

# Martin County JOURNAL

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## Golden Hoosier

-Photo provided

On Wednesday, September 23, Betty Huelsman, of Odon, was one of 24 Golden Hoosier Award recipients. The Golden Hoosier awards were presented by Lieutenant Governor, Suzanne Crouch, and given to honor senior citizens who embody the spirit of volunteerism in their communities. Betty was nominated by the RSVP Volunteer Center, where she serves as president of the Board of Directors. She is active in food security projects, the vision screening program, children's programming, and many other activities. Betty is also on the Board of Directors for the Loogootee Library and was instrumental in the fundraising for building the new library. In addition, she is a longtime member of the St. Vincent DePaul Society and cares greatly for families in need in the community. She has worked for many years on the St. Nick Meal during the holidays.

## Battery allegation leads to arrest of Loogootee woman

On Wednesday afternoon, September 23, officers were flagged down by a female subject in Loogootee. The female advised that she had just been battered at a residence south of Loogootee. Martin County Sheriff's Office Major Keith Keller, Deputy Larry Gibson and Loogootee Chief Kelly Rayhill spoke with the alleged victim. Officers then went to the location of the reported battery and spoke with the alleged suspect, Carolyn Shipp, 57, of Loogootee. ISP Detective Jarrod Lents also arrived to assist.

Shipp allowed officers into her residence during the interaction. Once inside, officers observed suspected methamphetamine and paraphernalia in plain view. Shipp was detained, and she denied written consent to search her residence. Shipp was then transported to the Martin County Security Center on preliminary charges of battery, possession of methamphetamine and possession of paraphernalia. Officers stood by at the residence for scene security and integrity during the application of a search warrant. Deputy Gibson applied for and was granted a search warrant for Shipp's residence by the Honorable Martin Circuit Court Judge Lynne Ellis.

Deputy Gibson, Chief Deputy Josh Greene, ISP Trooper Steve Nolan, Sergeant Tyler Reed, Deputy Josh Seymour, Reserve Deputy Jason Greene, and Reserve Deputy Jeffery Dorsey then executed the search warrant. A search of the residence resulted in officers recovering six grams of a white powdery substance that field tested positive for methamphetamine, a handgun, scale, baggies, syringe,

marijuana and paraphernalia.

Shipp was charged with dealing in methamphetamine w/ enhancing circumstance (firearm), a Level 2 Felony; possession of methamphetamine w/ enhancing circumstance (firearm), a Level 4 Felony; maintaining a common nuisance, a Level 6 Felony; unlawful possession of a syringe, a Level 6 Felony; possession of marijuana, a Class B Misdemeanor; battery, a Class B Misdemeanor; and possession of paraphernalia, a Class C Misdemeanor.

All suspects are innocent until proven guilty.



## Grants issued to keep local businesses open

-Photo by Courtney Hughett

Radius Indiana, on Monday, facilitated a \$5,000 grant from Duke Energy to provide COVID-19 relief to Martin County business owners and organizations. With \$10,000 in help from the Martin County Alliance for Economic Growth, every applicant was able to receive \$1,000 each to help cover costs associated with losing business during the pandemic and stop the business from closing. The following businesses and organizations (with most owners/representatives shown above) received funding: Betsy's Boutique, Freedom Training & Consulting, Break Time Bar & Grill, The BodyShop Gym, Hometown Flowers & Gifts, Heavenly Hair, Village Pizza, Hair Tropics, Chastain's Flowers, Biggin's Pizza, the Martin County Humane Society, Cooper Plaza Antiques, Rosie's T-Shirt Shop, Studio 231, and Haven Lee Boutique.

## County's COVID positives finally starting to level off

In the last week we have seen a slowing in the number of COVID-19 cases reported for Martin County. Several days last week the county had no new cases reported. Over the weekend the health department was notified of five new positive cases of novel coronavirus (COVID-19) bringing the total number of positive cases to 169, since the beginning. To date, 1,687 residents in the county have been tested for Covid-19 and no one has died from the virus thus far.

For the sake of your family, friends and loved ones, please stay home if you are sick.

Wear a mask when you are around others. Wash your hands frequently and avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth. Avoid close contact with people who are sick or have been exposed to someone positive for Covid-19. Cover any coughs or sneezes with a tissue. If someone in your household is sick, clean and disinfect frequently

touched surfaces several times daily.

Those who have symptoms of or test positive for Covid-19 should isolate away from others in your household for at least 10 days from the start of symptoms. Individuals who have been identified as a close contact with someone who is symptomatic for Covid-19 or tests positive for Covid-19 should quarantine at home for 14 days from the date of last contact with that person. A close contact is defined as being within six feet of a positive or symptomatic person for longer than 15 minutes.

The Martin County Health Department is working closely with the Indiana State Department of Health Contact Tracing Team to ensure that contacts of the patients are identified and monitored and that infection control protocols are being followed.

For information on testing sites, visit the Indiana Department of Health website at <https://coronavirus.IN.gov>.

## Martin County Museum works through virus shutdown, still needs donation

BY PHIL TODD

Martin County Museum Volunteer

Due to the coronavirus, the Martin County Museum has not been able to allow visitors this year, and will continue to be closed for the rest of the year. However, if you visit the facebook site for the museum, you know that much work has been done inside the museum. Many areas of the museum have been painted, more are in the process, and the old courtroom upstairs is being renovated. Right now, renovation work is going on in the restrooms, and new water lines are being installed. Volunteers are in the museum every Friday and are available to offer assistance with any information you might want.

Funding for the museum is always a challenge, and this year has been especially difficult. Membership dues are a very important part of the financial package, so if you are a member, but haven't paid you dues, your support is vital. Also, for every 200 new memberships, the museum has a matching funds offer, so anyone that has thought about joining the museum is en-

couraged to do so and help the museum continue to upgrade. Another source of income is the annual ham and bean dinner held in the fall, but this has been canceled due to the virus. Donations from individuals touring the museum and purchasing material sold by the volunteers is also gone, curtailing some of the work they hoped to accomplish this year.

The museum continues to accept donations. (See 'MUSEUM' on page 3)

## Railroad crossing work in Shoals postponed a week

The railroad crossing located on High Street in Shoals will be closed beginning Monday, October 5 thru October 12 by CSX Transportation for repairs. The work was originally planned to start on September 28 but was pushed a week. During this time, the crossing will be closed completely with no thru access available. Please find an alternate route over these dates.

