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NEW PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

Fun stuff

Elmwood adds more playground equipment

By **NICK VLAHOS**
 For The Weekly Post

ELMWOOD – New playground equipment at two Elmwood city parks is ready for action. Or more action, perhaps.

Installation at Sweetwater and West parks began the last weekend in September. The bulk of it took about a week, according to Alderman Bob Paige. He helps the city oversee its parks. While work was completed late last week, it didn't take long for the new equipment to receive use.

"I was there working a little bit on the older equipment and there were kids already coming around and filling up the playground area," Paige said. "It'll draw a lot more kids into the parks."

The City Council approved



Elmwood Alderman Bob Paige sits on a new slide at Sweetwater Park while Graceland and Kyson Graham play on the structure. The City of Elmwood spent \$97,000 to install new playground equipment at Sweetwater and West parks. Photo by Dan Bybee.

buying the new playground gear, as well as a contract for its installation. Among the equipment is an embankment slide, three spring riders and 12 swing mats, as well as a drinking fountain. Total cost, including installation, was about

\$97,000.

New equipment at Sweetwater Park might appeal to children whose older siblings are playing on nearby ball diamonds.

"They seem to enjoy it," Paige said.

Elmwood OKs funds for new arts center

TIF grant to pay for half of improvements

By **NICK VLAHOS**
 For The Weekly Post

ELMWOOD – A former doctor's office in downtown Elmwood is being converted to another medicinal purpose – this one for the mind and soul, perhaps.

The Elmwood Center for the Humanities is scheduled to open sometime next spring at 120 W. Main St., according to its primary organizer. Elmwood-area resident Bill Seipel said the center is to feature an art gallery-museum, arts-related classrooms and a coffee shop.

"I want to see this turn into a place where somebody can go in the daytime and appreciate the art

that's on the wall, or if they see a program they're interested in signing up for and they want to learn how to paint, they can sign up," he told The Weekly Post. "Or if they want to go have a cup of coffee, they can."

Seipel also addressed the Elmwood City Council when it met Oct. 8. The council voted to give his not-for-profit group a \$4,377.22 tax-increment-financing grant to cover half the cost of improvements to the building. A new awning and an exterior paint job are to be among the updates.

The humanities-center board purchased the building Aug. 5 from Urbana-

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Voters can weigh in on 3 ballot questions

By **ANDREW ADAMS**
 Capitol News Illinois

Lawmakers in Illinois are asking voters to weigh in on three hot-button issues on their ballots this year: election interference, income taxes and reproductive health care.

Voters in Illinois are being posed three advisory questions that ask voters whether they support a specific policy but aren't legally binding.

Lawmakers may take the results into account when considering what policies to advocate for in future legislative sessions.



These questions are being asked because lawmakers passed Senate Bill 2412 in early May, instructing state election officials to add them to ballots.

"All three of the questions deal with issues that are top of mind for voters or

are issues that have been reported on in the news media," bill sponsor Rep. Jay Hoffman, D-Swansea, said in an interview this week.

The last time advisory questions were placed on Illinois ballots statewide was in 2014. That year, three questions were posed to voters: one concerning a potential increase to

the state's minimum wage, one concerning whether insurers should be required to cover prescription birth control and one concerning a tax on income over \$1 million.

While Hoffman said he has "learned not to predict" how votes like this will go or how they will be used, he said that the 2014 vote "ultimately led to the passage of increasing the minimum wage."

That measure passed in early 2019 after Gov. JB Pritzker made a personal appeal to lawmakers shortly after taking office.

This year's advisory questions have

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CENTER: Building housed doctors since 1970s

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based Carle Health for \$0, according to deed information released by the Peoria County Clerk.

The building had housed various doctors' offices since the 1970s but was empty the past few years, according to Seipel. The software developer also is on the board of The Palace Theater, which is next door.

A possible expansion of the theater into the doctor's office proved impractical, Seipel said. That led to the arts-focused alternative use.

Seipel is joined on the humanities-center board by his brother Dan Seipel, a software developer from Metamora; KiLee Li-

dwel-McFerren, principal of Lincoln Elementary School in Canton; Lindsay Powers, a Dunlap High School art teacher; and Ritchie Savage, a sociology professor at Bradley University in Peoria.

The gallery-museum is to feature different exhibits each quarter and be open from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. most days, according to Bill Seipel. The classrooms might feature instruction in painting, creative writing, crocheting and music.

Seipel envisions the center as a small-town, permanent version of the annual Peoria Art Guild Fine Art Fair – a place for local and regional artists to display their work. An

outdoor arts fair like the Peoria one also is on the wish list.

Coffee-shop hours might be 6 a.m. to 6 p.m., according to Seipel. That is the only for-profit aspect of the center.

"Anything you can buy in Starbucks will be available here, hopefully," Seipel said. "This is meant for the community. This is not for the inurement of anybody specifically."

In other business, the council selected Gerri Pettit as the winner of the Citizen of the Season Award for summer. Alderman Kenny Blum cited Pettit's work with the local Meals on Wheels organization.

Blum also said four municipal-funded lights were

authorized to be placed above the alley along Main Street between H&H Industries, Inc., and David Vaughan's insurance office. The four gooseneck fixtures purchased from H&H have been mounted on its building.

The lights are designed to benefit customers of the theater, among other uses, according to Blum.

"When the movie lets out, a lot of people access that (alley) to the parking lot, and it's dark," he said. "These lights are pretty cool."

The \$3,708 cost is to come from the city marketing budget, according to Blum. The city is to own and maintain the lights.

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THE WEEK AHEAD

This Week's Hot Picks

- **Pork Chop Sale** – Brimfield Fire Department has a pork-chop fundraiser Saturday, Oct. 19, from 11 a.m. until they run out at the Brimfield fire station.
- **Cemetery Walk** – The Maquon Historical Association has a cemetery walk Saturday, Oct. 19, from 4-7 p.m. starting at Fruit Hill School, 101 S. West St. Tickets \$10.
- **Fall Clean-up** – Yates City and Salem Township have a clean-up day for residents Saturday, Oct. 19, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Roll-off containers will be located behind the Yates City water tower.

This Week's Events

- **DIY Craft** – Ladies Night Out craft today, Oct. 17, at 6:30 p.m. at Morrison & Mary Wiley Library in Elmwood is to make a DIY burlap pumpkin. Materials provided. Ages 18 and older.
- **Free Movie** – A free showing of the movie "The Swimmer" is Saturday, Oct. 19, at 7 p.m. at The Palace Theatre in Elmwood.
- **Craft Show** – Beta Sigma Phi has a craft show at Galva High School Saturday, Oct. 19, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Admission \$2.
- **Aquifer Discussion** – Illinois State University Professor Eric Peterson discusses the mystery of aquifers and underground water resources Monday, Oct. 21, at Brimfield Public Library at 6:30 p.m.
- **Travel Talk** – Glacier National Park and the Canadian Rockies are subject of travel agent Jennifer Walker's free travel program Tuesday, Oct. 22, at 6:30 p.m. at Brimfield Public Library.
- **Yoga** – Yoga classes Thursdays, 6 p.m. in Brimfield Library Activity Room. \$4. Classes also on Mondays,

Wednesdays and Fridays at 9:30 a.m. at Princeville's Lillie M. Evans Library.

Future Events

- **Trunk or Treat** – Elmwood's annual Trunk or Treat is Oct. 26, 3:30-5:30 p.m. at Central Park. Hot dogs, chips and hot cocoa served. Free entry. Prizes. Courtesy of Elmwood Ministerial of Pastors.
- **Chili Supper** – Trivoli Volunteer Firemen's 60th annual chili supper is Oct. 26, 3-7 p.m., at the Trivoli Fire Station, 18911 W. Farmington Road. Cash donations only.
- **Free Movie** – The Elmwood Kiwanis Club has a costume contest Oct. 26 at 1 p.m. at The Palace Theatre in Elmwood and a free showing of the movie "Monster House" at 1:45. Free small popcorn or soda.
- **Turkey Supper** – Williamsfield United Methodist Church has a drive-through turkey supper on Oct. 26, 4:30-6:30 p.m. Cost \$15 per person.
- **Anniversary Dinner** – Farmington Women of the Moose anniversary dinner is Nov. 3 at 1 p.m. Reservations due by Oct. 28. Call (309) 245-2510.

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- Abraham Lincoln

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SCATTERSHOTS



Trapping season can't get here soon enough

Time was I lost sleep leading up to opening days of duck, pheasant and deer season. Not so much anymore. But I expect some wakeful evenings ahead of me as the Nov. 10 start of trapping season draws near.

For all the raccoon lovers out there, stop reading now. Don't bother emailing about how bad it is to trap, shoot or otherwise dispatch of coons. Maybe they do no harm in your fantasy world. The same is not true in reality.

Yes, little raccoons are very cute. But even they are a formidable foe. The things a raccoon can figure out never fail to impress. Problem is, those things usually involve destruction, pillaging and general malfeasance. Compounding the problem is a coon population boom that becomes evident along roadsides every morning.

Years ago, we made plans to grow sweet corn. The corn grew nicely, so we put up an electric fence. For all that, we got about four ears. The rest went to the coons.

So we shifted gears. Instead of

sweet corn, we planted an orchard. Apple trees. Peach trees. Chestnuts. After six years, this was to be the first fall for a good apple crop. Pollination was not great this spring, but the trees set plenty of apples.

I've eaten two so far, a delicious Melrose apple and a Winecrisp harvested too early. The rest went to the coons, who leave only broken branches in their wake. We know it is raccoons, and not deer, because the trees are fenced off and because trail-camera pictures show masked bandits running wild through the orchard.

Last Sunday, I picked the last of the **Granny Smith** apples, though the fruits were really not ready. The ripe ones were already gone. And to wait until the last apples turned perfectly sweet-tart would be a mistake.

That's frustrating, but what really got me fired up to set traps was seeing two white peach trees dug out of the ground. Those trees originated from a sack of peach pits given to me by kindly **Janet McKinty** of Elmwood. She may have got them from **Louise Thompson**, if memory serves. At any rate, I had bad luck germinating the peaches and only a few hatched. To give them a better shot at survival, we pampered them for two years before they were planted earlier this

fall. They were watered in nicely and surrounded by tree tubes.

Visions of tasty white peaches to come danced through my head.

Instead, all I found Sunday were holes where the trees had been planted. That and dead peach trees with long, dry roots left to die on top of mounds of soil.

I'm not sure why raccoons dig up the trees. Maybe it has something to do with the peat moss and vermiculite used for potting soil. To cover the scent, I pile dirt from the holes and grass around the trees when planting. That helps, but coons still get about 20% of my fall-planted trees. In spring, they seem less likely to dig.

Add to that about 15% mortality of trees in tubes, which coons tear down to get at the wasp larvae inside, and it all starts to add up.

I understand that mortality is an expected part of raising anything. That's why you plant more trees than you need. And I don't begrudge the raccoons a few apples. But next year could be a good one for our young chestnut trees. I'd like to harvest more than the raccoons. And a few apples would be nice, as well.

So the countdown to Nov. 10 is on.

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Massive Nebraska feedlot not what we need

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Three Canada-based vets, however, are pouring enough concrete in far-southwestern Nebraska to cover what they say will be a square mile – 640 acres – of a “beyond state-of-the-art,” 150,000-head cattle feedlot.



Alan GUEBERT

The concrete, they’ve explained in interviews, is the key to that “beyond” statement. With it, “tons” of “clean,” or dirt-free, cattle manure are “to be used by biodigesters to produce methane” that will offset some of the carbon footprint of the feedlot’s cattle.

Maybe, but concrete is one of the dirtiest, most CO2-intensive products known to mankind and that intensity defies any claim of “green” by any concrete-heavy construction.

That’s science, not opinion. According to concrete engineers, on average, one ton of concrete produces 1,650 pounds of CO2, mostly because its cement, concrete’s hardening agent, requires so much fossil fuel (heat) to make it.

If, as feedlot experts suggest, the 640-acre Nebraska feedlot uses 5-inch-thick concrete – a requirement

to collect the “clean” manure for its proposed methane digesters – it will then pour an estimated 428,000 cubic yards of concrete.

By itself, this 857,600 tons of concrete – with a CO2 bill of 1,650 pounds per ton – will give the feedlot a 1.4-billion-pound carbon footprint before one steer steps onto it.

More so, the feedyard holds other not-so-green elements. For example, according to published reports, a typical feedlot animal produces 11 tons of manure per year. As the feedlot gears up, its initial 50,000 head will produce 550,000 tons of manure per year. Later, when the feedlot reaches its 150,000-head capacity, it likely will handle 1.65 million tons of manure per year.

Not all of that massive manure pile can be fed into the feedlot’s yet-to-be-built manure digesters. As such, one of its owners claims it has “contracts with local farmers to spread the manure as fertilizer.”

Fine, but as the University of Nebraska calculates, if farmers were to spread 30 tons of manure per acre, the feedlot would need upwards of 55,000 acres to hold its annual manure production prior to any digester being built.

And then there’s the question of water. Western Nebraska, on average, receives about 19 inches of rainfall per year, or about half the U.S. national average.

Despite that dryness, the feedlot’s owners say they’ve acquired enough water through the purchase of 13 nearby irrigation wells. Those wells,

they calculate, will supply the 1,262 acre-feet – or 411 million gallons – of water the enterprise requires annually. Critics aren’t so sure, especially with the increasing impact of climate change.

All these environmental concerns, however, skate right past the bigger issue in today’s cattle industry: Is a new, 150,000-head feedlot even needed today when the U.S. beef herd is at a 63-year low?

Moreover, who stands to pay the price for its entrance into this low-margin sector of U.S. agriculture? Smaller competing feedlot operators in the region? Local residents who soon will have 150,000 water-using, manure-making cattle as neighbors?

“Worse,” says Mike Callicrate, whose Kansas-based Callicrate Cattle Co. is less than an hour’s drive south of the new feedlot, “everything COVID taught us that we were doing wrong – big feedlots, big meatpackers, too-long supply chains – we’re now doing again.”

