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## Miss Martin County *-Photo by Barb Strahley*

Miss Martin County was crowned at the 4-H Fair last Friday night. Shown in the center, Emily Bateman, received that title. On the left, Lindsey Lukens was first runner up and Miss Congeniality and on the right, Kayla Abel was named second runner up.

## Shoals School Board makes staff changes, handles regular business

The Shoals School Board met Thursday, July 13. Board President Dianna Ragsdale was not present for the meeting.

The board approved the following personnel actions:

-Shannon Wagoner's resignation from the position of elementary and Junior Beta sponsor

-Raysha Winger as elementary teacher for 2017-18 school year

-Jessica Ryan as Title I teaching assistant for 2017-18 school year

-Ariel Hert as elementary library assistant for 2017-18 school year

-Pam Doane as elementary secretary/treasurer for 2017-18 school year

-J.J. Johnson as assistant soccer coach for 2017-18 school year

-Reva Troutman as volunteer assistant soccer coach for 2017-18 school year

-Ashton Allbright, Marilyn Jones, Katie Stone-Payne, Terri Dye, Rita Miller, Matthew Sullivan, Nina Foreman, Ashley Montgomery, Reva Troutman, Etta Franklin, Patti Schnarr, Briana Wagler, Megan Hawkins, Joyce Jones, John Ziegler and Elizabeth White as substitute teachers for the 2017-17 school year

-Bethann Hembree and Dale Allbright as pre-school bus route drivers and Charlene Breidenbaugh as a backup driver for the 2017-18 school year.

The board approved a request from the cheerleaders to hold laundry detergent and dish soap fundraiser during July 2017.

The board held first readings on the cafeteria collection of delinquent meal payment policy and the reporting child abuse/child neglect policy. Second readings are scheduled for the August 10

meeting.

The board approved the new dual credit cadet teaching course offering through Indiana University for high school students.

The board approved the partnership between the Shoals Schools, French Lick Resorts, Indiana University's P16 Research Center, Ivy Tech University and the Direct Employers Foundation.

The board accepting a \$200 donation from White River Lodge for elementary supplies.

Elementary Principal Shannon Wagoner reported on the following:

-Student registration for the 2017-18 school year will be held in the high school library on Tuesday, July 25 from 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. and 2:30 p.m.-8 p.m.

-Offering late student registration on the evening of August 3

Superintendent Roush reported on the following:

-Congratulations to the Beta students for winning the national award

-The parking lot project is coming along and should be done on time.

-The school will have open house on Thursday, August 3 and parents will be able to come in early for training on some of the technology programs such as Study Island, Math IXL, Eureka, and Chromebooks. More information will be published in the paper.

-Grade level caps will be brought to the next board meeting.

-The school is waiting to hear back from multiple grants including the Lilly grant and ROI grant for vocational students.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:40 p.m.



Naval Surface Warfare Center, Crane Division (NSWC Crane) held a formal Change of Command Ceremony on Thursday. Capt. Mark Oesterreich relieved Capt. JT Elder after three years as NSWC Crane's 28th Commanding Officer. Elder will retire from the U.S. Navy after 28 years of service. (Photo by NSWC Crane Public Affairs)

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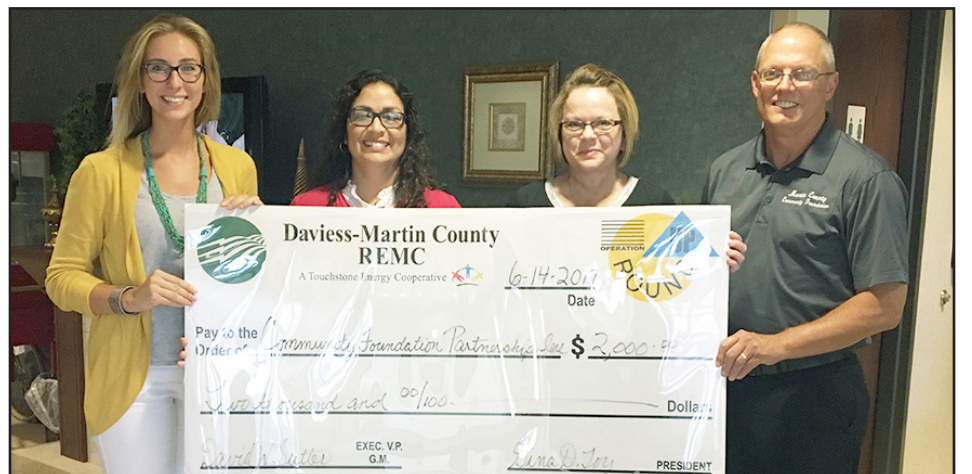
The Change of Command is a time-honored tradition, formally restating the continuity of the authority of command. It is a formal ritual conducted before the assembled company of the command, as well as honored guests and dignitaries. The Change of Command is unique in the world today; it is a transfer of total responsibility,

authority and accountability from one individual to another.

As part of the ceremony, Lt. Governor Suzanne Crouch presented Elder with a Sagamore of the Wabash, the highest award the state of Indiana can present.

"It has truly been an honor to lead Crane over the past three years," Elder said. "I feel fortunate to have played an active role in a culture transformation, and I'm proud of the strides we've made as a premier federal lab in the DoD. The employees here are special, and I will forever cherish my time at NSWC Crane."

Oesterreich, 47, had been serving as (See 'COMMAND' cont. on page 2)



*-Photo provided*

Community Foundation Partnership, Inc. (Lawrence and Martin County Community Foundations) received a grant from Daviess-Martin REMC Operation Round Up for \$2,000. From left to right are Gabrielle Arthur, CFP Intern; Hope Flores, CFP CEO and Lawrence County Director; Theresa Showalter, REMC Administrative Assistant and ORU Board Director; and Curt Johnson, CFP Martin County Executive Director.

## 13 years and over \$440,000 later

Daviess-Martin County REMC began participating in Operation Round Up in 2004 with the hope of making a positive impact on the community and membership.

Thirteen years later, we are pleased to say the program has helped give back \$440,433.17 to organizations in the community. The funds have been used

for a variety of projects throughout the service territory of Daviess-Martin County REMC. Here is a list of the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter grant recipients awarded at the June meeting:

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary, Post 9627, Odon, IN: \$500

Daviess County Family YMCA: (See 'REMC' continued on page 2)



# COMMAND

the Assistant Chief of Staff for Ship Maintenance and Material at Commander Naval Air Forces Pacific Fleet in Coronado, California since 2015. The South Holland, Ill. native has dedicated more than 25 years of service to the Navy, including tours on USS ARCHERFISH (SSN 678) and USS OHIO (SSBN-726G) submarines.

"I'm honored to be the Commanding Officer of the best warfare center in the Navy," Oesterreich said. "In my short

time here, I have come to see that Crane is so much more to so many more. Capt. Elder has enabled Crane to reach new heights, and I wish him fair winds and following seas for his retirement."

NSWC Crane is a naval laboratory and a field activity of Naval Sea Systems Command (NAVSEA). The warfare center is responsible for multi-domain, multi-spectral, full life cycle support of technologies and systems enhancing capability to today's warfighter.

# REMC

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\$1,000  
Knights of Columbus Council #1166: \$1,000

Advocates for Smart Teen Choices: \$2,000

Friends for Kids of Daviess County: \$1,500

"Night to Shine" (hosted by Antioch Christian Church): \$2,000

John 15:12, Inc.: \$1,500

Community Foundation Partnership, Inc. (Lawrence & Martin Counties): \$2,000

These donations to the community have been made possible through the participation of the Daviess-Martin County REMC members, partnership with the Daviess-Martin Community Fund, Inc. and the board of directors of the fund who volunteer their time to help make the tough decision on where the funds should go.

Thank you to the Daviess-Martin County REMC members who participate in the program. We are honored to be able to provide money to the different organizations that help make our community a better place to live.

About Operation Round Up

Operation Round Up is a charitable fundraising program that allows members to donate the spare change on their electric bills to help organizations in need throughout the community. When members participate in the program, we "round up" their bill to the next

dollar.

The difference goes into a special fund administered by the Daviess-Martin Community Fund, Inc. and is distributed by an independent board of volunteer directors who are DMREMC members. The directors meet quarterly to review grant requests and disperse the funds.

For more information on Operation Round Up, please visit our website at [www.dmremc.com](http://www.dmremc.com) or call our office at 800-762-7362.

## Loogootee's Sydney Davis named NFCA All-Region

The National Fastpitch Coaches Association recently announced their All-Region teams. The NFCA divides the 50 states into five regions, with Indiana in the North Region. Loogootee's Sydney Davis was named to the North Region second team as a pitcher.

Sydney had impressive stats for the 2017 season, working 173 innings and striking out 169 batters, leading the Lions to a 23-win season. Sydney's record on the season was 23-4, while facing 673 batters and throwing 2,259 pitches. Sydney allowed 33 runs on the season, with an ERA of 1.34.

Sydney was just as impressive defensively, with a .991 fielding percentage, committing only 2 errors in 233 chances. With the bat, Sydney had a .413 batting average, with 38 hits and 36 runs batted in.

## 6th ANNUAL CAR SHOW

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# Obituaries

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## MARY IVEY

Mary Jewell Ivey, formerly of Shoals, passed away Wednesday July 12, 2017 at 9 a.m. at the Westview Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Bedford. A resident of Washington, she was 86.

She was born January 15, 1931 in Knox County, Kentucky; daughter of William and Verna (Hill) Davis. She married Arthur Ivey in 1946 in Kentucky.

She was employed by RCA Bloomington, Jasper Chair and Jasper Desk and attended Dover Hill Christian Church and Maysville United Methodist Church.

She is survived by daughters, Nadine (Walt) Thompson of Austin, Carolyn Willens of Washington, Debbie (Jon) Berry of Vincennes, Diane Ivey of Bedford, Glenda (Dennis) Porter of Bedford; sons, Kenny (Linda) Ivey of Bedford, Tom Ivey and fiancé Pam Owens, Tony Ivey and fiancé Pam Quinn of Bedford and James (Janice) Ivey of Shoals; 32 grandchildren and several great and great-great grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her parents, husband, daughters, Ora Hollan and Sue Messer; one sister, Lorene Porter; two grandsons, Jason Ivey and Billy Ivey; and granddaughter, Brenda Hall.

Funeral services were held Saturday July 15 at the Queen-Lee Chapel of the Thorne-George Family Funeral Homes with Pastors Lucia Jones and Jason Johnston officiating. Burial followed in the Hickory Ridge Cemetery.

Queen-Lee Chapel in Shoals is in charge of the arrangements.

## PAUL "KENNY" EVINGER

Paul Kenneth "Kenny" Evinger passed away Sunday, July 16, 2017 at his home. A resident of Loogootee, he was 63.

He was born July 4, 1954, in Indianapolis; the son of Paul Gene and Kay F. (Grammer) Evinger. He married Linda Jane

Harsha on June 20, 1975. He was a machine operator for Excel. He was an avid fisherman and camper.

He is survived by his wife, Linda; daughter, Linda (Robbie) Robinson of Loogootee; son, Kenneth Evinger of Montgomery; grandchildren, Katie Evinger, Star and Sky McConnell, Sean Mudd, Kiersten May and George Williams; great-grandchildren, Zaylee Evinger, Zoe Mudd, Hazel and London May, and Brylee Alvey; and sister, Rose (Robert) Trefry of Indianapolis.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Fredrick and Son McClure-Utt Funeral Home Bicknell Chapel was in charge of arrangements. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Lung Association or Daviess County Hospice. Online condolences may be made at [www.fredrickandson.com](http://www.fredrickandson.com).

## EDITH ZIEGLER

Edith Ziegler went to her Heavenly Home on July 12, 2017 at Prairie Village Nursing Center. A resident of Washington, she was 93.