Questions or concerns can be directed to the Shoals Town Hall at (812) 247-2110.



# Making A Difference

By Curt Johnson  
MCCF Director



**-- EMERGENCY RELIEF FUND --**  
By reading my columns lately, I'm sure that you're aware of the Martin County Community Foundation's (MCCF) Emergency Relief Fund (ERF) and how the United Way of South Central Indiana (UWSCI) and the MCCF have used this fund to help with COVID-19 relief efforts in Martin County.

We have been able to provide face masks and hand sanitizer to several organizations in our county, including volunteer fire departments, recovery groups, food pantries, 4-H and law enforcement agencies. We also awarded grants to the Loogootee and Shoals school systems for internet hot spots and costs related to COVID-19. Assistance has also been provided to other organizations as they deal with the impacts of the pandemic. A couple of these were the Martin County 4-H club and the Shoals Public Library.

**-- FOR 4-H, SHOALS LIBRARY --**  
The Martin County 4-H found themselves in need of six months of insurance coverage for the fairgrounds, including all the buildings on the property. In these times, the facility and buildings offer a way for children and adults to engage in multiple ways in a safe environment. The MCCF was able to award \$5,000 to the Martin County 4-H to help keep the fairgrounds open and available to the community as much as they can while at the same time dealing with the COVID-19 restrictions.

And the Shoals Public Library needed two laptops to further help the community as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. Some patrons have found themselves required to work at home or remotely and were without a computer and internet access to do that. And we have some students trying to complete their e-learning coursework also without a computer

and/or access to the internet. The library received a \$1,064 grant for the purchase of the two laptops to help resolve these issues.

Through the ERF, the MCCF and UWSCI were able to help make a difference for the community and these organizations as they cope with the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.

**-- MORE INFORMATION --**  
For more information about the MCCF and how we can help you give back to your community, please contact the MCCF Director, Curt Johnson, at 812-295-1022 or [mccf@cfpartner.org](mailto:mccf@cfpartner.org).

You are also welcome to visit our webpage at [www.cfpartner.org](http://www.cfpartner.org), follow us on Twitter at [www.twitter.com/MartinCountyCF](https://twitter.com/MartinCountyCF), and "like" the MCCF Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/mccommunityfoundation](https://www.facebook.com/mccommunityfoundation).



Pictured is Sylvia Albaugh (Shoals Public Library Director) with one of the laptops bought with an MCCF Emergency Relief Fund grant.



Pictured is left to right is Alan Lagree (MCCF President) with Josh Ausbrooks (Martin County 4-H) happily receiving the MCCF Emergency Relief Fund grant.

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## ROBERT HARRISON

Robert Carroll Harrison passed away Sunday, September 27, 2020 in Odon. A resident of Loogootee, he was 95.

He was born September 30, 1924 in Medora; the son of Frank and Iva (Reed) Harrison. He married Margaret J. McAfee on May 13, 1944 and she preceded him in death.

He attended Purdue University and Indiana University, was manager of Farm Bureau Insurance offices in Washington and Loogootee and was store manager of Home Outfitters in Washington. Robert was a member of the Loogootee United Methodist Church where he taught Sunday School and was veteran of the United States Army.

Survivors include granddaughters, Lori Moore of Ellettsville, Stacy Harrison-King of Bedford and Andrea Harrison of Bedford; grandsons, Darren (Bernadette) Goin of Indianapolis, Ronald Harrison of Bedford, Nathan Harrison of Loogootee and Eric Harrison of Bloomington; and several great and great-great grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his parents, wife, one daughter, Linda Winegar; two sons, Ronald Harrison and Derek Harrison; and one grandson, Ronnie Allen.

Funeral services will be 1 p.m. Friday, October 1 at the Loogootee United Methodist Church with Pastor Colleen Harden officiating. Burial will be in the Cresthaven Memory Gardens in Bedford. Visitation will be 11 a.m. until the time of service at the church on Friday.

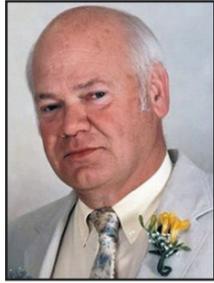
The Queen-Lee Chapel of the Thorne-George Family Funeral Homes has been entrusted with the arrangements.

## MICHAEL LANNAN

Michael Eugene Lannan passed away Friday, September 25, 2020 at Saint Vincent Heart Center in Indianapolis. A resident of Linton, he was 78.

He was born February 24, 1942, in Loogootee; the son of Sam and Dola Lannan. Known as Mike Lannan, he loved farming and raising sheep and was an avid businessman in the town of Linton. Mike loved the Lord, was involved at Saint Peter's Church, and loved life, his wife and family.

Mike and Donna Lannan have been married 60 years and were high school sweethearts. Together they have four children, (Lynette Lannan Coffey) Charles Coffey, (Blaine Lannan) Beth Lannan, (Jo Lannan) Kelly Lannan and (Jarman Lannan) Paulette Lannan; 16 grandchildren,



MIKE LANNAN

seven great-grandchildren; brother, Norbert Lannan and sister, Kay Lannan. He has many nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, in-laws and brothers, Hubert Lannan, Merle Lannan, Bernie Lannan and sisters, Lois, Millie Jones, and Rita Mae.

The family would like to thank Dr. Brian Cox for his compassionate care, friendship and always being available to care for him.

A Mass of Christian burial was held at St. Peter Catholic Church in Linton this morning, Wednesday, September 30, with Father Simon officiating. Burial followed at Fairview Cemetery in Linton.

Online condolences may be shared with Mike's family at [www.welchcornett.com](http://www.welchcornett.com).

## JACQUELINE VICKERS

Jacqueline Joann (Girdley) Vickers, 93 passed away peacefully at Parkview Senior Assisted Living Community in Colville, Washington on June 18, 2020.

Jackie Jo was born on June 7, 1927, in Martin County; the daughter of Alexander Wayne Girdley and Mary Alice (Waggoner) Girdley. She was the last child to be born in the family home built by her great grandfather, Alexander Waggoner Girdley in 1858, in the area that is now the Crane U.S. Navel Ammunition Depot.