Instead, “We should be doing the opposite: hundreds of small feedlots, dozens of small-sized meatpackers, more vibrant communities. We should be building resilience, not monuments to the failing past.”

And especially not monuments made of concrete.

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Stick to ‘just the facts’ in presidential election

To the Editor:

Many voters of today were not born when “Dragnet” was a television series between 1967 and 1970. Joe Friday, a fictitious character, was a detective in Los Angeles. While working on each case, Friday made “Just the facts, ma’am” a household statement.

In a recent letter to The Weekly Post, a writer stated that red is the way to go this year. I agree.

In the Bible, Jesus calls Satan the father of all lies. It is very difficult to distinguish lies from facts in today’s campaign comments and promises, regardless of which candidate is making the statement. However, as voters, it is our duty to discern through study which candidates are most likely to follow the U.S. Constitution and honor God, under whom our nation was created.

Three statements or questions, although there are many more, should be considered regarding “Just the facts.”

The first is that Kamala Harris has stated that not everyone starts from the same place, but if we want all to



end up in the same place, we need to get started. This is nothing but a socialist idea. Socialism has been tried in several countries and has failed miserably in each case. Capitalism, on the other hand, has survived in America for almost 250 years!

The second question or comment refers to Donald Trump being a narcissist. If he is in fact a narcissist, why did he leave his care-free life of luxury in order to run for president in the first place? I believe he loves America and recognizes the dangerous road being traveled by our government.

The last question to discern is why did the Democratic Party start attacking Donald Trump as soon as he announced that he was a presidential

candidate the first time? Because of these attacks, he was never given a chance to prove himself.

“Just the facts, ma’am. Just the facts.”

– Gene Vaughan, Elmwood

Sad to see Farm Bureau endorse Eric Sorensen

To the Editor:

I was sad and angry watching the Eric Sorensen ad for U.S. representative of Illinois saying he will fight for abortion and is endorsed by the Illinois Farm Bureau. I know the majority of farmers are for life, family and keeping the Ten Commandments – especially the Sixth, “Thou shall not kill.” And especially God’s precious little ones.

Under this administration, America has become barbaric. When you have to run on killing babies to get elected, it’s really sad.

– Arlene Heinz, Elmwood

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To sign up, fill out a sponsor form, forms are found on the village's website, www.princeville.org or stop by Princeville Village Hall. Tree cost is \$50.00. Questions, contact Princeville Village Hall, 309-385-4765. Requests for trees will be taken until November 22 or the Village runs out of trees!

The Princeville Civic Association will host a Tree Lighting and Holiday Stroll on Sunday, December 1, 4:30-6:30pm. A brief ceremony and lighting of the park will be at 5pm in Stevens Square.

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Super Crossword

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— Maya Angelou

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Farmington considering adding new classes

By **JEFF LAMPE**

For The Weekly Post

FARMINGTON – Discussion is underway regarding possible curriculum changes for students at Farmington Central High School.

Principal Dennis McMillin on Monday evening discussed several possible new class offerings that have been discussed by the board's curriculum committee.

Proposed options so far include an additional welding class, an entrepreneur internship class in conjunction with other Fulton County schools, a tech-support internship in the school district, a merger of creative writing and English literature into an English 12 class, a broadcast journalism elective, music theory, algebra II with a possible addition of robotics, environmental science and forensics.

McMillin said discussion will continue on these courses with a

planned vote by the board at its December meeting to allow for January registration.

"These are constantly evolving," McMillin said.

The board also voted at Monday's meeting to pursue a \$50,000 ISBE school maintenance grant that would help fund a \$138,520 project to complete window replacement and fix a few restrooms. The school will use county sales-tax money to pay for the rest, Superintendent Zac Chatterton said.

The board also approved an FFA trip to Indiana.

Chatterton said the school's remodeling of the library into a media center has earned a second national award, the latest from American School & University magazine's annual architectural competition.

After closed session, the board approved several

personnel items, including:


- Hiring Morgan Jones, cafe worker; Addison Gilstrap, elementary year-book sponsor; Craig Irby, Susan Grzanich and Marcus Nelms, bus drivers; Natisha Hammond, playground supervisor; Mallory Jackson, long-term special education substitute; Ryan Sunderland, math teacher; John Terrell, vocational teacher; Abigail Anderson, FACS teacher; Clayton Roberts, long-term Spanish substitute; Valerie McCoy, part-time monitor; Elise Haroldson, part-time monitor.

- Acknowledging resignations by Doug Lentz, director of maintenance;


Haley Hursey, junior high girls track assistant; Joy Bucco, bus monitor; and Heather Gonterman, bus driver.

Finally, students of the month honored during the meeting included senior Josie Webel, junior Elizabeth Wood, sophomore Ty Shaughnessy, freshman Rebecca Kirk, eighth-graders Claire Price and Mason Martin, seventh-graders Drake Joplin and Madilyn Barton and sixth-graders Taegan Seegel and Colt Holloway.

And the Orange Frog award went to sixth-grade language-arts teacher Shelley Reichert and to elementary-school administrators Clint Mathewson and Nick Hoffman.



Farmington Rotary
October 2024
Student of the Month



Josie Webel

Josie is the daughter of Joe and Emily Webel. She has five siblings; Anna, Amelia, Jack, Mary, and Caroline. Josie is a highly involved student here at Farmington as she participates in Volleyball, Student Council, National Honor Society, Harvest Team, FFA, Key Club, and Drama Club. In addition to extracurriculars, Josie has grown up with a strong musical influence her whole life, being in 4 musicals, singing at church, and playing the piano, ukulele, and a little bit of guitar! After high school, Josie plans to attend a 4-year university and major in Business Administration with a focus in Marketing and Communication. She hopes to live somewhere fun, like the south, and have a job she really enjoys. Josie has had many accomplishments while in high school. She qualified for State in FFA Ag Sales, and Districts in Public Speaking. She also served as the Class of 2025 President for three years of high school, and is the NHS President this year. In addition, Josie has been involved with the American and Illinois Junior Simmental Associations, showing cattle State and Nation-wide! When she does have free time, she likes to shop, hang out with friends, go to sporting events, sing and play the piano, and try the Crumbl flavors each week. Overall, Josie is super grateful for the opportunity to get Senior of the Month! And the sweet parking spot! Congratulations, Josie!

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Trivoli Cemetery Update

The cemetery board wanted to update the public on improvements and projects that are ongoing at the Trivoli Cemetery, Brunswick Cemetery, Concord Cemetery, Brooks-Parker Cemetery and the Harkness Cemetery. We wish to thank everyone that has contributed money for the projects and for the volunteers that have contributed countless hours to improve your cemeteries. A special thank you to Jill Booth, Jennifer Andrews, and Ried Harmon for their fundraising efforts, and volunteer hours.

1. Road Improvement: New blacktop has been put down. More is planned as funds permit.
2. New sign and landscaping at the cemetery entrance.
3. A veterans memorial with new flag poles and landscaping.
4. Removal of nuisance trees and brush in and around the perimeter of the cemetery.
5. Cleaning, realignment, and repairs of monuments.

Brunswick Cemetery:

1. Replacement of some of the original trees that were planted in the new part of the cemetery.
2. New white rock in the south entrance road.
3. New paint on the original entrance signs.
4. Removal of nuisance trees and brush.

Harkness Cemetery:

1. Removal of nuisance trees and brush in and on the perimeter of the cemetery. (To be done during the fall and winter)

Brooks/Parker Cemetery:

1. Removal of nuisance trees and brush.

Concord Cemetery:

1. New fences around the perimeter of the cemetery. Additional projects are planned at each of the above cemeteries as finances and time permit.

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Police reports

• **PRINCEVILLE** – A Princeville man admitted guilt regarding an apparent domestic-violence incident.

Peoria County Sheriff's Office deputies were dispatched about 11:15 a.m. Oct. 4 to a residence in the 6000 block of Illinois Route 90. A telephone call from a 10-year-old indicated Marco A. Pequeno Jr., 40, was beating up an unidentified person, according to a redacted sheriff's-office report.

Accused of unlawful restraint and domestic battery/bodily harm, Pequeno was transported to the Peoria County Jail. But he was deemed unfit medically to be confined, another report stated. Pequeno complained about left-leg pain that radiated up his back.

Pequeno said the victim sideswiped him with her vehicle. When asked why he didn't inform authorities about the injury, Pequeno said he didn't want to get the victim in trouble. He also said he was at fault. Pequeno was transported to Carle Health Methodist Hospital in Peoria for treatment.

• **EDWARDS** – A Farmington man said he was uninjured following a single-vehicle wreck west of Edwards.

Shortly after 8 p.m. Sept. 29, Calvin C. Rudd was driving a 2023 Kia Forte east in the 11900 block of W. Cottonwood Rd. when he looked away to adjust the vehicle radio. When Rudd looked up, the vehicle had drifted onto the shoulder, then he overcorrected, a Peoria County Sheriff's Office report stated.

The vehicle veered into the opposite lane and into a ditch. Rudd declined medical treatment. The vehicle sustained disabling damage to its undercarriage and front passenger-side tire and was towed.

• **ELMWOOD** – A single-vehicle accident resulted in a hospital visit for an Elmwood man.

Allen L. Swindler, 78, was driving a 1994 Chevrolet C1500 pickup truck about 3:30 p.m. Sept. 27 in the 7700 block of N. Jarman St. when an unidentified vehicle in the opposite direction caused him to swerve off the roadway, according to an Elmwood Police Department report.

Swindler's vehicle damaged a yard and struck a parked 2014 Ford Focus, then came to rest in a ditch. Swindler complained about back pain and was transported to Graham Hospital in Canton. The pickup truck was towed to Swindler's residence.

• **LAURA** – A Laura resident appeared to avoid serious injury from a two-vehicle crash north of her hometown. Jaclyn M. Colgan, 18, was driving north Sept. 25 on Illinois Route 78 and was attempting to turn left at Township Road 00 North when another northbound vehicle rear-ended hers, according to the Stark

County Sheriff's Office. Valerie R. Wilbourn, 38, of Loves Park was the other driver.

Colgan's vehicle crossed over the southbound lane of Route 78 and landed in a ditch. First responders treated Colgan at the scene. An ambulance transported Wilbourn to OSF Saint Francis Medical Center in Peoria. She was cited for failure to reduce speed to avoid an accident.

• **BELLEVUE** – A Hanna City woman was cited following a two-vehicle accident that resulted in the other driver needing hospital treatment.

Linda S. Brophy was driving a 2019 Chevrolet Equinox stopped at 9 p.m. Sept. 25 on the westbound Interstate 474 spur at Maxwell Road when she attempted a southbound turn. Her vehicle then collided with a northbound 2011 Harley-Davidson motorcycle piloted by Carl E. Koontz of Peoria.

Koontz was lying on the pavement when a Peoria County Sheriff's Office deputy arrived. Koontz had minor head lacerations and complained about left-arm and shoulder pain, according to a sheriff's-office report. An ambulance transported Koontz to OSF Saint Francis Medical Center in Peoria.

Brophy was ticketed for failure to yield right of way. She was uninjured. Her vehicle sustained minor damage.

• **HANNA CITY** – A Hanna City residence was the site of an attempted burglary, according to authorities.

A Peoria County Sheriff's Office deputy was dispatched shortly before 1 p.m. Sept. 24 to the 100 block of Balagna Court. The report was heavily redacted, but it appeared someone attempted to remove a screen from a window. Damage was estimated at \$75.

• **DAHINDA** – An Oak Run man stopped for speeding near Dahinda was wanted regarding a 2022 contempt-of-court case.

Robert L. Richardson, 27, was driving a westbound black Cadillac 71 mph in a 55-mph zone shortly before 1 p.m. Sept. 23 in the 1500 block of U.S. Route 150, according to a Knox County Sheriff's Office report.

A check revealed a Fulton County warrant for failure to appear in court. Richardson was arrested and transported to the Knox County Jail in Galesburg. He also was cited for reckless/careless driving.

• **OAK HILL** – Someone broke a lock on a gate at a property south of Oak Hill, authorities stated.

The damage was reported about 10 a.m. Sept. 19 in the 18800 block of W. Bartholomew Lane. A Peoria County Sheriff's Office deputy drove to the gate entrance and noticed a broken piece of the chain lock, according to a report.

• **KICKAPOO** – A single-vehicle wreck west of Kickapoo resulted in a Williamsfield woman requiring hospital attention.

Jody J. Schubert was driving an

eastbound 2016 Dodge Ram 1500 pickup truck shortly before 9 a.m. Sept. 18 in the 11500 block of U.S. Route 150 when the vehicle veered off the road to the north, struck a mailbox and swerved south into heavy brush at the bottom of an embankment.

Schubert said she was distracted because she dropped a lit cigarette into her lap, according to a Peoria County Sheriff's Office report. An ambulance transported Schubert, who complained about overall pain, to Carle Health Methodist Hospital in Peoria.

• **KICKAPOO** – Shortly before 8:30 p.m. Oct. 2, Kathleen A. Humphreys of Princeville was driving a northbound 2020 Chevrolet sport-utility vehicle in the 11500 block of N. Princeville-Jubilee Rd. north of Kickapoo when the vehicle struck a deer. Humphreys said she wasn't injured, a Peoria County Sheriff's Office report stated. The vehicle sustained damage to its driver's-side door and a broken driver's-side headlight but was drivable.

• **DAHINDA** – Shortly before 7:30 p.m. Sept. 29, Jason W. Hayes, 45, of Maquon was driving an eastbound Knox County Sheriff's Office vehicle on Knox Road 1200 North southwest of Dahinda when it struck a deer.

Hayes was uninjured, according to a sheriff's-office report. The vehicle, a 2015 Chevrolet Tahoe, sustained minor damage and was drivable.

• **BRIMFIELD** – Shortly after 8 p.m. Sept. 24, Caitlin M. Harkness of Brimfield was driving a 2017 Hyundai Sonata west on U.S. Route 150 at Fox Creek Drive southeast of Brimfield when the vehicle struck a deer. Harkness said she wasn't injured, according to a Peoria County Sheriff's Office report. The vehicle sustained disabling front-end and hood damage and was towed.

