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## Pielemeier steps down as Loogootee Fire Chief *Morgan Huebner chosen as replacement*

BY COURTNEY HUGHETT  
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Loogootee Volunteer Fire Department Chief Terry Pielemeier announced Saturday that he will be stepping down from his position effective immediately and leaving the department. According to Pielemeier, several factors contributed to his tough decision including stress and wanting to spend time with his wife and three grandchildren.

"Stress is extremely tough," he said noting that he was told by a doctor a few years ago to slow down. "It builds up and builds up," he said. "I just feel like the time is right for me to step away," said Pielemeier. "Let some other people carry the fight now," he said.

Pielemeier had noted that there are many in the department who will have no problem whatsoever stepping up and filling the hole from his absence. He said that the Loogootee Fire Department is well respected and over the years most have been satisfied with the department.

On Tuesday night Morgan Huebner was appointed by Mayor Don Bowling to replace Pielemeier. Huebner previously served as captain of the fire department and has also been with the LVFD for 28 years.

*"I just feel like the time is right for me to step away,"*

*-Terry Pielemeier*

Pielemeier said that with the new fire regulations it's getting tougher for the top officers to comply with the extra work involved. He said it eats up so much time and the pay sometimes does not constitute the extra work.

Pielemeier also said that he owes a lot to his wife, Janet, who for the past 28 years has "been a saint" according to him dealing with the late-night calls, emotions, and long hours put in by a fire fighter.

He also said he will truly miss his "brothers" in the fire department many of whom have been a huge part of his life for the past 28 years.

Mayor Bowling said about Pielemeier's resignation, "I have always tried to be prepared for the unexpected but was surprised at this turn of events. We may have something of a difficult transition period but the fire department has been well trained and has a lot of really good people. I am sure we will come thru this okay."

Pielemeier was appointed as chief on January 1, 2002. He said prior to that he was assistant chief for a few years and a lieutenant. (PIELEMIEIER' continued on page 2)

## Shoals School Board approves personnel changes, field trips

The Shoals School Board met Thursday night, November 11. Board member Christy Farhar was not present at the meeting.

The board approved the resignation of Terri Alcorn and Debra Duvall as special education teaching assistants, Lois Robbins as cafeteria head cook, and Julia Tow as cafeteria cook/head cashier. Amanda Turpin and Cindy Clymer were hired to replace the positions of special education teaching assistant.

Justin Hopkins was approved as volunteer assistant elementary boys' basketball coach and Joel Potts as volunteer assistant junior high boys' basketball coach.

The board approved Cory Brassine as substitute teacher and Estel Emmons as CDL/ECA Bus Driver.

The board approved the girls' basketball parents to hold a chili supper on November 19 before the basketball game and the art class to sell products from the Omni fundraising catalog in November of 2010.

The board approved the senior English students to take a field trip to Indiana Repertory Theatre in Indianapolis on Friday, December 10 and the Afternoons R.O.C.K in Indiana students to take a field trip to French Lick for a movie after school on Tuesday, November 23.

Superintendent Dr. Tony Nonte provided the board with a complete set of school bus contract specifications and route descriptions for approval. Following discussion by the board, approval was given with a motion made by board member Mary Lou Billings, seconded by board member Bill Shobe, and a 3-1 vote was given with board member Denise Garrett opposing.

Dates in bidding process are as follows:  
November 17, 2010 – First advertisement of "Notice of Bidding"

November 24, 2010 – Second advertisement (SHOALS' continued on page 2)



-Photo provided

Scott Greenwell, originally from Loogootee, poses for promotional shots for his *Santaland Diaries* performance to begin next week in Bloomington.

## Loogootee native Scot Greenwell to star in *The Santaland Diaries*

Bloomington's celebrated Cardinal Stage Company makes its Indianapolis debut this holiday season with a hilarious anecdote to the usual candy-coated theatrical holiday fare. David Sedaris' "delightfully thorny" (NY Times) *The Santaland Diaries* plays next week at the Ivy Tech Waldron Auditorium and stars Loogootee native Scot Greenwell.

The show will be held in Bloomington Wednesday, November 24 through Sunday, November 28 at the Ivy Tech Waldron Auditorium at 200 Daniels Way. Wednesday night will be a preview at 7:30 p.m. Thursday and Friday the production begins at 7:30 p.m. Saturday there will be two shows, one at 3 p.m. and another at 8 p.m. On Sunday, there will again be two shows at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Tickets range from \$16.50 to \$21.50 for adults.

The show will also continue in Indianapolis from December 2 through December 12 at the IndyFringe Theatre. For more information on show times and ticket information visit [www.cardinalstage.org](http://www.cardinalstage.org).

Based on his lived experience as a Macy's Christmas elf, this off-beat and droll skewering of the ridiculousness of the holiday season launched Sedaris' career as a humorist. Five New York Times Bestsellers later, Sedaris is a literary rock star, selling more than seven million copies of his satirical hits *Me Talk Pretty One Day*, *Holidays on Ice*, *Naked*, and *Dress Your Family in*

*Corduroy and Denim*, and most recently *When You are Engulfed in Flames*, publishing regularly in *Esquire* and *The New Yorker*, appearing frequently on NPR, and speaking to packed houses across the country.

*The Santaland Diaries* stars Indianapolis favorite and Loogootee native Scot Greenwell. Most recently seen in The Phoenix Theatre's production of Sarah Ruhl's *The Vibrator Play*, Greenwell starred in recent Cardinal productions of *Little Shop of Horrors* and *The Grapes of Wrath*.

Cardinal is pleased to be reunited with Scot in Indianapolis – with a part that seems written for him.

Now in its fifth year, Cardinal is proud of its reputation for artistic excellence. "Masterful" was the *Indianapolis Examiner's* word to describe Cardinal's recent production of *The Grapes of Wrath*. The same review noted that, "every single element of this production merits special praise." Critical

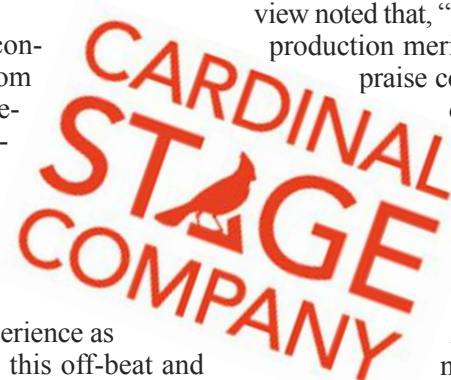
praise continued with Indy Habit's observation that *The Grapes of Wrath* was "deeply engaging yet highly accessible" and "a richly satisfying experience." And Bloomington's *The Herald-Times* called Cardinal's original 2008 production of *The Santaland Diaries* "wonderfully funny" and "a welcome infusion of mature-themed holiday entertainment."

The run time for the show is 60 minutes with no intermission. All tickets are general

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### BURN BAN LIFTED

The burn ban for Martin County was lifted by the Martin County Commissioners on Tuesday night, November 16.



# Loogootee Council leases land to humane society for a dollar

Minutes provided by Loogootee Clerk-Treasurer Nancy Jones

Don Greene and Theresa Abney, representing the Martin County Humane Society were present at the Loogootee City Council meeting last Tuesday, November 8, to receive information about a possible lease between the city and the society of a parcel of property at the Industrial Park for the purpose of building an animal shelter in the future. Greene reported that they have received 501C certification and hope to re-establish the county's animal control ordinance and are asking a member of the council to be a member of the oversight board. Phyllis Parker volunteered to be on the committee. The council voted unanimously to lease a parcel of property at the Industrial Park to them for the sum of \$1 for 30 years. Donnie Grindstaff will meet with Don Greene to determine the dimensions and location of the parcel of property to be leased. City Attorney Mark Jones will draw up the legal work.

The humane society hopes to have construction on an animal shelter started sometime in the spring of next year and society president Don Greene estimates the cost to be around \$150,000. Future fundraisers are in the works and members of the community are asked to make any donation possible toward the building of the shelter. Donations can be sent to the Martin County Humane Society at PO Box 537 Shoals, IN 47581.

Mayor Don Bowling recommended that the city contract with Hoosier Accounts Service out of Evansville in an attempt to collect

outstanding debt owed to the utility department. The council approved this recommendation with delinquencies to be turned over immediately to the collection agency.

It was reported that the vac truck recently purchased for the wastewater department was delivered on October 27.

The mayor received a response regarding the request made by the city to repair the railroad crossing on JFK Avenue. The response was "A CSX representative inspected the crossing and determined that it is safe for travel at posted speed." The mayor said he will protest and try to have the crossing repaired.

Other business:  
-A representative from the IACT insurance program will be in Loogootee on Wednesday, December 8 to discuss the city employee's insurance program.

-The council approved several end-of-the-year transfers of money.

-The 1976 dump truck that was recently placed up for bid was sold for \$750.

-The lights for the annex building provided by a grant are here and the manufacturer will send video to show how to install the lights.

- The council approved one building permit for Kenneth Mendenhall at 104 Cedar Street for a front porch addition to his home.

During the Board of Public Works meeting prior to the city council meeting 19 utility adjustments were approved including two for swimming pools. Also, Rich Taylor commented on the number of political signs still up even though election over.



-Photo provided

## Veterans Day visit

Mrs. Wagler's 1st grade class wrote letters for Veterans Day and gave them to Chantel Greene to give to her brother who was returning from a tour in Saudi Arabia. SSgt Bryan Greene visited the class on Veterans Day and answered questions and thanked the children for the letters.

## PIELEMEIER

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tenant for 15 years before that. He said that although he is stepping down as chief, he will still be available for consultation to the department or an on-call advisor and he will keep up his certification although he said he won't use it. "Once a brother, always a brother," he said referring to his relationship with not only the Loogootee Fire Department but departments in other counties. He said that brotherhood extends to all firefighters, always and that will never change.

Pielemeier also has time to spend with his two children, Casey who lives in South Bend with his wife and two children and Shelly Sturgis who lives in Kentucky with her husband and daughter.

He said he is leaving while the department is on top because he feels that he can go knowing that everything will continue to run smoothly.

## SHOALS

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ment of "Notice of Bidding"

December 8, 2010 – Deadline to accept bids at 4 p.m.

December 8, 2010 – Special board meeting to open bids at 5 p.m.

December 9, 2010 – Regular board meeting – Action on bids

The next meeting of the board will be a special session on December 8 at 5 p.m.

## GREENWELL

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admission and audience members are encouraged to arrive at least 15 minutes before the start of the show and the show is recommended for adults only.

The Santaland Diaries

A young man arrives in New York City with dreams of writing for *One Life to Live* and instead lands a job as a Macy's Christmas elf named Crummet. His honorable elf duties quickly morph into a job of misery.



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*Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. -Matthew 5:4*

## MARTHA BLESSINGER

Martha Kay Blessinger died at 4:19 a.m. Tuesday, November 9, 2010 at Indiana University Hospital. A resident of Loogootee, she was 57.

She was born November 19, 1952, in Rutherford Township in Martin County; the daughter of John and Melva (Hembree) Simmons. She was a 1970 graduate of Loogootee High School and she attended Oakland City University. She had worked at Naval Surface Warfare Center Crane on the Navy side. She was a fond member of Toys for Tots and a volunteer of organizations supporting the United States troops.

She is survived by a daughter, Amy Blessinger of English; a son, Wesley Simmons of Loogootee; one grandson, Tyler Simmons of Loogootee; sisters and brothers-in-law, Shelba June and James Cannon and Ruth Ann and George Ziegler, all of Loogootee; one brother and sister-in-law, John and Sandra Simmons of Loogootee; and many nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her parents.

