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Senator Sherrod Brown makes stops at 179th, NCO Industrial Museum

U.S. Sen. Sherrod Brown (D-OH) visited the 179th Mansfield Airlift Wing before heading to Mansfield's North Central Ohio Industrial Museum for a tour.

"The 179th Airlift Wing and the North Central Ohio Industrial Museum illustrate the way the base and local industry work together and how they can both drive innovation and job growth," said Brown.

Brown has continually worked to bring jobs to the Mansfield Base and advocated for its selection for the new Cyber Warfare Mission. The Cyber Warfare Wing will create 180 new jobs and put Mansfield in the middle of the military's cutting-edge cyber capability.

The industrial museum opened its doors in July and highlights Mansfield's historic past and its role in the next generation of industry in North Central Ohio.

"The selection by the Air Force for the 179th Airlift Wing to take on the Cyber Warfare Wing (CWW) is confirmation the Air Force has confidence in our wings ability to execute this new and very important capability for our Department of Defense. Since 1948, the 179th has demonstrated its ability to 'get the job done,' and there is no doubt that it will perform this new cyber mission with the same level of excellence. We also thank Senator Brown, our other legislators and our community for their long-standing support of the 179th," said Rich Green, Brig. Gen. (Ret.) and Chair of Mansfield Military Affairs Council.

"We are extremely proud of the 179th and their long and successful flight history. We are equally excited to see them take on this new mission as a Cyber Warfare Wing and to bring these future facing jobs to Mansfield. This exciting news is a result of a long collaborative effort from partners at the local, state and federal levels and the current base leadership. Thanks to all involved," said Barrett Thomas of the Richland Chamber of Commerce.

See photo on page 7 of this week's *Tribune-Courier*.



Seasons of Change and the Beauty of Kingwood

Photos and Article By Traci Little

There is something extraordinary about the closing of one season and ushering in the next. A shifting of gears happens within our own soul that mimics these changing seasons. As birds hover over golden fields, I find myself lost and dreaming as I gaze at the setting sun. All of my senses welcome the start of autumn, (it's my favorite of all the seasons) but a part of me wants to hold onto the freedom and beauty that summer means.

Are you experiencing a turnover of change? Many times, with change, comes growing pains that we did not welcome. They force us to bend and bow, threatening to break us under the weight of it all. As a mother winces beneath contracting pain, birth promises beauty after the pain.

A perfect way to hold onto both seasons is to visit Kingwood Center Gardens. It is a hidden masterpiece. Once you visit, you won't leave the same. Tucked quietly in the charming woods of Mansfield, it can easily be overlooked from North Trimble Rd.

I spent some time adventuring throughout its breathtaking yards last week. There are 47 acres of graceful gardens, peaceful trails, ponds, a greenhouse, and the historical mansion of former Charles Kelley King.

Prior to his passing in 1952, he made an agreement to open Kingwood as a garden estate for touring, education, and events. It's a memorable and timeless place for all generations.

If we don't make time to pause and inhale the intoxicating scent of a flower, we are moving too quickly through life. Stroll through her walkways and hidden paths. Pause and watch the butterfly flit and fly until it lands upon a colorful bloom. Be mesmerized by the elegant peacocks strutting about the gardens.

You'll want to take time to enjoy the Perennial Garden, which is in peak bloom right now! What a perfect meeting place between summer and fall!

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Ontario will celebrate homecoming with parade

The City of Ontario fire and police and the Ontario High School band and students will host the very first Ontario Homecoming Parade on Wednesday, Sept. 22 at 7:30 pm from Marshall Park, across Shelby-Ontario Rd., and along Grit St.

A bonfire celebration behind the high school will mark the end of the parade. The theme is "neon" and City of Ontario Mayor Randy Hutchinson will declare which class has the best parade presentation.

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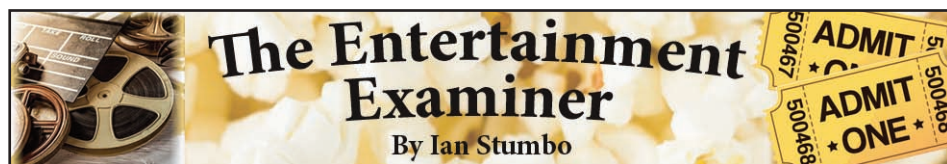
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The Entertainment Examiner

By Ian Stumbo

Marvel Studios *Shang-Chi and the Legend of the Ten Rings* is one of the best Marvel origin stories they have done and a thoroughly enjoyable movie. This movie gave a huge boost to a struggling box office that has not seen big numbers in a long time. Many studios have been moving their release dates around again but with *Shang-Chi* being released only in theaters and doing so well, these studios may be rethinking their strategies.