Jackie Jo married her childhood sweetheart, Eldon Beryl Vickers, on November 11, 1943, in Shelbyville, Kentucky. She and Eldon had a great passion for fishing, camping, traveling, and genealogy. Her love for genealogy stemmed from her early years when she and her parents lived with her grandparents. The home had no electricity therefore they spent their evenings passing down stories about the past generations of the Girdley and Scott families. While they resided most of the last forty-seven years of their life together in Tucson, Eldon's career path afforded them the opportunities to spend a couple of years in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil and in the San Francisco Bay area.

They were members of Saint Mark's United Methodist Church of Tucson.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Eldon Beryl; their son, James Michael; daughter, Sandra Joann; granddaughter, Holly Elizabeth; her parents, and sisters, Frances Louise Arthur and

Gail Anne Quinn.

She is survived by her children, Alice Lynne Hahn, Cheryl Diane Lopez, Darryl Lee Vickers, Connie Ruth Wilson and Karen Elaine Benson. She was Grandma Jackie to fourteen grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren.

A Celebration of Life service will be held in Tucson, Arizona on October 10. A brief service has been scheduled for Eldon and Jackie's at the Goodwill Cemetery in Loogootee on October 15 at 10 a.m.

## EVERETT CANARY

Everett L. Canary, 76, of Montgomery, passed away at 1:50 a.m. Monday, September 28, 2020 at his home. A resident of Montgomery, he was 76.

He was born December 5, 1943 in Daviess County; son of the late Walter "Bill" L. and Jewell (Schnarr) Canary.

Everett was a Master Mason and became a member in 1973. He also was a member of the American Legion, Post 120. Everett loved to ride his Harley. It was one of his favorite pastimes.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 23 years, Barbara Sue (Richardson) Canary; parents, Walter "Bill" L. and Jewell Canary; and sister, Camilla "Shorty" Rayhill.

Everett is survived by his daughters, Tammy Burris of Washington and Amanda Canary of Montgomery; five grandchildren; siblings, Celena Hoffman of Jasper, Eldon (Donna) Canary of Chatham, Illinois; Candice (Albert) Kennedy of Indianapolis and Edward (Evonne) Canary of Coatsville; and brother-in-law, Carroll Rayhill.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, October 2 at Blake Funeral Home in Loogootee. Burial will follow in Alfordsville Community Cemetery.

Visitation will be held Thursday, October 1 from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Blake Funeral Home in Loogootee.

Condolences may be made online at [www.blakefuneralhomes.com](http://www.blakefuneralhomes.com). Blake Funeral Home is honored to serve the family of Everett L. Canary.

## DELMAR MATHIES

Delmar Edward Mathies passed away on Tuesday September 29, 2020 at Parkview Village in Odon, Indiana surrounded by his family. A resident of Loogootee, he was 85.

He was born January 8, 1935 in Daviess County; son of Joseph and Barbara (Prechtel) Mathies. Delmar was one of nine children, being the youngest. He attended grade school for six years in Cannelburg, seventh and eighth grade at St. Peters School, and graduated from Montgomery High School in 1953.

Delmar married Margaret Rose Borho on January 9, 1960 in St. Meinrad Archabbey Church. He was a United States Army Veteran. He served in the US Infantry from 1955 - 1957. Delmar was a 3rd Degree Knight in the Knights of Columbus. He was a member of St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church in Loogootee. Delmar was a life-long farmer.

Delmar was preceded in death by his wife, Margaret Mathies on March 10, 2018; his siblings, Ardella Norris, Genevieve Riney, Othmar Mathias, Robert Mathies, Victor Mathias, Ernest Mathias,

Donald Mathias, and Doris Burger.

He is survived by his children, David Mathies of Indianapolis, Kevin Mathies of Loogootee, Kathy (Mike) Miller of Cannelton, Diane (Bill) Nelson of Indianapolis, George (Terri) Mathies, and Brian (Sherri) Mathies, both of Loogootee; grandchildren, Lucas Mathies, Matthew and Megan Mathies, Elisa and Michael Miller, Anna, Alison, and Kelli Mariutto, Jen (Rudy) Riva, Joe (Mo) Nelson, Samm (Tom) Rauh, Jacob Mathers and Eli (Natalie) Mathers, Lucas Jones, Gordon Jones, and Ryan Jones; great-grandchildren, Jeffrey and Nikki Riva, Margaret Rauh and many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated by Very Rev. J. Kenneth Walker at 10 a.m. Thursday October 1 at St. John the Evangelist Catholic Church. Burial will follow at St. Mary - Barr Township.

Visitation will be held Wednesday September 30 from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. at Blake Funeral Home in Loogootee.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 9395, 300 Vine Street Loogootee, Indiana 47553.

Online condolences can be made to [www.blakefuneralhomes.com](http://www.blakefuneralhomes.com). Arrangements provided by Blake Funeral Home in Loogootee.

## MUSEUM

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nations from the public, and volunteers are cataloging all items received. Once the renovations are completed, separate rooms in the museum will be designated for displays or themes. This will allow individuals interested in a particular period of time, or specific location in the county, easier access to find what they are looking for. Also, volunteers are continually working on genealogical papers and history, to allow family historical searches for ancestry. With volunteer labor, and donations from businesses and private parties, work has and will continue in the museum, despite all the challenges this year has given. If you would like to be a volunteer, contact the museum on Fridays from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. All help is appreciated, and they continue to look forward to the day visitors can come in and see what has been done.

*A Proud Member of the Shoals Community Since 1937!*



**Stop by and see our newly renovated facility!**



## TENDERLOIN FUNDRAISER

**Saturday, October 3**

**4:00 pm - 7:00 pm**

**Loogootee United Methodist Church Parking Lot**  
*(If raining, it will be held in the Fellowship Hall)*

**Menu: Tenderloin Sandwich, Chips, Dessert, Drink - \$8.00**

*Proceeds go to the Loogootee Toy Store and Amanda Stice Missionary*

## ATTENTION: MEDICARE RECIPIENTS

The Annual Election Period (AEP) For Medicare will be starting on October 15th and end on December 7th. I represent most of the major carriers that serve the Indiana market and I would be pleased to assist you in your decision regarding your health insurance.