She was born September 21, 1923 in Martin County, Rutherford Township; daughter of Orian and Ora Hembree. She attended Martin County Schools. On August 29, 1943, Edith married the



EDITH ZIEGLER

love of her life, Walter Ziegler Jr.

Edith worked and retired from R.C.A. She was a member of Alfordsville Christian Church. She enjoyed caring for her family and her flowers. She will forever be remembered as a sweet, spunky, quick-witted, and very loving mother,

grandmother, and friend.

She is survived by her children, Wilma Seals (Don) of Loogootee, Walter James Ziegler (Patty) of Effingham, and Gerald "Jerry" S. Ziegler (Sandy) of Washington; sisters, Delphia Sendelwick of Jasper and Lucille Fuhman of Loogootee; brother, Norman Hembree of Carlisle; 19 grandchildren, 30 great grandchildren, 25 great great grandchildren, and her precious fur grandbabies, Lily and Snickers.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Orian and Ora Hembree; hus-

band, Walter Ziegler Jr.; son, Douglas E. Ziegler; brothers, Alvin Hembree, Earnest Hembree, Woodrow Hembree, Orian Hembree Jr.; and sisters, Velma Wenning, Melva Simmons, Mary Hembree, Veda Chambers, Ora Hotz, Crystal Dyal, and Sylvia Keller.

A funeral service was held Friday, July 14 at Gill Funeral Home in Washington with Pastor Alfred Helms officiating. Interment followed the service at Truelove Cemetery in Martin County.

Online condolences may be made at [www.gillsince1872.com](http://www.gillsince1872.com).

## VU to offer electronics courses at WestGate Technology Park

Vincennes University and the WestGate@Crane Technology Park are enrolling students for a new Electronics Fundamentals Certificate program. Designed to meet the needs of local employers, classes begin August 21 at the Battery Innovation Center.

The program is offered through a partnership between VU and WestGate along with Daviess, Greene, Martin, and Lawrence counties. The program

According to Ben Wrightsman, BIC chief operations officer, recruiting local, qualified technical workers who can perform well in their advanced manufacturing setting has proven to be a struggle, but that is quickly changing. "By offering a program such as this, we are seeing the results of growing the much-needed talent locally," said Wrightsman. "Our most

recent hire, Jonathan Pace, is attending the courses while working full-time at the BIC, and we're already seeing the fruits of his training with improved capabilities and understanding."

"Now that I'm halfway through the Electronics Fundamentals Certificate program, I can see major benefits in not just the classes, but being able to apply the skills in my position at the BIC as I learn them," said Pace.

"After this, I plan to further my education with a bachelor of science in electrical engineering to continue my own personal growth and to benefit the BIC long-term. I highly recommend this program to anyone interested in electronics technology, or engineering."

VU's Electronics Fundamentals Certificate program will provide students with a comprehensive introduc-

tion to all areas of electronics (AC/DC, digital circuits, and linear electronics) and hands-on use of multi-meters, oscilloscopes, function generators, power supplies, and soldering techniques in the lab.

No previous experience in electronics is required to enroll. A high school diploma or equivalent is required for registration (except current high school students), and students without previous college credit may be required to complete placement testing. All tools and parts are provided and grant funding may be available for eligible students.

To obtain more information or to initiate the registration/placement process, interested persons should contact Evan Sievers, 812-888-5048, [esievers@vinu.edu](mailto:esievers@vinu.edu), or Martha Vance, 812-888-5284, [m Vance@vinu.edu](mailto:m Vance@vinu.edu).

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## Martin County Sheriff's Department log

### MONDAY, JULY 10

6:08 a.m. - Received a report of a car-deer accident on US 231, near Loogootee. Deputy Reed responded.

7:50 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Shoals. Martin County Ambulance and Shoals Fire responded. The subject was transported to Daviess Community Hospital.

8:08 a.m. - Received a dog complaint north of Loogootee. Animal Control Officer Hughett responded.

9:26 a.m. - Captain Hennette assisted with a funeral detail in Loogootee.

1:28 p.m. - Received a report of a hit-and-run accident in Shoals. Sergeant Keller, Captain Dant, and ISP Officer Qualkenbush responded.

2:39 p.m. - Received a request for a welfare check east of Shoals. Sergeant Keller, Sheriff Roush, Town Marshal Eckert, K9 Officer Shani, Captain Dant, and ISP Trooper Lents responded.

3:34 p.m. - Town Marshal Eckert transported one subject to the Jasper Memorial Hospital.

4:15 p.m. - Received a report of vandalism south of Shoals. Captain Dant responded.

6:57 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance transported the subject to Daviess Community Hospital.

8:26 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. Sergeant Keller, Loogootee Police Department, Loogootee Fire, Martin County Ambulance, and AirEvac responded.

### TUESDAY, JULY 11

6:56 a.m. - Received a report of an accident on US 231, south of Loogootee. Deputy Reed, Martin County Ambulance, and Haysville Fire responded.

8:14 a.m. - Received a report of reckless drivers on US 50, near Loogootee. Loogootee Chief Rayhill responded.

9:30 a.m. - Sheriff Roush took three inmates to court.

9:58 a.m. - Captain Dant performed a vehicle identification check in Shoals.

10:53 a.m. - Received a report of a suspicious vehicle in Loogootee. Loogootee Chief Rayhill responded.

11:30 a.m. - Received a report of reckless rock trucks on SR 450. Sheriff Roush responded.

12:08 p.m. - Received an alarm call near Loogootee. Captain Dant responded.

1:15 p.m. - Captain Dant took two inmates to court.

1:40 p.m. - Major Burkhardt assisted a motorist north of Loogootee.

6:16 p.m. - Deputy Reed assisted a motorist in Loogootee.

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 12

4:42 a.m. - Received a report of a tree down on SR 550, east of Shoals. Deputy Salmon and Shoals Fire responded.

8:00 a.m. - Sheriff Roush took one inmate to court.

9:50 a.m. - Captain Dant took one inmate to court.

10:21 a.m. - Jailer Emmick took one inmate to the doctor.

10:25 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance transported the subject to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

11:20 a.m. - Loogootee Chief Rayhill performed a vehicle identification check in Loogootee.

1:30 p.m. - Received a report of an accident in Loogootee. Loogootee

Chief Rayhill, Captain Dant, and Martin County Ambulance responded. No one was transported.

3:30 p.m. - Received a report of harassment near Shoals. Captain Dant responded.

6:22 p.m. - Received a report of an accident in Loogootee. Loogootee Police Department responded.

9:08 p.m. - Received a dog complaint in Shoals. Town Marshal Eckert and Animal Control Officer Hughett responded.

### THURSDAY, JULY 13

10:05 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance north of Shoals. Williams Fire and Martin County Ambulance responded. The subject was transported to IU Health in Bloomington.

10:30 a.m. - Major Burkhardt took three inmates to court.

10:50 a.m. - Received an animal complaint in Loogootee. Animal Control Officer Hughett responded.

2:22 p.m. - Received a report of a reckless stone truck on SR 450. Major Burkhardt responded.

2:30 p.m. - Received an alarm call in Shoals. Major Burkhardt responded and all was okay.

3:35 p.m. - Received a dog complaint in Shoals. Animal Control Officer Hughett responded.

4:26 p.m. - Received a report of a theft in Loogootee. Loogootee Police Department responded.

5:45 p.m. - Major Burkhardt assisted the department of child services with a welfare check in Shoals.

6:09 p.m. - Deputy Salmon assisted the department of child services with a welfare check south of Loogootee.

7:54 p.m. - Town Marshal Eckert assisted a motorist near Shoals.

8:39 p.m. - Received a report of a verbal altercation in Shoals. Deputy Salmon responded.

### FRIDAY, JULY 14

5:35 a.m. - Received a report of an accident on US 50, east of Loogootee. Deputy Salmon responded.

9:48 a.m. - Jailer Emmick took one inmate to the Rockville Correctional Facility.

10:58 a.m. - Received an alarm call north of Shoals. Sergeant Keller responded and all was okay.

11:33 a.m. - Received a request for lift assistance in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance responded.

12:00 p.m. - Received a report of a tree across SR 450 north of Shoals. The state highway department responded.

4:30 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance responded but no one was transported.

5:44 p.m. - Received a dog complaint in Crane. Animal Control Officer Hughett responded.

8:00 p.m. - Received a report of an altercation in Crane. Major Burkhardt and Martin County Ambulance responded. Daviess County Sheriff's Deputies also assisted.

9:04 p.m. - Martin County Ambulance and Major Burkhardt assisted with a call in Loogootee.

11:58 p.m. - Received a report of a suspicious vehicle in Loogootee. Loogootee Officer Floyd responded.

### SATURDAY, JULY 15

6:54 a.m. - Received a report of cows out west of Shoals. The owners were contacted.

9:20 a.m. - Sergeant Keller assisted a motorist in Shoals.

9:52 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance transported the subject to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

9:59 a.m. - Received a report of suspicious activity near Loogootee. Sergeant Keller and Loogootee Officer McBeth responded.

10:10 a.m. - Received a report of theft in Loogootee. Loogootee Officer McBeth responded.

12:04 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance transported the subject to Daviess Community Hospital.

12:54 p.m. - Received a request for lift assistance in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance and LPD Officer McBeth responded.

1:23 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance transported the subject to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

4:59 p.m. - Received an alarm call in Loogootee. Loogootee Officer McBeth responded and all was okay.

8:27 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Shoals. Martin County Ambulance responded but no one was transported.

11:33 p.m. - Received a report of a tree across the road north of Shoals. Williams Fire responded.

### SUNDAY, JULY 16

12:12 a.m. - Received a report of a reckless driver on US 231, south of Loogootee. Deputy Reed responded.

10:40 a.m. - Sergeant Keller assisted a motorist in Shoals.

12:17 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance transported the subject to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

1:01 p.m. - Received a report of a pole on fire south of Loogootee. Loogootee Fire responded.

3:26 p.m. - Received a report of an erratic driver on US 231, near Loogootee. Loogootee Officer Floyd responded.

6:10 p.m. - Sergeant Keller assisted a motorist in Loogootee.

9:30 p.m. - Received a request for lift assistance north of Shoals. Shoals Fire responded.

10:54 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance transported the subject to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

## ARRESTS

### MONDAY, JULY 10

3:00 p.m. - Gilbert Napier, 55, of Mitchell, was arrested by Sergeant Keller and charged with false informing and is being held without bond. Assisting with the arrest were Captain Dant, ISP Trooper Lents, and ISP Officer Qualkenbush.

### TUESDAY, JULY 11

11:45 a.m. - William Jacob Shaw, 28, of Shoals, was arrested by Captain Dant on two Martin County warrants and is being held without bond.

### THURSDAY, JULY 13

9:14 p.m. - Jordan Wright, 25, of Shoals, was arrested by Deputy Salmon and charged with invasion of privacy and is being held without bond.

### FRIDAY, JULY 14

3:17 p.m. - Brian Conley, 18, of Shoals, was arrested by Major Burkhardt and charged with minor in consumption and is being held without bond.

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# COURT NEWS

Persons listed on criminal charges are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

## CIVIL COURT New Suits Filed July 6

Midland Funding, LLC vs. Lori Plano, civil collection.

LVNV Funding, LLC vs. Krystle Wallace, civil collection.

Progressive Direct Insurance vs. Shanna M. Hughett, civil tort.

Sheri D. Seals vs. James M. Seals, petition for dissolution of marriage.

Danny L. Roberts vs. Autumn L. Roberts, petition for dissolution of marriage.

## July 10

Wells Fargo Bank vs. Mark A. Wathen, mortgage foreclosure.

## July 11

Midland Funding, LLC vs. Heather Rayhill, civil collection.

Midland Funding, LLC vs. Terra Boyd, civil collection.

American Financial Resources, Inc. vs. Damon N. Baker, Timothy E. Ervin, Discovery Bank, State of Indiana Office of Attorney General, State of Indiana Department of Revenue and unknown tenant, mortgage foreclosure.