A funeral service was held Saturday, November 13 at Mt. Zion Church in Rutherford Township. Burial was in Mount Zion Church Cemetery.

Condolences may be made to the family online at [www.queenlee.com](http://www.queenlee.com).

## RYAN BAKER

Ryan Joseph Baker died at 6 a.m. on Thursday, November 11, 2010, in French Lick. A resident of Shoals, he was 20.



RYAN BAKER

He was born August 23, 1990, in Bedford; the son of Kevin and Ann (Baker) Stewart, of Shoals. They survive. He was employed by Jack Logsdon & Sons Mowing in Crane.

Additional survivors include one sister Mandi Stewart of Shoals, one nephew Mason Lake of Shoals, and grandparents Norma Baker of Shoals, David and Wanda Stone of Shoals, and Terry and Mary Ann Stewart of Ireland.

He was preceded in death by a grandfather, Bill Baker and a grandmother, Candace Rutledge.

Funeral services were held on Sunday, November 14, at Queen-Lee Funeral Home in Shoals. Burial was in the Trinity Springs Cemetery.

## RUTH "MAXINE" REINHART

Ruth "Maxine" Reinhart died at 9:55 a.m. Wednesday, November 10, 2010 at the Martin County Health Care and Rehab Center in Loogootee. A resident of Loogootee, she was 88.

She was born April 3, 1922, in Daviess County; the daughter of Carl R. and Jennie (Strawn) Reinhart. A 1940 graduate of Loogootee High School, she was a member of Loogootee United Methodist Church. She had worked for 45 years at the Martin County Farm Bureau Co-op and Credit Union from 1943 until her retirement in 1988. She was a charter member of the Martin County Co-op Credit Union. She was an avid Chicago Cubs fan, a former member of the Cancer Society, Marco Singers and the United Methodist Women where she held offices with the local United Methodist Women and the district United Methodist Women. She also participated in the Walk to Emmaus. Maxine loved cooking, traveling and bowling; she bowled up until she was 80 years old.

She is survived two nephews Donnie Reinhart of Loogootee and Gary McCord of Seymour; three nieces, Debbie Parson, Carla Williams and Bobbie Cherry, all of Loogootee; and several great-nieces and nephews.

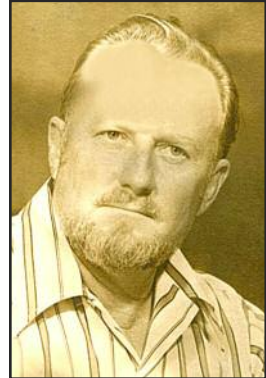
She is preceded in death by her parents; one brother, Donnis Reinhart; one niece, Judy Reinhart; one nephew, Jim Reinhart; and one great-nephew, Thomas J. Williams III.

The funeral was held Sunday, November 14 at the Loogootee United Methodist Church. Burial was in Goodwill Cemetery in Loogootee.

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

## CHESTER C. BURRESS

Chester C. Burress died Saturday, November 13, 2010 at St. Elizabeth Hospital in Belleville, Illinois. A resident of Belleville, he was 85.



CHESTER BURRESS

He was born February 4, 1925, in Martin County; the son of Ray and Ada Burress. He was retired as a locomotive engineer for Terminal Railroad.

He is survived by sons and a daughter-in-law, Darrell D. Burress of Caseyville, Illinois, and Duane D. and Crystal Burress of Belleville; stepchildren and their spouses, Michael A. and Kathy Janik of Freeburg, Illinois, Louis A. and Deborah Janik Sr. of Columbia, Illinois, and Jean M. Janik of Evansville; sister, Gretna Cornelius; grandchildren, James M. Burress, Jacob A. Burress, Caitlyn M. Burress and Casey L. Burress; and a great-granddaughter, Ava C. Burress.

He is preceded in death by his parents, a brother, Beecher Burress, and sisters, Ester O'Hara, Cloe Lawton and Eva Ramsey.

Visitation is from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, November 17 at Kurrus Funeral Home in Belleville.

Graveside services will be held at 10:15 a.m. Thursday, November 18 at Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery in St. Louis, Missouri. Condolences may be expressed online at [www.kurrushf.com](http://www.kurrushf.com).

## NOAH B. WAGLER

Noah B. Wagler died Monday, November 15, 2010 at his home. A resident of Montgomery, he was 66.

He was born February 13, 1944, in Daviess County; the son of Ben E. and Mary Wagler. He was a member of the Old Order Amish Church.

He is survived by his wife, Anna Marie (Knepp) Wagler; his father, Ben E. Wagler of Montgomery; five sons and daughters-in-law, Philip N. and Rosanna Wagler, Daniel N. and Delores Wagler, Jonas N. and Diane Wager, Eli N. and Martha Wagler, all of Montgomery, and Ben N. and Regina Wagler of Odon; three daughters and sons-in-law, Mary and Albert Graber of Montgomery, Martha and Reuben Wagler of Odon, and Barbara and Levi Graber of Loogootee; four brothers and sisters-in-law, Levi and Marilyn Wagler, David and Pauline Wagler, Ben and Rosie Mae Wagler, all of Montgomery, and Enos and Miriam Wagler of Loogootee; seven sisters and brothers-in-law, Esther Wagler, Naomi and Wilmer Knepp, all of Montgomery, Wilma and John Graber, Marie and Amos Wagler, all of Odon, Rebecca and Abraham Graber of Loogootee, Catherine and Edwin Wagler, and Ida and Omar Eicher, all of Canada; 56 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his mother, Mary Wagler; one son, Jonathon Wagler; three grandchildren, Rodney, Ryan and Karen Wagler; daughter-in-law, Anna Marie Wagler; and brother-in-law, David Wagler.

Visitation was from 9 a.m. Tuesday, November 16 until the hour of service on Thursday at the family residence.

The funeral will be held Thursday, November 18, at 9 a.m. at the family residence

in Montgomery. Burial will be in Wagler Cemetery in Montgomery.

Arrangements were made through Brocksmith-Blake and Wagler Funeral Home in Montgomery.

## ROBERTA "BERTIE" WILDMAN

Roberta "Bertie" M. Wildman died at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, November 13, 2010 at Martin County Health Care and Rehab Center in Loogootee. A resident of Loogootee, she was 80.

She was born November 11, 1930, in Daviess County; the daughter of Robert and Goldia (Burkhart) Resler. She married her first husband John L. Riggins on November 17, 1948 and he preceded her in death on August 13, 1969. Her second husband Melvin Wildman, whom she married November 3, 1972, passed away on January 22, 2001. She was a member of the Loogootee Christian Church and had worked at Derman and Company in Odon for 19 years, Loogootee Textile for eight years and Martha Winkleplex Restaurant in Loogootee for four years. She loved Christmas and enjoyed decorating for the holiday and cooking for her family. Her specialty was red velvet cake.

She is survived by one son and daughter-in-law, Terry and Linda Riggins of Cannelburg; one stepdaughter, Janet and husband Donnie Jackson of Mt. Vernon; two special nieces, Shelba Noble and Connie Vowels, both of Odon; six step-grandchildren, Stephanie Anscough of Cannelburg, Garrett Gingerich of Montgomery, Brandi Jackson of Mt. Vernon, Scott Callison and Jeremy Wildman, both of Loogootee, and Alicia Wildman of San Diego, California; and 10 step-great-grandchildren.

One stepson, Roger Wildman; one special niece, Joann Sterkel; two brothers, John and Albert Resler; and two sisters, Betty Graves and Lois Poindexter, also preceded her in death.

The funeral will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday, November 16 at Brocksmith Funeral Home in Loogootee. Burial will be in Walnut Hill Cemetery in Odon.

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

## JOHN D. WAGLER, SR.

John D. Wagler, Sr. died at 3:24 a.m., Monday, November 15, 2010, at the Daviess Community Hospital, in Washington. A resident of Loogootee, he was 69.

He was born on April 30, 1941, in Daviess County; the son of Ben and Sara (Stoll) Wagler. He was a retired driver for Jefferson Trucking.

Survivors include his wife, Karen Wagler of Loogootee; one son, John D. Wagler, Jr. of Loogootee; one daughter, Dee Ann Bynum of Loogootee; one step-son, William Michael Ross of Bradenton, Florida; grandchildren, Logan Riley, Erica, Tyler, and Taylor; one great-granddaughter, Sabree; five sisters, Wilma Miller, Corine Miller, and Lydia Stoll and husband Art all of Montgomery; Emma Stoll of Washington; and Jean Kemp and husband Melvin of Plainville; one brother, Ben Wagler and wife Leah of Sarasota, Florida; two sisters-in-law, Carolyn Wagler of Loogootee, and Marie Wagler of Montgomery; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; two brothers, Adrian and Albert Wagler; one son, Thomas Lee Wagler; and one great-grandson, Carson.

Visitation will be held from 4 p.m. until 8 p.m. on Wednesday, November 17, and from 8 a.m. until the hour of service on Thursday at Lee Funeral Home in Loogootee.

A funeral service will be conducted at 1 p.m., on Thursday, November 18, at the funeral home. Burial will follow in the Goodwill Cemetery, in Loogootee.

## WILSON EUGENE GIBBS

Wilson Eugene Gibbs passed away No-

vember 15, 2010 at 11:45 p.m. at The Waters in Jasper. A resident of Shoals, he was 84.

He was born on April 7, 1926 in Shoals; the son of to Wilson and Cora Mae (Payne) Gibbs. He married Alma Caroline McGuire in 1992, and she preceded him in death in 1997. He was a self-employed semi owner/operator. He was also a member of the Powell Valley Church, and a Veteran of the United States Army, serving in World War II. Survivors include one daughter, Ida Lea and Robert Schaber of Cuzco; one granddaughter, Tylynn Schaber of Cuzco; two brothers, Sanely Gibbs of Tacoma, Washington and Harvey Gibbs of Grayland, of Washington; and one sister, Joan Qualkenbush of Shoals.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife, one brother, Robert Gibbs; three sisters, Marjorie Fish, Mary Lou McKibben, Regina Cooper; and two brothers in infancy. Visitation will be from 4-8:00 p.m. Thursday, November 18 at the Queen-Lee Funeral Home in Shoals, with services at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, November 19 at the funeral home. Burial will be in Pleasant Valley Cemetery. American Legion Post #61 will accord military graveside rites.

## WILMA L. BATEMAN

Wilma L. Bateman died at 11:10 a.m. Monday, November 15, 2010 at Memorial Hospital and Health Care in Jasper. A resident of Loogootee, she was 73.

She was born December 23, 1936, in Loogootee; the daughter of Floyd and Thelma (Madden) Perry. She was a 1955 graduate of St. John High School and a member of St. John Catholic Church in Loogootee. She married Jim Bateman on January 28, 1956 and he survives. She was a retired deli manager at Buehler's Grocery in Washington and had recently worked at the Loogootee St. Vincent DePaul Store. Wilma was an avid golfer and tennis player. She enjoyed spending time with her children and grandchildren and watching them play sports.

She is also survived by one daughter and son-in-law, Sammi and Brian Nelson of Loogootee; sons and daughters-in-law, Mark and Kim Bateman of Tucson, Arizona, Kevin Bateman of Edina, Minnesota, Randy Bateman of Tucson, Greg and Lynn Bateman and Chris and Mykle Bateman, all of Loogootee; five grandchildren, Perri Bateman, Brittney Bateman, Colin Nelson, Emily Bateman and Erin Nelson; and one brother and sister-in-law, James and Sheila Perry of Green Valley, Arizona.