**Call George Doyle at 317-847-2532**

## Martin County Sheriff's Department log

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

1:05 a.m. - Received a request for a lift assist in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance and Loogootee Officer Means responded.

3:24 a.m. - Received a request for an officer near Shoals. Deputy Seymour responded.

6:55 a.m. - Received a request for a welfare check in Loogootee. Loogootee Chief Rayhill responded.

8:47 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance responded. No one transported.

8:53 a.m. - Received a request to speak with an officer in Loogootee. Loogootee Dispatch was advised.

1:50 p.m. - Received a report of suspicious activity in Shoals. Major Keller and Loogootee Chief Rayhill advised.

1:54 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance and Loogootee Fire Department responded.

2:01 p.m. - Received a report of an erratic driver in Loogootee. Loogootee Dispatch was advised. Loogootee Chief Rayhill responded.

2:40 p.m. - Received a request for assistance getting farm equipment out onto the highway west of Shoals. Deputy Gibson responded.

4:43 p.m. - Received a report of a loud noise in Shoals. Deputy Gibson responded.

5:54 p.m. - Received a report of a commercial alarm. The store manager advised to disregard.

6:54 p.m. - Advised by Indian Creek Fire that they were in Mitcheltree Township creating a map for their first responders.

11:18 p.m. - Received a report of a car vs. deer accident near Loogootee. Deputy Gibson was advised.

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

1:38 a.m. - Received a report of a sus-

picious man in Shoals. Deputy Seymour responded.

6:45 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance near Shoals. Martin County Ambulance and Shoals Fire Department responded.

7:58 a.m. - Received a report of dogs barking in the early morning hours. Animal Control Officer Hughett was advised.

9:39 a.m. - Received a report of a loud noise and a damaged mailbox. Major Keller was advised. Caller advised she does not need an officer her landlord fixed the mailbox.

9:53a.m. - Received a report of a reckless driver of farm equipment. Major Keller was advised.

12:35 p.m. - Received a request for officer assistance south of Loogootee. Major Keller responded.

2:51 p.m. - Received a report of domestic battery near Loogootee. Deputy Gibson and Loogootee Chief Rayhill responded.

3:03 p.m. - Received a report of an audible burglar alarm south of Shoals. Chief Deputy Greene was advised. Homeowner advised dispatch to disregard.

3:10 p.m. - Received a report of a missing person near Shoals. Shoals Town Marshal Eckert responded. Individual was located.

3:32 p.m. - Received a report of a hit and run. Chief Deputy Greene responded.

4:19 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Shoals. Martin County Ambulance and Shoals Fire Department responded. Martin County Ambulance transported one patient to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

6:27 p.m. - Received a dog complaint in Loogootee. Animal Control Officer Hughett responded.

7:51 p.m. - Received a report of a suspicious male in a dress flagging down cars south of Loogootee. Indiana State Police was advised.

8:25 p.m. - Received a call requesting assistance for a stranded boater near Shoals on the White River. Shoals Fire Department responded. The boater was successfully rescued.

9:33 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance near Shoals. Martin County Ambulance responded. No one was transported.

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

6:00 a.m. - Received a report of an accident east of Shoals. Deputy Seymour, Martin County Ambulance, and Shoals Fire responded. No one was transported.

8:40 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance south of Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance and Loogootee Fire responded. The subject was transported to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

Deputy Wells assisted with the arrest. 10:00 a.m. - Deputy Wells took two inmates to court.

11:53 p.m. - Received an animal complaint in Loogootee. Loogootee Sergeant Floyd responded.

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

6:35 a.m. - Received a report of an accident on US 50, east of Shoals. Deputy Barnett, Shoals Fire, and Martin County Ambulance responded. No one was transported.

9:52 a.m. - Received a report of an elderly person walking near US 50, west of Shoals. Major Keller responded and took the person home.

10:36 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance south of Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance responded and transported the subject to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

10:46 a.m. - Received a dog complaint in Loogootee. Loogootee Police were notified.

2:35 p.m. - Received a dog complaint in Loogootee. Animal Control was notified.

4:45 p.m. - Received a report of a reckless driver on SR 150, east of Shoals. Deputy Lents responded.

7:01 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance south of Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance and Haysville Fire responded. The subject was transported to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

12:31 a.m. - Received a report of a suspicious vehicle south of Loogootee. Deputy Barnett and Loogootee Officer Means responded.

5:38 a.m. - Received a report of a suspicious vehicle near Loogootee. Deputy Barnett responded.

7:06 a.m. - Received a report of a car-deer accident on US 231, south of Loogootee. Deputy Wells responded.

10:24 a.m. - Received a report of a road barrier problem near Brooks Bridge. Martin County Highway Department was notified.

11:40 a.m. - Deputy Wells performed a vehicle unlock in Loogootee.

4:32 p.m. - Received a report of a suspicious vehicle in Loogootee. Loogootee Captain Hennette responded.

4:57 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance north of Shoals. Martin County Ambulance responded.

5:40 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance east of Shoals. Martin County Ambulance and Shoals Fire responded. One subject was transported to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

8:58 p.m. - Received a report of a tree down east of Shoals. Deputy Lents responded.

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

5:38 a.m. - Received a report of a suspicious vehicle near Shoals. Deputy Barnett responded.

7:06 a.m. - Received a report of a road issue near Loogootee. Martin County Highway Department responded.

11:20 a.m. - Received a call from an elderly female near Shoals requesting help on getting food. Deputy Wells responded.

11:40 a.m. - Deputy Wells performed a vehicle unlock in Loogootee.

4:57 p.m. - Received a request for medical assistance near Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance responded.

5:40 p.m. - Received a request for medical assistance in Shoals. Martin County Ambulance and Shoals Fire Department responded. Martin County Ambulance transported one subject to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

8:27 p.m. - Received a report of a possible drunk driver near Loogootee. All Martin County Law Enforcement was advised.

8:58 p.m. - Received a report of a tree down east of Shoals. Martin County Ambulance and REMC responded.

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

2:54 a.m. - Deputy Barnett and Reserve Deputy Dorsey responded to an intoxicated individual at a business in Crane.

9:45 a.m. - Animal Control Officer Hughett picked up an animal near Loogootee.

10:22 a.m. - Loogootee Police responded to a possible drunk driver near Loogootee.

4:32 p.m. - Received a report of a distressed person walking on the highway near Loogootee. Deputy Lents responded.