## CRIMINAL COURT JUDGMENTS July 10

Judgment in favor of the plaintiff

Capital One and against the defendant Randall S. Blackwell in the amount of \$2,405.16.

Judgment in favor of the plaintiff Synchrony Bank and against the defendant Brittany Westfall in the amount of \$1,264.76.

## July 11

Judgment in favor of the plaintiff US Bank and against the defendants Ryan Fromme and Brenda Fromme for mortgage foreclosure in the amount of \$110,248.11.

Judgment in favor of the plaintiff Fifth Third Mortgage Company and against the defendants Tracie A. Stuckey and John R. Stuckey for mortgage foreclosure in the amount of \$71,931.25.

## SMALL CLAIMS COURT

### July 5

Medical of Dubois vs. Mark Steiner, complaint.

## SMALL CLAIMS JUDGMENTS

### April 25

Judgment in favor of the plaintiff Crane Credit Union and against the defendant Dan J. Woodall in the amount of \$870.50.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

### July 14

Ethan Michael Jones of Shoals and Morgan Ann Walker of Loogootee.

## Martin County real estate transfers

Gregory and Sons Properties, LLC, of Martin County, Indiana to Kristoffer M. Miller and Darrel K. Miller, of Marion County, Indiana, a part of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 3, Township 1 North, Range 3 West, Martin County, Indiana, containing 11.729 acres, more or less, except a section containing 8 acres, more or less.

Stanley R. Knepp and Shannon Knepp, of Martin County, Indiana to Logan M. Dant and Jacquelyn Cook, of Martin County, Indiana, two acres in the northwest corner of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 30, Township 2 North, Range 4

West. Gordon L. Brinegar and Phyllis A. Brinegar, of Vanderburgh County, Indiana to Claude L. Hatfield, Sr. and Betsy G. Hatfield, of Martin County, Indiana, Lots Numbered 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 149, 150, 151 in Tract B, a subdivision, in the original Town of Crane, Indiana.

Richard L. Hawkins and Linda J. Hawkins, of Martin County, Indiana to Knepp Logging, LLC, of Daviess County, Indiana, a part of the fractional Section 32, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, Center Township, Martin County, Indiana, containing 6.024 acres, more or less.

# Loogootee Police log

## MONDAY, JULY 10

9:26 a.m. - Captain Hennette assisted with a funeral procession.

7:58 p.m. - Caller reported a parking complaint.

8:06 p.m. - Caller reported a domestic dispute on East Main Street.

8:25 p.m. - First responders were requested in Sunset Trailer Court for a medical call.

11:32 p.m. - Caller reported suspicious males on Broadway Street.

## TUESDAY, JULY 11

9:00 a.m. - Male came on station to report property damage.

9:10 a.m. - Juvenile came on station to report a reckless driver.

11:05 a.m. - Chief Rayhill arrested a male juvenile for possession of marijuana. Senior Trooper Lents assisted.

6:25 p.m. - Caller reported a lost child in her yard. Captain Hennette responded and was assisted by the department of child services.

10:05 p.m. - Caller reported a reckless driver on Hwy 50.

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 12

5:21 a.m. - Caller reported a reckless driver in Redwing Trailer Court.

11:30 a.m. - Male requested a vehicle identification check.

11:50 a.m. - Caller requested a welfare check on a female.

7:03 p.m. - Male reported property damage.

7:20 p.m. - Caller reported power lines down on US 231.

## THURSDAY, JULY 13

4:40 a.m. - Caller reported suspicious activity on SW 3<sup>rd</sup> Street.

1:25 p.m. - Caller requested a male and female removed from their property.

2:05 p.m. - Male came on station for a vehicle identification check.

4:27 p.m. - Caller reported a theft

from a residence.

7:26 p.m. - Caller requested extra patrol.

11:58 p.m. - Caller reported a suspicious vehicle on North Line Street.

## SATURDAY, JULY 15

9:59 a.m. - Caller reported males on the railroad cars behind the school.

10:10 a.m. - Caller reported a possible theft at Dollar General.

4:49 p.m. - Officer McBeth responded to a business alarm.

8:57 p.m. - Caller reported a reckless vehicle on US 231.

## SUNDAY, JULY 16

9:15 a.m. - Male requested a vehicle identification check.

1:01 p.m. - Loogootee Fire was paged out to Mt. Pleasant Road for small fire at the base of a telephone pole.

3:25 p.m. - Caller reported a reckless driver on US 231.

10:54 p.m. - First responders were requested on Butcher Boulevard for a medical call.

## Accident reports

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 12

1:30 p.m. - Jonie R. Day, of Loogootee, was operating a 2006 GMC on East Broadway Street. Day was attempting to turn onto John C. Strange Street when her vehicle was struck in the rear by a 2009 Dodge operated by Stacy R. Wittmer, of Washington. Chief Rayhill investigated.

### THURSDAY, JULY 13

12:57 p.m. - Mariah Bussinger, of Loogootee, was operating a 2006 Dodge on Church Street. Bussinger pulled out too far in the intersection and went to back and struck a 2015 Ford operated by Janice Taylor. Captain Hennette investigated.

## 2017 4-H Sheep Show results

Market Lambs  
Class 1: 66-110 lbs.:  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Haileigh Suheski  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Breanna Courter  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Cami Crays  
4<sup>th</sup> Place - Joshua Gardiner  
Class 2: 114 - 126 lbs.:  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Kyleigh Courter  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Breanna Courter  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Haileigh Suheski  
Class 3: 140-173 lbs.:  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Taylor George  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Haileigh Suheski  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Melanie Hawkins  
Grand Champion Market Lamb: Kyleigh Courter  
Reserve Grand Champion Market Lamb: Taylor George  
Champion Rate of Gain: Taylor George  
Breeding Ewes  
Commercial Ewe Lambs  
Class 1: 107-128 lbs.:  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Kyleigh Courter  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Haileigh Suheski  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Taylor George  
4<sup>th</sup> Place - Haileigh Suheski  
5<sup>th</sup> Place - Cami Crays  
Commercial Ewe Yearling  
Class 1  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Haileigh Suheski  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Taylor George  
Champion Commercial Ewe: Kyleigh Courter  
Reserve Champion Commercial Ewe: Haileigh Suheski  
Suffolk Ewes  
Class 1 Spring Ewes (Born 1/23/2016)  
1<sup>st</sup> Place- Melanie Hawkins  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place- Melanie Hawkins  
Class Yearling Ewes (Born 1/12/2015-1/13/2015)

1<sup>st</sup> Place-Melanie Hawkins  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place- Melanie Hawkins  
Champion Suffolk Ewe: Melanie Hawkins  
Reserve Champion Suffolk Ewe: Melanie Hawkins  
Katahdin  
1<sup>st</sup> Place- Joshua Gardiner  
Champion Katahdin: Joshua Gardiner  
Grand Champion Breeding Ewe: Kyleigh Courter  
Reserve Grand Champion Breeding Ewe: Haileigh Suheski  
Pair of Ewe Lambs  
Grand Champion: Haileigh Suheski  
Other participants: Melanie Hawkins  
Mini 4-H: Savanna Kramer, Zafira Neeley  
Clover Showmanship (Grades 3-5):  
1<sup>st</sup> Place-Cami Cays  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place- Josh Gardiner  
Junior Showmanship (Grades 6-8):  
1<sup>st</sup> Place- Kyleigh Courter  
Senior Showmanship (Grades 9-12):  
1<sup>st</sup> Place- Melanie Hawkins  
Master Showmanship:  
1<sup>st</sup> Place- Kyleigh Courter  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place- Haileigh Suheski  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place- Melanie Hawkins  
Other Participants: Cami Crays, Breanna Courter

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## More Neat Stuff



By Ann Ackerman



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TOILET OUT OF ORDER. PLEASE  
USE FLOOR BELOW.

2. In a Laundromat:  
AUTOMATIC WASHING MA-  
CHINES: PLEASE REMOVE ALL  
YOUR CLOTHES WHEN THE  
LIGHT GOES OUT.

3. In a London department store:  
BARGAIN BASEMENT UP-  
STAIRS...

4. In an office:  
WOULD THE PERSON WHO  
TOOK THE STEP LADDER YES-  
TERDAY PLEASE BRING IT BACK  
OR FURTHER STEPS WILL BE  
TAKEN.

5. In an office:  
AFTER TEA BREAK, STAFF  
SHOULD EMPTY THE TEAPOT  
AND STAND UPSIDE DOWN ON  
THE DRAINING BOARD.

6. Outside a second-hand shop:  
WE EXCHANGE ANYTHING - BI-  
CYCLES, WASHING MACHINES,  
ETC. WHY NOT BRING YOUR  
WIFE ALONG AND GET A WON-  
DERFUL BARGAIN?

7. Notice in health food shop win-  
dow:  
CLOSED DUE TO ILLNESS...

8. Spotted in a safari park:  
ELEPHANTS, PLEASE STAY IN  
YOUR CAR.

9. Seen during a conference:  
FOR ANYONE WHO HAS CHIL-  
DREN AND DOESN'T KNOW IT,  
THERE IS A DAY CARE ON THE  
1ST FLOOR.

10. Notice in a farmer's field:  
THE FARMER ALLOWS WALK-  
ERS TO CROSS THE FIELD FOR  
FREE, BUT THE BULL CHARGES.

11. Message on a leaflet:  
IF YOU CANNOT READ, THIS  
LEAFLET WILL TELL YOU HOW  
TO GET LESSONS.

12. On a repair shop door:  
WE CAN REPAIR ANYTHING.  
(PLEASE KNOCK HARD ON THE  
DOOR - THE BELL DOESN'T  
WORK.)

These are actual headlines found in  
newspapers across the nation. Proof-  
reading is a dying art, wouldn't you  
say?

Man Kills Self Before Shooting Wife  
And Daughter  
Something Went Wrong in Jet Crash,

Expert Says  
Police Begin Campaign to Run  
Down Jaywalkers

Miners Refuse to Work after Death  
Juvenile Court to Try Shooting De-  
fendant

War Dims Hope for Peace  
If Strike Isn't Settled Quickly, It May  
Last Awhile

Cold Wave Linked to Temperatures  
Couple Slain; Police Suspect Homi-  
cide

Red Tape Holds Up New Bridges  
Man Struck By Lightning: Faces  
Battery Charge

New Study of Obesity Looks for  
Larger Test Group  
Kids Make Nutritious Snacks

Local High School Dropouts Cut in  
Half

Hospitals are Sued by 7 Foot Doctors  
And the winner is...

Typhoon Rips Through Cemetery;  
Hundreds Dead

Now that you've smiled at least once,  
it's your turn to spread the stupidity  
and send this to someone to whom you  
want to bring a smile.... (maybe even a  
chuckle).

Make someone smile today!

## ANIMAL SHELTER Pet of the Week



Champ is a male shepherd/basset  
hound mix, a year old, very playful,  
sweet. He is neutered, up to date on  
shots and tested negative for heart-  
worms. Adoption fee is \$80. The an-  
imal shelter is open Monday and  
Wednesday 5-7 p.m. and Saturday  
11 a.m.-2 p.m. The shelter is located  
at 507 N. Oak Street in Loogootee. To  
see all available animals, visit [www.humanesocietyofmartincounty.org](http://www.humanesocietyofmartincounty.org).

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**Loogootee School Board meeting**  
The Loogootee School Board will  
meet Thursday, July 20 at 5 p.m. in the  
meeting room off the superintendent's  
office. The meeting is open to the pub-  
lic.

### Trauma workshop

Martin County Community Correc-  
tions is offering a free training work-  
shop on trauma informed care with a  
doctor, Sandy Washburn, from Indi-  
ana University. The workshop will be  
held July 28 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at  
the WestGate Academy. Anyone who  
works with people in the aftermath  
of any kind of trauma is encouraged  
to sign up for the workshop. The link  
to register online at <https://goo.gl/forms/7S0PWuPYsfQGcaGD2>. Any-  
one with questions can call 812-295-  
4911 or email [amoney@martincounty.in.gov](mailto:amoney@martincounty.in.gov).

