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A CHIEFTAIN SWEEP

BHS track and field teams place first at Logan County meet

Retired assistant fire chief's home destroyed in blaze

BY THE EXAMINER STAFF

The Lewistown home of a recently retired Bellefontaine Fire Department assistant fire chief was deemed a total loss in a structure fire that occurred Tuesday, April 16.

Indian Joint Fire District firefighters were dispatched to the home of Shannon Reames at 2059 Center St., Lewistown, at 1:03 p.m., IJFD Chief Mark Gibson said. Lakeview, Huntsville and Bellefontaine fire departments provided mutual aid.

The home was already "fully

involved" when crews arrived on the scene, the fire chief said.

Reames and his family were not home at the time of the blaze. However, two cats and three dogs died in the fire, Chief Gibson said. A pet rabbit survived.

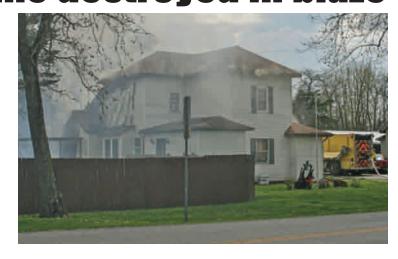
Two firefighters also were treated for heat-related illness as a result of the warmer temperatures Tuesday afternoon. They were transported by Indian Lake EMS to Mary Rutan Hospital, where they were treated and released.

Witnesses on the scene noted

first responders were consoling Reames on the loss of his home. The American Red Cross is also assisting the family.

The cause of the fire remains under investigation. Crews were on the scene until about 5:30 p.m.

Indian Joint Fire District firefighters, along with Lakeview, Huntsville and Bellefontaine fire departments, were dispatched to 2059 Center St., Lewistown, for a house fire Tuesday afternoon. (JACOB HOWELL PHOTO)



Local nurse serves in tornado's aftermath

BY THE EXAMINER STAFF

Toni Hurley, a registered nurse at the Mary Rutan Emergency Department and lifetime resident of Logan County, was at her Lewistown home the night of the March 14 tornado, just about 5 miles from its path.

After she heard that the tornado had touched down mere miles from her, she immediately called her son, who she knew was near the tornado's path at the time. Once she confirmed that he was safe, Toni jumped into action.

Her selflessness was evident when she was first called to assist by staffing the triage command center with the Indian Lake EMS team

While there, the Logan County Sheriff's Office made it evident that there was a pressing need for dispatchers to aid in



Toni Hurley, a Mary Rutan Emergency Department nurse, stepped up to help emergency crews the evening the tornado hit Indian Lake last month and as volunteer in the days that followed. (MARY RUTAN PHOTO)

at the Russells Point Command Center, where she took squad runs with BMRT's Chris Bair.

health needs of first responders. Toni knew that counseling and mental health assessments would be necessary in this situation. They got two local counselors, Tammy Nicholl and Shannon Maier, to the Russells Point Command Center on Friday afternoon to speak with first responders who may have needed their help. While they were present, Toni could direct them to the Lakeview Command Center and Indian Lake High School to talk to teachers and other staff that were staffing that location. Later that same day, still running on a few hours of sleep, Toni's youngest daughter, Marah, came home from the

UPDATE

Lakeview firefighters respond to resignations

Two firefighters and the fire chief of 40-plus years resigned Monday, April 15, during a meeting of the village of Lakeview council, and more resignations are expected, according to some individuals with knowledge of the situation.

Extensive background interviews with current and former firefighters paint an adversarial relationship between the Lakeview Fire Department and administration and village coun-

The situation reportedly reached a boiling point in the days immediately following the March 14 tornado. A heated argument took place between Mayor Elaine Fagan-Moore and former Fire Chief Norm Spring that resulted in the Logan County Sheriff's Office having to come and settle everyone down, individuals with knowledge of the

letters of resignation during the meeting.

"More resignations are coming," one firefighter said.

The argument between the mayor and the fire chief occurred Sunday, March 17, and had to do with the storage of donated supplies for tornado relief efforts. Initially, donated supplies were stored and distributed from the fire department.

Former and current firefighters reported the mayor wanted those donations moved to a different location. The firefighters reportedly told Mayor Fagan-Moore there wasn't a better location in the village -- both big enough and structurally sound -to house the donated goods.

Later that day, the mayor reportedly went to the fire station and confronted Chief Spring. According to accounts of that confrontation, the mayor demanded "more respect" from the first responders.

rescue and recovery. When the question of dispatch experience arose, the MRH nurse, without hesitation, offered her help.

"I have a little experience at Mary Rutan Hospital with dispatch, more than a lot of people might, so I did what was most needed of me at the time.

Toni had used the radios at Mary Rutan Hospital before to receive reports from local EMS teams, so she selflessly stepped in and assisted with emergency dispatch until nearly 3 a.m. Friday morning.

Exhausted, she went home for a few hours of rest before she was back on the scene at 7 a.m. Much of her morning was spent

This squad run, which should've taken 2 minutes to reach a patient, took 12 minutes due to so many roads being closed or blocked. However, Toni's extensive knowledge of the area as a life-long resident lent itself to her and the team that day as she expertly guided the squad to emergency areas using little-known routes and by studying maps of the area.

After spending time in the emergency squad, Toni, a Logan County CISM (Crisis Incident Stress Management) team member, along with Chris Bair, another CISM team member, started to put together a plan to bring a team in to meet the mental

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argument said.

Mayor Fagan-Moore was described to have "verbally assaulted" the fire chief. Mayor Fagan-Moore has not yet responded to a phone call or text message seeking comment.

Monday, council accepted the resignation of Fire Chief Norm Spring for the purpose of retirement effective immediately. Chief Spring has been fire chief since 1979.

A pair of other first responders, Zachary Perigo and Brandon Stevens, also turned in

"This took place with a room full of firefighters from different departments, and several people from the public," one person with knowledge of the argument said. "It spiraled and got to the point where the chief's wife had to call the sheriff's office, because the mayor and another council member had (Chief Spring) cornered in his office.

That confrontation was repre-

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LONG TERM RECOVERY MEETING

Judge Braig sentences child molester to nearminimum sentence

BY THE EXAMINER STAFF

Logan County Common Pleas Judge Kevin P. Braig ordered defendant Michael McCleery to serve a total of 18 months in prison for sexually molesting his young daughter over a period of five years, the Logan County Prosecutor's Office reports.

McCleery's sentencing took place Tuesday, April 16.

March 12 following a two-day trial, it took a jury approximately 30 minutes to find the defendant guilty of two counts of gross sexual imposition, both felonies of the third degree.

The total sentencing range for these offenses is 12 months to 10 years in prison.

At trial, the victim — now 13 years old— testified that between the approximate ages of 5 and 10 years old, her non-custodial father, Michael McCleery, sexually molested her in his bed nearly every time she visited him.



Testimony from the victim, the victim's mother, and the victim's therapist revealed that, as a result of these years of molestation, the victim suffered posttraumatic stress disorder and depression.

In an interview with detectives from the Logan County Sheriff's Office, McCleery blamed his young daughter for instigating the sexual contact. The defendant offered no statement at his sentencing hearing.

The Logan County Prosecuting Attorney's Office requested consecutive prison terms that reflected the seriousness of the charges and the harm caused to the victim.

The state noted that McCleery had been conducting this behavior during a significant period of time, caused incalculable harm to a small child and betrayed his duties as a father.

When confronted with his crimes, McCleery responded not with remorse, humility, or decency, but with evasion, minimizing, and victim-blaming. The state argued that McCleery has no capacity to reform his own conduct.

In pronouncing the concurrent 18-month prison terms, Judge Braig found that the victim had suffered significant harm, but noted that McCleery had no prior criminal convictions.

Group meets to plan long term disaster recovery efforts

BY THE EXAMINER STAFF

Logan County Emergency Management Agency Director Helen Norris conducted the first of what is likely to be several meetings Monday afternoon to discuss long term disaster planning for the county in the wake of the March 14 tornado.

About 40 community and business leaders gathered for the meeting in one of the conference rooms at the Logan County Family Jobs and Family Services offices, 1 Hunter Place.

Norris said the initial meeting's purpose was "to bring individual community efforts into a coordinated structure.'

The local EMA head noted we are still in a phase of disaster recovery between short and long term, as things like debris removal and helping impacted individuals with basic needs such as food, housing and transportation are still on-going.

Currently, the EMA reports that about 1,565 Logan County residents were impacted by the disaster.

To report tornado damage, contact the Recovery Call Center at (937) 292-4041 or remit information online at https://reportoh-logan.orioncentral.com.

Dave Bezusko, director of the United Way of Logan County, said to date about \$1.25 million has been raised via the Indian Lake Tornado Relief Fund. A large chunk of the funds have come from outside the area with donations coming from at least 40 other states, he noted.

His agency's efforts to help with needs from rent and security deposits to insurance deductibles for tornado-impacted individuals have been brisk. A staff of five from UW and other agencies is now handling about 40 appointments per day with some 277 appointments conducted or scheduled in a roughly two-week period.

On April 16, the UW reported \$152,346 had been distributed to 64 households. Another 69 cases are in process awaiting applicant decisions or verifications. Some144 additional appointments are scheduled between now and next week.

Eligible residents may receive

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LOCAL RETROSPECTIVE

History Center spotlights 236 S. Main St. auto dealerships legacy

BY MARY E. MORTIMER LOGAN COUNTY HISTORY CENTER ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

The property at 236 S. Main St. in Bellefontaine was home to several automotive dealerships for over 70 years.

The first auto dealership at the S. Main St. location was owned by George W. Cronley. He entered the automobile business with Ford in 1911 in Ridgeway and Mt. Victory.

In 1914, he became Logan County's first authorized Ford dealer in a rented building on Court St. in Bellefontaine. Ernest Cronley joined his brother, George, in his automotive business in November 1915.

A fireproof cement, brick and steel garage was built in 1916 at 236 S. Main St. Ernest Cronley then opened his own auto dealership on S. Opera St. selling Packard and Oldsmobile autos until he passed away in August 1937.

Michael B. Cronley, son of George W. Cronley, wrote in an article for Automotive Old Timer Magazine.

"The building was as modern as a garage building could be at the time. It had steam heat, electric exhaust system, parts room, office, showroom for six cars, washrooms, basement for coal storage and steam plant, heated water to wash cars in the winter, modern shop with all Ford electric power equipment for burning in bearings and storage space for 80 cars.