5:00 p.m. - Received a report of a disabled vehicle east of Shoals. Deputy Barnett and Big John's Towing responded.

6:08 p.m. - Deputy Barnett, Loogootee Officer Means, Loogootee Fire and G&M Towing responded to a two-vehicle accident north of Loogootee. Martin County Ambulance transported one person to Daviess Community Hospital.

8:16 p.m. - Received a report of a single-vehicle accident near Shoals. Shoals Town Marshal Eckert responded.



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# COURT NEWS

## CRIMINAL CONVICTIONS AND SENTENCINGS

### August 19

Zane A. Sanders, convicted of possession of cocaine, a Level 6 Felony and operating a vehicle while intoxicated endangering a person, a Level 6 Felony and resisting law enforcement, a Class A Misdemeanor. Sentenced on the first count to serve 912 days with the Indiana Department of Corrections with 526 days suspended and credit for 193 actual days previously served plus 193 Class A credit days. Defendant received 17 months of probation. Sentenced on the second and third count to serve 730 days with the Indiana Department of Corrections with 712 days suspended and credit for 9 actual days previously served plus 9 Class A credit days. Defendant received 19 months of probation.

### August 20

Amanda L. Rodriguez, convicted of possession of methamphetamine, a Level 6 Felony, amended from a Level 5 Felony. Sentenced to serve 730 days with 164 days suspended and credit for 120 actual days previously served plus 120 Class A credit days. Defendant received 5 months of probation.

### August 24

Larry Joseph Summers, Jr., convicted of operating a motor vehicle after forfeiture of license for life, a Level 5 Felony. Sentenced to serve 1,277 days with the Indiana Department of Corrections with 1,103 days suspended and credit for 12 actual days previously served plus 4 Class B credit days. Also credit for 126 actual days served on Martin County Community Corrections Pre-Trial Home Detention and 32 Class P credit days. Defendant received 36 months of probation.

Eric K. Tosti, convicted of possession of methamphetamine, a Level 6 Felony. Sentenced to serve 730 days with 582 days suspended and credit for 14 actual days previously served plus 14 Class A credit days. Defendant to serve 120 days of executed time on the Greene County Community Corrections Work Release Program. Defendant received 18 months of probation.

### August 25

Richard L. Woody, Jr., convicted of invasion of privacy, a Class A Misdemeanor, amended from a Level 6 Felony. Sentenced to serve 365 days with 357 days suspended and credit for 4 actual days previously served plus 4 Class A credit days. Defendant received 11 months of probation.

### September 10

Travis L. Criswell, convicted of furnishing alcohol to a minor, a Class B Misdemeanor. Received no sentence, except to pay fines, fees and court costs.

## ARRESTS

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

4:18 p.m. - Carolyn Shipp, 57, of Loogootee, was arrested by Deputy Gibson and charged with possession of methamphetamine, possession of marijuana, dealing in methamphetamine with enhancing circumstances, possession of paraphernalia, unlawful possession of a syringe, maintaining a common nuisance, and battery. She is being held without bond.

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

8:52 a.m. - Connie Carlson, 42, of Loogootee, was arrested by Loogootee Captain Hennette and charged with possession of methamphetamine. She is being held on a \$15,000 10% bond.

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

9:31 p.m. - Justin Brumbarger, 36, of Dugger, was arrested by Loogootee Officer Means on a Hendricks County warrant for child molesting and incest. He is being held for Hendricks County without bond.

### September 18

Heather L. Douglas Waggoner, convicted of operating a vehicle with an ACE of .08 or more, a Class C Misdemeanor and check deception, a Class A Misdemeanor. Sentenced on the first count to serve 60 days with 0 suspended and credit for 30 actual days previously served plus 30 Class A credit days. Sentenced on the second count to serve 365 days with 335 days suspended and credit for 15 actual days previously served plus 15 Class A credit days. Defendant received 6 months of probation.

### CRIMINAL CHARGES DISMISSED

#### August 19

Zane A. Sanders, dealing in cocaine, a Level 5 Felony, dismissed; possession of a controlled substance, a Class A Misdemeanor, dismissed; dealing in marijuana, a Class A Misdemeanor, dismissed; possession of marijuana, a Class B Misdemeanor, dismissed; possession of paraphernalia, a Class C Misdemeanor, dismissed; illegal possession of an alcoholic beverage, a Class C Misdemeanor, dismissed; battery against a public safety official, a Level 6 Felony, dismissed; illegal consumption of an alcoholic beverage, a Class C Misdemeanor, dismissed.

#### August 20

Amanda L. Rodriguez, unlawful possession of a syringe, a Level 6 Felony, dismissed; possession of marijuana, a Class B Misdemeanor, dismissed; possession of paraphernalia, a Class C Misdemeanor, dismissed.

#### August 24

Erik K. Tosti, domestic battery, a Level 6 Felony, dismissed; possession of paraphernalia, a Class C Misdemeanor, dismissed.

### September 18

Heather L. (Waggoner) Douglas, three counts of check deception, Class A Misdemeanors, dismissed.

David H. Sorrells, domestic battery, a Class A Misdemeanor, dismissed.

### CIVIL COURT

#### New Suits Filed

#### September 21

Midland Funding, LLC vs. Darren Lannan, civil collection.

#### September 22

Quicken Loans, LLC vs. Merrill Bateman, mortgage foreclosure.

### CIVIL COURT JUDGMENTS

#### September 22

Judgment in favor of the plaintiff Rent to Own Rentals, LLC and against the defendant Andrew D. Jones in the amount of \$13,655.48.

### SMALL CLAIMS JUDGMENTS

#### September 18

Judgment in favor of the plaintiff Hoosier Accounts Service and against the defendant Michael L. Wade in the amount of \$1,481.38.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

#### September 17

Andrea Vaupel of Loveland, Colorado and Nick Wilmes of Loveland, Colorado.

#### September 18

Cody Salmon of Shoals and Nancy Salmon of Shoals.

# Loogootee Police log

## MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

5:03 a.m. - Sgt McBeth responded to a report of dogs barking throughout the night on SW 3<sup>rd</sup> Street.

10:16 a.m. - Chief Rayhill responded to a complaint of two dogs aggressively following a male walking in the SW 2<sup>nd</sup> Street and Fullerton Street areas.