• **ELMWOOD** – Chief Aaron Bean reported the following Elmwood Police Department activity for September: two traffic stops, two warnings, 10 reports and one ordinance violation.

• **YATES CITY** – Yates City Police Chief Randy Benson reported the following activity for September: 19 reports, eight traffic stops, six warnings, three citations, one arrest, one open door and one ordinance violation.

• **GALESBURG** – These were among calls to which the Knox County Sheriff's Office responded between Sept. 22-28: suspicious incident, Williamsfield; suspicious incident, Dahinda; domestic disturbance, Williamsfield; domestic disturbance, Yates City; suspicious person, Yates City; two road hazards, Williamsfield; custody dispute, Dahinda; suspicious vehicle, Williamsfield; vehicle fire, Williamsfield; two juvenile-trouble incidents, Dahinda.

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Harvest has felt like summer

By **RHIANNON BRANCH**
FarmWeek

Fall crops are being harvested, but recent weather felt more like summer.

State Climatologist Trent Ford said many Illinois residents got a taste of fall temperatures in early September, but the month ended much warmer.

“September average temperatures ranged from the mid-60s in northern Illinois to the low-70s in southern Illinois,” he said. “Most of the state was between 1 and 5 degrees above normal, with the highest departures in the northern third of the state.”

Ford said there were a lot of regional variations in temperature in September, with daytime highs reaching 96 degrees in Mount Vernon and 95 in Peoria while nighttime lows dipped down to 39 in Normal and 36 in Elgin. It was the second-warmest September on record in Chicago.

But it all evened out in the end with the statewide average September temperature pegged at 68.5 degrees, 1.8 degrees above the 1991-2020 average.

Ford said rainfall also varied by region.

Ford said rain from remnants of Hurricane Helene in the southern portion of the state caused the drastic differences, noting that it was the second-driest September on record in Mount Carroll to the north while Carbondale in the south was the fourth wettest, with more than 8 inches.

Statewide total September precipitation was pegged at 2.73 inches, 0.62 inches below the 1991-2020 average.

Considering those totals, Ford said drought is still a concern in the central and northern portions of the state.

“Much of the region had a top-five-driest start to September on record, including the driest first 20 days of the month in Quincy, Danville, Moline and Rockford,” he said.

As of Oct. 3, the U.S. Drought Monitor indicated 70% of the state is experiencing abnormally-dry to moderate drought conditions.

The overall warmer and drier September conditions continued to push the state’s harvest pace ahead of average.

USDA reported as of Sept. 30, 21% of corn and 24% of soybeans were harvested in Illinois compared to the five-year average of 16% and 11%, respectively.

Looking ahead, the Climate Prediction Center shows higher odds of a warmer-and-drier-than-normal October, but Ford said there will still be a more noticeable transition to fall conditions.

Meanwhile, the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration predicts higher chances of a wetter-than-normal winter season.

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BALLOT: Quinn backs increased income tax

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generated little in the way of campaigning, but some Illinois politicians have voiced support.

Former Gov. Pat Quinn is touring the state to encourage a "Yes" vote on an increased tax for incomes over \$1 million.

"It is important to let folks know that we do have a chance not only to vote for candidates, especially president, but we also have a chance in Illinois to vote on issues, issues that can make a difference in a family budget for years to come," Quinn said at a Capitol news conference last week.

The referendum, in addition to being similar to an advisory question in 2014, echoes parts of a constitutional amendment put to voters in 2020.

That amendment would have repealed the state's constitutional requirement for a flat income-tax rate — a step that would still be necessary to implement the policy described in this

year's advisory question.

When voters went to the polls in 2020, they rejected the amendment — a bruising result for Pritzker, who gave \$58 million of his fortune to a campaign in favor of the graduated income tax.

Other attempts

Some groups angled for different questions on the ballot this year, to no avail. Parents Matter Coalition, a conservative group launched late last year and backed by former Republican state Rep. Jeanne Ives, ran an unsuccessful signature-gathering campaign for a ballot question concerning parental disclosure for gender-affirming therapy and counseling.

That effort gathered about 100,000 of roughly 328,000 needed signatures, according to Ives. But the group was ultimately preempted by the legislature because only three advisory questions may appear on a ballot.

Other lawmakers attempted to put constitu-

tional amendments up for a vote, including proposals dealing with ethics reforms, guaranteeing hunting rights, voting qualifications and abortion.

In total, 34 constitutional amendments were introduced since the start of 2023 that could have appeared on this year's ballot. They came mostly from Republicans, although five came from Democrats and one was had bipartisan sponsorship.

None was considered in a legislative committee.

Local referendums

Several counties will also weigh in on a local measure that is part of a broader secessionist movement.

Voters in Calhoun, Clinton, Greene, Iroquois, Jersey, Madison and Perry counties will cast votes to opine on whether downstate counties should consider separating from Cook County to form a new state.

Since 2019, at least 25 other counties out of Illinois' 102 have posed similar questions to voters. With the addition of the seven counties considering the issue in 2024, about

10.9% of Illinois' population outside of Cook County will have had the chance to vote on the issue since 2019.

In the counties that have already considered this, the results have leaned heavily in favor of separation. Between 70-83% of voters in those counties favor exploring a split from Cook County, according to Illinois Separation, a group that advocates for these referendums.

The proposal faces long odds of ever coming to fruition. It would require action in Springfield and in Congress and has only happened three times in American history. Kentucky broke from Virginia in 1792, Maine broke from Massachusetts in 1820 and West Virginia broke from Virginia in 1863.

Other counties and municipalities have referendums about several issues. For example, Peoria County is considering switching to ranked choice voting for future elections. They also include referendums on new taxes for schools, fire districts and other local governments.

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Yates City approved for \$1.4 million loan

YATES CITY – The Village of Yates City has been approved for a \$1.4 million loan through the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency for its upcoming well project.

Loan agreements have been signed by both the IEPA and the village and, while a contract is not officially in place until a special meeting scheduled for Oct. 16, Albrecht Well Drilling of Ohio, Ill., has been notified of the approval.

During its August meeting, the board heard that upwards of \$1.2 million would be forgiven under IEPA's Public Water Supply program. The project is estimated to take two months to complete and will begin after the contract has been approved and Albrecht finishes some equipment repairs.

– Molly Richeson

Princeville banker voted to CBAI vice-chair spot

SPRINGFIELD – Andrew Black, president and CEO of Princeville State Bank, was reelected regional vice chairman of the Community Bankers Association of Illinois at its annual convention.

As a regional vice chairman, Black will serve on the CBAI board of directors and its strategic planning committee and will chair the membership committee.

Black lives in Princeville with his wife, Lesa. He began his career at Princeville State Bank in 1995 as a front-line customer service represen-



Kaylee LaFollett was queen and CJ Ramirez was king of Elmwood's Homecoming last weekend.

tative and has worked as a marketing assistant, loan administrator, loan officer and assistant vice president.

Peoria attorney Cail named associate judge

PEORIA – Vincent E. Cail has been selected as an associate judge of the Tenth Judicial Circuit, filling the vacancy left by Associate Judge Timothy Cusack.

Cail will be sworn in Nov. 6 at 9 a.m. in Courtroom 210 at the Peoria County Courthouse. He will be temporarily assigned to Courtroom 403, juvenile delinquency court.

Cail is currently affiliated with the Illinois Guardianship and Advocacy Commission in Peoria and was a Peoria County assistant state's attor-



Cail



Scott Doubet of Elmwood poses with his UKC dual champion PR Call Me Candice, the 2024 Heritage World Champion coon dog, at a hunt July 26-27 in Lapeer, Mich.

ney from 2011-16.

He is a 2005 University of Illinois graduate and earned his juris doctor degree in 2009 from Texas Southern University's Thurgood Marshall School of Law in Houston.

Et cetera

• ELMWOOD – Elmwood schools were evacuated on Tuesday for a false alarm due to a sensor failure, according to Superintendent Joel Schmieg.

• PEORIA – FEMA will hold a flood map open house for Peoria County on Nov. 7 from 4-7 p.m. at the Peoria Public Library's Main Branch, 107 NE Monroe St. Local officials will be joined by FEMA to present flood maps to help identify known flood risks and to assist residents make decisions about development and buying flood insurance.

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OBITUARIES

Florence I. Giagnoni

FARMINGTON – Florence I. Giagnoni, 95, of Farmington, passed away at 8:02 a.m. on Monday, Oct. 7, 2024, at Farmington Village.

She was born on March 6, 1929, in Peoria, a daughter of Ed and Anna (Shillhorn) Green. She married Geno Giagnoni on Sept. 19, 1948, in Trivoli. He preceded her in death on March 31, 1999, in Farmington.

Surviving are her children, David Giagnoni of Farmington and Carol Giagnoni of Rockford, Ill.

She was a member of the Farmington United Methodist Church and enjoyed bowling with her friends.

Her son, David, coached the Farmington High School boys track team, and as the boys reached their goals, Florence would reward them with a cake. Over the years he was coaching, she baked over 1,400 cakes.

A funeral service was held Oct. 14, 2024, at Anderson-Sedgwick Funeral Home in Farmington. Peggy Roberts officiated. Burial

was in Oak Ridge Cemetery in Farmington.

Memorials can be made to Farmington Rescue Squad 1100, Farmington Historical Society or Farmington United Methodist Church.

To view Florence's DVD or to leave condolences, please visit www.sedgwickfuneralhomes.com.



Giagnoni

Geneva M. Morse

TOULON – Geneva M. Morse, 91, of Toulon, passed away at 6:05 a.m. on Sunday, Oct. 13, 2024, at Knox County Nursing Home in Knoxville.

Born on June 22, 1933, in Galva, she was the daughter of the late Albert and Marie (Horkstrom) Riesebieter. On Jan. 28, 1955, she married Robert J. Morse in Cambridge. He preceded her in death on July 16, 2018.

Survivors include three children, Pam Wulf of La Fayette, Joyce (Rick) Rumbold of La Fayette and Robert L. (Sherrie) Morse Jr. of Du Quoin; 10 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; a sister, Martha Johnson



Morse

of Kewanee; a sister-in-law, Phyllis Riesebieter of Sherrard; and a brother-in-law, Francis Morse of Tiskilwa. She was also preceded in death by a sister, Ilene (Bill) Swank; brother, Raymond Riesebieter; and son-in-law, Aaron Wulf.

Geneva was a homemaker who enjoyed being in her garden, bird-watching and spending time with her family and her friends at Courtyard Estates.

Funeral service will take place on Thursday, Oct. 17, 2024, at Haskell Funeral and Cremation Services in Wyoming at 11 a.m. Visitation will take place at the funeral home one hour prior, from 10 a.m. until the time of service. Burial will follow in Toulon Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to the Stark County Ambulance Service. Haskell Funeral and Cremation Services in Wyoming is assisting with arrangements.

To leave condolences for Geneva's family please visit www.haskellfuneral.com.

Lyle F. Doubet

TRIVOLI – Lyle F. Doubet, 84, of Trivoli, passed away Oct. 9, 2024, at Carle Health Proctor Hospital in Peoria.

Lyle was born Jan. 16, 1940, in Peoria, to Walter and Gertrude



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OBITUARIES

(Rice) Doubet. He married Anita "Peggy" Hopwood on April 22, 1961.

Lyle is survived by one son, Michael (Ann) Doubet of Elmwood; one brother, Lynn (Judy) Doubet; one sister, Evelyn Mowers; two grandchildren, Chase (Grace) Doubet and Emma Doubet; and one great-grandchild on the way.

Lyle is preceded in death by his parents; one son, Walter Doubet; two brothers, Paul (Lois) Doubet and Roland Doubet; and two sisters, Laura Belle Cruise and Viola Hamby.

Lyle served in the U.S. Air Force for two years. He was a D.A.V. member. Lyle then went on to work as a union electrician for IBEW Local 34 for 50 years.

Funeral services were Oct. 14, 2024, at Oaks-Hines Funeral Home in Elmwood. Burial was in Elmwood Township Cemetery.

Condolences can be left online at www.oakshinesfuneralhome.com.

Denver M. Lumberry

WILLIAMSFIELD – Denver M. Lumberry, 27, of Williamsfield,

passed away surrounded by his loved ones at his home on Thursday, Oct. 10, 2024.

Denver was born on Aug. 1, 1997, in Galesburg. He was the son of James "Jim" and Misty (Bouchez) Lumberry. He married the love of his life, Bailey J. Howard, on Sept. 26, 2020, in Norris.

Surviving Denver are his wife, Bailey, of Williamsfield; son Rhett; his parents, Jim and Misty Lumberry of Herford, Ariz.; siblings Chandler Lumberry of Herford, Ariz.; maternal grandparents, Bruce and Diana Bouchez of La Fayette; paternal grandmother, Martha Lumberry of Herford, Ariz.; and aunts and uncles, Bruce "Buddy" (Kylee) Bouchez of Williamsfield, April Bouchez of La Fayette, Emily (Brock) Milford of Spotsylvania, Va. and Jeff (Elaine) Lumberry of Herford, Ariz.

Denver was preceded in death by his paternal grandfather, Leonard "Ed" Lumberry; father-in-law, Jody Howard; great-grandparents, Emile (Patsy) Bouchez and Merlin (Leona) Yelm; and uncles Gilbert

"Stretch" Bouchez and Dave Kimmitt.

Denver was a member of IBEW Local 204 of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Growing up, Denver loved riding dirt bikes. He enjoyed motocross racing and hill climbing. In his free time, Denver could be found hunting (ducks and geese), fishing or shooting guns. He also enjoyed making duck calls and spending time with his dog, Calvin. Most importantly, he loved to spend time with his family, especially his boy, Rhett.

Visitation will be from 3-7 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 18, 2024, at the Hurd-Hendricks Funeral Homes and Crematory, Knoxville. Funeral services will be at noon on Saturday, Oct. 19, 2024, at the funeral home. Rev. Jordan Knight will officiate.

Burial will follow funeral services in the Williamsfield Cemetery. A celebration of life will follow the services, at Nowhere Bar and Grill in Victoria.

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Sun. Worship: 10:40 a.m.
Wed. Bible Study: 7 p.m.