She is preceded in death by her parents. Visitation is from 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. today, Wednesday, November 17 at Brocksmith Funeral Home.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at Thursday, November 18 at 10 a.m. at St. John Catholic Church in Loogootee. Burial will follow in St. John Catholic Cemetery.

Preferred memorials are to the American Cancer Society through the funeral home. Online condolences may be made at [www.brocksmithfuneralhomes.com](http://www.brocksmithfuneralhomes.com).

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# Martin County Sheriff's Department log

## Tuesday, November 9

10:17 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance east of Shoals on U.S. 50. The subject was transported to Bedford Regional Medical Center.

10:56 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. The subject was transported to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

11:54 a.m. - Received a report of a possible impaired driver on U.S. 231, north of Loogootee, near the S.R. 58 junction.

1:00 p.m. - Received a request for a trailer inspection on Red School Road.

Unknown time - A female came on station to report a deer accident that occurred a couple of weeks prior.

5:58 p.m. - Received a report of a possible impaired driver on U.S. 231, southbound from Haysville.

8:51 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance. The subject was transported to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

9:11 p.m. - Received a call reference the fire at the saw mill east of Loogootee still producing a lot of smoke.

10:14 p.m. - Received a report of a possible impaired driver northbound on U.S. 231, north of Loogootee.

11:48 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Shoals. The subject was transported to Daviess Community Hospital.

## Wednesday, November 10

9:55 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance at St. Martin's Church parking lot on U.S. 231, south of Loogootee.

10:44 a.m. - Received a report of a residence on fire on Butler Bridge Road.

1:16 p.m. - Received a report of a reckless driver on U.S. 231 southbound on U.S. 231, south of Loogootee.

2:09 p.m. - Received a call about a speeding vehicle on U.S. 231, headed north from Whitfield.

3:31 p.m. - A male caller reported the theft of a wallet and medication.

9:50 p.m. - Received a report of harassment in Shoals.

10:37 p.m. - Received a report of a suspicious subject walking along U.S. 231, just south of Burns City.

10:46 p.m. - A female caller reported hitting a large object, possibly a semi tire on U.S. 231 south of Burns City.

## Thursday, November 11

2:51 a.m. - Received a request to check for an overdue motorist en route from Jasper to Pike County

11:42 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. The subject was transported to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

11:56 a.m. - Received a report of mailbox vandalism on Chicken Farm Road.

12:02 p.m. - Received a report of possible mistreated livestock on Dover Hill Road.

2:12 p.m. - Received a report of someone on Red School Road violating the burn ban.

3:20 p.m. - Received a report of a domestic battery.

4:20 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance on West River Road. The subject was transported to Daviess Community Hospital.

6:06 p.m. - Received a request for someone to check the smoke coming from Morin Saw Mill again.

8:48 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance on Doane Lane. No transport was necessary.

9:36 p.m. - An officer was requested at a residence on Killion Mill Road for an unknown vehicle in the area.

11:07 p.m. - Received a report of a speeding vehicle northbound from Whitfield on U.S. 231.

## Friday, November 12

12:46 a.m. - Received a report of a stranded vehicle on U.S. 50, just east of the Martin State Forest.

7:29 a.m. - Received a report of cows on the roadway on Brickyard Road.

9:34 a.m. - Received a report of a personal injury accident on U.S. 231 near Highway 58. Daviess County was contacted.

11:47 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. The subject was transported to Daviess Community Hospital.

11:53 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance at the Shoals School Corporation. The subject was transported to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

1:11 p.m. - Received a report of a theft of a sign from 5th Street and High Street intersection in Shoals.

3:50 p.m. - Received a call about a subject attempting to retrieve personal property.

4:45 p.m. - Received call in reference to harassment.

4:53 p.m. - Received a call about a subject wanting to retrieve property entered into evidence.

5:39 p.m. - Received request for lift assistance in Odon. Daviess County was contacted.

Unknown time - A report was received of a prowler in Shoals area.

8:05 p.m. - Received a report of a deer accident on U.S. 50, approximately one mile west of Wheatland. Knox County was notified.

9:19 p.m. - Received a report of a subject in a vehicle spotlighting and hunting from the roadway on Killion Mill Road.

## Saturday, November 13

6:30 a.m. - Received a report that four vending machines at Greenwell's Hardware Store had been broken into.

10:03 a.m. - Martin County Civil Defense, Shoals Fire Department, and Lost River Fire Department were paged to assist in Paoli at a fire on the town square.

11:15 a.m. - Received a report that a vending machine at Shoals Senior Citizens was broken into.

11:21 a.m. - Received a report of an intoxicated subject on personal property in Shoals.

12:22 p.m. - Received a report of illegal dumping on Truelove Church Road.

12:57 p.m. - Received a request for Martin County Civil Defense to assist Loogootee Fire Department at the fire at Morin Saw Mill.

6:14 p.m. - Received a report of a hog in the roadway on U.S. 231 near Rutherford Road.

7:13 p.m. - Received a report of a tree limb hanging in the roadway on U.S. 231 south of Loogootee.

9:36 p.m. - Received a residential burglar alarm on S.R. 550.

## Sunday, November 14

4:34 a.m. - Received a report of a trailer fire in Loogootee.

8:34 a.m. - Received a request for an ambulance at Loogootee Nursing Center. The patient was transported to Daviess Community Hospital.

9:10 a.m. - Received a request for assistance in retrieving personal property.

11:35 a.m. - Received a call from a female about the welfare of her children.

12:25 p.m. - Received a report of mailbox vandalism on Bellbrooke Drive.

12:39 p.m. - Received a report of mailbox vandalism on Rusk Road.

1:00 p.m. - Received a report of trespassing near Low Gap Road.

4:35 p.m. - Received a call from a female in Shoals about someone trying to pry her door open.

4:44 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance at the St. Martin's Church in Whitfield. No transport was necessary.

5:52 p.m. - Received a report of smoke in Trinity Springs.

6:26 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance on U.S. 231, south of Loogootee. The subject was transported to Jasper Memorial Hospital.

6:28 p.m. - Received a residential burglar alarm on Beard Road.

7:16 p.m. - Received a report of a fight in Shoals.

10:00 p.m. - Received a report of an intoxicated subject knocking on windows in Shoals.

## Monday, November 15

8:51 a.m. - Received a request for a check on a trailer.

12:15 p.m. - Received a report of a reckless driver on U.S. 50 just east of the fairgrounds.

12:40 p.m. - Received a report of a reckless driver on U.S. 50, westbound from Shoals.

1:20 p.m. - Received a report of smoke just before the entrance to Doe Run.

4:05 p.m. - Received a report of theft of scrap metal.

4:19 p.m. - Received a request for an ambulance in Loogootee. The subject was transported to Daviess Community Hospital.

7:12 p.m. - Received a report of a suspicious vehicle in the caller's driveway.

7:57 p.m. - Received a report of a residence broken into on Rusk Road.

8:57 p.m. - Received a request for lift assistance in Odon. Daviess County was contacted.

9:16 p.m. - Received a report of a deer accident on Highway 58. Daviess County was contacted.



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# Loogootee Police log

## Monday, November 8

9:16 a.m. - Male caller reported his carbon monoxide detector was going off at his residence in the Crane area. Two fire units were dispatched

11:01 a.m. - Female caller requested a welfare check on her son, in Shady Estates.

3:11p.m. - Female caller reported smoke coming from the saw mill.

4:47 p.m. - Martin County Sheriff's Department reported a fire at the saw mill across from Pomp's Tire. Loogootee Fire was dispatched.

8:55 p.m. - Caller reported a silver Trans Am doing donuts in the high school parking lot.

## Tuesday, November 9

9:23a.m. - Danielle Bough, of Loogootee, reported damage to her vehicle. Chief Rayhill filed a case report.

11:02 a.m. - First responders requested on 1300 E for a male vomiting.

## Wednesday, November 10

12:30 p.m. - Male caller reported a large dog had been hit on State Road 550.

## Thursday, November 11

8:15 a.m. - Vicki Lawson, of Loogootee, reported vandalism to her vehicle.

9:07 a.m. - Tammy Hampton, of Loogootee, reported vandalism to her vehicle.

7:56 p.m. - Male caller reported thick smoke on SE 3rd Street.

## Friday, November 12

8:56 a.m. - Washington Police Department requested assistance in locating a runaway.

4:14 p.m. - Male caller reported fuel being stolen out of vehicles at Red Wing Trailer Court.

11:57 p.m. - Caller requested extra patrol on Queen Street.

**Saturday, November 13**

6:31 a.m. - Male caller reported the pop machines at Greenwell's had been broken into.

12:45 p.m. - Male caller reported brush on fire next to the saw mill across from Pomp's Tire. Loogootee Fire was dispatched.

2:00 p.m. - Caller reported pop machines broken into at The Bargain Shop.

2:40 p.m. - Female caller reported phone harassment.

11:07 p.m. - Caller reported juveniles had thrown fire works onto their porch.

**Sunday, November 14**

4:34 a.m. - Martin County Sheriff's Department reported a trailer on fire by the Loogootee Little League field. Loogootee Fire was dispatched.

6:15 p.m. - Female caller reported a four-wheeler on Ackerman Drive.

**Monday, November 15**

2:27 a.m. - First responders requested on North Oak Street for a 69-year-old male passed out.

3:00 a.m. - Caller reported someone knocking on her windows and doors. Sgt. Hennette responded.

-Plan ahead and always designate a sober driver before consuming alcohol.

-Don't drive your vehicle if you've been drinking alcohol. Call a taxi or sober friend.

-Take care of your friends. Never let a friend drive while impaired. Take their keys.

-If you are hosting a party, always offer non-alcoholic beverages. Make sure all of your guests leave with a sober driver.

-Never provide alcohol to anyone under the legal drinking age of 21.

Motorists encountering another vehicle being operated erratically are encouraged to dial 911 or call the Jasper Indiana State Police Post at (812) 482-1441 or 800-742-7475 and be prepared to give a description of the vehicle, location, and direction of travel.

burgh County.

**Sunday, November 14**

2:00 a.m. - ISP K-9 Trooper Robert Lambert was traveling southbound on State Road 37 near the intersection of Unionville Road in Paoli when a red 1989 GMC S-15 being driven by Mark Lee Vandyke, 43, of Paoli, failed to yield the right way to through traffic. Trooper Lambert stated during the traffic stop investigation he believed Vandyke to be impaired. Trooper Lambert transported Vandyke to the Bloomington Hospital of Orange County where Vandyke was determined to be intoxicated. Vandyke was incarcerated on \$2005 bond at the Orange County Jail.

# Martin County court news

## CRIMINAL COURT

### New Charges Filed

#### November 9

Scott J. Smith, battery, a Class B Misdemeanor; disorderly conduct, a Class B Misdemeanor.

Darren T. King, battery, a Class B Misdemeanor; disorderly conduct, a Class B Misdemeanor.

## CIVIL COURT

### New Suits Filed

#### November 3

Kevin Stone vs. RD Jones and Jasper Wood a/k/a Global Source Furniture, civil tort.

#### November 5

United States of America vs. Rhonda Hardwick, Roger W. Roller, and LNV Corporation, mortgage foreclosure.

#### November 8

Portfolio Recovery Associates, LLC vs. Timothy R. May, civil collection.

Capital One Bank vs. Deanna J. Holt, civil collection.

Citibank vs. Barbara L. Graber, civil collection.