"The building, with its riveted, steel roof was 80' wide and 220' long. The early airlines selected this particular roof for early air routes and completely maintained it in order to have the letters BELLE-ONTAINE painted in large letters the entire width and length of the roof, serving as a



1954, Richard sold the Lee

Miller dealership to Paul J.

Smith who had worked for

the firm as a salesman.

Smith renamed the busi-

ness Paul J. Smith Motor

new DeSoto-Plymouth

Sales and continued to sell

automobiles and used cars.

Gillespie. He and his broth-

er, Joe Gillespie, had owned

a Buick dealership at 241-

since1946. They continued

The Gillespie property

to sell Buicks at the south

on W. Columbus Ave. was

who had been in the auto business since 1947 selling

In April 1970, Barton

purchased the Pontiac and

Rambler dealership of Earl

W. Miller at 541 S. Main St.

dealerships and renamed it

Pontiac. Barton later sold

American Motors automo-

Oldsmobile - Pontiac deal-

ership until he sold it to

Ron Foreman in October

Foreman remained at

the 541 S. Main St. location

Gillespie's Buick dealership

at 236 S. Main St. in 1983.

Foreman Ford – Mercury –

until he purchased Ed

He then opened Ron

Bill Barton continued to

He then merged the two

Barton Oldsmobile -

own and operate his

sold to Willard "Bill" Barton

245 W. Columbus Ave.

Main Street location.

Oldsmobile.

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Lincoln.

sold his dealership to Ed

In August of 1958, Smith

CRONLEY'S GARAGE

guide for the early pilots." The Union County Journal reported in June 1916, "At Bellefontaine it is estimated that three hundred automobiles have been sold in Logan County since January 1916. George Cronley, proprietor of Ford sales agency, stated Tuesday that he had sold and delivered one hundred fifty cars this year. Fifteen cars were assembled last week at his garage on South Main Street.

In the early 1920s, George Cronley sold Hudson-Essex automobiles. He was the largest tire dealer in Bellefontaine and sold as much as \$40,000 worth of Firestone Tires in one year.

Lee Miller purchased the George Cronley dealership in the early 1930s. He sold new DeSoto-Plymouth automobiles and used cars. In September 1936, the Marion Star reported George W. Cronley and his stepson, Jack Carr, had purchased the A.L. Holloway Motor Sales Co. in Marion, Ohio. They changed the name to the Cronley-Carr Co. and sold Studebaker cars and trucks.

Lee Miller sponsored a softball team that won the Logan County championship in 1941. The Lee Miller DeSotos, managed by Leon Tapp, defeated the DeGraff Food Co 5 to 3.

Lee Miller passed away in July 1949 and his son.

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LOCAL NOTES

'Improvising A Cure' returns April 25 to BLHS

BY THE EXAMINER STAFF

Jazz Appreciation Month is celebrated once again at Benjamin Logan High School with the 11th annual "Improving A Cure" benefit concert, slated for Thursday, April 25.



The Benjamin Logan Instrumental Music

Department hosts the event, which is open to the public, to raise funds for the Logan County Cancer Society.

Festivities begin with dinner served at 6 p.m. in the high school commons, with the barbecued themed menu featuring bbq pulled pork, macaroni and cheese, cheesy potatoes and coleslaw. Music by the BLHS Jazz Combo starts at 5:45 p.m.

"Improvising A Cure" will feature the high school and middle school jazz ensembles and combos.

The evening also includes a silent auction of student artwork, bake sale, 50/50 drawing, and the sale of event Tshirts as well.

There is no cost to attend this event, but donations are appreciated. All proceeds will be donated to the Logan County Cancer Society.

"I know the members of the jazz ensemble would love to see you there," Instrumental Music Director Myles Bowers said. "This event is truly one of highlights of the year for our Music Department.

"Please come out to this informal setting for an evening of jazz, food and community."

PROM SAFETY PROMOTED



With prom and graduation season approaching, Bellefontaine High School is promoting safe driving. Pictured, a BHS student tries out Fatal Vision Goggles this week, which demonstrates the vision and danger of an impaired driver with a blood alcohol level of .08 to 2.0. The hands-on lesson was hosted for students in the BHS Cafeteria. School Resource Officer Doug Walters and the BHS DARE Club also are sponsoring various activities throughout the week. Bellefontaine High School hosts its prom at the Winner Harvest Barn from 8 to 11 p.m. Saturday, April 20. After prom will follow at T-P Lanes. Graduation is set for 7 p.m. May 24. (BCS PHOTO)

"Nothing is stronger than public opinion; given the facts, nothing is wiser."



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"There seems t' be an excess of ever'thing 'cept parkin' space an' religion."

Written prior, 1931, by Kin Hubbard, a world-famous newspaper humorist and father of late T.E. Hubbard, former Examiner owner/publisher

Richard Lee Miller, took over management of the business. In November



LEE MILLER AUTO, WITH HIS CAR IN FRONT, CIRCA 1939 OR 1940

In October 1983, Foreman sold the 541 S. Main St. property to Wilson Anderson, who had a Ford – Mercury – Lincoln dealer-ship at 207 W. Columbus Ave.

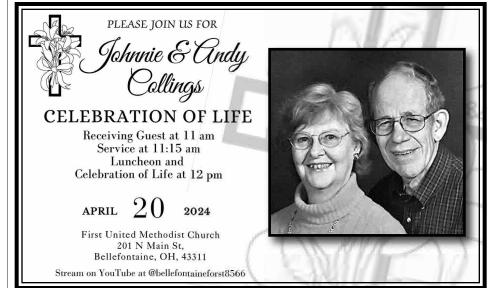
The Ron Foreman dealership at 236 S. Main St. was destroyed by fire in December 1991. After the fire, the dealership buildings were razed. In 1996, Rite Aid purchased the property and built a new store.

Visit the Logan County History Center to learn more interesting aspects of Logan County History.

The History Center is open for tours Wednesday - Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m.



GILLESPIE BUICK



RESPOND

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sentative of the kind of relationship between the fire department and the council/administration for months, sources said.

Chief Spring was placed on paid administrative leave on or about Feb. 7 that lasted for 15 days. He was reinstated after two weeks, sources said, with no explanation or result of findings from the administration's investigation into the matter.

Firefighters had reportedly sought more information into the chief's placement on administrative leave, and made public records requests of personnel files to that end. The mayor called one firefighter a "queen ant," and told her, "this (stuff) is going to stop,' according to multiple sources.

Previous to that, the council had appointed Dave Scott, village administrator, as an "administrative liaison" with the fire department.

"Dave Scott would probably be a good option since he had handled all the

meetings when they had the last issues. Dave Scott can gather necessary information and bring it to council," read minutes from the Jan. 16 council meeting.

Currently, there are about 11 firefighters in the Lakeview Fire Department. Former and current firefighters reported that as many as six more resignations were forthcoming and at least one or two were set to be turned in Wednesday, April 17.

Mayor Fagan-Moore is in her first term in office. She was sworn-in in January and will serve through the end of 2027. She replaces Ryan Shoffstall, who served as mayor for five terms, beginning in 2003.

Firefighters who served under both mayors reported a stark difference.

"I can confidently say that we wouldn't have the mess that we do if (Shoffstall) was still mayor. And I can confidently say that the tornado efforts would not have played out the same. It would have been handled a lot better under (Shoffstall)," one source reported.



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University of Findlay with a bunch of donations for the Indian Lake community that the college had donated. Marah is in school studying veterinary medicine, so while she was home, after donating the supplies to a local donation drop-off point, Marah and Toni joined K9 Army and the Champaign County Animal Welfare League in completing pet search and rescue at the tornado site.

While on scene, they recovered a few cats from the area and got them to safety. They then took the displaced animals to Home Away from Home, where two local vets, the owner of Home Away from Home and Marah, vetted all the animals coming in to be checked on.

What hit Toni hardest was when a man who lost his home, his belongings, and everything he owned handed Toni his dog so it could be boarded for the time being.

The Lewistown resident remembers the man looking at her and saying, "This dog is the very last thing that I have to my name. Please take care of it." It hit her, then, that the community she loves had lost so much, evoking a deep sense of empathy.

Saturday and Sunday after the tornado, Toni was scheduled to work in the Emergency Department. She was torn because she wanted to go out with the volunteer teams and cleanup crews, but she knew she would be needed at the Emergency Department to help those who needed emergency care.

Toni explained that she comes from a long line of people who want to help others. Many in her family currently work or have worked in medicine.

Her eldest daughter, Brittany, worked in the Emergency Department all day Friday while Toni volun-

teered with Marah.

Toni has been at Mary Rutan for many years, working in the Emergency Department, providing expert emergency medical care to her community. It was second nature to her to be there for her community that day.

"We are a lake family," the longtime nurse said.

"Toni is a great asset to our team and our community," said Brenda Price, Mary Rutan Emergency Department director. "Our staff trains for and is always ready for disaster situations

like these. Toni was in her element. "I saw many of our staff members do what they do best out in the community right after the storm and during cleanup efforts. We had staff members on-site distributing supplies, cleaning up debris and caring for others in whatever way they

could. "Hundreds of hours were given to helping our Indian Lake community. We are a mighty team, and Toni is one of those people who keeps us and our community moving forward during situations like the tornado because of their expertise and heart."

Now, weeks after the tornado, Toni goes around passing out bracelets that read "Indian Lake 2024, Stronger than the Storm" to remind others that they are loved and part of her Indian Lake family.

She said she is "here for the long haul." She will continue to help her community in whatever capacity they need her, be it as a mom, dispatcher, animal rescuer, CISM, Emergency Department nurse or someone to talk to.

This act of unity and resilience in the face of adversity is a testament to the strength and spirit of the Indian Lake community, instilling a sense of pride and belonging in all who hear her story.

OBITUARIES

Michael R. "Mike" Bell

Michael R. "Mike" Bell, 68, of Bellefontaine, passed away at 3:45 p.m. on Tuesday, April 16, 2024, at his residence. He was born in Bellefontaine, Ohio on December 3, 1955, to the late Millard and Virginia (Burk) Bell.

On November 18, 1978, he married Kim K. (Gibson) Bell, and she survives.

Mike is also survived by his children, Anthony Bell, Shawna (James Neeld) Bell and Michael Crawford; grandchildren, Bailey Mathews, Chase Mathews, Jaeden Rollins, Felicity (Luis Gonzalez) Crawford, Michael Crawford Jr., and Rylee Crawford;

great grandson, Luis Gonzalez Jr.; sister, Becky Walton; and several nieces and nephews.