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Catholic Church
Father Deogratias Mpewo
314 W. Clay Brimfield
(309) 446-3275
stjosephbrimfield.org
Sat. Confession: 3:30-4:45 pm
Sat. Mass: 5 p.m.
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Saint Paul Lutheran Church

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Rev. Michael Wagnitz, Pastor
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Pastor Donald Blasing
11724 Maher Road
Brimfield IL 61517
(309) 446-3571
brimfieldefree.org
Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
AWANA: Wed. 6:15 p.m. ages 3-12

Union Church at Brimfield

United Church of Christ
Pastor Stephen Barch
105 W. Clay Street Brimfield
(309) 446-3811
brimfieldunionchurch.org
Sunday Worship: 9 a.m.

BIBLE TRIVIA

1. Is the book of Leviticus (KJV) in the Old or New Testament or neither?
2. Who found an Ethiopian eunuch sitting in a chariot reading the words of Esaias (Isaiah)? Ahaz, Philip, Jotham, Uzziah
3. In John 3, what does Jesus say that everyone practicing evil hates? The light, Truth, The Lord, Believers
4. From Joshua 2, where did Rahab hide Israelite spies? Under table, In cave, On roof, With oxen

Tuesday Bible Study: 6:30 pm
• First Sunday each month is Communion Sunday (gluten-free communion offered)
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DAHINDA

Dahinda United Methodist Church

Pastor Zoila Marty
1739 Victoria St. P.O. Box 14
Dahinda IL 61428
Sunday Worship: 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School during worship
Church: (309) 639-2768
Pastor's Office: (309) 639-2389
Email: williamsfielddahindaumc@yahoo.com

DOUGLAS

Douglas United Methodist Church

Pastor Kristine McMillan
484 3rd St.
Yates City IL 61572
(NOTE: Church is in Douglas)
Sunday Worship: 8 a.m.
(Maquon worship: 11 a.m.)
Facebook Live is 11 a.m. at Maquon UM Church page

5. What did Jesus send into a herd of swine? Unclean spirits, Justice, Breath of life, Mighty wind
 6. Who was the father of Solomon? Nathan, Uriah, Judas, David
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In person and livestream
(Coffee pastries 8:30-10:30 am)
Wed: 6:15 pm AWANA & youth group

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Father James Pankiewicz
9910 W. Knox St. Edwards
(309) 691-2030
stmaryskickapoo.org
Sat. Confession: 3-3:45 p.m.
Sat. Mass: 4 p.m.
Sun. Masses: 7 & 11:00 a.m.
Daily Masses (Mon. Wed. Thurs. Fri.): 8 a.m.

ELMWOOD

Crossroads Assembly of God

Pastor Don Nuttall
615 E. Ash St. Elmwood
(309) 742-6409
crossroadselmwood.org
Wed. Bible Study: 7 p.m.
Sun. Worship: 10:30 a.m.

Elmwood Baptist Church

Pastor Bill Cole
701 W. Dearborn St. Elmwood
(309) 742-7631 642-3278

Sun Worship: 10:00 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.

First Presbyterian Church of Elmwood

Reverend Marla B. Bauler
201 W. Evergreen Elmwood
(309) 742-2631
firstpresbyterianofelmwood.org
Sun. Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Sun. School: 9:30 a.m.

St. Patrick's Catholic Church

Father James Pankiewicz
802 W. Main St. Elmwood
(309) 742-4921
Sat. Mass: 5:30 p.m.
Sun. Mass: 9 a.m.
Tues. Mass: 8 a.m.
Tues. Confession: After mass.

United Methodist Church of Elmwood

Pastor James Pernell Sr.
821 W. Main St. Elmwood
(309) 742-7221
elmwoodumc.org
Sunday Worship: 10 a.m.
Youth Sunday School: 10 a.m.

FARMINGTON

Farmington Bible Church

Pastor Tony Severine
497 N. Elmwood Rd.
Farmington
(309) 245-9870
Sunday School: 9:30
Worship Service: 10:30

Farmington Methodist Church

Pastor Rick Atchley
187 W. Fulton St.
Farmington
(309) 245-4310
farmingtonmethodist61531@gmail.com

Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.

First Presbyterian Church of Farmington

Pastor Cindy Bean
83 N. Cone Street Farmington
(309) 245-2914
firstpresfarmington.com
Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.
Worship: 10:30 a.m.
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New Hope Fellowship Assembly of God

Pastor Tom Wright
1102 N. Illinois Route 78
Farmington
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Sun. Worship: 10 a.m.
Wed. Worship: 7 p.m.

PRINCEVILLE

Princeville United Methodist Church

Pastor David Pyell
420 E. Woertz Princeville
(309) 385-4487
princevilleumc@mediacombb.net
Sun. Worship: 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

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Sat. Confession: 3-3:45 p.m.
Sat. Mass: 4 p.m.

Sun. Confession: 8-8:45 a.m.
Sun. Mass: 9 a.m.

Tues. Thurs. Sat. daily Mass: 8 a.m.

TRIVOLI

Brunswick Community Church

4027 S. Stone School Rd, Trivoli
Pastor Terry England
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

Sunday Worship: 10:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7:00 p.m.
(309) 403-4626

Zion-Penn Ridge Lutheran Church (LCMC)

18015 W. Smithville Rd., Trivoli
Pastor Mark Schoenhals
Pastor Jay Johnson
(309) 696-1300
zionpenridgelutheranchurch@gmail.com

Sunday Worship: 9:00 a.m.
4th Sunday of month Worship: 8 a.m. with communion

WILLIAMSFIELD

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Worship: 9 a.m.
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF ILLINOIS PEORIA COUNTY

In Re **ESTATE OF VALENTINA SPIES** Deceased. CC 2024-PR-0000254

CLAIM NOTICE - INDEPENDENT ADMINISTRATION

NOTICE is given to creditors of the death of **VALENTINA SPIES** on October 26, 2023. Letters of Office were issued on September 24, 2024, by the above entitled Court to **JOSEPH SPIES, JR.**, of **700 Whistler Drive, Arlington, Texas 76006, as Independent Administrator**, whose attorneys of record are **WHITNEY & POTTS, LTD.**, of **118 West Main Street, P. O. Box 368, Elmwood, Illinois, 61529-0368**.

Claims against the Estate may be filed in the Circuit Clerk's Office, Peoria County Courthouse, Peoria, Illinois, or with the Administrator or both on or before the **18th day of April, 2025** or if mailing or delivery of a Notice from the Administrator is required by Sec. 18-3 of the Probate Act of 1975, the date stated in that Notice. Every claim filed must be in writing and state sufficient information to notify the representative of the nature of the claim or other relief sought. **Any claim not filed on or before that date is barred.** Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered by the claimant to the administrator and to the attorney within ten (10) days after it has been filed and shall file with the Court, proof of any required mailing or delivery of copies.

The estate will be administered without court supervision, unless under 755 Illinois Compiled Statutes 5/28-4, any interested person terminates independent administration at any time by mailing or delivering a copy of a form of petition to terminate independent administration to the Clerk of the Court at the above address.

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DATED this 24th day of September, 2024.

JOSEPH SPIES, JR., Independent Administrator of the Estate of **VALENTINA SPIES**, Deceased.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to the Illinois State Statutes and the permanent **Zoning Ordinance of Peoria County, the Peoria County Zoning Board of Appeals will hold public hearings on November 14, 2024**, as follows:

Case No. ZBA-2024-069 at 9:00 a.m. Hearing to be held in Room 403, of the Peoria County Courthouse, Peoria, Illinois.

Petition of **SCOTT BRIENEN, acting on behalf of DAREN AND LAURA CAGLE (owners), a VARIANCE** request from Section 20-6.2.2.1.c.1 of the Unified Development Ordinance, which requires a road setback of one hundred (100) feet from the center of the right-of-way in the "A-1" Agriculture Zoning District. The petitioner proposes to construct a front porch at a distance of 85 ft. from the center of N. Texas Rd., resulting in a variance request of 15 ft.

Tract 1

A part of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 25, Township 9 North, Range 5 East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, more particularly described as follows, with bearings for the purpose of description only: Commencing at the Southeast corner of said Section 25, being also the centerline of Peoria County Highway #66; thence North 0 degrees East along the centerline of said highway a distance of 330 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing North 0 degrees East a distance of 330 feet; thence North 90 degrees West a distance of 33 feet to a spike; thence continuing North 90 degrees West a distance of 297 feet to a spike; thence South 0 degrees East a distance of 330 feet to a spike; thence North 90 degrees East a distance of 297 feet to a spike; thence continuing North 90 degrees East a distance of 33 feet to the point of beginning, as shown on a Plat recorded as Document No. 72-09210, situated in PEORIA COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

Tract 2

Part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 25, Township 9 North, Range 5 East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, being further described as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of said Section 25, thence North 89 degrees 53 minutes 6 seconds West 330 feet along the south line of said Southeast Quarter, thence North 329.34 feet, thence East 330 feet to the East line of said Southeast Quarter, thence South 330 feet to the point of beginning, as shown by the Tract Survey recorded June 16, 1981 in Tract Survey Book 18, page 94 as Document No. 81-09881, situated in PEORIA COUNTY, ILLINOIS. (**Elmwood Township 11-25-400-007**)

This property can be located by heading northwest on Main St and turning left at the

first cross street onto SW Jefferson Ave. Turn right onto N William Kumpf Blvd. Turn left onto John H Gwynn Jr Ave/West 3rd Ave and continue for approximately 1 mile. Turn left onto W Martin Luther King Jr Dr and continue for approximately 1 mile. Merge onto IL-116 W and continue for approximately 12 miles. Turn right onto Texas Rd and continue for approximately 2 miles to 3111 Texas Rd, Trivoli, IL.

Case No. ZBA-2024-071 at 9:00 a.m. Hearing to be held in Room 403, of the Peoria County Courthouse, Peoria, Illinois.

Petition of **JONATHAN BLEICHNER, acting on his own behalf, a SPECIAL USE** as required in Section 20-5.2.2.1.e of the Unified Development Ordinance. This section allows for a special use for a mobile home in the "A-2" Agriculture Zoning District, when all towing apparatus, wheels, tongue and hitch are permanently removed and the structure is attached to a permanent foundation and assessed as real property.

The East Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 36, Township 9 North, Range 6 East of the Fourth Principal Meridian; **ALSO** a part of the North Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 31, in Township 9 North, Range 7 East of the Fourth Principal Meridian, Beginning at a stone set for the Southwest corner of said North Half of the Southwest Quarter of said Section 31; thence East on the South line 16 chains (1056 feet); thence North 50 degrees West, 4 chains and 94 links (326.04 feet); thence North 39 degrees West, 2 chains and 80 links (184.8 feet); thence North 65 degrees West, 2 chains and 70 links (178.2 feet); thence North 47 degrees West, 6 chains and 50 links (429 feet) to the Township line; thence South on the Township line 13 chains and 30 links (877.8 feet) to the Place of Beginning; **EXCEPT** a part of the East Half of the Southeast Quarter of said Section 36, described as follows: Beginning at the Northeast corner of said Southeast Quarter of Section 36; thence South 00 degrees 03 minutes 54 seconds East, along the East line of said Southeast Quarter, 1328.25 feet to an iron rod at the Southeast corner of the Northeast Quarter of said Southeast Quarter; thence South 89 degrees 50 minutes 37 seconds West, along the South line of said Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter, 305 feet to an iron rod; thence North 00 degrees 03 minutes 54 seconds West, 453.88 feet to an iron rod; thence North 80 degrees 43 minutes 40 seconds West, 1037.63 feet to an iron rod on the West line of said East Half of the Southeast Quarter; thence North 00 degrees 05 minutes 26 seconds West, along said West line, 714 feet to a stone at the Northwest corner of said East Half of the Southeast Quarter; thence South 89 degrees 44 minutes

32 seconds East, along the North line of said Southeast Quarter, 1329.23 feet to the Point of Beginning (said Exception containing 28 acres, more or less, as shown on Survey recorded September 9, 2013 as Document No. 2013023579); **FURTHER EXCEPTING** a part of the East Half of the Southeast Quarter of said Section 36, described as follows: Commencing at an iron rod at the Southeast corner of said Southeast Quarter of said Section 36; thence South 89 degrees 25 minutes 44 seconds West, along the South line of said Southeast Quarter, 513.50 feet to an iron rod; thence North 00 degrees 00 minutes 00 seconds West, 966.57 feet to an iron rod; thence North 89 degrees 59 minutes 01 seconds West, 636.86 feet to an iron rod; thence North 07 degrees 41 minutes 55 seconds East, 408.23 feet to an iron rod; thence North 79 degrees 22 minutes 40 seconds East, 802.65 feet to an iron rod on the Southwesterly line of an existing 28 acre tract; thence South 00 degrees 03 minutes 54 seconds East, 186.72 feet to an iron rod at the Southwest corner of said existing 28 acre tract (said point also being on the North line of the Southeast Quarter of said Southeast Quarter; thence North 89 degrees 50 minutes 37 seconds East, along said North line, 305 feet to an iron rod at the Northeast corner of said Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter; thence South 00 degrees 03 minutes 54 seconds East, along the East line of said Southeast Quarter, 1328.25 feet to the Point of Beginning (said Exception containing 22.841 acres, more or less, as shown on Survey recorded February 24, 2014 as Document No. 2014003295); all situated in PEORIA COUNTY, ILLINOIS. (**Rosefield Township 12-36-400-009**)

This property can be located by heading northwest on Main St and turning left at the first cross street onto SW Jefferson Ave. Turn right onto N William Kumpf Blvd. Turn left onto John H Gwynn Jr Ave/West 3rd Ave and continue for approximately 1 mile. Turn left onto W Martin Luther King Jr Dr and continue for approximately 1 mile. Merge onto IL-116 W and continue for approximately 7 miles. Turn right onto N Greengold Rd and continue for approximately 1 mile to 1924 N Greengold Rd, Hanna City, IL.

All pertinent written materials by either proponents or objectors pertaining to the above cases should be filed in the Department of Planning and Zoning, 324 Main Street, Room 301, Peoria, IL 61602.