12:35 p.m. - Chief Rayhill and Sgt Floyd complete a welfare check on two male juveniles on US 50E.

3:06 p.m. - First responders responded to a medical call on Dover Hill Road.

3:11 p.m. - Chief Rayhill assisted the Martin County EMS with a medical call on Cedar Street.

3:33 p.m. - Chief Rayhill assisted the department of child services and the Martin County Sheriff's Department with a warrant service.

3:57 p.m. - Officer Means completed a vehicle check.

## TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

1:05 a.m. - Officer Means assisted the ambulance with a medical call on US 50E.

7:00 a.m. - Chief Rayhill completed a welfare check on a juvenile male at Country Place Apartments.

7:50 a.m. - Chief Rayhill, Captain Hennette, K-9 Roxy, and Deputy Harmon from the Daviess County Sheriff's Department with his K-9 unit conducted a routine search at Loogootee High School.

9:00 a.m. - Chief Rayhill contacted a complainant in reference to a report of property taken from a family member's residence.

12:40 p.m. - Chief Rayhill responded to a complaint of a possible domestic dispute on Cherry Street.

1:52 p.m. - First Responders responded to a medical call on Church Street.

2:00 p.m. - Chief Rayhill responded to a report of an erratic driver nearing Loogootee from St. Mary's Road.

2:25 p.m. - Received a report of a suspicious vehicle on SW 1<sup>st</sup> Street.

4:34 p.m. - Officer Means responded to a report of a suspicious person on West Washington Street.

5:45 p.m. - Officer Means spoke with a subject in reference to a harassment complaint.

## WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

# Martin County real estate transfers

**Lisa J. Baker to Gary D. Sexton and Nancy E. Sexton**, Lots Numbered 5 and 6 in West Harrisonville, now Trinity Springs, Martin County, Indiana.

**Robert D. Doane and Bernard A. Doane**, of Martin County, Indiana to **Ashton R. Wagler and Jessica N. Wagler**, of Martin County, Indiana, a part of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 1, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, containing 0.80 of an acre, more or less. Also, a part of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 1, Township 3 North, Range 4 West, containing 3 acres, more or less.

**The Great Outdoors Partnership to Tara Dinkelman**, part of the southeast quarter of Section 3, and part of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of

8:00 a.m. - Chief Rayhill responded to a property damage accident at US 50/US 231.

2:51 p.m. - Chief Rayhill assisted the Martin Co Sheriff's Department with a possible battery case.

6:17 p.m. - Sgt McBeth spoke with a complainant in reference to trespassing.

## THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

8:42 a.m. - First responders responded to a medical call on US 231S.

1:15 p.m. - Captain Hennette responded to a local business in reference to a report of an irate customer.

6:36 p.m. - Sgt Floyd answered a complaint of suspicious male subjects in the area of a local business.

9:40 p.m. - Sgt Floyd responded to a report of harassment at a local business.

## FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

1:00 a.m. - Sgt Floyd responded to a complaint of erratic driving on NE 1<sup>st</sup> and SE 1<sup>st</sup> streets

1:53 a.m. - Sgt Floyd answered a complaint of a loud dog on SE 3<sup>rd</sup> Street.

6:42 p.m. - Loogootee Fire Department was dispatched to a tree on fire on Mt. Pleasant Road.

6:59 p.m. - First responders responded to a medical call on US 231S.

## SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26

12:31 a.m. - Officer Means assisted the Martin County Sheriff's Department with checking a residence due to a suspicious vehicle in the area.

2:01 p.m. - Captain Hennette responded to a report of a syringe laying in the street and retrieved the item to be disposed of.

4:35 p.m. - Captain Hennette responded to a report of a vehicle in town with children in the floorboard of the car.

## SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27

10:26 a.m. - Chief Rayhill responded to a call of an erratic driver nearing Loogootee on US 231N.

12:45 p.m. - Chief Rayhill checked a utility line that was reportedly knocked down on High Street.

6:11 p.m. - First responders were dispatched to an accident at US 231N and Day Road. Officer Means also responded. Officer Means was assisted by Martin County Sheriff's Department, Martin Co. EMS, and LFD First Responders.

Section 2, all in Township 3 North, Range 3 West, Second Principal Meridian, Halbert Civil Township, Martin County, Indiana, containing 7.98 acres, more or less.

**Ohio River Veneers, LLC**, of Monroe County, Indiana to **Zachary J. Pavlik and Amanda R. Pavlik**, of Adams County, Indiana. Tract I: Part of the northwest quarter of Section 12, Township 1 North, Range 4 West, containing 7 ¾ acres, more or less. Tract II: All that part of the east half of the northwest quarter of Section 12, Township 1 North, Range 4 West, containing 24 acres, more or less. Tammy L. Carrico and Ashton L. Goldsberry, of Martin County, Indiana to Kristina Renee Graham and Johnathon Lee Graham, of Martin County, Indiana, a tract of land in the southeast quarter of Section 31, Township 3 North, Range 3 West, containing 6 acres, more or less, except a section containing 0.50 acres, more or less.

**Stephen B. Nonte and Adam S. Nonte**, of Greene County, Indiana to **Tiffany Dawn Haywood and Ryan Lee Haywood**, of Daviess County, Indiana, a portion of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 12, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Perry Township, Martin County, Indiana, containing 2 acres.

**Kelly Schnarr**, of Daviess County, Indiana to **Joshua Lee Franklin and Waynesa J. Franklin**, of Martin County, Indiana, a part of the northeast quarter of Section 36, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, in Perry Township, Martin County, Indiana, containing 1.33 acres, more or less.