## SMALL CLAIMS COURT

### New Suits Filed

#### November 4

Jackie Davis vs. Norbert Mattingly, complaint.

## SMALL CLAIMS DISMISSED

#### November 3

Crane Federal Credit Union vs. Nancy Holmes, complaint, dismissed.

## TRAFFIC TICKETS PAID

### November 3 - November 9

Jordan Cockerham, Brownstown, speeding, 64 in a 50, \$119.

Deborah Colvin, Linton, speeding, 59 in a 45, \$119.

Randall Davis, Francisco, speeding, 58 in a 45, \$119.

Angela Divine, Washington, seatbelt violation, \$25.

Rodney Divine, Washington, seatbelt violation, \$25.

Terrence Foy, Cincinnati, Ohio, speeding 68 in a 55, \$119.

Laban Graber, Montgomery, speeding 72 in a 55, \$124.

Kenneth Hackman, Ephrata, Pennsylvania, speeding 70 in a 55, \$119.

Leah Hayworth, Huntingburg, speeding 72 in a 55, \$124.

David Lents, Shoals, seatbelt violation, \$25.

Kerry Libbe, Jasper, speeding 34 in a 20, \$119.

Brian May, Loogootee, seatbelt violation, \$25.

Michael Newland, Shoals, speeding 40 in a 30, \$124.

Kenneth Piepenbrink, Greenwood, speeding 80 in a 55, \$124.

Maria Query, Shoals, driving while suspended, \$119.

Jerry Schnarr, Loogootee, speeding 70 in a 55, \$119.

Shane Schwindel, Jasper, speeding 76 in a 55, \$124.

Richard Tinkle, Orleans, seatbelt violation, \$25.

Jeremy Wittmer, Odon, seatbelt violation, \$25.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

### November 8

Rory Allen Browder of Martin County and Charlotte Ann Phillips of Martin County.

### November 10

Brantley Leon Lyon of Loogootee and Alecia Marie Hasler of Loogootee.

# ISP to conduct sobriety check point

Troopers from the Indiana State Police Jasper Post will be conducting a sobriety check point at an undisclosed location in Dubois County on Saturday, November 20. Those drivers passing through the check point area should have their licenses and registrations ready to present to troopers and will only be detained briefly while troopers determine whether further investigation is necessary.

The purpose of the sobriety check point is to remove those motorists from the highways who are alcohol and/or drug impaired and poses a danger to all who use the roadways. Impaired drivers are responsible for billions of dollars in property damage, personal injury, and death annually.

Reminders so motorists do not find themselves "Over the Limit and Under Arrest":

# Indiana State Police reports

## Friday November 12

10:55 a.m. - ISP Trooper Brian LaRoche stopped a vehicle for speeding on I-64 eastbound at the 62 mile marker. A strong odor of burnt marijuana was coming from the vehicle. After further investigation, 1.5 pounds of marijuana was located in the vehicle. Travis J. Jackson, 21, and Morgan M. Lopez-Zatarain, 20, both of Louisville, Kentucky were booked into the Dubois County Jail, for possession of marijuana over 30 grams. Lopez-Zatarain also had two outstanding warrants; one was for possession of marijuana in Warrick County and the other was for traffic charges in Vander-

# Jail bookings

## Wednesday, November 10

6:44 p.m. - Scott Woody, 36, of Loogootee, was arrested and charged with driving while suspended.

## Thursday, November 11

Ryan Lee, 43, of Washington was arrested on a petition to revoke warrant.

## Friday, November 12

Arturo Varilla, 18, of Columbus, was arrested and charged with operating a vehicle while never licensed.

## Saturday, November 13

Jessica Howard, 21, of Shoals, was arrested and charged with operating while intoxicated and possession of marijuana.

Donnie Montgomery, 60, of Shoals, was arrested and charged with public intoxication.

# Martin County real estate transfers

**Thomas P. Jenkins and Cari A. Jenkins**, of Martin County, Indiana to **Jason R. Greene and Myrna J. Greene**, of Martin County, Indiana, Lot Number 158, original Town, now City of Loogootee, Indiana.

**Bruce A. Wade and Lacey D. (Denson) Wade**, of Martin County, Indiana to **Bruce A. Wade and Lacey D. Wade**, of Martin County, Indiana, a part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 1, Township 2 North, Range 5 West, Perry Township, Martin County, Indiana, and containing 3.785 acres, more or less. Except a part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 1, Township 2 North, Range 5 West, in Martin County, Indiana, and containing 0.398 acre, more or less.

**Henry Gingerich and Martha M. Gingerich**, of Allen County, Indiana to **Tim Moffatt**, of Orange County, Indiana, the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 24, Township 3 North, Range 3 West, containing 40 acres, more or less. Except a part of the Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 24, Township 3 North, Range 3 West containing 4.36 acres, more or less. Containing after exception, 35.64 acres, more or less.

**Michelle D. Bridgewater**, of Greene County, Indiana to **Daniel J. Bridgewater**, of Martin County, Indiana, Lots Numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18 in Clark's Addition to the town, now City of Loogootee, Indiana.

gootee, Indiana.  
**Phillip M. Smith**, of Martin County, Indiana to **Randy Robinson**, of Martin County, Indiana, a part of the north half of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section 12, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, and containing 0.3823 acres, more or less.

**Derek W. Johnson and Amanda S. Johnson**, of Martin County, Indiana to **Timothy L. Hudson and Rachel S. Hudson**, of Martin County, Indiana, a part of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 25, Township 3 North, Range 5 West. Except a part of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 25, Township 3 North, Range 5 West, Martin County, Indiana, containing 1.46 acres, more or less.

**Tony Brandenburg**, of Shelby County, Indiana to **Gary H. Johnson**, of Johnson County, Indiana, a portion of the south half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 19, Township 2 North, Range 3 West, Lost River Township, Martin County, Indiana, and containing 3.00 acres, more or less.

**Scott A. Combess**, of Martin County, Indiana to **James G. and Kimberly F. Bays**, of Martin County, Indiana, a part of the south part of the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 30, Township 5 North, Range 4 West, containing 1.08 acres, more or less.

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# Martin County accident reports

## Monday, November 8

2:09 p.m. - William E. Fields, of Loogootee, was attempting to turn left onto Broadway Street from Chuckles parking lot. At this time a semi driver motioned for Fields to turn and Fields proceeded and turned into the path of a 2000 Chevy operated by Savannah K. Mathies, of Loogootee. No injuries reported Chief Rayhill was the investigating officer.

## Wednesday, November 10

6:39 p.m. - Sharon Coppinger, 56, of Loogootee, was traveling on U.S. 231, near Whitfield, in a white 1997 Ford. The vehicle struck a deer in the roadway. There was damage to the front headlamp and bumper. The investigating officer was Deputy Steve Nolan.

## Thursday, November 11

7:01 p.m.- Kim Showalter, 52, of Shoals, was driving her silver 2009 Kia Sportage on U.S. 231 near the Truelove Church intersection. She advised that she had run over objects in the road that had possibly fallen from another vehicle. Showalter advised the big articles she ran over were large blocks of wood and when she hit these objects it caused damage to the undercarriage of the vehicle. Showalter advised that her husband came and picked up the vehicle that was inoperable. The vehicle had damage to the driveshaft and to the fuel tank. No one was injured in the accident. The investigating officer was Major T.A. Burkhardt.

## Saturday, November 13

11:27 a.m. - Diane M. Tincher, of Shoals, was operating a 2004 Chevy northeast bound in the IGA parking lot when she collided with a 1992 Ford, operated by Pauline Hellums. Hellums was eastbound. No injuries were reported. Investigating officer was Officer Pat Todd.

2:28 p.m. - Kerryn Stults, 18, of French Lick, was traveling east on U.S. 150, near Windom Road, operating a 1997 Ford Thunderbird. As Stults was negotiating a curve, her vehicle began to slide out of control and crossed the center line, into the path of a westbound 2004 Ford Escape, being operated by Sarah Daniels, 25, of Shoals. Both vehicles collided head-on in the westbound lane. Stults was uninjured. Daniels sustained serious injuries to her lower leg and was transported to Jasper Memorial Hospital. Both vehicles involved in the accident were considered a total loss. The investigating officer was Deputy Steven D. Nolan. Assisting at the scene was Indiana Conservation Officer Eric Doane, Martin County Ambulance, the Shoals Fire Department and G & M Wrecker Service.

2:38 p.m. - Andrew J. Bentz, of Brookville, was operating a 2005 Dodge eastbound on Broadway Street when he changed lanes and struck a 1999 Pontiac operated by Codey W. Poynter, of Hardinsburg. No injuries were reported. The investigating officer was Officer Fischer.

4:22 p.m.- Shonna Greenwell, 43, of Shoals, was operating a 1999 Ford Contour and was attempting to turn onto Poplar Grove Road from Davis School Road. Aimme Hoopingarner, 34, of Shoals, was operating a 1996 Pontiac Grand Prix and was traveling north on Poplar Grove Road. At this time, Greenwell pulled into the path of Hoopingarner. Hoopingarner applied the brakes to her vehicle in an attempt to avoid a collision, but was unable to avoid striking the Greenwell vehicle. Greenwell complained of neck and back pain and was transported to Jasper Memorial Hospital. Hoopingarner was uninjured. The investigating officer was Deputy Steven D. Nolan. Assisting at the scene was Martin County Ambulance and the Martin County Civil Defense.

## Sunday, November 14

10:05 p.m. - Dwight G. Schultheis, of Loogootee, operating 2001 Jeep northbound on U.S. 231 when a deer ran into his path. No injuries reported. The investigating officer was Sgt. Hennette.

## Monday, November 15

7:22 p.m.- Kelsey A. Hall, 23, of St Murrieta, California was southbound on U.S. 231, north of Loogootee in a black 2002 Volkswagen. She noticed a deer in the roadway and was unable to stop before striking the deer. The vehicle sustained noticeable damage to the hood, grill, front bumper, passenger side headlight, and fender. The investigating officer was Deputy Joshua Greene.

# Annual stroll: "A Merry Martin County Christmas"

Time is getting closer for the next annual Loogootee Christmas Stroll. This year, the theme is "A Merry Martin County Christmas". Everyone is invited to enjoy this festive event scheduled for Thursday, December 2 from 6 to 9 p.m. downtown and around Loogootee.

Many stores will be open during the stroll offering special discounts for Christmas shoppers. You can cross gift shopping off your to-do list in one night by taking advantage of the special sales while enjoying door prizes, goodies and more.

In addition to specialties offered by local businesses, more than 20 vendors will be set up selling gift ideas. Many vendors will set up inside Pizza Junction and Englert's, but also inside local businesses and on the sidewalks around the city square. If you are interested in being a vendor, call the chamber of commerce at 295-4093.

Free carriage rides will be available throughout the Stroll. There will be two pick-up points. One carriage will pick-up on Mill Street by M.C. Special-Tees and will take riders along Walker Street and Butcher Boulevard to Belaire then back to Mill Street. The other carriage will pick up

riders on Main Street by Burch's Lawn and Garden and take riders along North Line, North Oak, Kennedy, and back to Main.

Children of all ages are invited to enjoy Christmas stories in the library with Mrs. Claus, visit the snowman at The Cartridge Depot, and have your picture taken with

## Library Stroll events

The Loogootee Public Library will remain open from 6-8 p.m. as part of the Loogootee Christmas Stroll on Thursday, December 2. Mrs. Claus will be at the library to read to the kids for the Christmas Story Hour from 6-6:45 p.m. This program is for kids 3-6 years old and pre-registration is required. Call 295-3713 or email [dwagler@loogootee.lib.in.us](mailto:dwagler@loogootee.lib.in.us) to register. Friends of Loogootee Library will provide refreshments and there will be a book sale.