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS PEORIA COUNTY, ILLINOIS BY: J. GREG FLETCHER CHAIRPERSON

Published 10/17/24

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COUNTY OF Peoria Peoria, ILLINOIS

FREEDOM MORTGAGE CORPORATION Plaintiff vs. THOMAS P. DOERING SR; DARLA G. DOERING; THOMAS P. DOERING, JR.; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS Defendant 23 FC 173 CALENDAR

NOTICE OF SALE
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on November 6, 2024, at the hour 9:00 a.m., Miller, Hall & Triggs, LLC, 416 Main Street, Suite 1125, Peoria, IL 61602, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described mortgaged real estate:

LOT 4 IN MCCABE ROME WEST SUBDIVISION, A PART OF THE SOUTHWEST QUARTER OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 2, TOWNSHIP 10 NORTH, RANGE 8 EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED ON APRIL 6, 1977 IN PLAT BOOK 2, PAGE 84, IN PEORIA COUNTY, ILLINOIS.

P.I.N. 09-02-251-006. Commonly known as 15823 MCCABE DR., CHILLICOTHE, IL 61523.

The real estate is: single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act. Sale terms: At sale, the bidder must have 10% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information.

For information call Sales Department at Plaintiff's Attorney, Robertson, Anschutz, Schneid, Crane & Partners, PLLC, 205 North Michigan Avenue, Suite 810, Chicago, Illinois 60601. (708) 668-4410 ext. 52109.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COUNTY OF Peoria Peoria, ILLINOIS

PNC BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION Plaintiff vs. S. LINN PERKINS, AS SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE FOR CAROLA JAMES, MICHAELS. HAMILTON, LANIE HAMILTON, ZACHERY HAMILTON, UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF CAROLA JAMES, UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NON-RECORD CLAIMANTS Defendant 22 FC 45 CALENDAR

NOTICE OF SALE
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ALL THAT CERTAIN PARCEL OF LAND SITUATED IN COUNTY OF PEORIA, STATE OF ILLINOIS, BEING KNOWN AND DESIGNATED AS: LOT 244 IN OAKLAWN SUBDIVISION OF LOT 2 OF THE SUBDIVISION OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF SECTION 34, IN TOWNSHIP 9 NORTH, RANGE 8 EAST OF THE FOURTH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF PEORIA AND STATE OF ILLINOIS.

P.I.N. 14-34-127-035. Commonly known as 1121E WILLCOX AVE., PEORIA, IL 61603.

The real estate is: single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act. Sale terms: At sale, the bidder must have 10% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified

funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information.

For information call Sales Department at Plaintiff's Attorney, Marinowski Law Group, PC, 2215 Enterprise Drive, Suite 1512, Westchester, Illinois 60154. (312) 940-8580. 22-01051 INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION intercountyjudicialsales.com I3252649 Published 10/3, 10/10, 10/17/24

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT PEORIA COUNTY PEORIA, ILLINOIS

Freedom Mortgage Corporation PLAINTIFF Vs. Zachary Wilson; Aloha Construction, Inc.; Unknown Owners and Nonrecord Claimants DEFENDANTS No. 2024-FC-0000149

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION
NOTICE IS GIVEN TO YOU:
Unknown Owners and Nonrecord Claimants

That this case has been commenced in this Court against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit:

COMMONLY KNOWN AS:
725 S Kickapoo Ln Peoria, IL 61604 and which said Mortgage was made by: Zachary Wilson the Mortgagor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as mortgagee, as nominee for Home Point Financial Corporation, as Mortgagee, and recorded in the Of-

fice of the Recorder of Deeds of Peoria County, Illinois, as Document No. 2020007800; and for other relief; that summons was duly issued out of said Court against you as provided by law and that the said suit is now pending.

NOW, THEREFORE, UNLESS YOU file your answer or otherwise file your appearance in this case in the Office of the Clerk of this Court, Robert M. Spears Peoria County Courthouse 324 Main Street, Room G-22 Peoria, IL 61602

on or before November 4, 2024, A DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU AT ANY TIME AFTER THAT DAY AND A JUDGMENT MAY BE ENTERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRAYER OF SAID COMPLAINT. CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C. Attorneys for Plaintiff 15W030 North Frontage Road, Suite 100 Burr Ridge, IL 60527 (630) 794-5300 DuPage # 15170 Winnebago # 531 Our File No. 14-24-04323

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COUNTY OF Peoria Peoria, ILLINOIS

Lakeview Loan Servicing, LLC Plaintiff vs. Christy M. Schell; Unknown Owners and Non Record Claimants Defendant 24 FC 45 CALENDAR

NOTICE OF SALE
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that pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above entitled cause Intercounty Judicial Sales Corporation will on November 20, 2024, at the hour 9:00 a.m., Miller, Hall & Triggs, LLC, 416 Main Street, Suite 1125, Peoria, IL 61602, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described mortgaged real estate: LOT 7 IN BLOCK 4 IN E.H. FAHNESTOCK'S WEST ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE OF GLASFORD, SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF PEORIA, IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS. P.I.N. 19-21-280-005.

Commonly known as 112 West Main Street, Glasford, IL 61533. The real estate is: single family residence. If the subject mortgaged real estate is a unit of a common interest community, the purchaser of the unit other than a mortgagee shall pay the assessments required by subsection (g-1) of Section 18.5 of the Condominium Property Act. Sale terms: At sale, the bidder must have 10% down by certified funds, balance within 24 hours, by certified funds. No refunds. The property will NOT be open for inspection. Prospective bidders are admonished to check the court file to verify all information.

For information call Sales Department at Plaintiff's Attorney, The Wirbicki Law Group LLC, 33 West Monroe Street, Suite 1540, Chicago, Illinois 60603. (312) 360-9455. W24-0019 INTERCOUNTY JUDICIAL SALES CORPORATION intercountyjudicialsales.com I3253551 Published 10/17, 10/24, 10/31/24

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE 10TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT PEORIA COUNTY PEORIA, ILLINOIS

NewRez LLC d/b/a Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing PLAINTIFF Vs. Annette Kellem; United States of America - Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; Mariner Finance, LLC; Unknown Owners and Nonrecord Claimants DEFENDANTS No. 2024-FC-0000172

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STATE OF ILLINOIS
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
PEORIA COUNTY — IN PROBATE
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

2024-PR-0000191

RICHARD G. THREW, DECEASED
NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE

Notice is given to creditors of the death of RICHARD G. THREW. Letters of office were issued on July 9, 2024, to PAMELA THREW of 1407 N. Jones Hollow Road, Peoria, Illinois 61604, as Independent Executor, whose Attorney of record is Nancy A. Schell, Froehling, Weber & Schell, LLP, 167 West Elm Street, Canton, Illinois 61520, Phone #309/647-6317, Fax #309/647-6350.

Administration of this estate will be without court supervision, unless an interested party requests supervised administration pursuant to a petition filed under 755 ILCS 5/28-4.

Claims against the estate may be filed in the Office of the Peoria County Circuit Clerk, 324 Main Street, G22, Peoria, Illinois 61602, or with the Representative, or both, on or before a date no less than six (6) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or if mailing or delivery of a notice from the Representative is required by Section 18-3 of the Probate Act of 1975 (755 ILCS 5/18-3), the date stated in that notice. Filing with the Clerk is to be in accordance with Illinois Supreme Court Rule 9, which makes electronic filing mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions.

Any claim not filed on or before the above referenced date is barred. Within 10 days after filing a claim with the Clerk, the Claimant must mail or deliver a copy of the claim to the Representative and to the Representative's Attorney of Record and file with the Clerk a proof of mailing or delivery of said copy.

Dated this 27th day of September, 2024.

PAMELA THREW, as Independent Administrator of the Estate of RICHARD G. THREW, deceased
/s/ Nancy A. Schell
Nancy A. Schell, Attorney

NANCY A. SCHELL
Froehling, Weber & Schell, LLP
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CLAIM NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
OF THE TENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF ILLINOIS
PEORIA COUNTY

In Re **ESTATE OF NORMA L. HANLEY**,
Deceased. CC 2024-PR-0000270

NOTICE is given to creditors of the death of **NORMA L. HANLEY**, on September 6, 2024. Letters of Office were issued by the above entitled Court to **MICHAEL L. HANLEY**, of 13801 West Schlink Road, Brimfield, Illinois 61517, and **PATRICK E. HANLEY**, of 10626 North Princeville Jubilee Road, Brimfield, Illinois 61517, as Executors, whose attorneys of record are **WHITNEY & POTTS, LTD., 118 West Main Street, P. O. Box 368, Elmwood, Illinois, 61529-0368**. Claims against the Estate may be filed in the Circuit Clerk's Office, Peoria County Courthouse, Peoria, Illinois, or with the representatives or both on or before the **25th day of April, 2025** or if mailing or delivery of a Notice from the representatives is required by Sec. 18-3 of the Probate Act of 1975, the date stated in that Notice. Every claim filed must be in writing and state sufficient information to notify the representative of the nature of the claim or other relief sought. **Any claim not filed on or before that date is barred.** Copies of a claim filed with the Clerk must be mailed or delivered by the claimant to the representatives and to the attorney within ten (10) days after it has been filed and the claimant shall file with the Court, proof of any required mailing or delivery of copies.

E-filing is now mandatory for documents in civil cases with limited exemptions. To e-file, you must first create an account with an e-filing service provider. Visit <http://efile.illinoiscourts.gov/service-providers.htm> to learn more and to select a service provider. If you need additional help or have trouble e-filing, visit <http://www.illinoiscourts.gov/FAQ/gethelp.asp>.

DATED this 9th day of October, 2024.

MICHAEL L. HANLEY and PATRICK E. HANLEY, Executors of the Estate of NORMA L. HANLEY, Deceased.

ASHLEE E. STABLER, Esq. WHITNEY & POTTS, LTD. Attorneys for Executors 118 West Main Street P. O. Box 368 Elmwood, IL 61529-0368 Telephone: (309) 742-3611 ashlee@whitneyandpotts.com Published 10/17, 10/24, 10/31/24

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Claimants

That this case has been commenced in this Court against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit:

COMMONLY KNOWN AS:
2219 W Riviera Dr
Peoria, IL 61614
and which said Mortgage was made by:
Annette Kellem
the Mortgageor(s), to Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as mortgagee, as nominee for Caliber Home Loans, Inc., as Mortgagee, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Peoria County, Illinois, as Document No. 2021023154; and for other relief; that summons was duly issued out of said Court against you as provided by law and that the said suit is now pending.

YOU MAY STILL BE ABLE TO SAVE YOUR HOME. DO NOT IGNORE THIS DOCUMENT.

By order of the Chief Judge of the Circuit Court of the Tenth Judicial

Circuit, this case is set for Mandatory Mediation on 11/21/24 at 3:00p.m. at the Peoria County Courthouse located at 324 Main Street, Room 204, Peoria, IL 61602.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, in-person meetings within the courthouse are being limited. Therefore, you are being asked to meet with our mediation coordinator via ZOOM telephone or video conference. To participate by phone, call (312) 626-6799 and enter the Meeting ID 593-480-2333. To participate by video, go to www.zoom.us, select "Join a Meeting" and use the Meeting ID 593-480-2333. The password is "Courthouse". If you have any problems joining the Zoom meeting, please contact Court Administration at (309) 672-6036.

NOW, THEREFORE, UNLESS YOU file your answer or otherwise file your appearance in this case in the Office of the Clerk of this Court, Robert M. Spears
Peoria County Courthouse
324 Main Street, Room G-22
Peoria, IL 61602
on or before November 18, 2024, A DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU AT ANY TIME AFTER

THAT DAY AND A JUDGMENT MAY BE ENTERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRAYER OF SAID COMPLAINT.

CODILIS & ASSOCIATES, P.C.
Attorneys for Plaintiff

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DuPage # 15170
Winnebago # 531

Our File No. 14-24-05176 13253852
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PEORIA COUNTY DELINQUENT TAXES

2023 PEORIA COUNTY DELINQUENT REAL ESTATE TAX LIST THE TOWNSHIP(S) OF: Brimfield, Elmwood, Princeville
ALL TAXES UNPAID AND DELINQUENT AS OF OCTOBER 8, 2024 WILL APPEAR ON THIS LIST.
ADVERTISEMENT AND NOTICE OF COLLECTOR OF PEORIA COUNTY OF APPLICATION FOR JUDGMENT AND ORDER OF SALE OF DELINQUENT LANDS AND LOTS AND NOTICE OF SALE THEREOF. AS APPROVED BY LAW.

PEORIA, ILLINOIS
OCTOBER 8, 2024

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I shall apply to the Circuit Court on Monday, the 28th day of October, 2024, at 9:30 o'clock a.m., the same being the last Monday in October, for Judgment against the lands and lots herein described as being delinquent upon which the taxes remain due and unpaid for said taxes together with interest, penalties, and costs thereon, for the tax year 2023 and for Judgment fixing the correct amount of tax paid under protest.

I shall apply at the same time for an Order of the said Court to sell the said lands and lots for the satisfaction of any such taxes remaining due and unpaid, together with the interest, penalties, and costs due thereon, at the Court House where the Circuit Court is held in the said County of Peoria, City of Peoria, State of Illinois, on Monday the 4th day of November, 2024, the first Monday succeeding the day of application for Judgment and Order of sale. The sale will commence at 9 o'clock a.m., Monday, November 4, 2024 and continue from day to day until all tracts and lots upon which any taxes shall remain due and unpaid at that time are sold. All real estate upon which the first installment of taxes remain due and unpaid after the 4th day of June, 2024 shall be deemed delinquent as to such first installment, and such due and unpaid taxes as to such first installment shall bear interest after the 4th day of June, 2024 at the rate of one and a half percent per month until paid or forfeited, and all real estate upon which the second installment of taxes remain due and unpaid after the 4th day of September, 2024 shall be deemed delinquent as to such second installment, and such due and unpaid taxes as to such second installment shall bear interest after the 4th day of September, 2024 at the rate of one and a half percent per month until paid or forfeited. Terms shall be cash at the time of sale, as required by Law. All tax buyers must register in written form with the County Treasurer ten business days prior to the date of the sale.