### AL-ANON meetings

AL-ANON, a support group for  
those impacted by substance abuse,  
meets every Thursday at 8 p.m. at Lo-  
ogootee Redemption Church.

### Free lunch for kids

New Beginnings Community Church  
will be offering a free lunch to all  
school-age children every Saturday  
from noon to 1 p.m. at the fellowship  
hall of the church, located at 200 West  
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more info, call 812-709-2525.

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cated in the Martin County Community  
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### Humane society meetings

The Martin County Humane Soci-  
ety meets on the third Friday of the  
month at the animal shelter at 507 N  
Oak Street in Loogootee, at 5:30 p.m.  
Members of the humane society are in-  
vited to attend.

### Solid waste board

The Martin County Solid Waste  
Board holds their monthly meetings on  
the third Wednesday of each month at  
6 p.m. at the recycling center located  
at 500 Industrial Park Drive in Lo-  
ogootee. The meetings are open to the  
public and anyone is invited to attend.

### Tourism meetings

The MCCC Tourism Committee  
meets on the third Wednesday of each  
month at 7 p.m. at Loughmiller Ma-

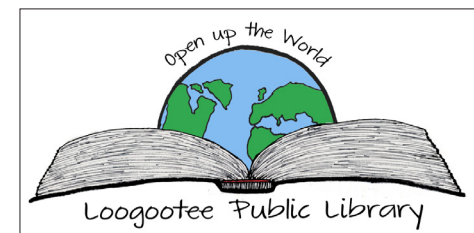
chine, 12851 E 150 N, Loogootee. The  
public is invited to attend.

### Soil and Water meetings

The Martin County SWCD meets  
the third Monday of the month at the  
SWCD office located at Martin Coun-  
ty Learning Center. Office hours are 8  
a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays except Thurs-  
days when it is closed. Visit [www.martinswcd.com](http://www.martinswcd.com) or call at 295-3149.

### Attention Senior Citizens

The Loogootee Senior Citizen Cen-  
ter, located in the Annex building at-  
tached to JFK Gym on JFK Avenue  
in Loogootee provides activities for  
seniors every Monday and Thursday  
from 8 a.m. to noon. For \$5 a year, se-  
niors can participate in Euchre tourna-  
ments, games, puzzles, etc., with oth-  
er local seniors. Anyone interested is  
welcome to stop by, there are no age  
or residency requirements to partici-  
pate. Seniors are also offered lunch at  
the Loogootee Senior Center every Mon-  
day and Thursday. A free-will donation  
is requested. Call 812-295-3130 to  
make a reservation, so enough food is  
prepared.



### BY DARLA WAGLER

Librarian, Loogootee Public Library

On Friday, July 21 at 6 p.m., CR  
Ryan and Braden Magician program  
will be held at German American  
Bank's downstairs community room.  
All ages are welcome to attend and this  
is a free program. Adults and kids alike  
will be amazed as the magic tricks plus  
laugh out loud at the hilarious actions  
of the duo.

Tuesday evening, July 25 at 6pm,  
Beth Buchta will meet kids at West  
Boggs Park to plant and learn about  
trees. This is a free program and we  
request that you pre-register to attend.

On Monday, July 31 at 6:45 p.m. at  
the Loogootee City Park, Julie Lagree  
will be in charge of Mess Fest. This  
program guarantees messy, wet, and  
disgusting fun. All ages are invited to  
attend.

### New Books:

Mystery Fiction: "Look Behind You"  
by Iris Johansen and "The Late Show"  
by Michael Connelly.

Inspirational Fiction: "Phoebe's  
Gift", "Mary's Home", and "Silvia's  
Rose" by Jerry S. Eicher

DVDs: "The Fate of the Furious".

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Thursday and Friday 10-5 and Satur-  
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# 4-H Beef Show results

Dairy Show  
 Class 1 Dairy Steers  
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 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Mackenzie Craney  
 Grand Champion Dairy Steer: Abby Lindsey  
 Reserve Grand Champion Steer: Mackenzie Craney  
 Beef Show  
 Prospect Heifers  
 Grand Champion Prospect Heifer: Haileigh Suheski  
 Prospect Steers  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Wade Burris  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Haileigh Suheski  
 Grand Champion Prospect Steer: Wade Burris  
 Reserve Grand Champion Prospect Steer: Haileigh Suheski  
 Beef Heifers  
 Black Herefords  
 Class 1  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Kenadi Rumble  
 Class 2  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Kenadi Rumble  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Kenadi Rumble  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Justin Clark  
 Champion Black Hereford Heifer: Kenadi Rumble  
 Reserve Champion Black Hereford Heifer: Kenadi Rumble  
 Hereford Heifer  
 Class 3  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Cami Crays  
 Champion Hereford Heifer: Cami Crays  
 Crays  
 Maintainer Heifer  
 Class 4  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Wade Burris  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Karter Burris  
 Champion Maintainer Heifer: Wade Burris  
 Reserve Champion Maintainer Heifer: Karter Burris  
 Sim-Solutions  
 Class 5  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Cora Ausbrooks  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Tucker Walton  
 Champion Sim-Solutions Heifer: Cora Ausbrooks  
 Reserve Champion Sim-Solutions Heifer: Tucker Walton  
 Commercial Heifer  
 Class 6  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Karter Burris  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Haileigh Suheski

3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Justin Clark  
 4<sup>th</sup> Place - Abby Lindsey  
 Champion Commercial Heifer: Karter Burris  
 Reserve Champion Commercial Heifer: Haileigh Suheski  
 Grand Champion Heifer: Cora Ausbrooks  
 Reserve Grand Champion Heifer: Karter Burris  
 County Born and Raised Heifer: Karter Burris  
 Steer Show  
 Chianina  
 Class 7  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Tucker Walton  
 Champion Chianina Steer: Tucker Walton  
 Crossbred  
 Class 8 Light Weight  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Mackenzie Craney  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Justin Clark  
 Class 9 Medium Weight  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Haileigh Suheski  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Cora Ausbrooks  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Mackenzie Craney  
 Class 10 Heavy Weight  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Wade Burris  
 Champion Crossbred Steer: Wade Burris  
 Reserve Champion Crossbred Steer: Haileigh Suheski  
 Grand Champion Steer: Wade Burris  
 Reserve Grand Champion Steer: Tucker Walton  
 County Born and Raised Steer: Cora Ausbrooks  
 Champion Rate of Gain: Tucker Walton  
 Daily Rate of Gain: 3.77 lbs.  
 Mini 4-H'ers: Carter Walton, Jocelyn Craney, Eli Ausbrooks, Jack Richer  
 Clover Showmanship:  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Karter Burris  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Cami Crays  
 Junior Showmanship:  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Kortni Rumble  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Abby Lindsey  
 Senior Showmanship  
 No participants  
 Master Showmanship  
 1<sup>st</sup> Place - Wade Burris  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Tucker Walton  
 3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Kenadi Rumble  
 Others participating: Kortni Rumble, Haileigh Suheski, Cora Ausbrooks, Karter Burris



-Photos provided  
 Cora Ausbrooks, who received Grand Champion Born and Raised Steer, is pictured with her dad, Josh Ausbrooks.



Haileigh Suheski, who was awarded Grand Champion Dairy Heifer, is pictured with her dad, Derrick Suheski.



Cora Ausbrooks, who won Grand Champion Heifer, is shown with Queen 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up Kayla Abel, Queen 1<sup>st</sup> Runner Up/Miss Congeniality Lindsey Lukens, and Queen Emily Bateman.



Wade Burris, who was awarded Grand Champion Market Steer, is pictured with Queen 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up Kayla Abel, Queen 1<sup>st</sup> Runner Up/Miss Congeniality Lindsey Lukens, and Queen Emily Bateman.



Abby Lindsey, who was awarded Grand Champion Dairy Steer, is pictured with her dad, John Lindsey.

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## In the Garden

By Ralph Purkhiser  
Purdue University Master Gardener

I spent quite a bit of time last week at the Orange County 4-H Fair and enjoyed talking with many of you when you came by. Although other obligations took most of my time, I did spend a little while at the Hoosier Hillside Master Gardeners booth, where the educational exhibit was about planting native plants instead of non-native plants. A similar display was also used at the Crawford County Fair. With that in mind, I thought this would be a good time for a discussion about our native flora and why it is important to protect it and encourage planting native plants.

That may sound simple, but to truly understand the concept, we need to look at some definitions. A native plant is one that occurs naturally in a particular region, ecosystem or habitat without human introduction. Ironically, many of the “wild” plants we find growing in our woods and yards are not native at all, but are plants that our ancestors brought from other parts of the world that escaped cultivation. A prime example of this is the common dandelion. Before Europeans arrived, there were no dandelions in Indiana. However, as we know, dandelion seed is easily dispersed, and before long, the dandelions that early settlers planted for food had spread and become a permanent part of the landscape.

Native plants are sometimes difficult to determine. What is native in one area may not be native in another. There are some species that are found only in small areas and those plants are often listed as threatened. Changes in that limited habitat could quickly lead to extinction for certain plants. Within a particular genus, there may be several species and varieties that are native to particular areas. A good plant to illustrate this is the coneflower, my personal favorite flower. Here in southern Indiana, the purple coneflower is native in meadows and woodland borders. Within the species, there are some different varieties, including the naturally occurring white coneflowers. Despite being white, these varieties are still classified as *echinacea purpurea*. If we travel south, we find a different species, the Tennessee coneflower. Moving a little to the west, we find the pal-

## Bluegill remains boss among Indiana fish

When it comes to a favorite fish, not much has changed during the last 40 years in the minds of Indiana anglers.

Results of the 2016 Indiana Licensed Angler Survey reveal that bluegill ranks as the fish species most often pursued in Indiana, followed by largemouth bass, smallmouth bass, black crappie, and channel catfish.

Likewise, anglers are still fishing most often in private ponds, small rivers and streams, and the natural lakes of northern Indiana.

According to anglers, the DNR Division of Fish & Wildlife Fisheries Section should emphasize the management of native, self-sustaining sport fish species.

More than 60 percent of anglers indicated support of a harvest limit on

lid or drooping coneflower. Of course, in border areas, these species may naturally cross, resulting in some plants that show characteristics of their mixed parentage. These natural hybrids are still considered native if the cross were not the result of human intervention.

The discussion of natives is further muddied when we consider cultivated varieties of native plants or “nativars”. A cultivar is defined as a plant variety that has been produced in cultivation by selective breeding, often the result of cross-breeding of different species within a genus. A nativar is simply a cultivar of a native plant. Cultivars may also be the result of a sport, in which a naturally occurring plant or part of a plant is found that exhibits atypical but desirable qualities, such as a difference in color or flower type. Whether from a hybrid or a sport, a cultivar will not reproduce true from seed, but must be reproduced vegetatively, usually by rooting cuttings or grafting scions onto rootstock of the native plant. Many of the resulting plants are patented and it is illegal to reproduce them without a license from the patent holder. These nativars usually have desirable traits as landscape plants. In recent years, we have seen the introduction of several different coneflowers, including double and semi-double blooms and a wide variety of bright colors. However, in breeding for these traits, other natural traits have been sacrificed. When grown together, bees and butterflies will flock to the native plants instead of the nativars. It seems that the nativars do not produce the same nectar that the bees and butterflies expect from coneflowers.

Native plants have a symbiotic relationship with the wildlife in their natural range. They are, therefore, an essential part of the complete ecosystem and must be considered when creating habitats for wildlife. While it would be nearly impossible to determine the exact plants that are native to any particular piece of property, next week, we will take a look at some of the plants that are generally accepted as being native to much of southern Indiana and reasons that you may want to include them in your landscape.

bluegills and size limits on crappie, compared to less than 26 percent expressing opposition.