Santa Claus at Promises Photography.

The MarCo Singers will be strolling through town singing Christmas carols as will other caroling groups.

There will be both a business and a home decorating contest. If your business is interested in being in the contest, contact the chamber

of commerce at 295-4093 with your name, location, and contact number and the winner will receive a plaque. Shoals and Loogootee homes are invited to be in the home decorating contest. Contact the mayor's office at 295-4770.

There will be a gift basket for the winning home in Loogootee and for the winning home in Shoals.

The deadline to enter is Friday, December 10. The homes will be judged by Wednesday, December 15.

Watch this newspaper for more details in the weeks to come!

## America Recycles Day celebrates 13th anniversary

Since November 15, 1997, Americans have been celebrating America Recycles Day.

Businesses, industries, government agencies, nonprofit organizations, and individuals seize the day to consider the importance of recycling, reusing recycled materials and buying recycled products.

The action of separating aluminum cans, plastic bottles, newspapers and other materials and placing them into designated recycling bins is less of a burden and more of a habit, partially thanks to the day of celebration.

Hoosiers can jumpstart America Recycles Day by following some simple tips for recycling everyday items, including:

-Paper - in addition to saving 17 trees, recycling one ton of paper will save 380 gallons of oil, three cubic yards of landfill space, 4,000 kilowatts of energy, and 7,000 gallons of water. This represents a 64 percent energy savings, 58 percent water savings, and 60 pounds less of air pollution. Those same trees

can absorb a total of 250 pounds of carbon dioxide from the air each year. Burning that same ton of paper would create 1500 pounds of carbon dioxide.

-Aluminum cans - Americans throw out enough aluminum to rebuild our entire commercial airline fleet. Recycling just one can will save enough energy to run a television for two hours.

-Glass bottles - it would take approximately one million years for a glass bottle to break down in a landfill. Recycling that glass bottle would save enough energy to run your television for 20 minutes or to light a 100 watt light bulb for four hours.

-Steel - next time you have a bowl of soup or paint your home, recycle the empty steel cans. In one year, recycling steel saves enough energy to heat and light 18 million homes.

For more information about America Recycles Day, visit [www.americarecyclesday.org](http://www.americarecyclesday.org).

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## Lt. Governor Skillman now taking video greetings for troops

The deadline for Lt. Governor Becky Skillman's Hoosier Cheer for Our Heroes campaign is fast approaching, but there is now another way to reach Hoosier troops. Last Thursday, Lt. Gov. Skillman announced the launch of the Hoosier Cheer for Our Heroes YouTube page. Hoosiers are encouraged to send in video greetings to U.S. servicemen and women who are away from home during the holidays.

"Our U.S. servicemen and women should know Hoosiers appreciate the sacrifice they are making over the holiday season and throughout the year," said Lt. Gov. Skillman. "Through the use of technology we are providing another opportunity for Hoosiers to say thanks and bring cheer to our heroes."

On October 18, Lt. Governor Skillman announced the launch of her fifth annual holiday letter writing campaign. The deadline for the office to receive greeting cards is November 19. Now, in addition to cards and letters, video greetings will be collected throughout the holiday season at [www.YouTube.com/hoosiercheer](http://www.YouTube.com/hoosiercheer). This is the first year that videos are being collected through the Hoosier Cheer for Our Heroes campaign.

Those who wish to participate should

record a short video greeting, and email the video's URL link to [lg@lg.in.gov](mailto:lg@lg.in.gov). Videos will be added to the YouTube Hoosier Cheer for Our Heroes page, where members of the military and their families can view them throughout the holiday season. Additional guidelines and info are available at [www.lg.in.gov/hoosiercheer](http://www.lg.in.gov/hoosiercheer).

## Messmer vows to fight for jobs, bipartisanship

Tuesday marked Organization Day for the Indiana House of Representatives, a ceremonial day on which all 100 members-including 19 new State Representatives-were sworn in by Chief Justice Shepard.

The newly elected Speaker of the House, Brian C. Bosma, pledged that he will do his duty and asks that all the representatives do the same.

"We will have many challenges this session, including crafting a balanced budget with no tax increases, creating a positive environment for job creation and bringing our education system into the 21st century," said Rep. Mark Messmer (R-Jasper).

"If we work together, I'm confident that we can have a productive session that is positive for Hoosier taxpayers," he said.

## The Messmer Report

By District 63 State Representative

Mark Messmer



Frightful Weather, Frightful Electric Bill?

As the weather gets colder, there's nothing more satisfying than tucking away a space heater under your desk at work, or coming home to a crock pot full of hot chili.

What you may not realize is that enjoying that heat during the very coldest months often comes at a premium.

Several of my constituents are unhappy about a new policy adopted this year, which allows the Daviess-Martin Rural Electric Membership Cooperative (REMC) to charge a higher rate for electricity during the summer and winter months, when everyone wants it the most.

Part of this is simple supply-and-demand. From June through August, and December through February, the demand for electricity to power all those air conditioners and space heaters is so high that the REMC has to take more expensive measures to provide service to everyone who wants and needs it.

This, in turn, can lead to more expensive electricity right when you want it the most.

I've been asked whether the REMC has regulatory approval for rate changes like these, so I did a little research - and it turns out that they don't even need it.

Electric cooperatives are not regulated by state regulatory agencies. As with most REMCs, the Daviess-Martin REMC is governed by a board of seven directors who are elected by the membership of the co-op. So while I'm happy to help with state regulatory issues whenever possible, in this situation, my hands are tied. Any questions or

comments are better directed to the board of the REMC.

I did call around to other REMCs, and overall electric rates are about the same at all of the area co-ops.

In the meantime, of course, the best way to cut down on your energy bill is to be as efficient as possible.

One of the best things you can do to save energy is tighten up your home.

Take some time to air-seal holes, cracks and openings in your home and then add insulation to stop the flow of heat through the walls and ceiling.

If you have duct work installed in your attic, be sure it is sealed air-tight. According to the Environmental Protection Agency, about 20 percent of the air that moves through your duct system is lost due to leaks and poorly sealed connections, and if it's in your attic, that's expensive.

You can even seal off windows using plastic for the season, creating a kind of second pane to make sure no cold air seeps in.

In addition, shut doors and turn off the heat in unused portions of your home. Take the time to completely power down computers and other technology, like entertainment systems, when not in use—or unplug them altogether. These often use electricity even when not in use.

For more tips on ways to make your home energy efficient in preparation for the cold, visit <http://www.epa.gov/greenhomes/ReduceEnergy.htm>.

In the meantime, stay warm!

## Miller files bill for statewide ban on 'Spice'

State Senator Pat Miller (R-Indianapolis) last Friday announced she has filed legislation to ban synthetic marijuana substitutes - like K2 or Spice - statewide.

"Officials estimate the effect of smoking Spice could be 10 times stronger than marijuana," Miller said. "Lawmakers should use the resources available to ban these

products statewide and help protect Hoosiers - particularly teens and young adults."

Miller, chair of the Senate Committee on Health and Provider Services, said her legislation would ban the production, distribution, sale and use of synthetic marijuana.

According to Drug-Free Marion County, Indiana has the largest number of reported cases involving spice in the U.S. As of June 30, there were 41 cases demonstrating the adverse effects of spice on youths ages 6 to 19.

"Hallucinations, rapid heartbeat, confusion, vomiting and nausea are just some of the side effects reported by users of this mood-altering drug," said Miller, a registered nurse.

Currently, state law bans "analog drugs" which are designed to have similar effects as illegal drugs, but a loophole exempts drugs labeled "not for human consumption" - a label used on brands like Spice which is sold as an herbal incense.

Miller said since the drug is not labeled for human consumption the Federal Drug Administration has not tested its effects and therefore the long-range implications are undetermined.

Miller said at least 10 states have banned or tried to control spice and several Indiana cities and counties have already passed ordinances against the sale of these products. Advantages of a statewide ban include uniform enforcement, joint task forces and investigations and appropriate penalties, according to Miller.

Indiana State Medical Association supports a statewide ban on the drug.



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# Calendar of Events

## Walking for fitness at LUMC

Walking for fitness is held each Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at the Loogootee United Methodist Church in the Family Center. The program will follow school weather closings. If there is a school delay, or during the week before Thanksgiving and the week before Christmas, there will not be organized walking. You may still come and walk individually without music. Come "follow the blue line". Fast walkers are on outside of blue line, and slow walkers are on the inside. It takes 22 laps to make a mile (No bumps to trip over). Choose your pace. Whistle blows every five minutes to change direction. All ages are invited, and it is free. Call Sandy Haseman at 295-9822 with any questions.

## Lady Rox Chili Supper

The Lady Rox Basketball Team is hosting a Chili Supper fundraiser Friday, November 19 from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. prior to hosting the Lady Lions at 7 p.m. (varsity only). Ticket includes chili, dessert, and drink for \$5 (pre-sale) or \$6 at the door. This event is sponsored by Carla's Catering and Creations. The Chili Supper will be held at the Shoals High School Home Economics room. Any questions call Tish Doane at 709-1740 or 247-3309.

## LUMC Turkey/Ham Dinner

The Loogootee United Methodist Church Annual Community Turkey/Ham Dinner will be held Thursday, December 2, from 4-7 p.m. Costs are Adults - \$7, children ages four-10 - \$4, two and under free, family special - \$25. Carry outs avail-

able and silent auction going on from 4 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the Family Life Center. The church is located at 208 West Main Street in Loogootee and the phone number is 295-3049.

## Loogootee School Board

The Loogootee School Board will meet Thursday, November 18 at 7 p.m. in the meeting room of the superintendent's office.

## Humane society meetings

The Martin County Humane Society meets on the third Tuesday of the month at Loogootee Municipal Building, at 7 p.m. To become a member, contact Martin County Humane Society, P. O. Box 537, Shoals, Indiana 47581, call Don at 296-0952.

## Recovery support group

The Overcomers Recovery Support Group meets every Tuesday night at 6 p.m. at the Martin County Community Learning Center.

## Youth football meetings

Martin County Youth Football League meets on the first Wednesday of the month at Pizza Junction at 7 p.m. Questions, call Audrey Robinson at 295-4773.

## Soil and Water meetings

The Martin County SWCD meets the third Monday of the month at the SWCD office located at learning center. Office hours for the district 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.



## Omer Chiropractic food drive

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Dr. Brooke Hawkins at Omer Chiropractic Clinic recently organized a food drive. With the help of their chiropractic family their goal of 200 items was donated to the St. Vincent De Paul Food Pantry for the Thanksgiving holiday. Pictured above with the donated items from left to right are Dr. Leslie Starr-Omer, Jenna Clouse, Dr. Brooke Hawkins, and Jamey Babrick.

## Health officials: 'Get smart about antibiotics'

State and local health officials have news for parents this cold and flu season: antibiotics don't work for a cold or the flu.

"Antibiotics kill bacteria, not viruses," said State Health Commissioner Gregory N. Larkin, M.D. "And colds, flu, and most sore throats are caused by viruses. Antibiotics don't touch viruses - never have, never will. And it's not really news. It's a long-documented medical fact."

But tell that to parents seeking relief for a child's runny nose. Research shows that most Americans have either missed the message about appropriate antibiotic use or they simply don't believe it. It's a case of mistaken popular belief winning out over fact. According to public opinion research, there is a perception that "antibiotics cure everything."