Mike was an electrician, and a good one. He worked for Thompson Electric for many years and then started his own company, Mike Bell Electric. Mike loved to go fishing and hunting with his daughter, Shawna, and many of his friends. He enjoyed eating a Rueben sandwich at Arby's with Jim, Rodney, and Darren. He loved working in his barn, mowing his lawn, and especially traveling with his wife, Kim. In his early years, Mike flew RC planes and enjoyed playing paint ball. He loved to talk and could hold a conversation with anyone, especially in Walmart.

Pastor Jeffory Willetts will officiate a funeral service at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, April 19, 2024, at Calvary Baptist Church, 1140 Rush Avenue, Bellefontaine. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service from 12 p.m. to 1 p.m. at the church. Burial will be in Huntsville Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Alzheimer's Association Miami Valley, Chapter 6077 Far Hills Avenue, Dayton, Ohio 45459 or online at *www.alz.org/dayton/donate*.

Eichholtz Daring & Sanford Funeral Home & Cremation Center, Bellefontaine, is honored to serve the Bell family and encourages anyone to share a fond memory or message of condolence at *www.edsfh.com*.

Destanie Renee Brenner

Destanie Renee Brenner, 31 of Bellefontaine passed away suddenly Saturday, April 13, 2024, at Riverside Methodist Hospital in Columbus.

Destanie was born July 29, 1992, in Bellefontaine to Anthony Duane Brenner (Ann Foreman) and Marie Ruth



(Martin) Kerns, who survive. She is also survived by her children; Connor Dillon, Hailee Dillon and Baiden Godwin; siblings, Doug Kerns (Ally Crain) and Sebastian Rinbolt; grandparents, Floyd (Ruby) Brenner; aunts and uncles, Joe (Lorena) Brenner, Derrin (Cathy) Brenner, Becky (Steve) Scheifele,

Alicia Kirtpatrick and Allison Brenner. As well as numerous cousins and friends.

She was a big music lover who enjoyed going to concerts with friends and family. She also loved to just be outside around a bonfire talking about life. Some of her favorite activities were tubing, trying Tik Tok dances and baking during the holidays for cookie exchanges. She was always a hard worker who enjoyed helping others and making people laugh. She always had a big smile on her face when she spent time with those she loved.

She is preceded in death by her uncle, Ben Brenner; great grandparents, Orval (Eva) Brenner; great grandmother, Agnes Arthur; great grandmother, Ruth McCowan and grandmother, Roberta Tevis. Pastor Rob Starnes will officiate a Celebration of Life will be held Monday, April 22, 2024, at 1:00 p.m. at Jennings Farley & Seeley Funeral Home & Crematory. Visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until the time of the service. Burial will take place in Highland Memorial Cemetery following the service.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to the family to assist in final expenses.

Online Condolences may be expressed at *www.jennings-farley.com*.

Phillip S. Wagner

Phillip S. Wagner, 79, of Huntsville, OH passed away peacefully on Monday, April 15, 2024, at his home. Phillip was born on October 16, 1944, in Lima, OH, a son of the late Gerald Alvin and Opal Lavoone Gross Wagner. He



married Karen Sue Blankenship on December 28, 1969, in Westville, OH and she preceded him in death on November 9, 2016.

Phil is survived by two children, Greg (Marlene) Wagner of Celina, OH and Jackie (Greg) Sell of Huntsville, three grandchil-

dren, Caleb, Hailey, and Blake, five siblings, Carl H. (Rose Mary) Wagner of Huntsville, Gerald A. (Patricia) Wagner of Reno, NV, Robert L. Wagner of Huntsville, Dorothea M. (Larry) Longbrake of Huntsville, and Maryann Klipstine of Sidney, OH, and several nieces and nephews.

Phillip was a 1963 graduate of Indian Lake High School. He was a veteran of the United States Army serving in Korea during Vietnam. He retired from Honda Marysville Plant in 2012 after 26 years. Phillip was a member of Teamsters Local 908 in Lima, Logan County Farm Bureau, Doyle R. Miller Amvets Post #39 in Lakeview, OH, VFW Post 1080 and Harold Kerr American Legion Post 173, both of Bellefontaine, OH. He enjoyed riding his motorcycle, playing cards, traveling, and just "farting around". He loved spending time with his family and attending his grandchildren's activities.

Funeral services are 11 am, Wednesday, April 24, at Shoffstall Funeral Home, 205 S. Main, St, Lakeview. Visitation is Tuesday, April 23 from 5 to 8 p.m. at the funeral home. Burial is in Huntsville Cemetery with military honors performed by the Logan County Veterans Honor Guard.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be given in Phillip's memory to Logan County Cancer Society c/o Mary Rutan Hospital or Wounded Warrior Project.

Arrangements are in the care of Shoffstall Funeral Home, Lakeview, OH. Condolences may be expressed at *shoffstallfuneralhome.com*.

Lee "AJ" Andrew Watson, Jr.

Lee "AJ" Andrew Watson, Jr., 31, of Anna, OH, formerly of Indian Lake, OH passed away on Sunday evening, April 14, 2024, at Miami Valley Hospital, Dayton, OH due to injuries sustained from a vehicular accident.

AJ was born on July 17, 1992, in Lima, OH, a son of Nicolette (James Jenner) Watson of Lakeview, OH, and Lee Andrew Watson, Sr. of Russells Point, OH. He was preceded in

death by his best friend and grandma, Shirley Hudkins.



AJ is survived by his parents, three sisters, Allison (Cody) Baker of Sidney, OH, Sarah (Cameron) Mathews of Sanford, NC, and Leah Watson of Alger, OH, two brothers, Justin Baker and Jordan Baker, both of Sidney, OH, six nieces and nephews,

Auriella, Colin, Ezrah, Ryan, Caleb, and Cai, and several aunts, uncles, cousins, and friends.

AJ was a 2011 graduate of Indian Lake High School and Ohio Hi-Point Career Center where he studied carpentry. He proudly worked at Honda ELP in East Liberty. He loved music, producing and played with his band Remember The Ancient (RTA). He also loved riding his motorcycle and driving his Jeep, that he continuously added modifications to each. He enjoyed playing video games. AJ's greatest joy was from spending time with his family and friends.

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up to \$3,000 from the local

DeWine did so on March 29 following the agency's recommendation. However, Norris says she believes it's unlikely Logan County will receive a federal disaster declaration at this point. "This is not the FEMA I started my career with," Norris said, adding, the agency was quicker and more apt to help in the past in her experience. Ohio activated the State Disaster Relief Program SDRP Monday for Logan and Auglaize counties, which will provide \$5 million to help support local governments and nonprofit organizations that applied for reimbursement of costs associated with debris removal, emergency protective measures, and permanent work. Starting Friday, April 19, if a federal declaration still has not been given, the state will be able to implement other disaster relief efforts. It can, for example, enter into an agreement with the Small Business Administration to provide low-interest disaster loans to affected businesses and individuals.

large, detailed floodplain maps for use by various county, municipal and marily with debris removal. To date, the commission has authorized the

United Way, which can be used for expenses including: housing, hotel expenses, rent, mortgage, security deposits, home repairs, utilities, insurance deductibles, car payments, repairs and down payments, student hardship fees, pet care and other expenses deemed appropriate during in-take.

To ensure donated funds are going to disasteraffected residents, applicants should provide proper documentation for proof of residence, bills, or invoices for expenses, Bezusko said.

The UW also has access to the local EMA disaster database and has, in some cases, made payments direct to landlords and service providers to help prevent fraudulent use of donated funds.

To schedule a disaster relief appointment with the UW go to https://bookuwolc.timetap.com/#/ or call (937) 592-2886.

Among other topics discussed were housing, business and economic recovery, transportation, infrastructure and utilities, roads, zoning, floodplain issues, communications, jurisdictional challenges, and state and federal aid.

Part of the goal of the meeting was to get subcommittees formed to address the most important areas of recovery, particularly for the housing crisis exacerbated by the tornado.

Norris said officials from the Federal Emergency Management Agency were in Logan County for two days around March 26 with three teams assessing damage.

FEMA recommended that Logan along with other counties seek a federal disaster assistance declaIndividuals who don't qualify or are ejected for SBA loans might then have an opportunity to apply for a grant, Norris said.

"There's information out there that's wrong," Norris said, regarding instances of residents being told they cannot rebuild on existing damaged or destroyed sites because of floodplain regulations.

In some cases, trailers or homes may just need to be elevated to meet floodplain requirements or there's a possibility for a variance, she said.

Brad Bodenmiller, director of the Logan-Union-Champaign Regional Planning Commission, can obtain township entities. Contact the LUC office, East Liberty, at (937) 666-3431 for map information.

There's also a FEMA Flood Map Service Center online at

https://msc.fema.gov/portal/home, that allows users to enter addresses to check floodplain requirements, Norris noted.

Some attendees discussed the long-controversial idea of combining the various villages in the Indian Lake area into one, citing how jurisdictional issues might hinder longterm disaster recovery efforts, and how they have proven more costly to taxpayers, in general, over the years.

How to effectively communicate the considerable amount of information about on-going recovery efforts to the public was also discussed.

Among the ideas floated was a full-time, paid public information officer which could possibly be funded by the UW or by other means.

David Henry, administrative assistant for the Logan County Commission, and Logan County Chamber president Ben Vollrath have been assisting in the PIO role at various times, but their existing work obligations prevent taking on the job full time.

Additionally, the use of a weekly public "information dump" about recovery efforts that would then be disseminated via newspaper, radio, various websites and social media. Creation of a dedicated tornado recovery website was also discussed.

Commissioner Mike Yoder said the county has moved a chuck of its surplus into an emergency response fund to help pritransfer of \$1 million to the emergency fund, and expects to add an additional half-million dollars to the fund. The county has applied for reimbursement by the state for the debrisrelated expenses.

Norris said a large public meeting about disaster recovery efforts is scheduled from 6 to 8 p.m. May 2 at the Indian Lake High School.

The next long term recovery meeting is scheduled for 1:30 to 3 p.m. Tuesday, April 23, at the Logan County Children Services offices, 1 Hunter Place.

For additional tornado recovery resources, visit https://www.uwlogan.org/i ndian-lake-tornado-community-response. Funeral services will be noon, Saturday, April 20, at Shoffstall Funeral Home, 205 S. Main St, Lakeview with visitation from 11-12. Inurnment will be in Huntsville Cemetery at a later date.

Memorial Contributions may be given in AJ's memory to Cystic Fibrosis Foundation at cff.org.

Arrangements are in the care of Shoffstall Funeral Home, Lakeview, OH. Condolences may be expressed at *shoffstallfuneralhome.com*.