Among stocked species, anglers showed a preference for stocking wall-eye and indicated that the Fisheries Section should focus stocking efforts on small and large reservoirs.

The Indiana Licensed Angler Survey has been conducted every decade since 1977. It provides the Fisheries Section with a snapshot of attitudes, opinions and preferences of Indiana’s anglers.

These surveys have been an integral component of fisheries management that allows the Division of Fish & Wildlife to serve in the best interests of its constituents.

The full report on 2016 survey results is at [fishing.IN.gov](http://fishing.IN.gov).

## NRC approves new nature preserve

The Natural Resources Commission (NRC) approved Ravinia Seeps Spring Nature Preserve in Morgan County as a new nature preserve during its regularly scheduled meeting today at Fort Harrison State Park.

The move increases to 280 the number of state-designated sites protected by the Nature Preserves Act, which is 50 years old this year.

Ravinia Seeps Spring Nature Preserve is owned and operated by the DNR Division of Forestry. The preserve is in the Brown County Hills Section of the Highland Rim Natural Region and comprises 52.40 acres. It protects a geologically unique and biologically rich valley and associated uplands.

The site contains a valley filled with gravel, sand, and other outwash deposited at the end of the Pleistocene Ice Age through the action of meltwaters, which formed a Northern wetlands complex at the extreme southern limit of the range in Indiana.

The preserve provides outstanding insect and amphibian habitat. Eastern box turtle has been observed in abundance. Two open sedge meadow prairie fens, each smaller than an acre, are present and contain plants like queen of the prairie and golden alexanders.

In other action, the NRC

-Designated a standard formula to set annual Free Fishing Days for future years. Dates will be the third Saturday in April, which is the week before the stream trout season opens; the third Saturday in May, which is also Kids to Parks Day and Armed Forces Day; and the first weekend in June, which is National Free Fishing Weekend. The dates also correspond with the DNR’s Go Fish!N Family Learn to Fish Workshops each year.

-Repealed a non-rule policy document for setting dates for the Free Youth Hunting Days to conform to what has been current practice since 2014. That year, the DNR started publishing the dates, once approved by the DNR director, in its annual Hunting & Trapping Guide and on the DNR website rather than posting them in the Indiana Register.

-Recommended that the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers approve proposed rates increases for 2018 for using facilities at Hoosier Hills Marina on Patoka Lake.

## Kayaking at Patoka Lake

Bring your kayak to Patoka Lake on July 29 for a two-hour paddle with naturalists to look for bald eagles, beavers and other wildlife.

The adventure starts at 9:30 a.m. at the secluded King’s Bridge Boat Ramp. You can also meet the naturalists at the Patoka Lake Office to car caravan to the boat ramp. The caravan will leave promptly at 8:15 a.m.

Participants will paddle upstream to Grimes Lake Marsh. Participants should bring refreshments, life jackets, binoculars and cameras. Non-motorized boat launch permits are required and will be sold at the event for \$5. They are also available at the Patoka Lake Office from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily.

For more information, call the Nature Center at (812) 685-2447.

-Adopted an amendment to 312 IAC 8-2-8(i) to prohibit knowingly operating over DNR property an unmanned motor-driven airborne device, such as a drone, that is launched from an adjacent property, except at a site designated for that purpose or pursuant to a license. The Division of State Parks is developing such a license.

-Preliminarily adopted amendments to 312 IAC 6.2, which governs management of groundwater and surface water within the Great Lakes Basin in Indiana. The amendments are a response to a petition from Save the Dunes, the Natural Resources Defense Council, the National Wildlife Federation, and the Alliance for the Great Lakes. The amendments define the following terms: baseline volume abandonment, discontinued significant water withdrawal facility, and inactive significant water withdrawal facility, and update the list of salmonid streams.

-Readopted 312 IAC 11, which provides standards for regulating construction along and within public freshwater lakes; 312 IAC 11.5, governing surface-water emergencies on lakes; 312 IAC 12, providing standards for regulating water-well drilling and groundwater; and 312 IAC 13, governing water-well drillers and water-well pump installers.

The NRC is an autonomous board that addresses topics pertaining to the Indiana DNR. More details on these actions are available at [nrc.IN.gov/2350.htm](http://nrc.IN.gov/2350.htm) under “July Agenda.”

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# Martin County 4-H Horse and Pony Show results

Senior Mare Halter Champion was Mayson Riley and reserve champion was Mykaela Peterson.

Junior Mare Halter Champion was Apryl Parker, Reserve Champion Justin Peterson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Harrison McCoy, 4<sup>th</sup> Logan Davis, 5<sup>th</sup> Madison Esch.

Senior Gelding Halter Champion Mykaela Peterson and Reserve Champion was Melanie Hawkins

Junior Gelding Halter Champion was Claire Kemp, Reserve Champion was Aaron Perrotte, 3<sup>rd</sup> Kate McCoy, 4<sup>th</sup> Mason Kerr, and 5<sup>th</sup> Harrison McCoy

Senior Showmanship Champion was Melanie Hawkins, Reserve Champion was Mykaela Peterson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Mayson Riley, and 4<sup>th</sup> Taylor Davis

Junior Showmanship Champion was Claire Kemp, Reserve Champion Aaron Perrotte, 3<sup>rd</sup> Madison Esch, 4<sup>th</sup> Apryl Parker, 5<sup>th</sup> Logan Davis, 6<sup>th</sup> Mason Kerr, and 7<sup>th</sup> Harrison McCoy

Future Showmanship and Leadline winner was Austin Kerr

Walk/Trot Pleasure Junior/Senior Champion was Melanie Hawkins and reserve was Claire Kemp

Walk/Trot Horsemanship Junior/Senior Champion was Claire Kemp, Reserve Champion was Melanie Hawkins, 3<sup>rd</sup> Mason Kerr

Senior Western Pleasure Champion Mayson Riley, Reserve Champion was Lydia Bruner, 3<sup>rd</sup> Mykaela Peterson, 4<sup>th</sup> Taylor Davis

Junior Western Pleasure Champion Aaron Perrotte, Reserve Champion Madison Esch, 3<sup>rd</sup> Macy Wyman, 4<sup>th</sup> Kate McCoy, 5<sup>th</sup> Harrison McCoy, 6<sup>th</sup> Justin Peterson

Senior Western Horsemanship Champion Mayson Riley and Reserve Champion Lydia Bruner

Junior Western Horsemanship Champion Madison Esch, Reserve Champion Aaron Perrotte, 3<sup>rd</sup> Logan Davis, 4<sup>th</sup> Macy Wyman

Trail Junior/Senior Champion Taylor Davis, Reserve Champion Lydia Bruner, 3<sup>rd</sup> Aaron Perrotte, 4<sup>th</sup> Logan Davis, 5<sup>th</sup> Madison Esch, 6<sup>th</sup> Harrison McCoy

Western Riding Junior/Senior Champion Aaron Perrotte, Reserve Champion

Harrison McCoy, 3<sup>rd</sup> Kate McCoy, 4<sup>th</sup> Logan Davis, 5<sup>th</sup> Taylor Davis, 6<sup>th</sup> Madison Esch

Reining Junior/Senior Champion Taylor Davis

Hunter Under Saddle Jr./Sr. Champion Mykaela Peterson, Reserve Champion Harrison McCoy, 3<sup>rd</sup> Apryl Parker, 4<sup>th</sup> Kate McCoy, 5<sup>th</sup> Justin Peterson

Hunter Equitation Jr./Sr. Champion Mykaela Peterson

Hunter Hack Jr./Sr. Champion Harrison McCoy, Reserve Champion Mykaela Peterson, 3<sup>rd</sup> Justin Peterson, 4<sup>th</sup> Apryl Parker, 5<sup>th</sup> Taylor Davis, 6<sup>th</sup> Kate McCoy

English Jumping jr./Sr. Champion Harrison McCoy, Reserve Champion Kate McCoy, 3<sup>rd</sup> Mykaela Peterson, 4<sup>th</sup> Taylor Davis, 5<sup>th</sup> Justin Peterson, 6<sup>th</sup> Apryl Parker

Senior Barrels Champion Mykaela Peterson, Reserve Champion Taylor Davis

Junior Barrels Champion Harrison McCoy, Reserve Champion Apryl Parker, 3<sup>rd</sup> Aaron Perrotte, 4<sup>th</sup> Logan Davis, 5<sup>th</sup> Kate McCoy, 6<sup>th</sup> Madison Esch, 7<sup>th</sup> Claire Kemp

Senior Flags Champion Taylor Davis, Reserve Champion Lydia Bruner, 3<sup>rd</sup> Melanie Hawkins

Junior Flags Champion Harrison McCoy, Reserve Champion Logan Davis, 3<sup>rd</sup> Macy Wyman, 4<sup>th</sup> Kate McCoy, 5<sup>th</sup> Claire Kemp

Senior Poles Champion Taylor Davis, Reserve Champion Melanie Hawkins

Junior Poles Champion Harrison McCoy, Reserve Champion Apryl Parker, 3<sup>rd</sup> Logan Davis, 4<sup>th</sup> Kate McCoy, 5<sup>th</sup> Aaron Perrotte

Senior Keyhole Champion Taylor Davis, Reserve Champion Melanie Hawkins

Junior Keyhole Champion Harrison McCoy, Reserve Champion Apryl Parker, 3<sup>rd</sup> Kate McCoy, 4<sup>th</sup> Aaron Perrotte, 5<sup>th</sup> Madison Esch, 6<sup>th</sup> Claire Kemp

Senior Speed and Action Champion Taylor Davis, Reserve Champion Melanie Hawkins

Junior Speed and Action Champion Aaron Perrotte Reserve Champion Harrison McCoy, 3<sup>rd</sup> Kate McCoy, 4<sup>th</sup> Claire Kemp

# 4-H Goat Show results

Dairy Goat Does  
Class 1: Alpine Senior Doe AL

1<sup>st</sup> Place - Delani Bateman  
Class 2: Alpine Senior Doe 2 years and under 3 milking

1<sup>st</sup> Place - Sam Bruner  
Champion Alpine: Delani Bateman  
Reserve Champion Alpine: Sam Bruner

Class 3: Lamancha Intermediate Doe  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Emily Hall

Class 4: Lamancha Doe- 2 years and under 3 years milking  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Emily Hall

Champion Lamancha: Emily Hall  
Reserve Champion Lamancha: Emily Hall

Class 5: Nubian Doe - 1 year and under 2 years milking  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Abbey Lindsey

Champion Nubian: Abbey Lindsey  
Class 6: Saneen Yearling Doe  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Sam Bruner

Class 7: Saanen Doe - 5 years and over milking  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Sam Bruner

Champion Saanen: Sam Bruner  
Reserve Champion Saanen: Sam Bruner

Class 8: Toggenburg Doe 3 years and under 5 years milking  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Sam Bruner

Class 9: Toggenburg Doe 5 years and over milking  
1<sup>st</sup> Jocelyn Davis-Berger

Champion Toggenburg: Sam Bruner  
Reserve Champion Toggenburg: Jocelyn Davis-Berger

Class 10: All Other Breeds  
1<sup>st</sup> Jocelyn Davis-Berger

Champion All Other Breeds: Jocelyn Davis-Berger  
Grand Champion Dairy Goat Doe: Sam Bruner

Reserve Grand Champion Dairy Goat Doe: Delani Bateman

Dairy Wethers  
Grand Champion Dairy Wether: Emily Hall

Reserve Grand Champion Dairy Wether: Abbey Lindsey

Champion Rate of Gain: Emily Hall  
.45 lbs a day

Other participants: Mackenzie Craney, Delani Bateman

Pygmy Goats  
Class 1: 0-6 Months Breeding  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Delani Bateman

Grand Champion Pygmy Breeding Doe: Delani Bateman

Pygmy Wethers  
Class 2: 0-12 Months  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Delani Bateman

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Mallory Berry  
Blue Ribbons: Cathryn Gee, Corbin Henninger, Allie Henniger, Brooklyn Knepp, Kenadi Rumble, Kortni Rumble, Tysen Harrold, Claire Kemp, and Abbey Lindsey.