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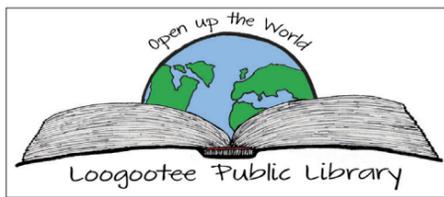
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STUDENT WHO OBTAINED 0% ON AN EXAM

- I would have given him 100% for his wit!!!
- Q1. In which battle did Napoleon die?  
\* his last battle---
- Q2. Where was the Declaration of Independence signed?  
\* at the bottom of the page
- Q3. River Ravi flows in which state?  
\* liquid
- Q4. What is the main reason for divorce?  
\* marriage
- Q5. What is the main reason for failure?  
\* exams
- Q6. What can you never eat for breakfast?  
\* Lunch & dinner
- Q7. What looks like half an apple?  
\*The other half

- Q8. If you throw a red stone into the blue sea what it will become?  
\* It will simply become wet
- Q9. How can a man go eight days without sleeping?  
\*No problem, he sleeps at night.
- Q10. How can you lift an elephant with one hand?  
\*You will never find an elephant that has only one hand.
- Q11. If you had three apples and four oranges in one hand and four apples and three oranges in other hand, what would you have?  
\*Very large hands
- Q12. If it took eight men ten hours to build a wall, how long would it take four men to build it?  
\* No time at all, the wall is already built.
- Q13. How can u drop a raw egg onto a concrete floor without cracking it?  
\*Any way you want, concrete floors are very hard to crack.



BY DARLA WAGLER

Librarian, Loogootee Public Library

Assistant Librarian Carolyn Parsons-Downey will begin a book club on Monday October 19 at 9 a.m. The group will meet and discuss a diverse selection of books. The first book will be "Where the Crawdad Sings" by Delia Owens. The first meeting will be held to discuss the logistics of the meeting and to pass out the books. If you would like more info, please call the library.

The library will be closed on Monday, October 12 for Columbus Day!

New Books:

Mystery: "Christmas Cupcake Murder" by Joanne Fluke and "Elsewhere" by Dean Koontz.

Fiction: "The Return" by Nicholas Sparks, "The Brightest Star" by Fern Michaels, "Paradise Peak" by Janet Dailey, and "troubles in Paradise" by Elin Hilderbrand.

Inspirational Fiction: "The Amish Christmas Secret" by Vannetta Chapman, "The Cowboy's Christmas Blessings" by Jill Kemerer, "Finding Her Christmas Family" by Ruth Logan Herne, and "The Amish Widow's Christmas Hope" by Carrie Lighte.

Nonfiction: "Rage" by Bob Woodward, "Killing Crazy Horse" by Bill O'Reilly, and "The Three Cs That Made America Great" by Mike Huckabee.

The library phone number is 812-295-3713 or check out the website [www.loogootee.lib.in.us](http://www.loogootee.lib.in.us) or like us on Facebook. The library has free Wi-Fi service available for patrons.

### THOUGHTS

\*I need one of those long hugs that make you forget everything that's happening around you for a minute.

\*In other news, the Seven Dwarfs have been advised that, as of today, they can only meet in groups of six. One of them isn't Happy.

\*If 2020 was a math problem: If you're going down a river at 2 mph and your canoe loses a wheel, how much pancake mix would you need to re-shingle your roof?

\*I'm not adding this year to my age. I didn't use it. I spent the whole year washing my hands.

\*I started jogging today. I didn't want to, but the margarita truck didn't stop.

\*A cheese factory exploded in France. De Brie is everywhere.

\*Forecast for today: Unproductive with a chance of napping.

\*Huge fight at seafood restaurant. Battered fish everywhere.

\*It's weird being the same age as old people.

Make someone smile today!

### Flu shots available

The Martin County Health Department will begin giving flu shots by appointment only during their regular Wednesday clinics beginning September 30. Flu shots can be given to age 6 months to 64 years of age. The cost for flu vaccine is \$20. The health department can bill most commercial insurance companies. Please call 812-247-3303 to schedule your appointment. The health department is located at 127 Water Street, Shoals. For those 65 or older, please see your pharmacy or physician office for a high dose flu vaccine.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### Revival cancelled

Due to COVID, Shoals Church of the Cross has cancelled their Community Tent Revival scheduled for Saturday, October 3.

### Paper drive

The next Right to Life Paper Drive/ Aluminum Can Drive will be held Saturday, October 3. In Daviess County, it will be held at the Tractor Supply parking lot in Washington. This is the main location for the paper drive with hours from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. All other locations around the county from 9 a.m. to noon. In Martin County, it will be held at the Martin County Recycling Center from 9 a.m. to noon. If you could volunteer for just one hour, please contact Louis Kavanaugh Jr. at 486-3658 or in Martin County, call Van McAtee at 295-4251. Or just show up the day of the paper drive.

### Public test of election equipment

Notice is hereby given that the public testing of DS200 Image Scanners and Expressvote units that will be used in the 2020 General Election will be conducted in the commissioners' room at the Martin County Courthouse, located at 129 Main Street Shoals, IN 47581, on Tuesday September 28 at 1 p.m. This test is to ensure all equipment is tallying votes correctly and working properly. This public test is open to the public in accordance to (IC 3-11-13-22).

### Free dinner

The Loogootee Christian Church, at 206 Sherman Street, is having their monthly free meal for the community. They would like to extend an invitation to the entire community for a free dinner to be held Thursday, October 1 from 6-8 p.m. in the church parking lot. If raining, please check the church sign for details.

### Cemetery clean-up

Goodwill Cemetery will be holding their first annual Fall Cleanup Day at the cemetery on Saturday, October 10 at 9 a.m. until 2 p.m., or as needed. The cemetery group has a facebook page and request that you post there if you plan to attend. They have several jobs lined up for the day. Goodwill Cemetery is located on North Line Street in Loogootee.

### Food pantry hours

The Loogootee United Methodist Food

Pantry will be open the first, second, third and fifth Thursdays of the month from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and also the first Monday of the month from 5-6:30 p.m.

### Mental Health Task Force

The Martin County Mental Health Task Force meets on the second Wednesday of the month from 1-2 p.m. at the Community Learning Center on the Martin County Fairgrounds.

### Celebrate Recovery meetings

Celebrate Recovery meetings will be held every Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at Redemption Church in Loogootee. This is a Christ-centered recovery program and anyone is welcome to attend.

### Local recovery meetings

Wednesdays-Alcoholic Anonymous, Martin County Community Corrections Building at 8 p.m.; Thursdays-Narcotics Anonymous, Redemption Church Loogootee at 8 p.m.; Fridays-Alcoholic Anonymous, Loogootee Municipal Building Loogootee at 8 p.m.

### Free lunch for kids

New Beginnings Community Church will be offering a free lunch to all school age children every Saturday. Lunches can be picked up at the fellowship hall of the church, located at 105 Wood St, Loogootee no later than 10:30 a.m. Deliveries will begin between 10:30 and 11 a.m. Saturdays.

