci, Ed Tomerlin and Tom Wilson, April 7.

There are four couples who will be celebrating their wedding anniversaries next week: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gupton, April 3; Mr. and Mrs. Al Haimbaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Brad Hassenplug, April 5; and Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Scheeringa, April 7.

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### Rochester License Branch Hours

Tues., 8:30-7:00

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### CASTON MENU

April 2 - 6

#### Breakfast

Choice each day with juice and milk: cereal and toast; sausage/cheese bun; ham/cheese bun; toaster pastry

#### Lunch

Monday - Cheeseburger, fries, peaches, cookie and milk. Comet Café - French bread pizza

Tuesday - Soft tacos with meat and cheese, lettuce and tomato, applesauce and milk. Comet Café - cheese stuffed breadstick

Wednesday - Corn dog, seasoned mini cubes, green beans, cherry crisp and milk. Comet Café - meatball sub, chips

Thursday - Chicken patty sandwich, whipped potatoes and gravy, broccoli, peanut butter bar cookie and milk. Comet Café - roast beef sandwich, fries

Friday - Cheese pizza, corn, corn chips, Mandarin oranges and milk. Comet Café - baked potato bar, taco salad

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### Send In Your News



**BREAKFAST BUFFET/ Sat., Mar 31, 2007**  
7am to 11am Held at Museum Located  
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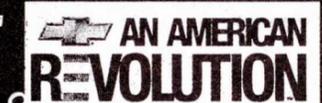
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