Grand Champion Pygmy Goat: Delani Bateman

Reserve Grand Champion Pygmy Goat: Mallory Berry

Meat Goats  
Class 1: Commercial Breeding 3-6 months  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Delani Bateman

Class 2: Commercial Breeding 16-20 months  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Emma Lingenfelter

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Justin Sanders  
Class 3: Commercial Breeding 24-36 months  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Justin Sanders

Champion Commercial Breeding Meat Goats: Emma Lingenfelter  
Reserve Champion Commercial Breeding Meat Goats: Justin Sanders

Percentage Boer Goats  
Class 1: 6 months old to under 9 months old  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Delani Bateman

Class 2: 24 months old to 36 months old  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Tysen Harrold

Champion Percentage Boer: Delani Bateman  
Reserve Champion Percentage Boer:

Tysen Harrold  
Full Blood Boer Goats  
Class 1: 3 months to under 6 months old  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Emma Lingenfelter

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Delani Bateman  
Class 2: 6 months to under 9 month old  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Delani Bateman

Class 3: 9 months to under 12 months old  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Delani Bateman

Class 4: 12 months to under 16 months old  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Cathryn Gee

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Mallory Berry  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Delani Bateman

Class 5: 16 months to under 20 months old  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Emma Lingenfelter

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Grace Lingenfelter  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Claire Kemp

Class 6: 20 months to under 24 months old  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Allie Henninger

Class 7: 24 months to under 36 months old  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Claire Kemp

Class 8: 36 months and older  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Claire Kemp

Champion Full Blood Boer: Cathryn Gee  
Reserve Champion Full Blood Boer: Emma Lingenfelter

Grand Champion Over All Boer Goat: Delani Bateman

Reserve Grand Champion Over All Boer Goat: Cathryn Gee  
Meat Goat Does  
Class 1: 39-76 lbs

1<sup>st</sup> Place - Abbey Lindsey  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Abbey Lindsey

Blue Ribbons: Phillip Troutman, Mackenzie Craney, Justin Sanders  
Grand Champion Market Doe: Abbey Lindsey

Reserve Grand Champion Market Doe: Abbey Lindsey

Meat Goat Wether  
Class 1: Under 57 lbs  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Claire Kemp

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Kenadi Rumble  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Kortni Rumble

4<sup>th</sup> Place - Mackenzie Craney  
5<sup>th</sup> Place - Phillip Troutman

Class 2: 57-62 lbs  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Mallory Berry

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Delani Bateman  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Justin Sanders

4<sup>th</sup> Place - Justin Sanders  
Class 3: 70-82 lbs

1<sup>st</sup> Place - Tysen Harrold  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Mallory Berry

3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Mackenzie Craney  
4<sup>th</sup> Place - Cathryn Gee

5<sup>th</sup> Place - Kendall Kemp  
6<sup>th</sup> Place - Abbey Lindsey

Grand Champion Market Wether: Tysen Harrold  
Reserve Grand Champion Market Wether: Mallory Berry

Champion Rate of Gain: Phillip Troutman .79 lbs a day

Mini 4-H Showmanship: Lydia Hawkins, Rylee Bauer, Lauren Bauer, Hadley Haulk, Dorothy Gee, Carter Walton, Jocelyn Craney

Clover Showmanship:  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Emma Lingenfelter

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Mackenzie Craney  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Kendall Kemp

Also Participating: Brooklyn Knepp, Allie Henninger

Junior Showmanship:  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Grace Lingenfelter

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Claire Kemp  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Tysen Harrold

Also Participating - Kortni Rumble  
Senior Showmanship:  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Mallory Berry

Master Showmanship:  
1<sup>st</sup> Place - Delani Bateman

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Grace Lingenfelter  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place - Mallory Berry

Also Participating - Cathryn Gee, Kenadi Rumble, Abbey Lindsey, Emma Lingenfelter

## 4-H NEWS

By Stacy Brown  
Martin County Purdue Extension Educator

4-H Ag Tractor Driving Contest

On Saturday, July 8 the 4-H Ag Tractor Driving Contest was held. Justin Sanders and Justin Hellums participated in the senior division, while Mackenzie Craney, Justin Graber, Cade Maschino, and Russell Mauder participated at the junior level.

Each participant must take a written test concerning tractor safety and

maintenance, a parts test, and a driving test to complete the project. In the senior division Justin Sanders won champion and Justin Hellums won reserve champion.

In the junior division Russell Mauder won champion and Cade Maschino won reserve champion. Mackenzie Craney and Ethan Graber each received blue ribbons.



-Photo provided

4-Hers in the Ag Tractor Driving contest competed on July 8. From left to right are Mackenzie Craney, Rick Mauder (leader), Russell Mauder, Ethan Graber, Justin Sanders, Larry Craney (leader), Justin Hellums, Cade Maschino.



# Martin County 4-H Project results

African Violets: Grand Champion-Delani Bateman; Reserve Grand Champion- Melanie Hawkins

Intermediate: Delanie Bateman - Champion, Blue; Emma Hert - Reserve Champion; Blue; Madison Esch, Blue

Advanced: Melanie Hawkins, Champion, Blue

Aquatic Science: Grand Champion - Zetta Gore; Reserve Grand Champion - Noah Esch

Beginner: Noah Esch, Champion, Blue  
Advanced: Zetta Gore, Champion, Blue

Automotive: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins

Advanced: Melanie Hawkins, Champion, Blue

Bicycle: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins

Div. 4: Melanie Hawkins, Champion, Blue

Christmas Tree: Grand Champion - Mattyson Jones; Reserve Grand Champion - Cheaney Archer

Level 2: Cheaney Archer - Champion, Blue; Anastasia Toy - Reserve Champion, Blue

Level 3: Jocelyn Davis-Berger - Champion, Blue

Level 4: Mattyson Jones - Champion, Blue

Collections: Grand Champion - Justin Wagler; Reserve Grand Champion - Leighton Jeffers

Beginner: Leighton Jeffers, Champion, Blue; Kanton Dearwester - Reserve Champion, Blue

Advanced: Justin Wagler - Champion, Blue; Wyatt Street - Reserve Champion, Blue

Community Service: Grand Champion-Melanie Hawkins; Reserve Grand Champion-Lillie Bauer

Beginner: Lillie Bauer - Champion, Blue; Kori Redman - Reserve Champion, Blue

Advanced: Melanie Hawkins - Champion, Blue

Fashion Revue - Consumer Clothing: Grand Champion - Karter Burris; Reserve Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins

Beginner: Karter Burris - Champion, Blue; Cora Ausbrooks - Reserve Champion, Blue

Advanced: Melanie Hawkins - Champion, Blue

Fashion Revue - Sewing Construction: Grand Champion - Katherine Gilbert; Reserve Grand Champion - Makenzie Mauder

Beginners: Makenzie Mauder - Champion, Blue; Karter Burris - Reserve Champion, Blue

Advanced: Katherine Gilbert - Champion, Blue, State Fair

Consumer Education:

Beef: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins

Level 4: Melanie Hawkins - Champion, Blue

Lamb: Grand Champion - Joshua Gardiner; Reserve Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins

Level 1: Joshua Gardiner, Champion, Blue

Level 4: Melanie Hawkins, Champion, Blue

Pork: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins

Level 4: Melanie Hawkins, Champion, Blue

Poultry: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins

Level 4: Melanie Hawkins, Champion, Blue

Computer - Grand Champion - No Entries

Create-A-Mix: Grand Champion - Kyleigh Courter; Reserve Grand Champion - Breanna Courter

Beginner: Breanna Courter - Champion, Blue; Kanton Dearwester - Reserve Champion, Blue; Britta Browder - Blue; Kori Redman - Blue; Isaiah Roush -

Red; Alysse Wadsworth - Blue

Intermediate: Kyleigh Courter - Champion, Blue; Jeffrey Wagler - Reserve Champion, Blue

Advanced: Melanie Hawkins - Champion, Blue

Crops

Corn: Grand Champion - Phillip Troutman; Reserve Grand Champion - Russell Mauder

Beginner: Russell Mauder, Champion, Blue; Alysse Wadsworth - Reserve Champion, Blue

Advanced: Phillip Troutman, Champion, Blue

Hay: Grand Champion - Phillip Troutman; Reserve Grand Champion - Justin Sanders

Advanced: Phillip Troutman - Champion, Blue; Justin Sanders, Reserve Champion, Blue; Sam Bruner - Blue

Soy Beans: Grand Champion- Russell Mauder; Reserve Grand Champion - Phillip Troutman

Beginner: Russell Mauder, Champion, Blue

Advanced: Phillip Troutman, Champion, Blue

Wheat: Grand Champion- Phillip Troutman

Advanced: Phillip Troutman - Champion, Blue

Cupcake Decorating: Grand Champion - Emma Hert; Reserve Grand Champion - Sarah Wagler

Beginner: Olivia Harker- Champion, Blue; Kamila Wilson- Reserve Champion, Blue; Lillie Bauer - Blue; Emma Holt - Blue; Kendall Kemp - Blue; Chloe Ramsey - Blue

Intermediate: Emma Holt - Champion, Blue; Mattie Milligan - Reserve Champion, Blue; Cassidy Bruner - Blue

Advanced: Sarah Wagler - Champion, Blue; Mattyson Jones - Reserve Champion, Blue

Farm Scene: Grand Champion - Haleigh Suheski; Reserve Grand Champion - Phillip Troutman

Level 1: Daigen McCarty - Champion, Blue; Joshua Gardiner - Reserve Champion, Blue

Level 2: Russell Mauder - Champion, Blue

Level 3: Haleigh Suheski, Champion, Blue

Level 4: Phillip Troutman - Champion, Blue

Gift Wrapping: Grand Champion - Brianna Eckerle; Reserve Grand Champion - Mattyson Jones

Level 1: Brianna Eckerle - Champion, Blue

Level 2: Cheaney Archer - Champion, Blue; Tia Fuhs - Reserve Champion, Blue

Level 3: Mattyson Jones - Champion, Blue; Mallory Berry - Reserve Champion, Blue

Greeting Cards: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins; Reserve Grand Champion - Kori Redman

Beginner: Kori Redman, Champion, Blue

Advanced: Melanie Hawkins, Champion, Blue

Microwave: Grand Champion - Grace Lingenfelter; Reserve Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins

Grade 3-4: Ella Parker, Champion, Blue; Cora Ausbrooks - Reserve Champion, Blue

Grade 7-9: Grace Lingenfelter, Champion, Blue; Emma Hert - Red

Grade 7-9: Jayleigh Wagoner, Champion, Blue; Emma Hert - Reserve Champion, Blue

Grade 10: Melanie Hawkins, Champion, Blue

Our Solar System: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins; Reserve Grand Champion - Emily Hall

Grade 5: Emily Hall, Champion, Blue

Grade 6: Matthew Green, Champion, Blue

Grade 10: Melanie Hawkins, Champi-

on, Blue

Posters:

Beef: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins

Grades 9-12: Melanie Hawkins, Champion, Blue

Horse: No Entries

Goat: Grand Champion - Delani Bateman; Reserve Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins

Intermediate: Delani Bateman, Champion, Blue

Advanced: Melanie Hawkins, Champion, Blue

Sheep: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins; Reserve Grand Champion - Joshua Gardiner

Beginner: Joshua Gardiner - Champion, Blue

Advanced: Melanie Hawkins - Champion, Blue

Swine: Grand Champion- Melanie Hawkins

Advanced: Melanie Hawkins - Champion, Blue

Read-A-Book: Grand Champion - Luke Guy; Reserve Grand Champion - Malachi McNabb

Level 1: Luke Guy - Champion, Blue; Malachi McNabb - Reserve Champion, Blue

Level 3: Melanie Hawkins - Champion, Blue; Cassandra Gilmore - Reserve Champion, Blue