So, health officials in Indiana are taking the lead to educate Hoosiers parents and health care providers about the dangers of inappropriate antibiotic use, including the risk of antibiotic resistance. Indiana is one of only 12 states to receive funding from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) from its "Get Smart about Antibiotics" campaign.

This funding supports the Indiana Coalition for Antibiotic Resistance Education Strategies (ICARES). ICARES is a coalition of community members formed in 1999 to inform physicians and patients about the potential harm associated with unnecessary antibiotic use. Public health, hospitals, insurance companies, laboratories, and pharmacists are all represented on the coalition. Among its members are the Indiana State Department of Health and several local health departments, including the Marion County Health Department.

"The more information we can share with parents, adults, and health care community, the healthier we can keep our communities. This is an important message that our residents need to understand for their own health benefit," said Marion County Health Director Virginia A. Caine, M.D.

According to Drs. Larkin and Caine, taking antibiotics when they are not needed can do more harm than good. Widespread inappropriate use of antibiotics is fueling an increase in drug-resistant bacteria. And sick individuals aren't the only people who can suffer the consequences. Families and entire communities feel the impact when disease-causing germs become resistant to antibiotics.

"The most obvious consequence of inappropriate antibiotic use is its effect on the sick patient," said Dr. Larkin. "When antibiotics are incorrectly used to treat children

or adults with viral infections, such as colds and flu, they aren't getting the best care for their condition. A course of antibiotics won't fight the virus, make the patient feel better, yield a quicker recovery or keep others from getting sick."

Dr. Larkin says a less obvious consequence of antibiotic overuse is the boost it gives to drug-resistant disease-causing bacteria. Almost every type of bacteria has become stronger and less responsive to antibiotic treatment when it really is needed. These antibiotic-resistant bacteria can quickly spread to family members, school mates and co-workers - threatening the community with a new strain of infectious disease that is more difficult to cure and more expensive to treat.

According to the CDC, antibiotic resistance is one of the world's most pressing public health problems. Americans of all ages can lower this risk by talking to their doctors and using antibiotics appropriately during this cold and flu season.

Two major reasons that antimicrobial resistance occurs are overuse (such as taking antibiotics for viral illnesses, i.e. colds) and misuse (such as skipping doses or not completing the full course of antibiotics). Studies have demonstrated 50 percent of all antibiotic use is either unnecessary or inappropriate.

Antibiotic resistant infections, which occur in the community and health care facilities, are painful, difficult to treat, and increase the cost of health care dramatically. Some of the more common antibiotic resistant infections that affect Indiana's citizens include Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA), Clostridium difficile, Streptococcus pneumoniae, and Tuberculosis. There are many others that are common or emerging as major threats to the health of Hoosiers.

Dr. Larkin says children and adults with viral infections recover when the illness has run its course. Colds caused by viruses may last for two weeks or longer. There are measures that can help a person with a cold or flu feel better:

- Increase fluid intake (preferably water or juice and avoid alcohol and caffeine);
- Use a cool mist vaporizer or saline nasal spray to relieve congestion; and
- Soothe throat with ice chips, sore throat spray or lozenges (for older children and adults).

"Viral infections may sometimes lead to bacterial infections," said Dr. Larkin. "Individuals should keep their doctor informed if their illness gets worse or lasts a long time."

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## First buck

Lori Hembree, of Loogootee, is shown above with her first ever hunting prize, a 5-point buck shot in Dubois County. Lori landed the buck at 7:45 a.m. on opening day of shotgun season last Saturday.

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## Expanded tax options give farmers more flexibility

BY JENNIFER STEWART  
Purdue University News Service

New and expanded tax incentives for farmers and small businesses provide more flexibility in tax management this year, says Purdue Extension agricultural economist George Patrick. The "Creating Small Business Jobs Act of 2010" offers a larger Section 179 expensing deduction of up to \$500,000 for tax years 2010 and 2011.

"Section 179 allows a taxpayer to deduct or expense part or all of the cost of an asset in the year of purchase, rather than depreciating the cost over several years," Patrick said. "The Section 179 deduction is typically limited by the amount of qualifying assets acquired or the taxable income of the taxpayer, but it provides great flexibility in managing taxes."

Most depreciable assets qualify for the 50 percent additional first-year depreciation, which was extended to include qualifying property placed in service between January 1 and December 31, 2010.

What this means, for example, is that farmers who purchased property for \$50,000 can take \$25,000 as additional first-year depreciation. They also can take the regular depreciation on the remaining \$25,000.

"The property eligible for additional first-year depreciation is broader than that eligible for Section 179," Patrick said. "For example, a shop or machine shed qualifies for the additional first-year depreciation but does not qualify for the Section 179 deduction. Both Section 179 expensing and additional first-year depreciation result in faster cost recovery for producers, which helps stimulate economic growth."

For 2010, self-employed individuals can deduct the cost of health insurance for both income and self-employment tax purposes. "This puts the employee and the self-employed on a more level playing field with respect to the after-tax cost of health insurance," Patrick said.

Farmers interested in learning more about

tax provisions and management can attend a free webinar December 9 from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. "Income Tax Management for Farmers" will be led by Patrick and David Frette, a certified public accountant who specializes in agriculture. More information is available at <http://www.agecon.purdue.edu/extension/programs/tax/>

Indiana and Ohio tax professionals also can attend two-day update programs that will cover these and other tax law changes and can receive continuing professional education credits. More information on the Indiana programs is available at [www.conf.purdue.edu/tax](http://www.conf.purdue.edu/tax) and in Ohio at <http://aede.osu.edu/Programs/TaxSchool/>

## Ag economist: Farmers should think hard about incurring debt

BY ELISE BROWN  
Purdue University News Service

In these tough economic times when consumers and businesses are spending less, farmers should think carefully about how much money they want to borrow and how they would use it in their businesses, a Purdue University agricultural economist says.

When pursuing business opportunities, debt can be an important tool for business growth, Brent Gloy said.

"Opportunities may come up, and you may need to borrow money to go after them," he said. "Borrowing in moderation and using the funds for the right things is very important."

Some of those opportunities include investments that let farmers expand their operations, save on costs or improve efficiency, but they also should carefully consider incurring debt because unnecessary expenses can threaten financial security, Gloy said.

"Think about what you need, what the return is and what you're risking, and think about that carefully," he said. "On the other hand, you don't want to walk away from things that fit with what you do and that you're capable of handling. Just make sure they are the right opportunities."

Finding good business opportunities is usually hard work, but that effort can create wealth in the long run, Gloy said.

"Rarely will wealth be handed to you," he said. "You will have to make the investment and then do the hard work of managing the business to capture the value. Building wealth requires sacrifice. In order to build wealth, you must delay or reduce consump-

tion below income generation. This means that you have to make some sacrifices today for the benefit of having more in the future."

He said farmers should practice good business fundamentals and worry about only what they can control.

"Too many times we get wrapped up in thinking of the big picture and we don't think about the fundamentals of our business," Gloy said. "Start by understanding where you are and what your options are to change where you are."

Gloy said it also is important for farmers to know the cost versus return of every business decision they make and what changes in business practices are necessary to increase revenue.

Gloy also offered the following management tips:

- Understand the economics of your business. If you have an advantage, always work to increase it.

- Do not be paralyzed by analysis and complication. Do not blindly make big decisions based on faith.

- If you find yourself in financial trouble, address it early and honestly.

- Clearly understand risk and return trade-offs. Don't gamble your financial security for things you don't need.

- Invest in yourself. Your knowledge and talent is the most valuable set of assets that you own. Make good choices here and you will reap benefits for years to come.

- Invest in those around you. There are many talented people in this world. You will clearly be better off if they are working toward helping you solve problems. When you invest in someone else it usually pays dividends down the road.

## Waterfowl season opens approach for South, Ohio River zones

Duck hunters are hoping for a better season this year after what DNR biologist Adam Phelps said was a down year for duck harvest last year.

Soon-to-open waterfowl seasons:

Ducks

South Zone: Opens November 24 (Wednesday); closes January 13

Ohio River: Opens November 27 (Saturday); closes January 23

Canada Geese

South Zone: Opens November 24 (Wednesday); closes January 27

Ohio River Zone: Opens November 21 (Sunday); closes January 31

The statewide seasons for snow geese and

brant are open and run until January 28; the statewide season for white-fronted geese is open and runs until January 30.

Phelps said the low duck harvest numbers last year were most likely due to statewide bitter cold and frozen conditions during the heart of the South Zone's season.

"Duck breeding populations this spring were about the same as last year, with better water conditions on the prairies, so reproduction should have been good," he said.

Phelps said that dry weather has concentrated birds in the places where there still is water, so hunters who can find marsh areas that have water should do well ... depending on the weather, of course.



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# New Beginnings Church Weekly Message

**BY SHIRLEY CANELL**  
*Pastor's wife*

Light of the Gospel 2 Corinthians 4:1-6

Is your light burned out? Is it barely flickering? Have the batteries run down and giving off very little light? Maybe you need a recharge or get all new batteries so you can be the light to others. God wants to recharge you with the strength of His love and forgiveness. With this recharge from God, you can be persistent, you can be changed; you can turn away from disgraceful and underhanded ways of this world. With a jolt of power we will have the power needed to serve Jesus Christ as Lord and be the light to this lost and dying world.

Because of the mercy of God, we do not have to lose heart. Losing heart is a strong Greek word referring to an abandoning of oneself to cowardly surrender. Since God has called you to His kingdom we are not to abandon that calling. We are to trust God to strengthen us. God has great mercy on us; that while we were yet sinners Christ died for us.

"I thank Christ Jesus our Lord, who has strengthened me, because He considered me faithful, putting me into service, even though I was formerly a blasphemer and a persecutor and a violent aggressor. Yet I was shown mercy because I acted ignorantly in unbelief."

1 Timothy 1:12-13.

Turn away from repent of the disgraceful ugly underhanded ways, those secret immoralities, hypocrisies and sins hidden in the darkness of your life. Those things that you do behind closed doors, undercover, and would be shamed if exposed. The Gospel is such a great gift. It is not given so you can do what you want but to remove you from sinful ways and let the overflowing grace of our Lord pour out with faith and love.

At salvation every believer repents and turns away from sin and devotes his life to the pursuit of Godliness. Sometimes it's not overnight. It's a progression, a transforming into the image of God. Let the power of the Holy Spirit help you put your trust in God's changing power.

Be truthful. We can't tamper with God's word. It's not God's word that has to fit our lives but our lives have to fit God's word. These opinions of what we might think God is saying means nothing, too many times we are misled by taking God's word out of context of the principles God is trying to teach us.

Something you should never forget, if a teaching is not consistent of all scripture then we probably misunderstood it. We come too many times with preconceived notions of what God's word says whereby we tamper with it to make it say what we have heard and taught to be true so we try to make it

true. Paul says I'm not going to tamper with the word of God but by the open statement of truth. Truth is something that applies to all people at all times in all circumstances. God's truth fits everyone at all times.

The heart of unbelievers is veiled and blinded. They are lost without God and they are going to act that way. We cannot persuade people to believe, we cannot unveil someone's heart. Unbelievers need the veil removed. How do they remove the veil; ask God, repent of sin and God will remove it. Only God can! The Gospel is not veiled, people's hearts are. Before unbelievers can see the glory of the Gospel the veil has to be removed.