County Treasurer's Parcel Identification Number is shown above the name for purpose of easier identification.

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of Peoria County, Illinois

BRIMFIELD TOWNSHIP

06-09-400-006	\$2,632.11	RE-STRUCTION LLC
06-13-352-021	\$1,354.28	HEINZ, JOHN & LARRY
06-13-353-006	\$1,153.11	C&P 17 ENTERPRISES LLC
06-23-228-021	\$3,570.61	STODDARD, DARCEY & MICHAEL
06-24-104-008	\$2,231.64	PETERS, RICK
06-24-107-004	\$4,238.33	MILLEN, VINCE & TRACI
06-24-152-004	\$2,055.47	ANDERSON, AMY
06-24-157-006	\$342.10	HEINZ, LARRY & MAUREEN
06-24-158-006	\$67.26	KELL, JOHN

06-24-159-002	\$27.62	KELL ESTATE, JOHN
06-24-179-008	\$1,254.73	ARCHIBALD, GEORGE
06-24-179-012	\$2,748.73	KARL, MICHAEL
06-24-182-009	\$3,649.02	CORNELISON, ASHLEY & SCOTT
06-24-251-001	\$2,794.49	BURNS, STEPHEN
06-24-251-002	\$1,254.84	DEWITTE, MICHAEL
06-24-302-003	\$1,790.61	ARCHIBALD, RICHARD
06-24-326-015	\$35.17	DAWSON, MICHAEL
06-26-100-004	\$2,613.76	APODACA, PAUL & ROSCHELLE
06-28-200-002	\$4,032.13	MURPHY, SHARON & HOLUB, KATHIE
06-28-300-001	\$1,807.76	HUDSON, HOWARD

ELMWOOD TOWNSHIP

11-01-300-001	\$3,768.81	COOK, REBECCA
11-01-400-022	\$135.85	PORTER, DENNIS
11-02-200-003	\$609.62	COULTER, JERRY & SALLY
11-02-401-002	\$157.07	COULTER, JERRY & SALLY
11-05-301-004	\$111.63	MCFALL, HARRY
11-05-400-009	\$3,032.46	CALDWELL, KIMBERLY & WILLIAM
11-06-481-010	\$5,855.06	KEEFER, PAUL
11-07-177-006	\$987.56	SEIDEL, DENNIS
11-07-254-002	\$2,809.25	WINDISH, BRIAN & KRISTINA
11-07-283-013	\$1,612.96	CROZIER, BRENT
11-07-285-004	\$1,538.20	CIACCIO, PAMELA & CHARLES
11-07-288-009	\$2,971.78	CARDENAS, DANA
11-07-330-012	\$3,342.03	NEWMAN, TERYAN & JOSEPH
11-07-401-007	\$641.63	CLARK, MARJORIE & RUSSELL
11-07-402-001	\$2,576.22	MUMMA, KINDRA
11-07-405-006	\$1,971.11	HAHN, RAYMOND & EVELYN ETAL
11-07-406-002	\$1,217.70	PHOENIX RISIN LLC
11-07-407-006	\$1,600.60	SCHUBERT, SHIRLEY
11-07-411-001	\$2,124.66	MCFALL, HARRY
11-07-427-003	\$670.01	BEINTEMA, ADAM
11-07-430-006	\$408.37	LANTZ, DAVID
11-07-430-008	\$796.11	LAND, ROGER & PEGGY
11-07-435-024	\$4,252.86	BEDNAR, TERRI & MAS, TRACEY
11-07-436-007	\$3,357.50	POWERS, JOHN & THERESA
11-07-455-005	\$821.24	MURPHY, SANDRA
11-07-480-001	\$791.61	WILSON, LARRY & AMY
11-07-482-002	\$345.92	TRAVER, JOHN
11-07-482-005	\$512.94	COULTER, BEAU & JESSICA
11-08-103-003	\$1,951.59	CITY NA.BANK & TRUST & TRUST #2641
11-08-152-010	\$2,704.83	CRAMER, TINA
11-08-181-009	\$2,716.42	SWINDLER, ALLEN
11-08-181-010	\$1,004.04	SMITH, KAREN
11-08-305-020	\$5,192.70	BEAN, AARON & CHRISTINA
11-08-328-001	\$3,134.13	PARKS, SARAH & NICHOLAS
11-08-400-003	\$2,511.43	RODELL, BROCK
11-10-400-007	\$2,551.55	DALTON, JEREMY & DENISE
11-12-200-014	\$5,254.02	TURNER, DUSTIN & MELISSA
11-31-400-001	\$96.51	FINS FEATHERS & FURS LLC
11-33-200-001	\$970.68	THOMPSON, LOUISE
11-36-200-007	\$2,323.33	TAYLOR, JEDIDIAH & CHRISTY

PRINCEVILLE TOWNSHIP

02-06-400-006	\$1,180.41	BARRETT, DEBRA
02-06-400-007	\$16,036.46	STONE, DUSTIN & AMETHYST
02-13-100-016	\$414.73	CHAIN, CALEB
02-13-200-043	\$346.38	WESTERMAN, BRET
02-13-300-019	\$595.84	GITZ, DAVID & NORILYN
02-13-300-021	\$67.70	GITZ, DAVID & NORILYN
02-13-326-001	\$1,076.34	MASSEY, CATHERINE & SAMUEL
02-13-426-001	\$1,281.23	FEUCHT, DANIEL & ABREY
02-13-426-005	\$1,745.05	SORBEL, JEFFREY
02-13-429-002	\$3,169.97	COLE, ASHLYN & VALERIE
02-13-451-003	\$166.32	GRUTTER, KEENAN & MICHELE
02-13-479-007	\$2,100.73	HARMON, SHERRI
02-13-480-010	\$1,976.70	WEIR, NICHOLAS
02-13-482-001	\$2,547.59	EDWARD DAILY ESTATE
02-13-485-004	\$861.71	HOFER, SUSAN
02-18-400-003	\$1,335.87	ZIELKE, JONATHAN & LEESHA
02-19-100-004	\$4,708.15	KIESER, CHARLES & MARIE ETAL
02-19-300-013	\$2,731.52	ARNOLD, CALVIN
02-21-177-009	\$683.77	BASHUSEN, TERRI & DAVID
02-21-179-004	\$187.11	HARMON, SHERRI
02-21-180-005	\$637.21	HILL, ROBERT & P CORINNE ETAL
02-21-180-010	\$1,029.76	ROBERTSON, AARON
02-21-200-005	\$142.23	TURNER, JAMES
02-21-200-010	\$2,105.11	TURNER, CAROL & JAMES
02-21-330-001	\$85.78	TALLEY, DEBRA & JASON
02-21-331-006	\$921.87	TALLEY, JASON & DEBRA
02-22-100-011	\$2,638.76	DUFNER, MATTHEW
02-22-100-012	\$2,427.15	DUFNER, STEPHANIE
02-22-200-002	\$1,865.14	JACKSON, FRED
02-24-203-017	\$524.43	THOMAS, ERICH
02-24-228-005	\$1,158.58	GODFREY, CODY & ANDREA
02-24-233-005	\$224.63	THOMAS, ERICH & HEATHER
02-24-233-012	\$2,318.85	THOMAS, HEATHER & ERICH
02-24-234-001	\$550.22	PRICE, DENNIS & KAREN
02-24-234-007	\$805.71	FRANTZ, ETHEL & CHRISTIANS, GARY L, EST.
02-24-235-022	\$1,084.13	MCCOSH, JUDY
02-24-235-023	\$2,537.37	SCOTT, MARY
02-24-253-011	\$1,052.48	MOTA, CARLOS & NORMA
02-24-253-019	\$282.55	WEIR, NICHOLAS
02-24-276-012	\$2,734.32	PHIEFFER, WILLIAM
02-24-277-003	\$1,147.88	HUFFMAN, RONALD & O'NEILL, RHONDA
02-24-277-005	\$226.84	BRETADO, PEDRO
02-24-400-017	\$1,978.34	DOMINGUEZ, REFUGIO
02-26-300-001	\$1,525.87	RICHOZ TAYLOR, LINDA
02-27-451-004	\$449.15	DYE, JACOB & ASHLEE
02-27-477-011	\$4,361.04	DUCKWORTH, JEREMY & KRISTEN
02-32-400-005	\$883.78	TWIDWELL, LISA & SCOTT
02-33-400-007	\$3,761.32	BONOMO, GREGORY
02-34-300-001	\$11,135.26	DUNBAR, DARRELL & JOHNNA
02-36-200-001	\$4,103.51	GILBERT, MARY

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XC: Elmwood boys win at Amboy

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Day Invite at Shady Oaks Golf Course.

E-B won with 55 points, edging fourth-ranked Winnebago (59 points).

Aiden Faulkner led the Trojans, placing seventh on the 2.95-mile course in 15:37. Winnebago's Nicolai Martino won in 15:11.

Not far behind Faulkner was the Trojans pack of Darwin Herman (11th, 15:59), Mika Nelson (12th, 16:01) and Reed Florey (14th, 16:04).

Fifth runner Kai Nelson, a freshman, was 26th for E-B at 16:44.

Even without Nelson, the Trojans won the frosh-soph boys race with 42 points to edge Byron (43). Freshman Danny Sharp (2nd, 13:59) led E-B in the 2.4-mile race.

In varsity girls action, E-B placed fourth with 119 points behind winner Winnebago (49), Byron (92) and Aurora Central Catholic (114).

Freshman Bristol Schmidgall led E-B by placing 14th in 19:45. Other scoring runners were freshman Mya Hill (16th, 19:55), freshman Riley Kelly (26th, 21:08), freshman Ashlyn Bertsch (28th, 21:10) and sopho-

more Callie Wight (49th, 22:22).

E-B will run at Detweiler Park on Saturday, Oct. 19, in the Patriot XC Invite. This will be the final tuneup before the teams run in a Class 1A regional race on Oct. 26 at Donovan Park in Peoria.

• **IESA** – Junior-high girls basketball season is well underway and junior high boys basketball practices start on Oct. 21.



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Answers on Page 6 Super Crossword

ACROSS

1 17-year locusts, e.g.
8 Intercede
10 Errant
20 Lovingly, on music scores
21 Daintily small
22 Planet shape
23 Big baboon, Andean
27 "Gloria in Excelsis"
28 Lapel inserts
29 Begin a losing streak
30 Serengeti grazer, long-billed bird, sticky-tongued predator
36 Houston coll.
38 Singer Sumac
39 Singer Irene
40 Part of NYSE
41 "Love Me or Leave Me" singer
43 Great anger
46 — loss
48 Kanga's son
49 Mountain cat, plated burrower, marine crustacean

56 Comic Daniel
57 "La Cage — Folles"
58 Grizzlies, e.g.
59 Overjoys
63 "Funny Girl" director
65 Contend (for)
66 Aggressive shorebirds
67 Arctic cetacean, swamp snapper, arboreal ape
73 Not al fresco
74 Tea holder
75 Like dunes
76 City of south India
77 Founder of Bolshevism
79 Suffix with hotel
80 Writers Tan and Lowell
84 Pink wader, forest anthropoid, aquatic sucker
88 Hasty escape
91 Riser at dawn
92 Pester
93 Singer Willie
94 Tuba material
97 Lunch, e.g.
100 Tree of Iowa
103 Milk, in Mexico

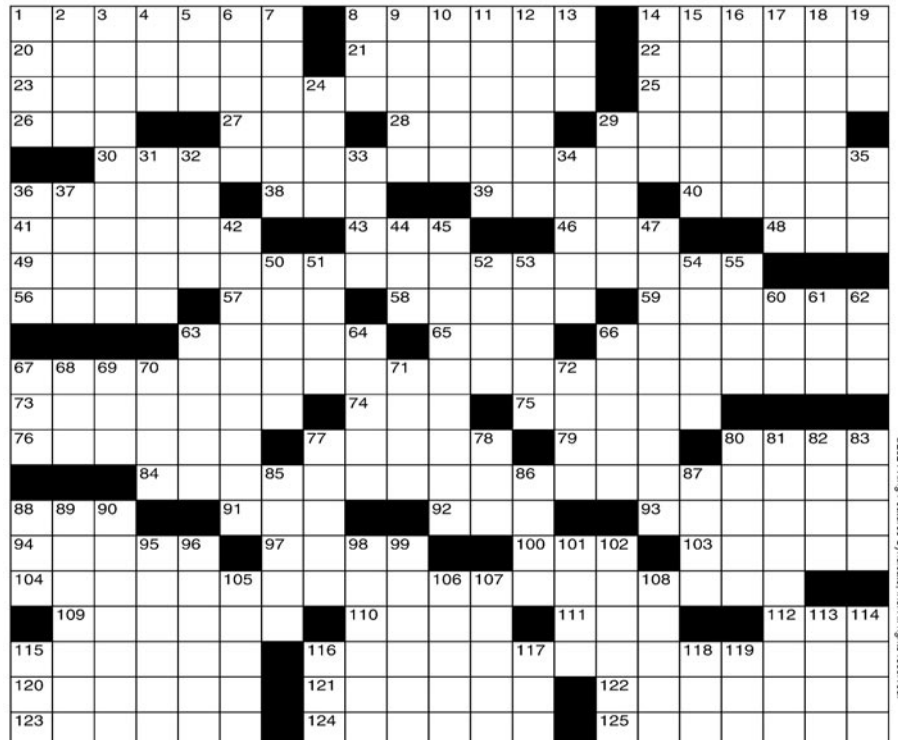
104 Scavenging dog, woolly Peruvian, leaf-munching crawler
109 Onion relatives
110 Low cards
111 "Botch" — (old hit song)
112 High card
115 "Monster" star
116 Prairie canine, destructive insect, colorful fish
120 Successively
121 Fought one-on-one
122 "Agreed"
123 Wee
124 Accent
125 Made of clay