### SOAR Tutoring

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### 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 Loogootee. The meetings are open to the public and anyone 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 County Learning Center. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays except Thursdays when it is closed. Visit [www.martinswcd.com](http://www.martinswcd.com) or call at 295-3149.



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*We hope to see you there and share a smile or two!*

***Monday, November 2***

**Meals to be picked up 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm**

***Video link will be provided with meal and on MCCF webpage at [www.cfpartner.org](http://www.cfpartner.org)***

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*Tickets are \$20 with a meal and \$15 with no meal. Tickets must be purchased by Friday, October 16th, and are available at: German American Bank, The Shoals News, Old National Bank, or MCCF Board Members: Jerry Braun, Melissa Courter, Dan Gregory, Jenell Hoffman, Alan Lagree, Angie Risacher, Candace Roush, Garry Smith, Phillip Smith, Annette Taylor, and Curt Johnson.*

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# SCHOOL & SPORTS

## LHS Boys' Tennis break record for most wins, start Sectional this week

The Loogootee Varsity Boys' Tennis Team goes into Sectional this week with an undefeated record at 21-0, the most wins in school history.

On Thursday, October 1, the boys will take on Barr-Reeve at 5 p.m. The first match will be played between Northeast Dubois and Paoli this evening, Wednesday. The winners of each will play in the championship on Friday, October 2 at 5 p.m.

This past Saturday, the varsity boys defeated Terre Haute South 4-1, at home. The junior varsity matches ended in a draw, 1-1.

Head Coach Mike Tippery said after the matches, "This was a great win for this team. Headed into the Sectional we could have been happy with a 20-win undefeated regular season and just practiced today. Our guys know if we are going to get better, we have to play quality teams. So, when the opportunity came for us to play TH South, I accepted knowing well we would have to play good tennis to beat them and keep our record perfect. We did that today."

He went on to say, "I can't say enough about the accomplishments of this senior class. Jordan, Jalen, Bryant, Austin, Matthew, and Wyatt have all contributed to this team over the years. Getting a win on

### Lady Lions defeat SV, Washington, fall to BR

The Loogootee High School Volleyball Teams defeated Springs Valley on Tuesday night. The varsity won 25-13, 25-23, 24-26, and 25-16. The junior varsity finished 25-14 and 25-20. The varsity stands at 18-3 on the season.

Kylie VanHoy led the team in kills with 25 and also had 16 assists, five blocks and 15 digs. Makenzie VanHoy had a team-high 29 assists and finished with 12 points and 15 kills. Asia Crim led in points with 18 and in digs with 20. Abbey Furhman finished with nine kills and four blocks, Grace Lingenfelter had 12 points and Jocelyn Strange contributed 15 digs.

For the JV matches, Brooklyn Summers led in points with 10 and also had 25 assists. Mallorie Sutton finished with seven kills, Sydnee Wittmer had six kills and six digs, and Alana Hedrick had six kills. Kyleigh Courter led in digs with nine and Ashlyn Gilbert finished with six. Madison McAtee contributed six points.

The teams lost to rival Barr-Reeve last week. The varsity girls were defeated in three sets, 21-25, 15-25, and 18-25 and the junior varsity in three sets, 25-20, 24-25, 9-15. For the varsity, Jocelyn Strange led in points with five followed closely by Kylie VanHoy with four. Kylie had nine kills, four blocks and 10 digs. Strange also led

Senior Day was a great way to honor their hard work and dedication."

Varsity results

#1 Singles Jordan Wildman (L) defeated Matthew Roberts 6-2, 5-7, 1-0 (7)

#2 Singles Jalen Wildman (L) defeated Caleb Morris 6-2, 6-2

#3 Singles Bryant Eckerle (L) defeated Ethan Killeen 6-2, 6-1

#1 Doubles Luke Nonte/Peyton Bledsoe (L) defeated Jonathan Stadler/Cameron Faro 6-3, 6-0

#2 Doubles Septhen Kallubhavi/Walker Forsythe (TH) defeated Rory Tippery/Drew Walker 6-3, 6-1

Junior varsity results

#1 Doubles Austin Brittain/Isaac Waggener (L) defeated Aadil/Parvaz/Paul Hegna 6-2

#2 Doubles Aadil/Parvaz/Paul Hegna (TH) defeated Matthew Poole/Wyat Sheetz 6-0

Last Thursday, the varsity Lions went up against Paoli and won 5-0. There were no junior varsity matches played.

Varsity results

#1 Singles Jordan Wildman (L) defeated Isaac McBride 6-0, 6-2

#2 Singles Jalen Wildman (L) defeated

in digs with 17. Makenzie VanHoy finished with seven kills, Sara Street had four blocks and seven digs.

For the junior varsity, Sydnee Wittmer led in points with 10 and also had six kills and eight digs. Brooklyn Summers finished with 19 assists and six points. Kyleigh Courter had a team-high 20 digs and Lindsey Nolan finished with 10. Ashlynn Gilbert and Madison McAtee each contributed six kills.

The girls defeated Washington last week with the varsity scoring 25-21, 25-19, and 25-19 and the junior varsity finishing 25-14 and 25-15.

In the varsity matches, Makenzie VanHoy led the team in points with eight and also had six kills, 18 assists and nine digs. Kylie VanHoy finished with eight kills, and 15 assists. Grace Lingenfelter led the team with 10 digs followed closely by Asia Crim and Jocelyn Strange with nine each. Crim, Strange and Sara Street had seven points each. Jaelyn Walker finished with seven kills and Abbey Fuhrman and Sara Street had seven each.

For the junior varsity, Brooklyn Summers led in points with 15 and also had 16 assists and 10 digs. Sydnee Wittmer finished with 10 kills and Kyleigh Courter had 11 digs and nine points.

Ray Minton 6-1, 6-1

#3 Singles Bryant Eckerle (L) defeated

Treyvin Street 6-2, 6-0

#1 Doubles Luke Nonte/Peyton Bledsoe (L) defeated Bryce Ward/William Milner

6-1, 6-2

#2 Doubles Rory Tippery/Drew Walker (L) defeated Lucas Stroud/Riley Manship

6-0, 6-0



  
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