We are all servants, we either serve God or we serve self and sin. Discouragement comes because we are servants of something or someone other than God. If you do proclaim Jesus as Lord of your life then we are His servants headed for Heaven and as His servants we see the gospel more clearly. We see His glory in things rather than the dark side of things. Jesus is our Master and we do whatever the master tells us to do.

We are told to be the light, let your light shine out of the darkness. The same God who gave light to the universe is the same God who must create supernatural light in the soul and usher believers from the kingdom of darkness to His Kingdom of Light. If we

are going to be the light of the gospel, if we are going to live in the light, if we are going to overcome the darkness we MUST let God's light shine through us.

Walk as children of light and try to discern what is pleasing to the Lord. You are no longer in darkness if you are persistent, truthful, mindful, and serving Jesus as Lord.

If you have doubts about something being scriptural or biblical, ask that person to show you where that is in the Bible. If it is scriptural it will be there. Pastor Ernie is available to help you with any questions you may have about whether something is scriptural or not. He will show you exactly where it is in the Bible so you can be sure it is being portrayed correctly.

Our Sunday morning service starts at 10 a.m. with praise and worship. I have been propping open the front door of the church to let our awesome praise and worship to the King of Kings, Lord of Lords flow out into the streets. Something so awesome as glory to the King can not be contained within walls. This Sunday our J.A.M. dance team will be performing a routine during the praise and worship time, you are welcome to join us. They practice every Sunday morning at 9:15, you do not have to be a member of the church to join. Pastor Ernie can be reached at 709-0258. If you can't reach him you can call me and I will get your message to him 709-2525. In Christ Alone.

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**Shoals Varsity and Junior Varsity Girls' Basketball**

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**Shoals Junior High Boys' Basketball**

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Shown above is the Shoals Seventh and Eighth Grade Boys' Basketball teams. From left to right are Johnny Arnett, Kyle Courtright, Grady Key, Tyler George, Michael Hawkins, Coach Chad Cundiff, Coach Michael Fischer, Gavin Howell, Gage Lundy, Logan Harker, DJ Hart, Kaden Butler, Zach Bleemel, and Landon, Clark.



**Shoals 8th Grade Girls' Basketball**

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Shown above is the Shoals Eighth Grade Girls' Basketball team. In the front row, from left to right, are Caitlin Sanders, Alexis Young, and Kylee Hardwick. In the back row, from left to right, are Ellis Haviland, Jordan Haviland, Coach Pat Garrett, Ashton Allbright, and Audrey Sanders.



**Shoals 7th Grade Girls' Basketball**

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Shown above is the Shoals Seventh Grade Girls' Basketball team. In the front row, from left to right, are Megan Hawkins, Laken Inman, and Britany Cooper. In the back row, from left to right, are Taylor Atkison, Coach Kelly Springer, and Stephanie Crowder.



**Shoals Elementary Cheerleaders**

*-Photo provided*

Shown above are the Shoals Elementary School Cheerleaders. In the front row, from left to right, are Hope Self, Sara Craft, Makayla Cundiff, and Autumn Jones. In the back row standing, from left to right, are Haylee Davis, Haley Roach, Avory Bauernfiend, Jill Holt, Abby Stoll, Kierstin Jones, and Kelsie Graves.

# Fall classes, programs at the learning center

## College classes

The following Ivy Tech classes will be held in Martin County during the spring 2011 semester:

English Composition (ENGL 111) Tuesdays 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Essentials of Algebra I (MATH 023) Wednesdays 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Intro to Sociology (SOC 111) Thursdays 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

\*In-state fees for Ivy Tech classes are \$104.55 per credit hour.

A representative from Ivy Tech Bloomington will be at the learning center on Friday, November 19 from 2 to 4 p.m. to answer any questions about classes and register students. Anyone interested in learning more about Ivy Tech feel free to come during this time or call the learning center for more information.

If you need a proctor for an online class or computers with internet to take your classes, contact Kathy at the learning center to schedule a time that works with your schedule.

## Résumé writing and career planning

Need help with your résumé? Darlene Ridgway with Bramble Consulting will offer résumé Assistance-Level One on November 18. The class is from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and cost is \$25. This is a basic course designed for an applicant needing help with the application process for government civilian and/or government contractor positions, specifically for NSWC Crane. Contact Kathy at the learning center at 812-295-2674 to register.

## Free computer usage

The Martin County Community Learning Center has multiple computers available

with internet access. If you need to use a computer, please come by the center during office hours and sign the computer usage agreement form. Computer usage is free for academic purposes.

## Overcomer's support group

Indiana Drug Education and Awareness Solutions are conducting an ongoing Overcomer's Recovery Support Group at the center. Meetings are held every Tuesday evening from 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., and newcomers are invited. There is no cost for participation. For further information, contact Jason Underhill at 812-653-1908.

## Adult literacy and education

Do you know someone who could use some help with his or her reading skills? Anyone interested is encouraged to contact SOAR! at 812-709-1618 for further information.

For GED-Adult Basic Education, call Vicki Conrad at 812-936-2881 or 812-606-2056.

## Coming soon!

The New Year will be here before we know it, and along with a new year comes a new set of classes. In the works are more computer applications courses, résumé classes, Microsoft programs classes, fitness/aerobics classes, music, and more. Keep an eye on the newspapers and website for further updates. The learning center is here to serve the community; call and let us know how we can best serve you!

## Contact

Kathy Kerr, Coordinator, 812-295-2674 or email [kkerr8@ivytech.edu](mailto:kkerr8@ivytech.edu)

## Office hours

Monday through Thursday 1 p.m. to 9 p.m. and Friday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## Community Learning Center



## LOOGOOTE ELEMNTARY WEST

### Breakfast

**Thursday, November 18**

Cereal, muffin, sausage

**Friday, November 19**

Sausage biscuit, egg, juice

**Monday, November 22**

Pancake wrap, egg, juice

**Tuesday, November 23**

Ham, egg, biscuit

**Wednesday, November 24**

Biscuit and gravy, sausage, fruit

### Lunch

**Thursday, November 18**

Hot dogs, baked beans, pears

**Friday, November 19**

Fish sandwich, scalloped potatoes, mixed fruit

**Monday, November 22**

Chicken sandwich, green beans, fruit

**Tuesday, November 23**

Hamburger, corn, peaches

**Wednesday, November 24**

Turkey and noodles, peas, applesauce, bread, chocolate cake

## LOOGOOTE INTERMEDIATE AND HIGH SCHOOL

### Lunch

**Thursday, November 18**

Chicken noodle soup or pizza, peanut butter and jelly, fruit, cheese and crackers, salad plate, milk

**Friday, November 19**

Chicken patty or pizza, French fries, mixed vegetables, fruit, salad plate, milk

**Monday, November 22**

Grilled chicken or pizza, baked potato,

broccoli and cheese, cottage cheese, salad plate, milk

**Tuesday, November 23**

Taco salad or pizza, corn, rice, apple-sauce, salad plate, milk

**Wednesday, November 24**

Chicken fried steak or pizza, mashed potatoes, green beans, fruit, salad plate, milk

## SHOALS SCHOOLS

### Breakfast

**Thursday, November 18**

Cereal, muffins, cheese, milk

**Friday, November 19**

Egg and cheese burrito, fruit, milk

**Monday, November 22**

Cereal, cinnamon bread, juice, milk

**Tuesday, November 23**

Pancakes with syrup, ham, juice, milk

**Wednesday, November 24**

Cereal, muffins, cheese, milk

### Lunch

**Thursday, November 18**

Pepperoni pizza, green beans, corn on the cob, milk; choice 4-12: corn dog

**Friday, November 19**

Hot dog sandwich, potato tots, baked beans, fruit juice, milk

**Monday, November 22**

Tenderloin sandwich, spicy fries, chilled fruit, cake, milk

**Tuesday, November 23**

Corn dogs, green beans, slaw, pudding, milk; choice 4-12: cheese pizza

**Wednesday, November 24**

Turkey noodle tray including mashed potatoes, steamed vegetables, yeast roll, ice cream, milk

## Shoals junior high teams defeat North Daviess

The Shoals Eighth Grade Basketball team defeated North Daviess Tuesday night by a whopping 48-12. Johnny Arnett was the leading scorer for Shoals with 19 points on only ten shots. Three players tied with the most rebounds at four apiece.

Shoals opened up to a 17-6 first quarter lead and played solid defense the rest of the game only giving two points per quarter for the remainder of the contest. "This was a good game for our kids in that we got a lot of chances to play our bench and it also allowed some of the 7th graders to play extended minutes in an 8th grade game," said 7th grade Coach Mike Fischer who filled in

for 8th grade Coach Chad Cundiff.

The Shoals seventh graders also defeated North Daviess 20-16. Landon Clark was the leading scorer for Shoals with nine points. Most of his points came off of his team-leading four steals. Kaden Butler led the team with seven rebounds.

"This was a close game throughout. Shoals never trailed in the ballgame and were able to close out for the four point win. It was nice to get our first win of the year," said Coach Mike Fischer. "This was definitely a good effort by the kids. I was very happy with the rebounding performance the kids gave tonight."



**Shoals Junior High Cheerleaders**

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Shown above are the Shoals Junior High Cheerleaders, from left to right, Julie Dorsey, Kaitlyn Powers, Dawn Wright, Coach Lynette Harker, Christina Hovis, Audrey Bowers, and Taylor Atkinson.

## Loogootee 8th graders win two over Shoals and Forest Park

The Loogootee Eighth Grade Boys' Basketball team traveled to Forest Park Monday, November 15 and came home with a substantial win 43-24.

Hayden Bell contributed 15 points and eight rebounds while Darian Stewart had nine points and five steals.

Ben Blackwell had six points and Gabe Nolley had five points and four steals.

The team moves to 4-1 on the season with their next game tomorrow night against North Knox at the high school at 6 p.m.

Last Saturday, November 13, the eighth graders also defeated Shoals 46-17.

Darian Stewart finished with 15 points while Gabe Nolley and Ben Blackwell each contributed eight.

The seventh graders also went up against Shoals Saturday winning 37-16. Jake Blackwell led in scoring with 13 while Logan Carrico and Wyatt Wade each had six points. Grant Carrico finished with 10 rebounds.

The win was the first one for the seventh graders putting them at 1-2 on the season.

## Lion 5th and 6th graders defeat Cedar Crest green

The Loogootee Sixth Grade Girls' Basketball team defeated the Cedar Crest green team Tuesday night, November 16 at home by a score of 34-18.

Leading the team were Meghan Mathies with 19 points, Mayson Riley with seven, and Kylie Hall, Mya Hedrick, Matty Jones, and Megan Lampert with two points each.

Mathies scored 10 of her points in the second quarter while Kylie Hall made several

steals. "We played well for our first game, but still have some work to do. With one starter out (Emily Brookshire), the other players responded well and picked up the slack," said Coach Tim Sanders.

The fifth grade girls' team also defeated Cedar Crest Green team by a score of 26 to 18. Jody Seals led in scoring with 18 followed by Julianne Bell with four and Katie Sims and Candice Clark with two apiece.

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# Community foundation holds annual dinner

Monday evening The Martin County Community Foundation celebrated National Philanthropy Day by holding its Annual Dinner.

Speakers for the night included Tony Nonte, Bill Shobe, Dan Gregory, Brenda Weisheit, John Drake, and Stevie Horton. Approximately 120 people attended the event.

Five grant checks were awarded to organizations that applied during the 2010 grant cycle.