DOWN

1 Hunter's garb, in brief
2 Apple desktop
3 Website notice to get customer service
4 Ending for dull
5 Palme — (Cannes film award)
6 Digression
7 Exclusively
8 Health facility
9 Arizona city
10 Online sales
11 Lunch on the grass, e.g.
12 Lake feeding the Mississippi
13 Part of NYSE
14 Chichi scarf
15 Interstices
16 Larynx locale
17 One showing houses
18 Erté's genre
19 "Agreed"
24 Weaver's frame
29 Biting pests
31 Equine sound
32 Yellowfin, say
33 Remunerated
34 Kuwaitis, e.g.
35 "Notorious" film studio
36 Four-sided geom. shape
37 Langston Hughes poem
42 Ill-defined situations
44 BBQ meat bit
45 Altitude
47 Exited right after chowing
50 Ruminates
51 Skating leap

52 Milk, in France
53 Treats often dipped in milk
54 Somber song
55 Sauce brand
60 Hanoi holiday
61 Noted time
62 IRS datum
63 Ridge on a fingerprint
64 Grow mature
66 Actress Parrish of "Pretty Little Liars"
67 Pick-up-sticks logic game
68 One or more
69 Aves.
70 Kin of "Arf!"
71 Hammered musical disk
72 Stair support
77 First form fill-in, often
78 Gp. backing arms
80 Cop — (haggle in court)
81 Nickname for the Devil
82 Michelle of "Tomorrow Never Dies"
83 Auld lang —

85 Ailment causing swelling
86 Horror film assistant
87 Peil- (chaotic)
88 JFK follower
89 Weaver of Greek myth
90 Heavy knife
95 Vail trail
96 Revels in
98 Illustrate via pantomime
99 Trial figure
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DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆

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Trivia test

1. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a group of walking penguins called?
2. MOVIES: What was the first movie to be adapted from one of Stephen King's novels?
3. GEOGRAPHY: How many time zones does Australia have?
4. LITERATURE: Which country is featured in Sir Walter Scott's historical novels?
5. HISTORY: How many essays are in The Federalist Papers?
6. SCIENCE: Who created the Periodic Table?
7. TELEVISION: What is the reality series "The Deadliest Catch" about?
8. PSYCHOLOGY: What irrational fear is represented in the condition called pognophobia?
9. U.S. STATES: What is the only state with a one-syllable name?
10. MUSIC: Which branch of the U.S. military did Elvis Presley serve in?
- Answers
1. A waddle.
 2. "Carrie."
 3. Three main time zones.
 4. Scotland.
 5. 85.
 6. Dmitri Mendeleev.
 7. Crab fishermen in the Bering Sea.
 8. Fear of beards.
 9. Maine.
 10. Army, 1958-60.
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TOP 10 MOVIES

1. Joker: Folie à Deux (R)
 2. The Wild Robot (PG)
 3. Beetlejuice Beetlejuice (PG-13)
 4. Transformers One (PG)
 5. Speak No Evil (R)
 6. Sam and Colby: The Legends of the Paranormal (NR)
 7. White Bird (PG-13)
 8. Deadpool & Wolverine (R)
 9. The Substance (R)
 10. Megalopolis (R)
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PRINCEVILLE: Early Stark County fumbles created big deficit

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Benningfield said about Williams. "It was crazy. It was the perfect ball."

The second of three Williams-Benningfield touchdown connections was less dramatic but just as effective. Following the Stark County kickoff-return turnover, Princeville drove for 13 plays before a 2-yard pass made it 13-0 with 5:39 left in the quarter.

"We were pumped," Princeville lineman Collin Lowery said. "We had so much adrenaline built up. It was the greatest time when we had those two turnovers from the beginning."

A pair of Stark County penalties on the same play negated a big gain on its ensuing drive, then a fumble pinned the Rebels at their 17-yard line. Princeville followed with another sustained possession, which ended with a 21-yard Williams-to-Benning-

field scoring play.

The touchdown gave Princeville a 21-0 lead 12 seconds into the second quarter. All of it reminded Carruthers of his team's fast starts in two losses last season to Stark County, including one in the 1A playoffs. Princeville took an early double-digit lead in that game, too.

Understandably, Carruthers didn't get too comfortable this time, although both teams are assured of postseason play.

"We've been lucky to have things happen and go our way right off the bat," he said. "They're a very good team, and we knew they weren't done."

After it fell behind 33-7 midway through the third quarter, Stark County showed some life.

Nolan Orwig had 15- and 16-yard rushing gains to set up his 7-yard touchdown run with 2:36 left in the third. In the fourth,

Dillon Steelman had consecutive passes of 26 yards to Connor Daum and 46 yards to Orwig, then Chris Barnwell set the final score by running in from 9 yards with 7:09 remaining.

"We got it to a point where I think that maybe they were getting a little bit nervous," Stark County Coach Jade Noard said. "But you can't put yourself down 33-7. You just can't, and we probably were lucky it wasn't worse."

Williams didn't pass for more than 200 yards, like he did in his previous two games. But he did pass for 176 yards, to six different receivers. Nolan Geiger ran for 113 yards. Steelman passed for 106 yards for Stark County, which received 89 rushing yards from Orwig.

Rushville-Industry 42
ROWVA-Williamsfield 34
ONEIDA - Whatever margin

for error R-W had regarding postseason qualification is gone.

After starting with three wins, he Cougars have lost four consecutive games, including this LincolnLand small-division contest, in which R-W trailed from the start.

R-W must win its final two games to be eligible for state-playoffs consideration. The Cougars play Friday at Kewanee against Annawan-Wethersfield and Oct. 25 at home against Abingdon-Avon. The preseason league favorite, A-W appears to have righted itself.

"I'm thinking our conference is pretty good," R-W Coach Grant Gullstrand said. "There's not going to be an easy game in our conference, as we've found out. We will have to be prepared."

According to Gullstrand, R-W was prepared as well as possible

for the R-I Wing-T/Wishbone offense. R-W attempted a couple of inside kicks to throw R-I off its game, but those were unsuccessful. Neither were efforts to force a turnover.

"They're the only team that runs that style of offense in our division," Gullstrand said. "Last year we were able to match up better with it, because we had some bigger bodies. (Last week) they were getting three-four-five yards a carry, and that adds up to first downs and moving the chains."

"We knew we were going to have to score every time we had the ball. We had seven possessions and scored on five of them, but unfortunately that was not enough."

• **Elsewhere** - Abingdon-Avon (3-4, 3-4) outscored Havana 24-6 in the second half of a 36-34 road victory.

ELMWOOD: Windish has run for 1,274 yards; Farmers QB injured

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a 16-yard Windish run and a 6-yarder by Layne Johnson with 3:30 left. Johnson had started at quarterback but switched after senior Matthew Glenn was shaken up.

Glenn, E-B's second-leading rusher, returned to gain 69 yards and Johnson added 104 on 16 carries.

"We had tried Layne at quarterback this week and he gave us some pop in the running game. He's just a bigger body in there," Hollis said. "Then Matthew got hurt and (Johnson) went to three-back and started pounding the rock." Macomb didn't go easily, scoring with 1:17 left against an E-B secondary that featured one or two deep safeties all game.

"That's an option we need to have," Hollis said. "Keep everything in front of us and make them chew clock."

After Oliver Thornton recovered a Macomb inside kick, E-B ran the game out. The capper was a third-and-2 run on which Windish somehow kept upright.

"I was thinking the whole time as I was tripping up, 'Somebody's going to hit me. I'm done for,'" Windish said. "Then there was no one there and it turned into a 20-yard run."

Windish said the ankle he hurt at Decatur St. Teresa on Sept. 20 felt better than it had in the two previous games. He has 1,274 yards and 15 touchdowns, with

three more scores as a receiver.

Next up for E-B is a road trip to Abingdon-Avon (3-4), which has won two straight, including a 36-34 rally at Havana last week.

Farmington 8
Annawan-Wethersfield 6

FARMINGTON - Quarterback Lane Wheelwright had only a few runs in him last Friday for the Farmers. One wound up being the difference in this defensive struggle.

Wheelwright's first-quarter extra point after a 3-yard scoring plunge by Logan Utt was the margin of victory in this win over upset-minded A-W (4-3). Wheelwright suffered a leg injury in the second quarter and, while he gutted out the game, his mobility was hampered.

"He played the rest of the game, but he couldn't really run and couldn't pass drop," Farmington Coach Toby Vallas said Monday. "He's on crutches today, so we'll see."

Fortunately for second-ranked Farmington (7-0), its defense was up to the task against a Titans team that has dealt with plenty of injuries of its own.

One of the injured Titans is all-state running back Zeb Rashid, who is back mostly on defense and made every tackle according to Vallas. But on offense, A-W mustered little outside of a long drive in the second quarter.

Quarterback Maddox



Jack Gronewold of Farmington makes a stop on Annawan-Wethersfield quarterback Maddox Heitzler. Photo by Dave Giagnoni.

Heitzler capped that on a 17-yard run off a broken play. A-W did not convert its two-point try and managed just 123 total yards.

"Defensively we played really well for the most part," Vallas said.

"We had some stupid stuff happen," Vallas said,

noting two scoreless drives halted at the A-W 2-yard line and another that ended with a fumble into the Titans' end zone. "We were never really in danger of losing, but you never know in a game like that."

Jack Gronewold's interception with 50 seconds left sealed the win for Farmington, which suffered two second-half interceptions of its own.

Wheelwright is questionable for Friday's game at winless LVC (0-7, 0-5). If he doesn't start, the nod at QB would likely go to senior Brody Evans or Gronewold. "We need some time

to get healthy," Vallas said.

• **Elsewhere** - Illini West (4-3, 3-3) won its fourth straight with a 34-7 rout of visiting Bureau Valley (3-4, 2-3). Ethan Carlisle passed for 112 yards and four TDs and Nick Johnson ran for 176 yards and a TD. Bureau Valley scored its only points late in the game.

• **Knoxville** topped West Hancock 80-52 as the teams combined for 1,190 yards. Knoxville ran 48 times for 701 yards. The Blue Bullets' only pass was a spike. While West Hancock gained 489 yards, the Titans are yielding an average 52 points per game.

SCOREBOARD

Elmwood-Brimfield 31		AW		F	
Macomb 28		Rushes-yds	23-70	29-109	
Macomb	7 0 15 6 - 28	Yds per carry	3.0	3.75	
Elmwood-Brim.	7 12 0 12 - 31	Comp-Att-Int	5-8-1	10-18-2	
Scoring Summary					
First Quarter					
EB - Windish 2 run (Grunow kick)					
M - Holthaus 6 run (38 kick)					
Second Quarter					
EB - Windish 14 run (kick failed)					
EB - Windish 10 run (run failed)					
Third Quarter					
M - Watson 6 pass from Holthaus (38 kick)					
M - Conley 35 pass from Holthaus (pass failed)					
Fourth Quarter					
EB - Windish 16 run (run failed)					
EB - Johnson 6 run (kick failed)					
M - Beal 15 pass from Holthaus (kick failed)					
Team Statistics					
	M	EB			
Rushes-Yds	18-86	81-469			
Yds per carry	4.8	5.8			
Comp-Att-Int	19-34-0	0-0-0			
Passing yds	286	0			
Individual Statistics					
Rushing - M: Holthaus 9-41, May 1-1, Watson 1-(minus-4), Conley 5-38, Norto 2-10. EB: Windish 31-255, Johnson 16-104, Glenn 19-69, Kline 9-41, Ramirez 4-(minus-6), Alger 2-6.					
Passing - M: Holthaus 19-34-0 286. EB: None.					
Receiving: M: Watson 9-88, McMillen 1-28, Beal 4-45, Norton 4-88, Hoge 1-2, Conley 1-35. EB: None.					
Tackles - EB: J.Burkitt 7, Vazquez 4.5, Johnson 4.5.					

Farmington 8		Annawan-Wethersfield 6	
Annawan-Weth.	0 6 0 0 - 6	Farmington	8 0 0 0 - 8
Scoring Summary			
First Quarter			
F - Utt 3 run (pass complete)			
Second Quarter			
AW - Heitzler 17 run (pass failed)			
Team Statistics			

Princetonville 33		Stark County 22	
Stark County	0 7 7 8 - 22	Princetonville	13 14 6 0 - 33
Scoring Summary			
First Quarter			
P - Benningfield 45 pass from Williams (Athen kick)			
P - Benningfield 2 pass from Williams (kick failed)			
Second Quarter			
P - Benningfield 21 pass from Williams (Benningfield pass from Williams)			
P - Garza 1 run (kick failed)			
SC - Steelman 10 run (Frihetli kick)			
Third Quarter			
P - Johnson 23 pass from Williams (pass failed)			
SC - Orwig 7 run (Frihetli kick)			
Fourth Quarter			
SC - Barnwell 9 run (Orwig run)			
Team Statistics			
	SC	P	
Rushes-yds	30-128	46-185	
Yds per carry	4.3	4.0	
Comp-Att-Int	7-11-2	12-21-1	
Passing yds	106	176	
Individual Statistics			
Rushing - SC: Orwig 15-89, Steelman 8-45, Barnwell 4-(minus-1), Holmstrom 1-(minus-1), C.Daum 2-(minus-4). P: Geiger 20-113, Christianson 8-38, Lied 6-19, Williams 11-14, Garza 1-1.			
Passing - SC: Steelman 7-11-2 106. P: Williams 12-21-1 176.			
Receiving - SC: Orwig 2-44, C.Daum 2-28, Barnwell 2-27, Brown-			

LincolnLand - Large				LincolnLand - Small			
Overall		Conf		Overall		Conf	
W	L	W	L	W	L	W	L
Farmington	7 0 5 0	Princetonville	7 0 6 0				
Elmwood-Brim.	6 1 5 1	Stark County	6 1 5 1				
Macomb	5 2 4 2	Rushville-Industry	6 1 5 1				
Illini West	4 3 3 3	Annawan-Weth.	4 3 4 2				
Bureau Valley	3 4 2 3	Abingdon-Avon	3 4 3 4				
Knoxville	2 5 2 4	ROWVA-Williamsfld	3 4 2 4				
West Hancock	1 6 1 4	South Fulton	2 5 2 4				
LVC	0 7 0 5	Havana	1 6 1 6				
Last Week				Last Week			
Elmwood-Brim. 31, Macomb 28				Princetonville 33, Stark County 22			
Farmington 8, Annawan-Weth. 6				Rushville-Ind. 42, ROWVA-Will. 34			
Illini West 34, Bureau Valley 7				Farmington 8, Annawan-Weth. 6			
Knoxville 80, West Hancock 52				South Fulton 34, Monmouth United 7			
Macon Meridian 61, LVC 24				Abingdon-Avon 36, Havana 34			
Friday, Oct. 18				Friday, Oct. 18			
Elmwood-Brim. at Abingdon-A., 7 pm				Princetonville at Rushville-Ind., 7 pm			
Farmington at LVC, 7 pm				ROWVA-Will. at Annawan-W., 7 pm			
Illini West at West Hancock, 7 pm				South Fulton at Stark County, 7 pm			
Bureau Valley at Macomb, 7 pm				Havana at Monmouth United, 7 pm			
Knoxville at Fulton, 7 pm				Elmwood-Brim. at Abingdon-A., 7 pm			

ing 1-7. P: Benningfield 3-68, Johnson 3-58, Day 2-17, Christianson 2-16, Blunier 1-9, Lied 1-8.