DEATH NOTICES

■ **KISER, Brad**, 61, of Bellefontaine passed away Monday, April 15, 2024; he was born May 9, 1962; survivors include his son, Blaze Kiser, his daughter, Stormi Kiser; his grandchildren and many family members and friends; he has been cremated and there will be no services at this time.

■ STIERHOFF, Robert F. "Bob", passed away Monday, Jan. 8, 2024, at his residence; celebration of life, 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday, April 21, at Myeerah Nature Preserve Lodge, includes a short remembrance at 1 p.m. for family and friends followed by lunch; the rest of the afternoon is for friends to stop in and share stories and sweets; memories and/or your thoughts can be sent to: *rememberingbobstierhoff@gmail.com*; or there will be a place to share written memories at the celebration.





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Rev. Settle Townsend, pastor Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 11 a.m. Bible study, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday. auburn-avenue.org

Bellefontaine Apostolic Temple 500 Lawrence St. (937) 539-0906

Praise worship, Sunday school, 10 a.m. Evangelistic service, 6 p.m. Sunday. Bible study, 7 p.m. Tuesday.

Bellefontaine Church of Christ 109 Township Road 217 (next to Lee's Chicken) (937) 593-2938 Sunday: 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. Bible study; Wednesday: 6 p.m.

Bellefontaine Open Bible 516 Eastern Ave. (937) 844-6721 Justin DuVall, pastor

Sunday school, 10:30 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. **Calvary Baptist Church**

1140 Rush Ave. (Associated with GARBC) Jeffory D. Willetts, pastor; Brandan Slifer, worship pastor; Josh Willetts, youth/family pastor 9:15 a.m. Discipleship class, 10:30 a.m. Worship; Awana 6:30 p.m. Student Ministries 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting, 7 p.m. Wednesday; Deaf ministry.

Christ's Covenant International 400 Ludlow Rd.

Shelley Stephenson, pastor Don Patton, associate pastor Adult Sunday school, 9:15 a.m. Sunday worship 10 a.m.; Wednesday Bible study 6 p.m.

Christ Our King Church 1325 County Road 9 (937) 599-4464 Robin Ricks, pastor Sunday Super Church, 8:45 a.m., worship 10 a.m.; Wednesday Bible study 7 p.m.

Church of Christ in Christian Union 1669 County Road 11 (937) 404-4002 Rev. Mike Phillips

Sunday school 9:30 a.m. Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.; Wednesday 7 p.m.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints 1603 Road 183 (extension of E. Brown) (937) 592-6576 Jason F. Miller, president Testimony & Sacrament, 10 a.m., Primary & Sunday school 11:20 a.m. Priesthood, Relief Society & Young Woman 12:10 p.m.





Church of the Brethren 534 S. Detroit St. (937) 599-2251

Mike Roberts, pastor Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Church of the Nazarene 345 Washington St.

Kenneth Neighoff, pastor Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:45 a.m. Evangelistic service, 6 p.m. Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Common Ground Church 613 Hamilton St.

Sunday worship gathering: 10 a.m. cgchurch.net; fb.com/cgchurchteam

Covenant Fellowship 136 W. Columbus St. Sunday school 9:30 a.m.: worship 10:30 a.m.; Bible study, 7:15 p.m. Wednesday.

First Assembly of God 2833 S. U.S. Route 68

(937) 593-4778 John Musgrave, lead pastor Sunday: 10:35 a.m. Worship & Children's Church.; Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. adult Bible studies, youth and children's ministry.

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) 215 E. Sandusky

Rev. Kevin Greenwald, minister Sunday school and Cafe Grace Praise and Worship led by Rev. Greenwald, 9:15 a.m.; Grace Care ages 1-4, 9:15 a.m; Sunday school 10 a.m.; sanctuary worship, 10:45 a.m. bellefontainefcc.org

First Church of God 1000 E. Brown Ave. (937) 592-2546 Gary Brown, lead pastor Ray Headings, senior adult pastor Sunday: 9:30 a m. Sunday school: 10:30

a.m. worship service; Wednesday, 6 p.m. youth meeting and 6:30 p.m. prayer meeting, Bible study.

First Friends Church 808 W. Columbus Ave. (937) 592-9461 Matthew Sandlin, pastor

Sunday school 9:30 a.m.; Worship 10:30 a.m.; InSight, Wednesday 6:30 p.m

First Evangelical Lutheran Church 208 W. Sandusky Ave. Larry Novak, pastor (937) 592-7699 (Dial-a-Prayer, 593-3531) Sunday: coffee/fellowship 9 a.m.; worship 10 a.m.; Bible Study: Monday 1:30 p.m. & Wednesday 7 p.m.

First United Methodist

Church 201 N. Main St. Rev. Joe Ziraldo, pastor Traditional worship, 9 a.m. (broadcast at 11 a.m. on WBKO 98.3 FM radio); contemporary service and Children's Church, 10:30 a.m.

First United Presbyterian Church 117 N. Main St.

Sunday school, 9: 30 a.m., Worship service 10:45 a.m. streaming weekly through Facebook and YouTube

Grace A.M.E. Church 233 S. Main St. Rev. Kenneth Kelley, pastor

Pilgrim Fellowship, **Congregational & Reformed**

(937) 592-6387 Dr. Marshall Pierson, pastor Sunday school 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:45 a.m. Meeting at Shawnee Springs, 400 Kristina Dr.

Indian Lake Northside

13699 N. State Route 235

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Church of the Nazarene

Sunday school, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10

Wednesday service, 7 p.m.; nursery

a.m.; Sunday evening service, 6 p.m.;

LEWISTOWN

United Methodist Church

Sunday school 10 a.m.; Worship 11

MIDDLEBURG

(937) 666-2844 or (937) 666-4694

9:30 a.m. worship; 10:45 Sunday

PICKRELLTOWN

6458 County Road 29, West Liberty

Sunday School, 9 a.m.; last Sunday

a.m. worship; Bible study first three

QUINCY

Sunday Worship, 10 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.;

Quincy Chapel Church of Christ

Worship services, 10:30 a.m. with junior church; Sunday school 6 p.m.

Quincy Methodist Church

Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Sunday

worship, 10:30 a.m. Ramp, hearing assisted devices available; Wednesday

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Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30

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10:35 a.m. and 6 p.m. ;Wednesday

United Methodist Church

Adult Bible Study 9 a.m., Church 10a.m.

RUSHSYLVANIA

Sunday school, 10 a.m., Worship, 11

Mike Raypholtz, pastor

Methodist Church

John Rozewicz, pastor

Church of Christ

office@rushchurch.com

John Watkins, senior pastor;

(937) 935-9651

6:30 p.m. Bible study, prayer meeting

District residents served 5 to 7 p.m.

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a.m.; wheelchair lift available.

Community Church

Carolyn Christman, pastor

middleburgcch@gmail.com

Monroe Community

Wednesdays, 7 p.m. Find them on Facebook

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Jerry & Bobbi Allen, pastors

New Street and Miami Street

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Kids class, 10 a.m.

(937) 585-4786

Mark Vincent, pastor

third Wednesday.

Tim Kohl, pastor

rfcog.com

Ridgeway

Big Springs

Church of Christ

First Church of God

(937) 935-8293

Rob Kilgore, pastor

Seventh-day Adventist Church 1910 County Road 130 Saturday afternoon services, Bible study hour 12:50 p.m. Worship service 2:30 p.m.

St. Patrick Catholic Church 316 E. Patterson Ave.

Fr. Shawn Landenwitch Mass: Saturday 4 p.m.; Sunday 10 a.m.; Tuesday, 8 a.m.; First, third Thursdays, 6:15 p.m. followed by Adoration and Confession.

Solid Rock Baptist 1470 W. Sandusky (937) 844-1400

James Frost, pastor Sunday School: 10 a.m.; Sunday worship 11 a.m.; Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.

solidrock bapt is tchurch.infoVineyard Christian Fellowship 624 Township Road 55 (937) 593-0981

Eric Cook, pastor Worship, Children's Worship & Childcare, 9:15, 10:45 a.m.; Student/Children ministries, Small Groups, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday. vcfbellefontaine.org Wake Up The World Ministries

600 E. Brown Ave. (567) 674-2722 Terry Robinson, pastor Sunday worship and children's church, 10 a.m.; Wednesday Bible

study, 6:30 p.m. Walnut Grove Methodist David Moore, pastor Corner of county roads 12 & 26

Service: 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. **BELLE CENTER**

Belle Center Church of Christ Corner of State and Walnut St. (937) 464-2611 Kris Langstaff, pastor Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m. Bible study.

Reformed Presbyterian Church Philip H. Pockras, pastor

For time and place of meetings, call 464-6851; listen at sermonaudio.com/bcrpcna; prayer meeting 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. bcrpchurch.org

United Methodist Church Kevin Smith, pastor

Church school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30. United Presbyterian Church

202 Walnut St. (937) 464-2695 9:30 a.m. Sunday School; 10:30 worship.

DeGRAFF

Cornerstone Fellowship of DeGraff (937) 585-5511 Mike Mitchell, pastor

Sunday worship, 10:30 a.m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; Junior Church, 10:30 a.m.; Senior lunch 11:15 a.m. Thursday. cornerstonedegraff.org

DeGraff Baptist Church State Route 235 (304) 415-1728

Rev. Bruce Keeling Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wed.: Prayer and Bible study, 7 p.m. degraffbaptistchurch.com

To make updates contact the Newsroom at (937) 592-3060 or news@examiner.org

WEST LIBERTY

Bethel Mennonite Church 416 Washington St. Rebecca Kauffman, pastor Worship, 10:40 a.m. bethelchurchwl.org

First Church of God 315 Liberty St. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, children's church, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Grace Chapel Zach Dudenhofer, pastor Sunday. Sunday School, 9 a.m.; worship, 10:30 a.m.

McKees Creek Chapel (937) 887-8080 Chris Starbuck, pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m.

Oak Grove Mennonite Church 1525 Mennonite Church Road (937) 465-4749 Alex Dye, lead pastor

Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. (livestream available) church@oakgrovemennonite.org

Quest Community Church 110 South St. (937) 465-0141

Jessica Dolan, interim assoc. pastor Sunday: 9:15 and 10:45 a.m.; contemporary worship and Quest Kids children's ministry; Student Ministry Sunday 6-7:30 p.m. auestchurchonline.com

South Union

Mennonite Church 56 State Route 508 (937) 465-6085 Matthew Williams, pastor Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m.

southunionchurch.org. **Union Chapel Community** Church

State Route 287 Jeremy Sarver, pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Wednesday 6:30 p.m Connection Group.