- Engineering software - Loogootee High School - Ernie Martin - \$1,200
- Installation of a chair lift-Martin County Historical Society - Jim and Jane Marshall - \$600

- New city truck - Town of Shoals - Dick Cresgy and Robert Able - \$2,000
- Upgrades to the Community Building - Martin County 4-H-Lisa Arvin - \$4,955.20
- The PEERS Project - Loogootee Schools - Brenda Weisheit - \$1,000

The Martin County Community Foundation issued a \$4,000 challenge grant to the Martin County Community Learning Center earlier this year. This was to help the center meet its sustainability goals to the next State Biennium. The foundation is pleased that through a partnership of the MCCF, county commissioners, state legislators, and individuals, the CLC has met its current sustainability goals.



The Martin County Community Foundation also pledged to continue the Dictionary Project for this year. With this project, each third grader in the county receives a dictionary appropriate for their age level. Studies have proven that the possession of a level-appropriate dictionary has a great positive impact at this age. The MCCF is proud to continue this investment in our children.

Since it's founding, the MCCF has helped to bring in almost \$10 million in benefits to Martin County. Copies of the impact statement are available from the MCCF office.

The foundation said goodbye to three board members who are completing their terms of service; Kenny H. Frye, Wanda Harding, and Steve Deckard. A remembrance was given to board member Paul E. "Gene" Shaw who passed away in July.

The MCCF welcomed three new board members who will help lead the foundation in the coming years: Beth Lett, Rita Poirier, and Katie Hawkins.

Ann (Jones) Johnson was honored as a new member of the Martin County Community Foundation Legacy Society. The legacy society recognizes those that have made deferred gifts (gifts through will or estates) to the community through the Martin County Community Foundation.

For more information about the MCCF please call the office at 812-295-1022 or email [mccf@rtccom.net](mailto:mccf@rtccom.net).



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Shown above are the 2010 Martin County Community Foundation grant recipients. In the front sitting, from left to right, are Brenda Weisheit-PEERS Project, Lisa Arvin-Martin County 4-H, Jane Marshall-Historical Society, and Jim Marshall-Historical Society. Standing, from left to right, are John Drake-MCCF Grants Chair, Ernie Martin-Engineering project LHS, Dick Cresgy-Town of Shoals, Robert Abel-Town of Shoals, and Jason Jones-MCCF Executive Director.

## Speech given by MCCF Board Member Dr. Tony Nonte

The following is the speech given by Dr. Tony Nonte at the MCCF's annual dinner Monday night.

November is a month when we stop to remember. Last week we recalled the sacrifice our service men and women gave to our great nation. Later this month, we will remember all the blessings in our lives and give thanks. Tonight, we're celebrating National Philanthropy Day. It's a perfect time to look at what philanthropy is and what it has done locally, nationally, and across the world. There is a fine line between charity and philanthropy. While charity strives to meet an immediate need, philanthropy looks at ways to solve that need for present and future generations. In short, charity catches fish to feed hungry people, and philanthropy teaches hungry people to fish. While foundations do make some charitable grants the primary focus is on philanthropy.

There are many examples of the effect foundations have on our society through philanthropy. Through the efforts of foundations, India went from a nation dependent on foreign assistance to feed its people, to a self-sustaining-food exporting country. Through the efforts of foundations our na-

tion enjoys one of the most effective emergency response systems ever created - 911. Locally, our community foundation has helped bring close to ten million dollars of benefit to our county over the past ten years.

Other nations do not enjoy the privileges of philanthropy as we do in the United States. In most other western nations, if you wish to make a gift to the cause that you love, you have to apply to a committee who will judge the merits of the cause you wish to support and the gift you want to make. Philanthropy is truly another blessing that this great country has to offer.

Earlier this year the MCCF partnered with two organizations to advance the cause of philanthropy this year. The St. Vincent De Paul Society established the Martin County Non-Traditional scholarship to help adult learners return to school. The Smithville Charitable Foundation has agreed to establish an unrestricted fund with the MCCF to provide monies for our annual unrestricted grant cycle.

Individuals exercise philanthropy too. Tonight we would like you to meet a few of these people. They've graciously agreed to spend some time with us tonight.



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Shown above is Martin County Community Foundation President Stevie Horton, at left, and Anne (Jones) Johnson, at right, a new MCCF Legacy Society member.

## Closing speech given by MCCF President Stevie Horton

We hope you were able to see tonight that philanthropy takes many forms. There are many ways to make a gift. In the news today, we hear about Warren Buffet and Bill Gates taking their vast fortunes and starting foundations to benefit mankind when they leave this Earth. Through the community foundation, you have the same ability to impact your community, the cause you love, the organization that inspires you. You don't need millions of dollars to start a private organization. You can fulfill your philanthropic dream with the help of your community foundation. The amount of money you want

to give doesn't matter. What does matter is that you have the spirit of philanthropy in you heart and a willingness to sit down to discover the kind of gift that is right for you. We can help you fulfill your dream.

Our slogan is "For good, forever, for Martin County." That is the promise we make to you. Thank you for coming out tonight. Thank you for your support, and thank you for your philanthropic spirit. Good night and have a safe trip home. Grant recipients, please remember to stay after the program for pictures. Thank you and happy National Philanthropy Day.

# THANK YOU

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the voters in District 1 for your support and trust in my bid for re-election to the County Council.



I would also like to thank my opponent, Phil Emmons, for running a fair and clean campaign.

During the next 4 years, please feel free to contact me with concerns or ideas for the betterment of Martin County.

Thank you, once again, for your support.

**RANDY WININGER**

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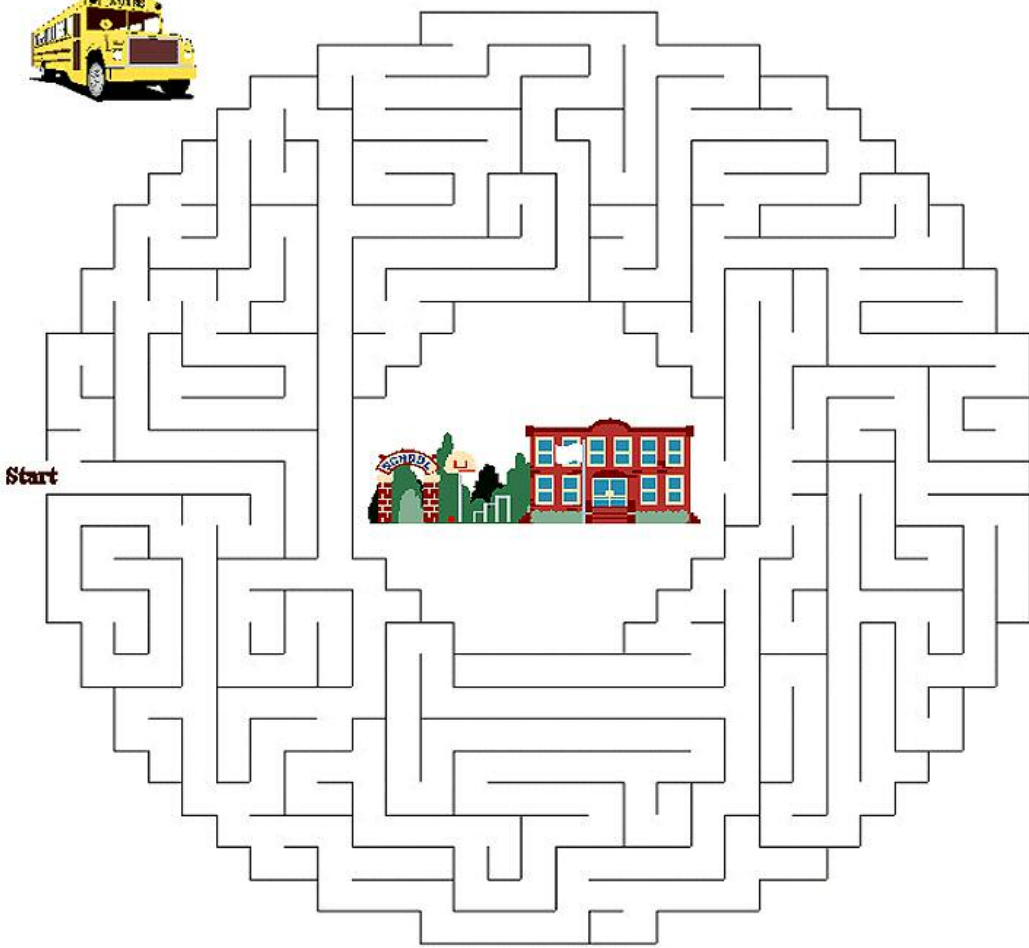
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14	15 <i>AEW Kick-off Day</i> Organize activities at your school for neighbors, families and community leaders.	16 <i>Parents' Day</i> Invite parents into the school for a first-hand look at their children's school day.	17 <i>Education Support Professionals Day</i> Individuals who provide invaluable services to schools are recognized for their outstanding work.	18 <i>Educator for a Day</i> Encourage community leaders to serve as "educators for a day" for a hands-on school experience.	19 <i>Substitute Educator Day</i> Honor the educators who are called to substitute for the regular classroom teachers in their absence.	20
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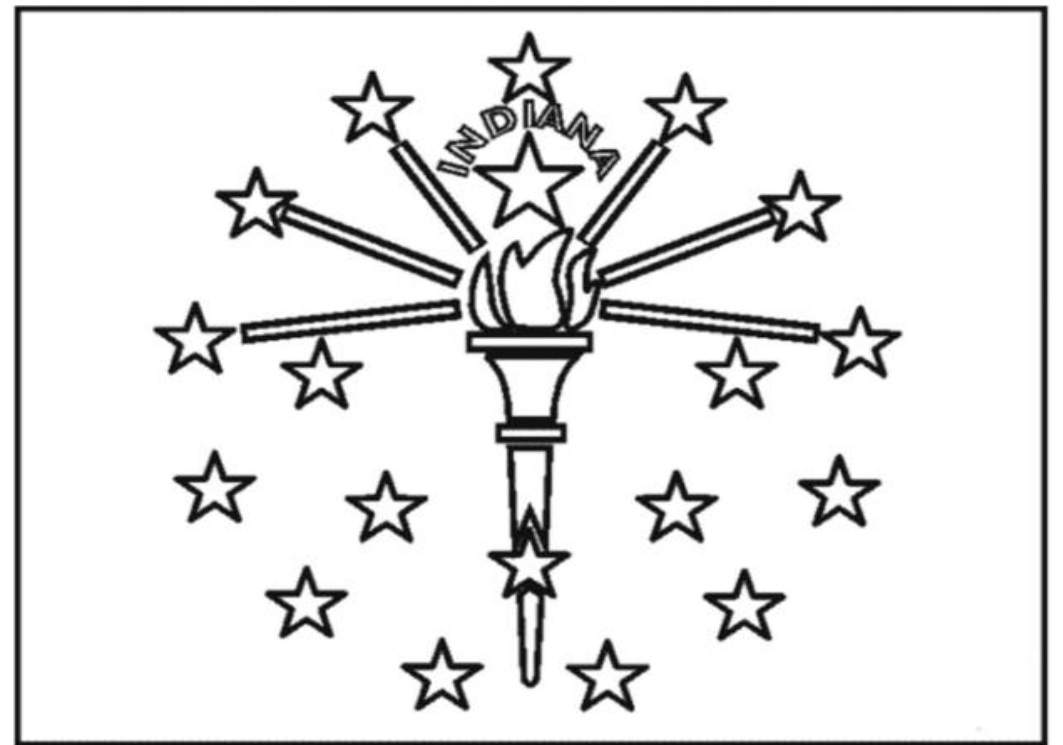
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