Tackles - P: Benningfield 8, Harmon 7.

Rushville-Industry 42		ROWVA-Williamsfield 34	
Rushville-Ind.	0 14 8 12 - 42	ROWVA-Will.	6 14 14 8 - 34
Scoring Summary			
First Quarter			
R-I - Reimolds 23 run (extra point failed)			
Second Quarter			
R-I - Downs 12 run (Bartlett run)			
R-W - Hull 24 pass from DeJaynes (Hull run)			
R-I - Reimolds 1 run (conversion failed)			
R-W - Hull 45 pass from DeJaynes (conversion failed)			
Third Quarter			
R-I - Downs 33 run (conversion failed)			
R-W - Cordle 11 pass from DeJaynes (DeJaynes run)			

R-I - Reimolds 6 run (Reimolds run)

Fourth Quarter
R-W - Smith 2 pass from DeJaynes (extra point failed)
R-I - Reimolds 13 run (Bartlett run)
R-W - Hull 14 pass from DeJaynes (extra point failed)

Team Statistics			
	R-I	R-W	
Rushes-yds	53-336	19-67	
Yds per carry	6.3	3.5	
Comp-Att-Int	0-1-0	22-28-0	
Passing yds	0	279	
Individual Statistics			
Rushing - R-I: Downs 23-143, Reimolds 18-115, McGinnis 11-74, Bartlett 1-4. R-W: Cordle 4-42, Hull 9-28, Schroeder 2-4, DeJaynes 2-(minus-3), Jones 2-(minus-4).			
Passing - R-I: Bartlett 0-1-0 0. R-W: DeJaynes 21-28-0 274.			
Receiving - R-W: Hull 11-177, Traphagan 3-56, Cordle 6-38, Smith 2-8.			
Tackles - R-W: Cordle 7.5, Schroeder 7.			

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Brimfield wins ICAC volleyball tourney, earns No. 1 playoff seed

By PHIL JOHNSON

For The Weekly Post

GLASFORD – The Brimfield volleyball team passed the 20-win mark and won the ICAC Tournament along the way last week.

Brimfield (21-3-1) won the tournament at Illini Bluffs on Saturday. The Lady Indians topped Elmwood in three sets (25-12, 16-25, 25-17). A 25-8, 25-16 sweep over ROWVA-Williamsfield followed. Brimfield then finalized first place with a three-set advantage over Illini Bluffs, 26-24, 19-25, 15-11.

Chloe Fabry was offensive leader in the tournament for Brimfield, with 37 kills and eight aces.

“Chloe surpassed the 500-kill mark for her varsity career on Saturday,” Brimfield Coach McKenna Weaver said.

Kylie Frail picked up 41 assists for the day. Ava Heinz had six blocks. Anja Nelson recorded 37 digs.

It took the Lady Indians a 31-29 second-set advantage with a 25-20 first-set win to sweep Prairieland opponent Knoxville on Oct. 9 at home.

Fabry scored 15 kills. Nelson dug 17 to go with two aces. Frail recorded 15

assists. Jovi Chastain teamed with Frail for 15 assists. Heinz defended with three blocks.

Brimfield lost 14-25, 25-23, 14-25 to Chillicothe IVC on the road last Tuesday.

Fabry scored 15 kills and picked up 12 digs. Nelson also had 12 digs. Frail assisted on nine scores. Heinz blocked three and Chastain scored two aces.

Brimfield was voted the No. 1 seed for its subsectional in the Class 1A Williamsfield Sectional and opens regionals on Oct. 30 at Abingdon-Avon.

The Lady Indians are home today, Oct. 17, vs. Delavan.

• **Farmington** – Farmington (14-10) traveled to powerhouse Eureka on Oct. 10 and lost 25-12, 25-16. Izzy Lynn had three kills, Kayleigh Toombs had six blocks and Alayna Keefer added six assists.

Farmington is seeded No. 6 in its Class 2A subsectional and opens regionals Oct. 28 at home.

The Lady Farmers are next at Havana today.

• **Elmwood** – Elmwood (7-22) lost to Brimfield on Saturday at Illini Bluffs, 25-18, 15-25, 7-15. The Lady Trojans also lost to Peoria Christian, 25-21,



The Brimfield volleyball team won a tournament title Saturday at Illini Bluffs. Pictured with the trophy are (left to right): Dawsyn Stahl, Haley Harper, Chloe Fabry, Abby Van Farowe, Ava Heinz and Kylie Frail.

25-17, and to North Fulton, 25-21, 29-30, 6-15.

“Our girls played hard, but fatigue finally took over,” Elmwood Coach Chelsea Brown said.

EHS fell short 25-19, 25-14 to Mercer County on Oct. 9 at home.

Payge Ryan served one ace. Cece Conklin also tallied one ace. Cheyenne Burge scored seven kills. Gianna Ramirez recorded two kills.

The Lady Trojans earned a No. 10 seed in their Class 1A subsectional and open regional play on Oct. 28 at Illini Bluffs.

Elmwood is home today vs. Macomb in a Volley For the Cure fundraiser.

“There will be a silent auction, raffle, memory

board and more,” Brown said.

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• **Princeville** – Princeville (8-18) swept Lincoln Trail opponent Ridgewood 25-19, 31-29 on Monday at home. Bethany Sennett set six assists. Mazie Streitmatter served two aces. Carly Cox got two ace serves. Harper Francis blocked three. Claire Sutherland scored five kills.

PHS fell to Illini Bluffs 25-17, 25-18 on Oct. 10.

Jameson McGinn, Sutherland and Cox each scored three kills. Francis defended with three blocks. Cox had three aces. Francis added five digs.

The Lady Princes dropped a 25-20, 25-20

decision to Monmouth-Roseville at home on Oct. 9. Cox was the leading scorer, with seven kills.

Princeville is a No. 7 seed for the Class 1A post-season and opens regional play Oct. 28 at Kewanee Wethersfield.

Princeville’s next game is Monday at home against Stark County.

• **ROWVA-Williamsfield** – The Lady Cougars (14-11) earned a sweep at Bureau Valley on Monday, 25-17, 25-20.

Sawyer Secrist recorded 13 kills and three blocks. Ella Rigg dug 10. Hannah Gehring assisted on 15 scores. Haven Manning served two aces.

R-W was 2-1 at the ICAC tournament Saturday. Wins came over Peoria Christian (25-10, 25-17) and Delavan (25-20, 25-22). R-W lost to eventual tournament champion Brimfield.

Secrist scored 12 kills and defended with eight blocks on the day. Rigg dug 22 off of the floor. Gehring had 32 assists and two aces.

R-W fell short to Peoria Christian 25-22, 16-25, 23-25 at home on Oct. 10. Riley Smith collected seven kills. Tori Trotter dug five and had 15 assists. Olivia Cokel blocked two. Secrist also recorded two blocks.

The Lady Cougars lost 26-24, 25-20 to Knoxville on Oct. 9 at home. Smith scored on 10 kills. Rigg recorded 12 digs. Secrist had 12 digs and one block. Trotter collected 14 assists and two aces.

R-W was voted a No. 5 seed in its subsectional and opens Class 1A regional play Oct. 29 at Abingdon-Avon.

R-W travels for tournament play at Bushnell-Prairie City on Saturday.



Members of the Brimfield girls and boys junior high cross country teams won Class 1A sectional titles last Saturday at Donovan Park in Peoria. The IESA cross country state meets are Saturday, Oct. 19, at Maxwell Park in Normal, starting with the Class 1A girls race at 9:15 a.m.

Brimfield girls, boys XC win IESA sectional

By The Weekly Post

PEORIA – The Brimfield girls cross country team served notice it’s ready to contend for a fourth straight IESA state championship.

Led by sectional winner Berlyn Schmidgall and runner-up Hattie Butterfield, the Lady Indians scored 28 points last Saturday to easily outpace second-place Peoria St. Jude (71 points) in Class 1A sectional action at Donovan Park.

The real drama in the race was between Brimfield’s two frontrunners, as 7th-grader Schmidgall won in 13:08.3 – barely edging 6th-grader Butterfield, whose time was 13:08.4.

Other scoring runners for Brimfield were 6th-grader Jersey Hoerr (4th, 13:18), 7th-grader Maya Zeman (10th, 13:51) and 5th-grader Remi Cahill (13th, 13:54).

The Brimfield girls have won three straight IESA state titles, last year in Class 2A and in 2022 and 2021 in Class 1A.

The chance at a fourpeat comes Saturday, Oct. 19, at Maxwell Park in Normal. Class 1A girls run first, at 9:15 a.m., followed by the Class 1A boys at 10, Class 2A girls at 10:45 and Class 2A boys at 11:30.

The Brimfield boys also won a sectional title Saturday, with 43 points, well ahead of Peoria St. Jude (66 points).

Eighth-grader Cole Cahill led Brimfield, placing third in 11:58. Classmate Danny Ellen was not far back, in fifth at 12:08. Other scoring runners for the Indians were 6th-grader Dakota Wolcott (11th, 12:28), 7th-grader Brady Zinser (12th, 12:28) and 7th-grader Jensen Blundy (15th, 12:40).

Princeville sent three runners to state from the sectional at Donovan Park. Advancing from the girls race were 6th-grader Emily Sennett (7th, 13:39) and 6th-grader Ivory Hermann (20th, 14:41). The Princeville girls placed fourth overall, with 86 points.

Moving on to state from the boys race was 7th-grader Easton Lynch (17th, 12:49).

• **Class 2A** – The Elmwood girls team won the Class 2A sectional at Three Sisters Park in Chillicothe with 61 points. Mossville was second, with 73 points.

Eighth-grader Charlotte Walker (5th, 12:42) was the top Elmwood finisher. Other scoring runners were 6th-grader Sydney Schmiege (10th, 12:47), 8th-grader Madalyn Ori (11th, 12:54), 7th-grader Sophie Hulslander (16th, 13:27) and 6th-grader Quincy Maier (19th, 13:36).

Farmington 6th-grader Addison Martin placed sixth in 12:43 and also qualified for state.

In the boys race, Elmwood 8th-grader Colton Turner placed second in 11:12 and also earned a trip to the state meet. He was seven seconds behind winner Zane Kingham. The Trojans placed fifth overall. Germantown Hills won, with 54 points.

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Perfect Princes

Princeville tops Stark County, 33-22

By NICK VLAHOS

For The Weekly Post

PRINCEVILLE – For the Princeville football team, the script was familiar: Get off to a quick start against Stark County.

This time, however, there was a plot twist. The Princes preferred the updated ending.

Princeville is alone atop the LincolnLand Conference small division after beating Stark County 33-22 in a meeting of undefeated teams on Oct. 11. Princeville scored after Stark County fumbled on its first play from scrimmage, then again after the Rebels fumbled the ensuing kickoff return.

The victory kept Princeville (7-0) perfect in six

league games heading into yet another showdown, Friday (Oct. 18) at Rushville-Industry. R-I and Stark County, which was fourth in the Class 1A state rankings, have identical records (6-1, 5-1) and are tied for second place in the conference.

“Being 7-0, you can’t be unhappy with that,” said Princeville Coach Jon Caruthers, whose team was receiving state votes. “We just have to focus on our next task, and that’s Rushville, and then have a good week of practice.”

In front of a packed house of at least 2,000 last week at Tom Bruna Field, the Princes certainly had a good first 30 seconds or so against their northern



Noah Geiger prepares for a handoff from Jake Williams in Princeville's 33-22 win over Stark County last week. Geiger ran for 113 yards and Williams passed for four TDs. Photo by Collin Fairfield.

neighbors.

With 11:44 remaining in the first quarter, quarterback Jake Williams rolled right and passed to wide receiver Jett Benningfield for a 45-yard touchdown.

It was the second play from scrimmage, following the initial Stark County fumble.

“He just puts the ball right where it needs to go,”

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E-B runs to 31-28 win over Macomb

By JEFF LAMPE

For The Weekly Post

ELMWOOD – Elmwood-Brimfield ran 81 offensive plays last Friday in a 31-28 LincolnLand Conference large-division win over Macomb.

All 81 were runs.

Leave it to senior running back Bo Windish for perspective on that stat.

“It’s definitely Elmwood football,” said Windish, who ran for 255 yards and four scores on 31 carries. “Some people get mad about not throwing the ball. But if you’re running and it’s going good, why quit? Why switch?”

He’ll get no argument from his coach, Todd Hollis, who pointed to a plastic playsheet with a long list of

options – then said he called seven of those plays all evening.

“We chewed clock. We chewed up people,” Hollis said. “It’s probably as boring as you can get on film.”

But for E-B (6-1, 5-1), the victory over Macomb (5-2, 4-2) also sealed a playoff spot and sent the Homecoming crowd home happy.

Macomb used its aerial attack to keep things close, though, hitting on 19 of 34 passes for 286 yards and three touchdowns. Two TD passes came as Macomb rallied from a 19-7 halftime deficit to take a 22-19 lead.

But E-B responded with two long scoring drives in the final quarter, capped by *Continued on Page 18*

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