United Church of Christ, Congregational Christian 212 W. Newell (937) 465-2761 Karen Griswold, pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m

United Methodist Church

Rod Brower, pastor Traditional worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:45 a.m. F: /westlibertvunitedmethodistchurch

United Presbyterian Church Keith Landis, pastor Sunday School, 9:30 a.m., Worship,

10:30 a.m WEST MANSFIELD

Baptist Church Sam Newell, Interim pastor

Sunday School: 9 a.m. church service: 10 a.m

Byhalia Evangelical

Friends Church 31654 State Route 31 (937) 982-3561 Jim Gardner, pastor Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Children's church, 10:30

Mt. Tabor Church of God Nathan Price, pastor Sunday school, 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m., Wednesday: Prayer meeting, 7 p.m., Friday: Young people, 6:30 p.m.

Muchinippi Church Edward Shady, pastor

Worship, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. Wed.: Bible study, 7:30 p.m.

New Hampshire **Church of the Nazarene**

Curtis Randolph, pastor Bible school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. Thurs.: Prayer meeting, 7 p.m. Teens and Junior services, 7:30 p.m. New Hampshire

United Methodist Church

Rev. Hal Argabright, pastor Sunday school, 9:15 a.m. Worship, 10:45 a.m. Bible study, 7 p.m. Wednesday.

New Richland Baptist Church 8651 County Road 39, Belle Center

Steve Smith, pastor Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. worship, singing and praising; Wednesday: Prayer meeting, 6 p.m.

Philadelphia **Lutheran Church** 5506 Road 201

(937) 638-1407

philchurch.com.

Amber Rex, pastor

Roundhead

School, 10 a.m.

Rum Creek

(740) 505-1859

Neal Reid, pastor

meeting, 6:30 p.m.

a.m.

10 a.m

Jonathan Schriber, pastor

Hospitality 9 a.m.. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m.

United Methodist Church

Sunday school, 10 a.m. Worship, 10:30

Mt. Zion: Worship, 9 a.m. Sunday

United Methodist Church

Woship, 9 a.m. Sunday School,

Santa Fe Grace Chapel

Christian Union Church

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Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship, noon; Bible study, 7:30 p.m., Wednesday: Brotherhood, 10 a.m. Women's prayer, 11 a.m.; Saturday; last Sunday of month, prayer 6 p.m

Gretna Brethren Church

1564 S. Township Road 46 Rob Starnes, pastor

9 a.m. discipleship classes for children, adults; 10 a.m. praise and worship

Hillcrest Baptist Church, S.B.C. 1505 S. Main St.

Daniel McCarty, senior pastor Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:45 a.m. FaithWeaver Friends, 6:30-8 p.m. Childcare provided during worship. Radio message 9 a.m. Sunday, 1390 WBLL-AM.

Hi-Point Church of Christ 1815 State Route 540 John James, Minister

Sunday school: 9:30 a.m. Worship: 10:30 a.m.; Men's Bible Study: 9:30 a.m. Tuesdays, Homecoming Restaurant; Ladies Bible Study: 10 a.m., Rocket Club: 1st-5th-grade, 6-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays

Hi-Point Free Will Baptist Church 311 County Road 11 (937) 935-5752 Scott Wisniewski, pastor

Bill Jones, assistant pastor Sunday school 10 a.m.; Sunday worship, 11 a.m.; Bible study, Wednesday, 7 p.m.

Hopewell Church Global Methodist 3746 U.S. Route 68 N. (937) 539-6351 Cynthia Defibaugh, pastor

Worship 9:30 a.m., Wheelchair accessible. Live streamed on Facebook

Jehovah's Witness, **Kingdom Hall** 1801 Wright St. (937) 599-5483

Charles Taylor, secretary Sunday: Public meeting 10 a.m.; Watchtower 10:35 p.m. Thursday: Congregational Bible Study, 7:30 p.m. Theocratic School, 8:05 p.m. Service meeting, 8:35 p.m.

Jubilee Mennonite Church

820 W. Sandusky Ave. (Lutheran **Community Services)** 937-592-8101 Sunday school 9:30 a.m.; Worship 10:45 a.m.

FB@jubileemenno

Logansville Community Church (937) 441-1473. Dana Kidder, pastor

Sunday: 9:30 Sunday school; 10:45 a.m. worship

logansvillechurch.net;

New Beginnings Community Church 127 N. Main Mark Weaver, pastor

Sunday worship and praise, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Bible study, 7 p.m.

Stony Creek Church Harold Liess, pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Bible study/prayer meeting and youth group, 7 p.m. Wednesday. stonycreekcob.com

EAST LIBERTY

East Liberty Church of Christ Dr. Jason E. Robson, pastor Sunday school 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m.

East Liberty **Community** Church 3045 Main St. Worship: 11 a.m

North Greenfield Church

9609 County Road 2 Worship: 9:45 a.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m

HUNTSVILLE

The Cornerstone Church at Huntsville 6611 Fruit St. (937) 686-7101

Bryan Meadows, pastor Ashley Sloan, youth pastor Worship, 10 a.m.; Burnt Bagel Cafe, 9:15 a.m.; live stream worship and archived worship services online; staffed nursery, toddler programs; Junior Church programs cornerstonehuntsville.com

Huntsville **Presbyterian Church** 6490 Fruit St.

(937) 686-2131 Ben Beres, pastor Church school, 9 a.m. Worship, 10 a.m. Children's Church, 10:15 a.m.

huntsvillepresbyterianchurch.com LAKEVIEW

Christ United

Methodist Church 110 Brown & State Route 235 (937) 843-3029 David Moore, pastor 10:15 a.m.; coffee and doughnuts, 10:45 a.m., worship, 10:15 a.m.

Hope Harbor Baptist Church 8330 S. S.R. 235 (937) 935-9314 Fred Albert, pastor Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.; worship 11

a.m., 6 p.m. Sunday; carry-in dinner and youth group, 6 p.m. Wednesday.

Indian Lake Baptist Church 225 W. Lake (937) 596-6880

Donald D. Faulder, pastor Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 6 p.m.

Cody Caudill, student pastor;

Ashlee Phillips, children's minister Sunday 9:30 worship, adults, youth (7th-9th grade), nursery and children's classes; 11:30 worship, adults, youth (10th-12th grade), nursery and children's classes rushchurch.com

First United

Presbyterian Church Rev. David Girbert, pastor Sunday school, 9:30 a.m., Worship, 10:30

United Methodist Church April Phillips, pastor

Rushsylvania: Sunday School: 8:30 a.m., Worship: 9:30 a.m

RUSSELLS POINT

Galilee Lutheran Church 301 Lincoln Blvd. (937) 843-3906 galileeoffice@embarqmail.com. Karen Torrez, pastor

Coffee fellowship 9:30 a.m., worship with Holy Communion 10 a.m. Sunday; Alcoholics Anonymous 8:30 p.m. Tuesday: Community Outreach Center homework help, 3 to 6 p.m. Wednesdays.

Indian Lake Community Church/ Lighthouse of Indian Lake (937) 843-5636

Ministry team: Jim Ellington, Karen Blackburn, Dave Hafenbrack and Tara Cascioli

10 a.m. traditional service, 11 a.m. contemporary service. Children's programs are offered during both services. No nursery care. Good Samaritan-Outreach program, 10:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. Thursdays; free community meal, 5–6:30 p.m. last Wednesdays of the month (at the Lighthouse); Ignite program 6-8:30 p.m. Wednesdays (Lookout youth center).

indianlakecommunitychurch.org

Quest Community Church Indian Lake 8081 State Route 366 (937) 524-9821

Nick Shaner, pastor Contemporary worship and children's ministry 10 a.m. Sunday.

questindianlake.com **Russells Point Church of God** 430 State Route 708

(937) 843-3297 Worship, 10:30 a.m. with Sunday school 9:30 a.m., 6 p.m. Bible study, 7 p.m. Wednesday

St. Mary of the Woods **Catholic Church** 464 Madison Ave.

(937) 843-3127 Rev. Shawn Landenwitch, Pastor

Sunday Mass Schedule —Saturdays 6 p.m. and Sundays 8 a.m.; additional 10 a.m. Sundays Memorial Day through Labor Day; Weekday Mass 8 a.m. Wednesdays and Fridays;
2nd and 4th Thursdays 6:15 p.m., followed by adoration/reconciliation; reconcilation by appointment also.

a.m. nursery available; Every other Monday, Hour of Power Prayer, 6:30 p.m.; Free Love Supper, 5-6:30 p.m. last Saturday of month.

Church of Christ

lack Knox, minister Sunday school, 9 a.m. Worship, 10 a.m.

Heart of God Ministries

20529 Treaty Line Road Jane and Junior Hileman, pastors Worship, 10:15 a.m., 6 p.m. Sunday.

West Mansfield **Methodist Church**

(937) 355-2401 Rev. John Rozewicz Sunday school, 10:45 a.m. Worship, 9:30 a.m.

York Center United Methodist 28170 State Route 739 April Phillips, pastor

Worship, Sunday 9:15 a.m

ZANESFIELD

Goshen Friends Church 5527 County Road 153

Wayne Downing, pastor Sunday: Worship 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School 11 a.m.; Wednesday: Adult Bible Study 6:30 p.m. goshenfriendschurch.org

New Salem Lutheran Church 6646 E. State Route 540 Worship, 9: 30 a.m

United Methodist Church April Phillips, pastor

Corner of Columbus & Main Streets Blended worship, 11 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. zanesfieldumc.org

Zanesfield Community Chapel Keith Matthews, pastor

Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Bible study, 7 p.m. Thursday

OTHER CHURCHES

Harper Community Church 3679 N. County Road 25, Bellefontaine (470) 345-8506 Anthony Davis, pastor Worship, 9:30 a.m., Sunday school 10:30 a.m

Millcreek Church of Christ

24538 Lunda Road, Raymond Jack Knox, minister Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m., 7 p.m.

Mt. Carmel Friends Church 3470 Kennard-Kingscreek Road, Cable (937) 652-3252

Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Worship,

Worship, 9 a.m., Church school

10:30 a.m. Wednesday: Prayer service, youth program and children's

Jereme Proudman, pastor

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BELLEFONTAINE BOE

BIS spotlighted, Miller named Classified Employee of the Year

BY THE EXAMINER STAFF

Bellefontaine Intermediate School and its took the spotlight at the Monday evening, April 15, board of education meeting, along with the district's Classified Employee of the Year.