Recycling: Grand Champion - Brianna Eckerle; Reserve Grand Champion - Emma Hert

Grade 4: Brianna Eckerle - Champion, Blue; Cora Ausbrooks - Reserve Champion, Blue

Grade 8: Emma Hert - Champion, Blue; Mya Miller - Reserve Champion, Blue

Grade 9: Jayleigh Wagoner - Champion, Blue; Melanie Hawkins - Reserve Champion, Blue

Level 10: Jayleigh Wagoner - Champion, Blue; Melanie Hawkins - Reserve Champion, Blue

Scrapbooking: Grand Champion - Lillie Bauer; Reserve Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins

Beginner: Lillie Bauer - Champion, Blue; Brianna Eckerle - Reserve Champion, Blue; Ashley Green, Blue; Allie Henninger, Blue; Makenzie Mauder, Blue; Chloe Ramsey, Blue

Intermediate: Delanie Bateman - Red

Advanced: Melanie Hawkins, Champion, Blue; Kaitlin Sims - Reserve Champion, Blue; Kenadi Rumble - Blue; Cassidy Esch, Blue;

Sports: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins; Reserve Grand Champion - Alexis Rush

Intermediate: Alexis Rush - Champion, Blue

Advanced: Melanie Hawkins - Champion, Blue

Sunflowers: Grand Champion - Tucker Walton; Reserve Grand Champion - Isabelle Waggner

Grade 3: Makenzie Mauder - Champion, Blue

Grade 4: Emma Lingenfelter - Champion, Blue; Koen Waggner - Reserve Champion, Blue

Grade 5: Isaac Waggner- Champion, Blue

Grade 6: Anastasia Toy - Champion, Blue

Grade 7: Tucker Walton - Champion, Blue; Grace Lingenfelter - Reserve Champion, Blue

Grade 8: Isabelle Waggner - Champion, Blue

Grade 9: Emily Crane - Champion, Blue

Grade 10: Wyatt Crane - Champion, Blue

Grade 12: Justin Wagler - Champion, Blue

Welding: Grand Champion - Wade Burris; Reserve Grand Champion - Russell Mauder

Beginner: Russell Mauder - Cham-

on, Blue; Kendall Kemp - Reserve Champion, Blue

Intermediate: Brayton Taylor - Champion, Blue

Advanced: Wade Burris - Champion, Blue

Wildflower: Grand Champion - Emma Lingenfelter; Reserve Grand Champion - Grace Lingenfelter

Grade 3: Makenzie Mauder - Champion, Blue

Grade 4: Emma Lingenfelter - Champion, Blue; Breanna Courter - Reserve Champion; Blue

Grade 7: Grace Lingenfelter - Champion, Blue

Aerospace: Grand Champion - Parker Arvin; Reserve Grand Champion - Zachary Arvin

Grades 6-8: Parker Arvin - State Fair, Champion, Blue

Grades 9-12 (Rocket): Zachary Arvin - State Fair, Champion, Blue

Grades 9-12 (Poster): Melanie Hawkins - State Fair, Champion, Blue

Cake Decorating: Grand Champion - Sarah Wagler; Reserve Grand Champion - Karter Burris

Beginner: Karter Burris - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Makenzie Mauder - Reserve Champion, Blue; Brianna Eckerle - Blue; Noah Esch - Blue; Gage Gilbert - Blue; Lillian Lukomski - Blue; Olivia Taylor - Blue; Cacia Wilcoxon - Blue

Advanced: Sarah Wagler - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Mattyson Jones - Reserve Champion, Blue

Child Development: Grand Champion - Cassidy Esch; Reserve Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins

Level B: Allie Henninger - State Fair, Champion, Blue

Level C: Cassidy Esch - State Fair, Champion, Blue

Level D: Melanie Hawkins - State Fair, Champion, Blue

Consumer Clothing: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins; Reserve Grand Champion - Karter Burris

Beginner: Karter Burris - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Cora Ausbrooks - Reserve Champion, Blue

Advanced: Melanie Hawkins, State Fair, Champion, Blue; Cassidy Esch - Red

Crafts-Fine Arts: Grand Champion - Katherine Gilbert; Reserve Grand Champion - Maxwell Christmas

Beginner: Ella Parker - Champion, Blue

Intermediate: Madison Esch - Champion, Blue

Advanced: Katherin Gilbert, State Fair, Champion, Blue; Maxwell Christmas, Reserve Champion, Blue;

Kayla Abel - Blue; Sheldon Christmas - Blue; Cassandra Gilmore - Blue; Krys-tan Gilmore - Blue; Rachel Robinson - Blue; Cassidy Shaw - Blue; Wyatt Street - Blue

Crafts-Models: Grand Champion - Lane Keller

Intermediate: Nick Keller - Red

Advanced: Lane Keller- State Fair, Champion, Blue; William Keller - Blue; Justin Sanders - Red

Crafts-Needlepoint: Grand Champion - Mattyson Jones; Reserve Grand Champion - Mattie Milligan

Intermediate: Mattie Milligan - State Fair, Champion, Blue

Advanced: Mattyson Jones - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Rachel Robinson - Reserve Champion, Blue

Crafts-Any Other Craft: Grand Champion - Kaitlin Sims; Reserve Grand Champion - Mya Miller

Beginner: Emma Lingenfelter - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Lillian Lukomski - Reserve Champion, Blue; Chloe Ramsey - Blue

Intermediate: Mya Miller - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Nicholson Gilmore - Reserve Champion, Blue; Emma Hert

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# PROJECTS

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– Red  
Advanced: Kaitlin Sims - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Mattyson Jones - State Fair, Reserve Champion, Blue; Danielle Abel – Blue; Cassandra Gilmore – Blue; Krystan Gilmore – Blue; Ryan Hawkins – Blue; Corbin Henninger – Blue;  
Construction Toys: Grand Champion – Nick Keller; Reserve Grand Champion – Luke Troutman  
Beginner: Luke Troutman – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Britta Browder - Reserve Champion, Blue; Alex Adams – Blue; Malachi McNabb - Blue  
Intermediate: Nick Keller- State Fair, Champion, Blue; Anastasia Toy - Reserve Champion, Blue  
Advanced: Lane Keller - Red  
Electric: Grand Champion – Samuel Ausbrooks; Reserve Grand Champion – Luke Guy  
Division II: Luke Guy - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Noah Esch – Reserve Champion, Blue; Josh Gardiner - Blue  
Division III: Cade Maschino - Champion, Blue  
Advanced: Samuel Ausbrooks – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Justin Sanders – Reserve Champion, Blue  
Entomology: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins  
Grade 9-12: Melanie Hawkins - State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Fashion Revue- Sewing: Grand Champion – Katherine Gilbert; Reserve Grand Champion – Makenzie Mauder  
Beginner: Makenzie Mauder, State Fair, Champion, Blue; Karter Burris – Reserve Champion, Blue  
Advanced: Katherine Gilbert – State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Floriculture: Grand Champion – Anastasia Toy; Reserve Grand Champion – Danielle Abel  
Level B: Anastasia Toy, State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Level C: Danielle Abel, State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Foods: Grand Champion – Adam Ross; Reserve Grand Champion – Lucas Harder  
Level 1  
Grade 3: Kamila Wilson - Champion, Blue  
Grade 4: Kanton Dearwester – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Britta Browder – Reserve Champion, Blue; Lillian Lukowski, Blue  
Level 2:  
Grade 5: Sydnee Wittmer, State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Grade: 6: Anastasia Toy, State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Level 4  
Grade 10-12: Ross Adams - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Lindsey Lukens – Reserve Champion, Blue  
Food Preservation: Grand Champion – Justin Sanders; Reserve Grand Champion – Jocelyn Davis-Berger  
Level 2:  
Grade 5: Sydnee Wittmer – Red  
Grade 6: Gracie Shaw – State Fair, Champion, Blue;  
Level 3:  
Grade 7-9: Jocelyn Davis-Berger – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Mya Miller - Red  
Level 4:  
Grade 10-12: Justin Sanders - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Lindsey Lukens - Red  
Forestry: Grand Champion – Cameron Crays  
Level 1: Cameron Crays - State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Garden-Singles: Grand Champion – Delani Bateman; Reserve Grand Champion – Justin Sanders  
Beans, Snap, green or wax: Kaitlin Sims - Champion, Blue  
Cabbage: Gracie Shaw - Champion, Blue  
Carrots: Kaitlin Sims – Champion, Blue

Eggplant: Justin Sanders – Champion, Blue  
Peppers, belled type: Delani Bateman, State Fair, Champion, Blue; Emma Hert, Reserve Champion, Blue; Phillip Troutman, Blue  
Summer Squash: Kaitlin Sims – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Brooklyn Knepp – Reserve Champion, Blue  
Squash, Zucchini or Cocozelle: Kaitlin Sims – Champion, Blue; Brooklyn Knepp – Reserve Champion, Blue  
Tomato: Sam Bruner – Champion, Blue  
Garden-Collection: Grand Champion – Emma Hert; Reserve Grand Champion – Maggie Shaw  
3-Plate: Maggie Shaw – Champion, Blue; Delanie Bateman – Reserve Champion, Blue; Sam Bruner - Blue; Justin Sanders – Blue  
5-Plate: Emma Hert – State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Garden-Herbs: Grand Champion – Sam Bruner; Reserve Grand Champion – Justin Sanders  
Basil: Emma Hert – Champion, Blue  
Mint: Mya Miller – Champion, Blue  
Oregano: Sam Bruner – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Justin Sanders – Reserve Champion, Blue  
Rosemary: Justin Sanders – Champion, Blue  
Sage: Justin Sanders – Champion, Blue  
Garden-Potatoes: Grand Champion – Emma Hert, Reserve Grand Champion – Sam Bruner  
Potato (White): Sam Bruner – Champion, Blue  
Potato (Other): Emma Hert – State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Genealogy: Grand Champion - Rachel Robinson Reserve Grand Champion – Makenzie Mauder  
Level 1: Makenzie Mauder, State Fair, Champion, Blue; Ella Parker, Reserve Champion, Blue; Joshua Gardiner, Blue  
Level 4: Rachel Robinson, State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Geology: Grand Champion – Cade Maschino; Reserve Grand Champion – Tucker Walton  
Level 2: Cade Maschino - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Tucker Walton – Reserve Champion, Blue; Kayden Sutton - Blue  
Health: Grand Champion – Maggie Shaw; Reserve Grand Champion – Melanie Hawkins  
Level B: Mason Harder - State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Level C: Maggie Shaw – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Melanie Hawkins – Champion, Blue  
Home Environment: Grand Champion – Melanie Hawkins  
Level 3: Melanie Hawkins – State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Personality: Grand Champion - Melanie Hawkins  
Level D: Melanie Hawkins - State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Photography: Grand Champion – Mykaela Peterson; Reserve Grand Champion – Bryant Eckerle  
Beginning Photography  
Black & White Prints: Malachi McNabb – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Joshua Gardiner – Reserve Champion, Blue  
Color Prints: Brianna Eckerle – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Kamila Wilson – Reserve Champion, Blue  
Intermediate Photography  
Color Prints: Madison Esch – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Olivia Alcorn – Reserve Champion, Blue  
Color Salon: Bryant Eckerle, State Fair, Champion, Blue; Isabella Waggner - Reserve Champion, Blue; Mattie Milligan – Blue; Delani Bateman - Blue  
Advanced Photography  
Black & White Prints: Rachel Robinson – Blue  
Black & White Salon Prints: Kaitlin Sims – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Wy-