A large crowd attended and enjoyed a student-led presentation at the BIS library. BIS Principal Krista Adelsberger and BIS Gifted Intervention Specialist Lindy Martin served as the emcees for a special presentation.

Students Matthew Torsell, Joelle Eaton, Mia Regula, Griffin Burkhardt and Desmond Howard explained the Chieftain Culture Club, a group of fourth- and fifthgrade students who work with Principal Adelsberger to improve the climate of the school.

Students Eva Irick, Devvn Hogan, Karly Holtkamp, and Cardyn Rawlins were also

part of the presentation. The club works in committees to divide and conquer the needs that the members see throughout the building.

BIS students also provide morning announcements on video each day.



Bellefontaine City Schools Classified Employee of the Year Melissa Miller, left, is honored by Bellefontaine Elementary School Principal Jenny Salyer. (BCS PHOTO)

"THAT DIDN'T END WELL!"

Finally, students around the building enjoy service learning each Monday. This activity promotes life skills for students.

The board then honored Bellefontaine Elementary School Nurse Melissa Miller as the Classified Employee of the Year.

Miller has been taking care of BES students and staff for the last 11 years. She was praised for her commitment and selfless service by Principal Jenny Salyer and others

In personnel matters, the board extended a three-year contract to Lauren Houseman as the new high school associate principal, effective Aug. 1, through July 31, 2027.

She has spent the last 16 years at Springfield City Schools and has served as an instructional coach and English teacher.

Members heard two other presentations as well.

Bellefontaine High School Quiz Bowl Coach Cliff Core detailed the team's trip to the national competition in Chicago from April 26-28, which was approved by the board. The team qualified for the national meet last month. Team members Oliver

Moreland, Jeffrey Smith, Nolan Core, Emma Crabtree and Elliett Lang will compete at the national meet, which will feature 84 schools.

Core led the board members through a quick competition with a few sample questions during the meeting.

The BHS Academic Boosters along with donations from community members will pay for the trip to Chicago

BHS Vocal Music Teacher Brice Henry then addressed the board about a proposed trip to New York City from May 21-25, 2025. The BHS Symphonic Choir members will perform in New York.

Upcoming fundraisers will help offset the cost for each student.

In other action, the board: accepted the following resignations: Shelby Kromer, Family & Consumer Science teacher; Amber Newkirk, Candace Wagner, intervention specialists, all effective May 28; and Matt Heaston, technology coordinator, effective July 31; • approved the following new hires: Angela Lowe, Elaine Keller, intervention specialists; Trevor Woods, media production

 approved the following staff to teach summer school: Megan Cira (administrator); Sandi Chervenak; Carol Fultz; D.J. Howell; Tyler Johnson; Angela Lowe; Stacy Penhorwood; Hailee Price; Joliece Reed; Jon Reminder; and Tamara Schneider (paraprofessional);

• hired Stephen Funderburgh for summer maintenance;

• approved Anastasia Hiatt as an athletic worker;

• approved Ric Prine as a volunteer softball coach;

· approved the respective student handbooks for the elementary school, middle school, and high school; • approved the middle school athletic code and high school athletic code;

• recognized April Seniors of the Month Kadence Jones and Caleb Torsell; they each received an achievement pin and a \$15 gift card to Ron's Pizza.

The board also entered into executive session to discuss a personnel issue. No action was taken.

The next meeting is 6:30 p.m. May 13 in the Bellefontaine Elementary School Library.

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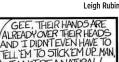
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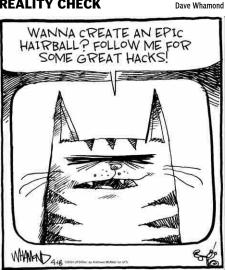
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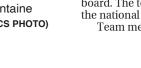
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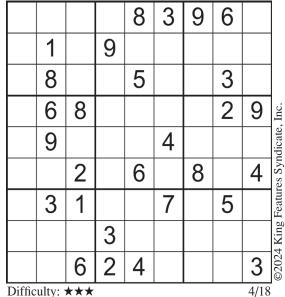
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Horoscopes

ROYAL STARS | FROM KING FEATURES SYNDICATE By Georgia Nicols

Moon Alert: Avoid shopping or impor-tant decisions from 7:45 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. EDT today (4:45 a.m. to 7:30 a.m. PDT). After that, the Moon moves from Leo into Virgo.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Thursday

HAPPY BIRTHDAY for Thursday, April 18, 2024: You're energetic and dependable, and you have conviction. You stand by your beliefs. You are also confident and dig-nified. Lucky you' This is a playful, fun-loving year! Make time to let your hair down and enjoy yourself. Seek out pleasure, but don't lose sight of your goals.

The Stars Show the Kind of Day You'll Have: 5-Dynamic; 4-P 3-Average; 2-So-so; 1-Difficult 4-Positive;

ARIES (March 21-April 19)

ARIES (March 21-April 19) ★★★ Roll up your sleeves today, because anything that you do to get better organized will please you. With the Sun in your sign, you've got lots of energy. Meanwhile, Mercury is also retrograde in your sign creating hic-cups, delays and goofy mistakes. Get busy! Tonight: Work. TAURUS (April 20-May 20) ★★★★ This is wonderful day to social-ize! There are many activities that you

★★★★ This is wonderful day to social-ize! There are many activities that you will enjoy pursuing — sports events, movies, the theater, social outings, playful activities with kids, as well as chances to express your creativity. It's a happy day, but you might prefer to be private or low-key. Tonight: Play! **GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) ★★★★ Welcome any opportunity to hunker down at home and relax among familiar surroundings. You'll enjoy your own company today. You might be involved in family activities. Old friends from the past plus people you know who are creative and talented might figure in your day. Tonight: Cocoon.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) CANCER (June 21-July 22) ★★★★ You'll enjoy talking to others today, especially bosses, parents and people in authority. In turn, they will be happy to talk to you. In fact, some-one might want your advice about how to make something look more attrac-tive — be it a garden or a webpage. Tonight: Discussions. LEO (July 23-Aug 22)

Tonight: Discussions. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) $\star\star\star$ Travel for pleasure will appeal to you today. You want a change of scen-ery and a chance to explore more of the world and expand your horizons. Perhaps you see now that you can financially swing this. Or you might see ways to make money by dealing with another country. Tonight: Check your belongings.

another country. Tonight: Check your belongings. VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) ★★★★ Today the Moon is in your sign, which will make you more emo-tional than usual. However, the good news is that when the Moon is in your sign (which happens for two and a half days every month), it will slightly improve your luck! Ask the universe for a favor. See what happens. Tonight: You wi!

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)

k★★★ This has been a social time for you lately due to hanging out with cre-ative friends, spouses, partners, as well as contact with people from your past. However, today you will welcome an opportunity to lie low and contemplate your navel. Chill out. Tonight: Enjoy solitide

solitude. SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) $\star \star \star \star$ This is a friendly day. Make an effort to reach out to others and talk to them, especially female colleagues. You might be surprised to find that a dis-cussion will prompt you to modify your future goals. This interaction also might improve your job or even your health. Who knew? Tonight: Friendships.

★★★ People notice you today. This could be because personal details about your private life are available for some reason to some people. Some of you might want to do some damage con-trol. Meanwhile, this is a playful, fun-loving time. Accept invitations to socialize. Tonight: Be courteous. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) ★★★★ Do something different today.

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PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) ★★★ Be open to the suggestions of others today, especially partners and close friends. Be cooperative. This is the best way for you to make the most of this day because the Moon is oppo-site your sign. Moneymaking ideas along with shopping for beautiful things will appeal to you. Tonight: Cooperate.

BORN TODAY Actor David Tennant (1971), actress Vanessa Kirby (1988), TV host Conan O'Brien (1963) ***

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IN THE COMMON PLEASE COURT OF LOGAN COUNTY, OHIO FAMILY COURT DIVISION

CASE NO. 23-CU-23

NICHOLE STEPHENS-DYSON Confidential Plaintiff

vs. LEOLA FIELDS Confidential

and TROY STEPHENS 9029 South Chappelle Ave.

Chicago, IL 60617 Defendants LEGAL NOTICE

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LEGALS

LEGAL NOTICE WHEREAS, **INVENTO-**RIES AND APPRAISE-MENTS HAVE BEEN FILED IN THE PROBATE COURT, LOGAN COUNTY, OHIO BY THE EXECUTORS AND AD-MINISTRATORS OF THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSONS TO:

Gregory Vickers, Administrator of the Estate of Debra K Vickers, Dec'd

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LEGALS

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Judge Natasha R. Kennedy, Judge

Logan County Family Court **Probate Division** By Ashley Anderson Probate Deputy Clerk April 18, 2024

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April 18, 2024

IN THE COMMON PLEASE COURT OF LOGAN COUNTY, OHIO **FAMILY COURT** DIVISION

CASE NO. 23-CU-23

NICHOLE **STEPHENS-DYSON** Confidential Plaintiff

TROY STEPHENS

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Chiefs sweep Logan County meet

BY THE EXAMINER STAFF

Bellefontaine's boys and girls track and field teams both placed first in the Logan County meet Tuesday at Indian Lake.

In the girls meet, the Chiefs scored 130 points to edge second-place Benjamin Logan (126). The Lakers had 73 points for third and Calvary was fourth with 22 points.

Bellefontaine rolled to the title in the boys meet with 120 points. Ben Logan was the runner-up with 91 points, Indian Lake was third with 87, Riverside was fourth with 29 and Calvary finished fifth with 26.

GIRLS RESULTS Bellefontaine's girls team won seven events.

Ava Reeves was first in the 100 (13.7), Grace Brown won the 3,200 (12:03), Kylie Adams won the 300 hurdles (48.82) and long jump, Kelsie Snapp placed first in the discus (134-2) and the shot put (36-2) and the 400 relay team of Adams, Parker Penhorwood, Reeves and Callie Shumaker also placed first (50.48).

Taking second for the Chiefs were Shumaker in the 100 (13.46) and the 100 hurdles (16.85), Parker Penhorwood in the 200 (28.74), Kailyn Newman in the 800 (2:30), the 800 relay team of Claire McDaniel, Madison Christman, Parker Penhorwood and Jillian Ullom (2:01.46), the 3,200 relay team of Newman, Harper Penhorwood, Kaleigh Flora and Brown (10:44) and Lexi Robinson in the shot put (34-3) and discus (128-10).

Finishing in third place for the Lady Chiefs were Flora in the 800 (2:44), Adams in the 100 hurdles (16.88), the 1,600 relay team of Newman, Flora, Ullom and Ella Reier (4:43.62) and Parker Penhorwood in the pole vault (8-0).

Fourth-place finishes for BHS went to Reier in the 1,600 (6:30) and Perri Neeld

for the Lady Chiefs were Ullom in the 300 hurdles (53.80), Shumaker in the high jump (4-4) and Harper Penhorwood in the pole vault (7-6).

The Lady Raiders won nine events on the night.

Those included the 3,200 relay team of Lexi Archer, Mylee Boysel, Hadley Boysel and Georgia Bates (10:33), Isabel Henderson in the 100 hurdles (15.71), the 800 relay team of Abby Vance, Mya Burrey, Kate Gulick and Henderson (1:51.06), Hadley Boysel in the 1,600 (6:08), Bates in the 400 (1:03.01) and 800 (2:27), the 1,600 relay team of Ella Chamberlain, Burrey, Lauren Kennedy and Bates (4:27.40), Vance in the high jump (5-02) and Nora Elliott in the pole vault (10-0).

Earning runner-up finishes for the Raiders were the 400 relay team of Nora Elliott, Burrey, Storm LeVan and Kate Vickroy (53.87), Gulick in the 300 hurdles (52.40), Henderson in the long jump (17-01.5), Estella Wenger in the 1,600 (6:19) and Scarlett Elliott in the pole vault (9-06).

Finishing in third for the Raiders were Abby Vance in the 100 (13:13.56) and long jump (16-01), Ella Chamberlain in the 400 (1:06.04) and Wenger in the 3,200 (13:43).

Taking fourth for the Raiders were LeVan in the 200 (29:44), Kennedy in the 800 (2:50) and Peyton Smith in the 3,200 (13:46), while fifth-place finishes went to Lauren Hemmelgarn in the discus (94-01) and shot put (26-09), Elliott Butler in the 800 (2:52) and Mylee Boysel in the 400 (1:08.67).

Leading the Indian Lake girls with a win was Addison Beck in the 200 (27.53).

Finishing in second for the Lakers were Beck in the high jump (4-10), Reagan Rash in the 400 (1:04.39), Hannah Metzger in the 3,200 (13:30) and the 1,600 relay team of Rash, Cameron Finfrock, Ava



SPORTS

Bellefontaine's track and field teams won the Logan County meet on Tuesday at Indian Lake. (SUBMITTED PHOTO)

Lakers were Beck in the long jump (15-05.50), KaiLea Miller in the 1,600 (6:26), the 400 relay team (58.64), Faler in the high jump (4-08), Maddie Miller in the discus (100-5) and shot put (34-00), the 800 relay team (2:13.48) and the 3,200 relay team (11:04).

Finishing in fourth for IL were Beck in the 100 (13.59), Finfrock in the 400 (1:07.79) and Faler in the pole vault (7-06).

Adding fifth-place finishes for the Lady Lakers were Hailey Prater in the 200 (30.53), Kayleigh Taylor in the 1,600 (6:53) and Evie Wagner in the 3,200 (14:47).

Leading Calvary Christian's girls team with third-place performances were Anastacia Rogan in the 200 (28.86) and Abigail Reinhard in the 300 hurdles (53.09)

Earning fourth-place finishes were Reinhard in the 100 hurdles (17.93), Makarios Kariuki in the 300 hurdles (53.37), Anna Knox in the high jump (4-06), the 400 relay team (58.87), the 800 relay team (2:21.24) and the 1,600 relay team (5;08.71).

Finishing in fifth for the Spartans was Rogan in the 100 (14.19) and long jump (14 - 11.50).

BOYS RESULTS Bellefontaine's boys team won seven events







in the shot put (32-0) and discus (100-2). Adding fifth-place efforts Faler and KaiLea Miller (4:33.50).

Taking third for the

Tuesday.

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KIKI CHAMBERLAIN PHOTO

Raiders grab 9-5 win over Graham

BY THE EXAMINER STAFF

Benjamin Logan's baseball team turned in one of its best performances of the season Tuesday, beating visiting Graham 9-5 in a Central Buckeye Conference game.

The Raiders improve to 2-6 overall and 2-4 in the CBC. Graham drops to 7-2, 3-2.

After two scoreless innings to start the game, Ben Logan plated six runs in the third inning for a 6-0 lead

The Raiders added three runs in the third for a 9-0 advantage.

Graham scored all five of its runs in the fifth inning.

Hunter Peterson was the winning pitcher. He worked four innings, allowed four earned runs, struck out three and walked seven.

Soli Hughes pitched three innings and gave up just one hit while striking out two and walking one.

Peterson went 2-3 with a double, Camden Spriggs had two RBI, Bryden Morris went 2-4 with a triple and two RBI, Hughes went 2-3, Keaton Horney had two RBI and Anthony Griffith had a double to lead the Ben Logan offense.

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Lakers slip to Graham Graham scored the winning run in the bottom of the seventh inning to edge Indian Lake 6-5 in a Central Buckeye Conference baseball game played at Wright State University on Wednesday.

The Lakers are now 3-4 overall and 2-4 in the CBC. Graham improves to 8-2, 4-

The Lakers led 4-3 after four innings.

Graham tied the game at 4-4 with a run in the fourth inning. The Falcons then took a 5-4 lead with a run in the sixth inning.

Indian Lake tied the game at 5-5 after scoring a run in the top of the seventh, but the Falcons were then able to come up with the game winner in the bottom of the seventh.

Evan Manley went 2-4 with a triple and an RBI, Tyler Tidwell went 2-3 with an RBI and Camdon Tuttle had a double to lead the Lakers' offense.

The Lakers will finish a suspended game against Graham at home today

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Bethel tops Pirates Riverside's baseball team could not get anything

going against Bethel standout pitcher Luke Gray on Tuesday as Gray no-hit the Pirates in Bethel's 6-0 victo-

ry. Riverside falls to 4-3 overall and 1-3 in the Three Rivers Conference. The Bees improve to 5-3, 3-0. Gray struck out 10 and

The Bees scored three runs in the second inning and three more in the third

Riverside returns to **BETHEL 6, RIVERSIDE 0**

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Indians rally past Tigers Host Mechanicsburg overcame a five-run deficit to defeat West Liberty-Salem 7-5 in an Ohio Heritage Conference baseball game Tuesday.

The Tigers drop to 6-3 overall and 3-2 in the OHC. The Indians are now 7-2, 3-2.

WL-S scored twice in the third inning, once in the fourth and twice in the top of the fifth to take a 5-0 lead.

However, the Indians stormed back with a run in the bottom of the fifth and six runs in the sixth to pull out the win.

Jake Evans went 2-3 with a double and Austin Olejniczak had a home run and two RBI to pace the Tigers at the plate.

The Tigers are back on

the diamond today at Southeastern

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Triad can't slow down Roughriders Host West Jefferson ran away for a 13-1 five-

inning victory over Triad in Ohio Heritage Conference baseball action Tuesday.

The Cardinals fall to 0-9 overall and 0-6 in the OHC. West Jeff improves to 10-1, 5-0.

The Roughriders exploded with 10 runs in the opening inning. They added three more in the second frame.

Triad scored its lone run in the fourth.

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Lakers wrap up regular-season sweep of Wildcats

BY THE EXAMINER STAFF

Indian Lake's softball team on Tuesday beat North Union for the second time this season, winning 5-2 over the visiting Wildcats in Central Buckeye Conference action.

The Lakers are now 11-0 overall and 7-0 in the CBC. North Union drops to 7-4, 4-3.

Indian Lake opened the scoring in the third inning with a pair of runs.

North Union tied the score 2-2 in the top of the

fourth, but the Lakers went back ahead with a run in the bottom of the fourth.

Indian Lake then then scored twice in the fifth to lead 5-2.

Madison Brentlinger earned another win in the pitching circle, allowing eight hits and two earned runs while striking out one and walking two.

Haylee Edwards and Abigail Elliott led the Indian Lake offense.

Edwards went 2-3 with a double and an RBI and Elliott went 2-3 with a double and an RBI.

Brentlinger, Halle Roby and Mackenzie Dixon each added an RBI.

INDIAN LAKE 5 NORTH UNION 2

Wildcats. 000 200 0 --Lakers. 002 120 X --WP-Brentlinger; LP-Martino. 2 5 8 6

Chiefs jolt Jackson Center Bellefontaine's softball team thumped Jackson Center 18-2 in five innings in a non-league game

Tuesday. The Chiefs are now 8-5 on the season.

Bellefontaine led 3-1 after the first inning.



The Tigers scored a run in the top of the second to make it 3-2.

Bellefontaine then blew the game open with nine runs in the bottom of the second to lead 12-2.

The Chiefs scored five more times in the third frame for a 17-2 advantage.

Bellefontaine tacked on a final run in the fourth.

The Chiefs piled up 18 hits on the day.

Addison Wical went 3-4 with two doubles and two RBI, Averie Vigansky went 2-4 with a double. Kassi Prine went 3-4 with two **RBI**, Ellie Mitchell went 3-4 with a double and two RBI, Rianna Fullerton had two RBI, Alexza Clifton had a double and two RBI and Laila Butler was 2-3 with an RBI

Vigansky went three innings and allowed four hits and two earned runs while striking out three and walking none.

Prine worked two innings, giving up one hit and striking out five without a walk

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(FIVE INNINGS) 110 00 - 2 5 3 395 10 - 18 18 0 Tigers Chiefs WP-Vigansky Raiders take two

from Graham

Benjamin Logan's softball team earned a pair of wins over visiting Graham on Tuesday.

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walked one.

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action today at Northridge.

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SPORTS_

Ada Archer, age 10, of Bellefontaine harvested her first turkey Saturday morning in Logan County. It measured a 10-inch beard and 7/8 inch spurs. (SUBMITTED PHOTO)

Ohio's youth hunters harvest 1,785 wild turkeys

COLUMBUS - Youth wild turkey hunters in Ohio checked 1,785 birds during the special youthonly hunting weekend on April 13-14, according to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) Division of Wildlife.

The three-year average for wild turkeys taken during the two-day youth season (2021-2023) is 1,466 birds. In 2023, youth hunters harvested 1,823 turkeys on the corresponding weekend.

The season was open to hunters 17-years-old and younger, and participants were required to be accompanied by a non-hunting adult. As of April 14, the ODNR Division of Wildlife has issued 6,539 youth turkey permits, which can be used throughout the

2024 wild turkey hunting season. The season limit is one bird, and only bearded turkeys may be harvested.