att Street – Reserve Champion, Blue; Maxwell Christmas – Blue; Emily Crane – Blue; Eden Jenkins - Blue  
Color Prints: Cassidy Esch – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Maggie Shaw – Reserve Champion, Blue; Krystan Gilmore - Blue  
Color Salon: Mykaela Peterson – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Cole Harmon – Reserve Champion, Blue; Cassandra Gilmore – Blue; Cassidy Esch – Blue; Sheldon Christmas – Blue; Maxwell Christmas – Blue; Emily Crane – Blue; Danielle Abel – Blue; Corbin Henninger – Blue; Kaitlin Sims – Blue; Brandon Eckerle - Blue  
Poster-Cat: Grand Champion – Brayden Sutton; Reserve Grand Champion – Emily Hall  
Beginner: Emily Hall – State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Intermediate: Brayden Sutton, State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Advanced: Melanie Hawkins, State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Poster-Dog: Grand Champion – Brianna Eckerle; Reserve Grand Champion – Noah Esch  
Beginner: Brianna Eckerle- State Fair, Champion, Blue; Noah Esch – Reserve Champion, Blue; Emily Hall – Blue; Emma Holt – Blue; Olivia Taylor – Blue; Alysse Wadsworth- Blue; Sydnee Wittmer  
Poster-Rabbit: Grand Champion – Brayden Sutton; Reserve Grand Champion – Emily Hall  
Beginner: Emily Hall – State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Intermediate: Brayden Sutton – State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Advanced: Melanie Hawkins - State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Poultry Science Board: No Entries  
Poultry Display Board: Grand Champion – Melanie Hawkins  
Advanced: Melanie Hawkins - State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Sewing Construction: Grand Champion – Katherine Gilbert; Reserve Grand Champion – Emma Holt  
Grade 3 Wearable: Makenzie Mauder – State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Grade 4 Wearable: Emma Holt – Champion, Blue, State Fair; Karter Burris – Reserve Champion, Blue  
Grades 8-12 Wearable, Dress Up: Katherine Gilbert – State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Shooting Sports: Grand Champion – Cade Maschino; Reserve Grand Champion – Aidan Sheetz  
Level 1: Aiden Sheetz- Champion, Blue; Trenton Sanders - Reserve Champion, Blue; Gage Gilbert - Blue  
Level 2: Cade Maschino, State Fair, Champion, Blue; Wyatt Asbell, Reserve Champion, Blue; Austin Gilbert – Blue; Tucker Walton - Blue  
Small Engines: No Entries  
Soil and Water Science: Grand Champion – Melanie Hawkins  
Independent Study: Melanie Hawkins - State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Sportfishing: Grand Champion – Melanie Hawkins; Reserve Grand Champion – Tucker Walton  
Level 2: Tucker Walton - State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Level 3: Melanie Hawkins – State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Tractor Poster: Grand Champion – Melanie Hawkins; Reserve Grand Champion – Phillip Troutman  
Level D: Melanie Hawkins - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Phillip Troutman – Reserve Champion, Blue  
Veterinary Science: Grand Champion – Kenadi Rumble; Reserve Grand Champion – Madison Esch  
Intermediate: Madison Esch - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Brayden Sutton – Reserve Champion, Blue; Delani Bateman, Blue  
Advanced: Kenadi Rumble – State Fair, Champion, Blue; Melanie Hawkins - Reserve Champion, Blue;  
Weather & Climate Science: No En-

tries  
Weeds: No Entries  
Wildlife: Grand Champion – Melanie Hawkins; Reserve Grand Champion – Alexis Rush  
Level A: Joshua Gardiner - State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Level B: Alexis Rush - State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Level C: Melanie Hawkins – State Fair, Champion; Blue  
Independent Study: Melanie Hawkins - State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Woodworking: Grand Champion – Haileigh Suheski; Reserve Grand Champion – Justin Sanders  
Level A: Malachi McNabb - State Fair, Champion, Blue  
Level B: Trenton Sanders, State Fair, Champion, Blue; Nicholas Gilmore – Reserve Champion, Blue  
Level C: Haileigh Suheski, State Fair, Champion, Blue; Tucker Walton, Reserve Champion, Blue  
Level D: Justin Sanders - State Fair, Champion, Blue; Wyatt Crane - Reserve Champion, Blue  
Lawn and Garden Tractor Driving:  
Grand Champion: Cade Maschino; Reserve Grand Champion – Justin Sanders  
Junior Division: Champion – Cade Maschino; Reserve Champion – Ethan Graber  
Russel Mauder, Blue; Mackenzie Craney, Blue; Mason Kerr - Blue  
Zero Turn Radius Tractor Driving:  
Junior Division: Champion – Cade Maschino; Reserve Champion – Ethan Graber  
Russell Mauder - Blue  
Senior Division: Champion – Justin Hellums  
Mini Arts & Crafts: Elizabeth Boswell, Blue; Toni Browder, Blue; Journey Chastain, Blue; Savannah Green, Blue; Savanna Kramer, Blue; Emmalyn McNabb, Blue; Chase Miller, Blue; Clayton Miller, Blue; Marie Ringwald, Blue; Karmen Wilson, Blue;  
Mini Bicycle: No Entries  
Mini Bugs: No Entries  
Mini Cake Decorating: Ava Jeffers, Blue  
Mini Collections: Eli Holt, Blue; Emmalyn McNabb, Blue; Sabastian White, Blue  
Mini Construction Toys: Chauncey Archer, Blue; Toni Browder, Blue; Nickolis Milligan, Blue; Jackson Richer, Blue; Jaxon Smith, Blue; Sophia Toy, Blue; Carter Walton, Blue; Sabastian White, Blue  
Mini Dinosaurs: Landon Douglas, Blue; Mosby Jones, Blue; Gabriel Shinn, Blue; Sabastian White, Blue  
Mini Farm Scene: Eli Ausbrooks, Blue; Mosby Jones, Blue; Nickolis Milligan, Blue; Jackson Richer, Blue  
Mini Foods: Toni Browder, Blue; Sophia Toy, Blue; Karmen Wilson, Blue  
Mini Garden: Aydan Baker, Blue  
Mini Helping Mom & Dad: Elizabeth Douglas, Blue; Lydia Hawkins, Blue; Savanna Kramer, Blue; Marie Ringwald, Blue; Josie Roush, Blue  
Mini Models: Clayton Miller, Blue  
Mini My Pet & Me: Olivia Abel, Blue; Aydan Baker, Blue; Colton Downey, Blue; Lydia Hawkins, Blue; Mosby Jones, Blue; Chase Miller, Blue; Marie Ringwald, Blue  
Mini Plants & Flowers: Colton Downey, Blue; Savanna Kramer, Blue  
Mini Recycling: No Entries  
Mini Rockets: No Entries  
Mini Sewing: Sophia Toy, Blue; Sabastian White, Blue  
Mini Sports: Ava Jeffers, Blue  
Mini Sun, Stars & Space: Elizabeth Bosell, Blue  
Mini Sunflowers: Sophia Toy, Blue; Carter Walton; Blue  
Mini Trees: Brendan Green, Blue  
Mini Weather: No Entries  
Mini Whales & Dolphins: No Entries  
Mini Wildlife: Gabriel Shinn, Blue





-Photos provided

Karter Burris, who received Reserve Grand Champion Heifer/Grand Champion County Born and Raised, is pictured with Queen 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up Kayla Abel, Queen 1<sup>st</sup> Runner Up/Miss Congeniality Lindsey Lukens, and Queen Emily Bateman.



Mackenzie Craney who received Reserve Grand Champion Dairy Steer is pictured with Queen 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up Kayla Abel, Queen Emily Bateman, and Queen 1<sup>st</sup> Runner Up/Miss Congeniality Lindsey Lukens.



Tucker Walton, who received Reserve Grand Champion Market Steer, is pictured with Queen 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up Kayla Abel, Queen 1<sup>st</sup> Runner Up/Miss Congeniality Lindsey Lukens, and Queen Emily Bateman.



Haileigh Suheski, who received Reserve Grand Champion Dairy Heifer, is shown with her dad, Derrick Suheski.



## Making A Difference

### MARTIN COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

By Curt Johnson  
MCCF Executive Director



-- YOUR STORY --

So, what's your story? What things, people, or events have shaped your life? Sometimes they're wrapped around hardships, sometimes they're full of joy. But those moments are what has helped to define who you are today. And today is your building block for tomorrow. A stronger today sets the stage for a more steady and firm future for you tomorrow.

-- YOUR LEGACY --

Hopefully you will leave a story that your family will enjoy telling their kids and then for them to tell their own kids. Yes, your family will remember you, but after a few generations it gets to be just faint memories and stories that get shorter and shorter. Sure, it sounds sad to say that, but rarely is your story and your legacy passed on such that it maintains the original intent and meaning past those first few generations.

-- MORE THAN THAT --

Do you want to be remembered longer than just a generation or two? What about your defining moments and those life changing events that had a big impact on you? Those are building blocks that you could leave for others to lay as part of their own life's foundation. Your story and your legacy can be more than just a story.

-- DO IT WITH A WILL --

Your legacy can be more than the memories and stories told on the holidays. With a will, you can pass on some of your possessions that might give a glimpse to what was important to you. You can pass on money or other assets to your family to take care of them or make their life easier for a bit. But do

those gifts pass on your legacy for following generations? What else can you also do to reach even further?

-- AND AN ENDOWMENT--

I'm sure you can look at your life and find your building blocks, your defining moments, your life changing events. But then what? With the Martin County Community Foundation, we can help you set in motion a way that your legacy, that which defines who you are, will be passed forever to your family and others past those first few generations after you are gone. You can pass on some of your building blocks, those important events, with a MCCF endowment fund.

With your will, you can specify some part of your assets be donated to a MCCF fund that you've set up; this fund will forever support those things that made a difference in your life. Your legacy will continue to make a difference in other peoples' lives. Not just for a few generations, but forever. Your today, and your legacy, will become someone else's building block for tomorrow. And the tomorrow after that, and the tomorrow after that, and...

-- MORE INFORMATION --

For more information about the MCCF and how we can help you pass on your legacy to future generations, please contact the Executive Director, Curt Johnson, at 812-295-1022 or [mccf@cfpartner.org](mailto:mccf@cfpartner.org).

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## Baby show winners

-Photos provided

Shown above are the female winners of the Martin County 4-H Baby Contest. In the front row, from left to right are, Jada Wildman holding Nevaeh Wildman (13-18 mo. happiest), Jennifer Moreno holding Jacqueline Moreno (0-6 mo. best dressed), Allyson Mudd holding Annalise Mudd (13-18 mo. cutest), and Makaylee Long holding Emalynn Long (7-12 mo. cutest and best dressed). In the back row, from left to right, are Kayla Abel, queen 2<sup>nd</sup> runner up; Clent Hoffman holding Natalie Hoffman (13-18 mo. best dressed), Jessica Hert holding Ellington Hert (0-6 mo. cutest and happiest), Jessica Wagler holding Amiryah Wagler (19-24 mo. best dressed and happiest), Dustin Decker holding Riley Decker (7-12 mo. happiest), Kim Clark holding Natalie Clark (19-24 mo. cutest), and Lindsey Lukens, queen 1<sup>st</sup> runner up and Miss Congeniality. Shown below are the male winners from the contest. In the front row, from left to right, are Chasity Krodel holding Blaine King (7-12 mo. best dressed), Shondale Campbell holding Blaizden Campbell (0-6 mo. happiest), Wendy Thorsell holding Vincent Thorsell (7-12 mo. happiest), and Hannah Kidwell holding Finn Kidwell (0-6 mo. cutest). In the back row, from left to right, are Kayla Abel, queen 2<sup>nd</sup> runner up; Emily Murst holding Dean Hembree (13-18 mo. first in all), Tyler Cooper holding Kade Cooper (7-12 mo. cutest), Shelby McAtee holding Sage Norris (0-6 mo. best dressed), Mckenzie Shultz holding Noah Shultz (19-24 mo. first in all), and Lindsey Lukens, queen 1<sup>st</sup> runner up and Miss Congeniality.