The top 10 counties for wild turkey harvest during the 2024 youth season were: Tuscarawas (62), Noble (60), Washington (59), Monroe (58), Jefferson (55), Belmont (53), Gallia (52), Muskingum (52), Coshocton (47), and Meigs (45)

Turkey hunting for those of all ages begins Saturday, April 20, and Saturday, April 27 in the northeast zone (Ashtabula, Cuyahoga, Lake, Geauga, and Trumbull counties). The season is open until Sunday, May 19, while the northeast zone's season concludes on Sunday, May 26

In the spring of 2023, the top five counties for wild

turkey harvest by the end of the season were Ashtabula (454), Gallia (428), Muskingum (420), Monroe (410), and Tuscarawas (408). More information about previous seasons can be found in the 2023 spring wild turkey report.

Hunters are required to have a valid hunting license in addition to a spring turkey permit unless exempted. Successful hunters are required to game-check their turkeys no later than 11:30 p.m. on the day of harvest. Game checks, licenses, and permits are available on the HuntFish OH app, on the Ohio Wildlife Licensing System, or at a participating license agent. Game checks can also be done by phone at 1-877-TAG-IT-OH (877-824-4864).

INIOR HIGH

TRACK AND FIELD **Riverside hosts meet** Riverside hosted a meet with Calvary Christian, Fairlawn, Jackson Center and Temple Christian on Monday.

The Riverside boys team was first and the girls team placed second.

Leading the boys team with wins were Gunner Carpenter in the discus (113-2), shot put (38-11) and 100 and Justin Mazariegos-Hurley in the long jump (16-9), 200 and 400.

Tristin Orsborne was third in the long jump and third in the 100 and Aiden Fout was third in the 800 and third in the 1,600.

Earning wins for the Riverside girls were Addison Shoe in the 100 and 200 hurdles, Rolissa Foreman in the long jump and the 800 relay team of Clara McGill, Kenzie Stotler, Morgan Klingelhofer and Addison Shoe (PR of 1:55).

Taking second were Abi Strayer in the 100 hurdles, Klingelhofer in the 200 and 400 and the 400 relay team of McGill, Kathryn Corwin, Foreman and Strayer.

BMS boys 1st, girls 2nd in five-team meet Bellefontaine's middle

school boys track and field team placed first and the girls squad was second in a meet against four other teams Monday.

Winning events for the boys were Caleb Sechrest in the 100 and 200, Jack Wilson in the 1,600 and Maddox Marlen in the high jump.

Taking second for the Chieftain boys were Cale Middlesworth in the pole vault, Sechrest in the 400, Bryant Carter in the long jump and the 3,200 relay team of Nicolas Herrera Diaz, Isaiah Walker, Kyle Stewart and Wilson.

Finishing in third were Landon Rister in the 110 hurdles, Wilson in the 800, Landon Gerwels in the 400, Macron Miranda in the high jump and the 1,600 relay team of Herrera Diaz, Walker, Andrew Myers and Rister.

Adding fourth-place finishes were Middlesworth in the 110 hurdles, Carter in the 100, Caleb Lillard in the 400 and Dillon Jones in the 200

The BMS girls team was led by first-place finishes from Sloan Stolly in the 100 hurdles, Layla Davis in the

400, Joy Fogan in the shot put, the 400 relay team of Mia Brown, Kinley Dunn, Brooklyn Kuntz and Paxton Stewart and the 800 relay team of Stewart, Cameo Greene, Davis and Brown.

Taking second for the Chiefs were Stolly in the 200 hurdles and Chloe O'Chocke in the 1,600.

Finishing in third place were O'Chocke in the 1,600 and Vanessa Friedrich in the discus.

Softball

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The Raiders beat the llcons 4-2 in a game that was previously suspended and then won 7-6 in a regularly scheduled game. Ben Logan is now 7-3 overall and 3-3 in the Central Buckeye Conference. The Falcons drop to 3-9, 0-7. In the first game, Libby Siefring and Sidney Sallee each had a double and an RBI for the Raiders.

Adilynne Gregg was the winning pitcher with five strikeouts. In the se ond gan

Tanna Jacobs went 2-2 with

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BENLOGAN 6. GRAHAM 2

M'burg scored twice in the first inning and twice in the third for a 4-0 lead. The Indians plated f

The Tigers travel to Southeastern toav. **M'BURG 11, WL-S 1**

Bethel led 2-1 after one inning and the Bees would go on to add a run in the third one in the fifth and six in the sixth. Taylor Dillon went 2-4 with a triple to lead Riverside's offense. Riley Dillon added an RBI. The Pirates play at Northridge today.

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Earning wins for the Chiefs were Harper Scott in the 100 (11.74) and 200 (24.20), Jake Moreland, Havden Maus and Tony Stewart (tie) in the 1,600 (5:24), Stewart in the 3,200 (11:05), the 400 relay tam of

Caden Snapp, Kaiden Foulk, Jacob Henry and Scott (45.29), the 800 relay team of Snapp, Henry, Foulk and Scott (1:34.38) and the 3,200 relay team of Oliver Grandstaff. Wes Dunn, Zavier May and Seth Taylor (8:48).

Finishing in second for

Tige to Indians

West Liberty-Salem could not contain a strong Mechanicsburg offense on Tuesday as the host Indians won 11-1 in five innings.

The Tigers are now 3-4 overall and 3-4 in the Ohio Heritage Conference. The Indians improve to 5-1, 5-0.

200 (24.23), May in the 800

(2:22), Maus in the 3,200

in the shot put (49-7.5).

were Snapp in the 100

Taking third for BHS

(12.02), Blake Loomis in the

3,200 (11:14), the 1,600 relay

400 (56.88), Taylor in the

more runs in the fourth to push the lead to 9-0.

The Tigers scored their lone run in the top of the fifth to make it 9-1.

M'burg then plated a pair of runs in the bottom of the fifth to end the game.

Whitney Strapp had a double to lead the Tigers. Brielle Milliron added an RBI.

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Pirates lose to Bethel in TRC contest

Riverside's softball team lost to host Bethel 10-1 in a Three Rivers Conference game Tuesday.

The Pirates are now 3-5 overall and 2-3 in the TRC. The Bees improve to 3-8, 2-3.

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the Chiefs were Foulk in the team of May, Grandstaff, Dunn and Alex Crabill (3:45.58) and Manns in the (11:06) and Haiden Manns discus (127-9). Contributing fourthplace finishes for

Bellefontaine were Crabill in the 400 (56.97) and Dunn in the 800 (2:15) and long jump (17-10)

Adding fifth-place efforts for the Chiefs were Grandstaff in the 800 (2:16), Brandon Wong in the 110 hurdles (19.51), Henry in the 300 hurdles (48.80) and Jeffrey Smith in the pole vault (9-0).

For Ben Logan's boys team, Roman Maxwell won the high jump (5-10) and Carter Buck won the 300 hurdles (44.65) to lead the way

Taking second for the Raiders were the 3,200 relay team of Tyler Shoopman, Eli Rhodes, Maxwell Troth and Eric Hughes (9:07), the 800 relay team of Collin Powell, Ben Chamberlain, Dylan Vance and Carter Buck (1:34.64), the 1,600 relay team of Tyler Shoopman, Ben Chamberlain, Dylan Vance and Hughes (3:41.75), Collin Powell in the long jump (19-1), Grashyn Bailey and Evan Carpenter in the pole vault (12-0), Carter Buck in the 110 hurdles (17.99) and Chamberlain in the 400 (55.03)

Taking third for the Raiders were the 400 relay team of Powell, Chamberlain, Vance and Candin Tucker (45.81), Ethan Miller in the long jump (18-1.5), Hughes in the 800 (2:13) and Carter Buck in the 200 (24.25).

Finishing in fourth for BL were Josh Rich in the 110 hurdles (19.15), Owen Weeks in the 1,600 (5:29), Cooper Buck in the 300 hurdles (48.54) and Ethan Miller in the high jump (5-4).

Adding fifth-place finishes for the Raiders were Gus Bibart in the shot put (41-7.5), Powell in the 100 (12.13), Landon Zehner in the 1,600 (5:31) and Kyle Kibler in the 3,200 (11:43)

Leading Indian Lake with victories were the 1,600 relay team of Everett Wischmeyer, Cameron Freyhof, Bryan Mohler and Drake Cosby (3:39.87), Brody Parsell in the pole vault (12-0), Quest Clay in the long jump (20-04) and Gavin Henry in the 110 hurdles (17.24).

Taking second for the Lakers were Noah Shirk in the 300 hurdles (44.67), Chris Timms in the discus (132-06), Quest Clay in the 100 (11.76) and high jump (5-08) and the 400 relay team of Cosby, Clay, Henry and Heath Wilson (45.52).

Taking third for the Lakers were Henry in the 300 hurdles (47.28), Timms in the shot put (53-10.5) and the 800 relay team (1:37.46) and the 3,200 relay team (9:28).

Adding fifth-place finishes for Indian Lake were Wilson in the 200 (24.56), Henry in the high jump (5-02) and Silas Holbrook in the long jump (17-06).

Riverside's boys team was led by winning efforts from Ayden Clary in the discus (140-11) and Travis Brooks in the shot put (50-10)

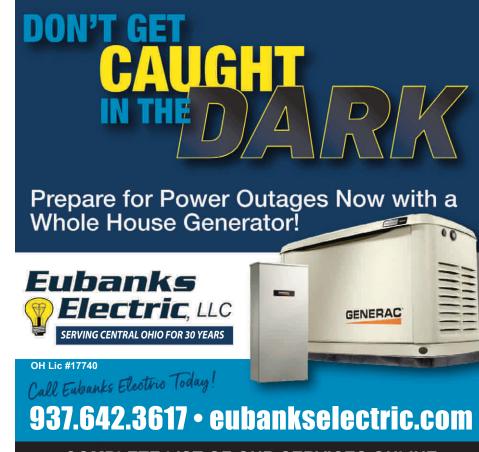
Dylyn Burchett was third for the Pirates in the high jump (5-06), while finishing fourth were the 400 relay team (48.46), the 800 relay team (1:42.95), Carter Kreglow in the pole vault (10-0) and Clary in the shot put (43-10).

Brooks added a fifthplace finish in the discus (105-01).

Calvary Christian's boys team was powered by firstplace finishes from Clay Howard in the 400 (54.60) and John Gaertner in the 800 (2:08)

Taking fourth for the Spartans were Charles Krumm in the 100 (12.04), Clay Howard in the 200 (24.34), the 1,600 relay team (3:55.72) and the 3,200 relay team (10:18).

Contributing fifth-place finishes were Christian Rogan in the 400 (57.0) and Gaertner in the 3,200 (11:43).



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