Simi Liu stars as Shang-Chi, a man trained in martial arts from his father Wenwu (Tony Leung). His father is the keeper of ten mysterious rings that have some amazing powers. Working as a valet, Shang-Chi and his friend Katy (Awkwafina) are stalked by members of the ten rings organization and this takes them to mysteries surrounding his father and the legend behind the rings.

There are so many elements that make this movie enjoyable. The martial arts feel like a throwback to old Bruce Lee-style movies that have not been seen in a long time. The fight scenes, including on a speeding city bus and another on some scaffolding on the side of a big high rise,

are very impressive.

The performances are great too and Awkwafina supplies many of the movie's laughs but there is also a depth to her character as she learns new skills. There is also a minor cast member from a previous Marvel movie that makes a welcome appearance.

As a big Marvel fan, it's easy to be critical after all these years but the filmmakers really stepped up their game with this entry. It will be great to see what they do next with these characters. The cast also includes Michelle Yeoh and Benedict Wong from the Doctor Strange movies.

Absolutely see *Shang-Chi and the Legend of the Ten Rings* on the big screen. Get your popcorn, drink and sit and have a great time. Great characters, action scenes and laughs make for a fun experience. Marvel definitely put out a great entry with this movie.

Look for The Entertainment Examiner's video posts on YouTube.



Gibbs blasts unconstitutional mandate

Congressman Bob Gibbs released the following statement in response to President Biden's unconstitutional vaccine mandate on private sector employers:

"Blatantly violating the Constitution is one hell of a way to force his failure in Afghanistan out of the headlines. President Biden must be on a mission to be slapped down by the Supreme Court more than any previous administration."

"His vaccine mandate on private sector employers through a dubious OSHA regu-

lation is nothing short of unconstitutional. It is outrageous how often President Biden willingly thumbs his nose at Congress and the Constitution."

"I expect this order to face legal challenges immediately and fully support the private sector's future efforts to stop this unconstitutional action. Congress must condemn the President's repeated violations of the limits of the executive branch's powers. This abuse of power must be stopped."

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

18 — Kim Knapp, Bellville

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READERS

REMEMBER 9/11

In September of 2001 I was living in Goshen, NY, a town just close enough to NYC that many of my friends' parents commuted and worked in the city.

I remember sitting in Mrs. Wilson's math class (2nd row, 3rd seat) and I remember another teacher coming in and saying she needed to talk to her immediately. I remember watching the footage.

I also remember days later watching my Little League coach interviewed as one of the last firefighters pulled from the rubble (if you remember the final group of firefighters and the one citizen trapped in a stairwell, he was one of them).

But more than the hate and anger and violence and fear, I remember the highways around our town in every direction filled with volunteers rushing from out of state to help. I remember citizens lining those highways handing out food and water, loading up trucks with supplies to be brought into the city. I remember people laying aside all the pettiness we usually allow to divide us, and recognizing there are more important things than politics. That's how I remember 9/11 every year.

In times of adversity, courage and love have the chance to stand out. The greater the adversity, the brighter our response shines.

Pastor Sam Belsterling



As we mark the 20 years since the 9/11 attacks, it seems like only yesterday. I can still remember exactly where I was that day. The world as we knew it was changing right before us. My eyes were glued to the tv thinking this can't be real.

I pray everyday nothing like this happens again to our country. Too many lives were lost that day. I want to say thank you to all the men and women that serve in the military that protect us. A special thanks to my grandson James Wagner, thank you for your service.

Lisa Hicks, Madison area



My brave aunt made a difference

A special "Thank You" to all the first responders and those who were affected by 9/11. Twenty years ago my aunt Dorothy Dixon was deployed to ground zero as a nurse with the American Red Cross.

This happened to be her last trip with the American Red Cross due to her finding out she had cancer soon after.

Dorothy, who lived in Lima, volunteered for years with the Red Cross and went to many national disasters for no pay. Let us never forget.

Kelly Otero



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THE FIRST ANNUAL DOG ADOPTION AND AUCTION event was held Tuesday, Sept. 7, at the Richland County Dog Warden's office, 810 Home Rd. N., Mansfield. During the event, which was hosted by dog warden volunteers, \$3,265 in 50/50 tickets were sold and Barb Webb was the winner. Seven applications were received for dog ownership and five people took home applications to get a dog. Over 62 items were received for the online auction. Funds raised will go to the shelter's expenses including medical care for the dogs. Helping at the event were (above) Samantha Russell, April Friend, Susan Kochheiser and Kimberly Diane.



News Briefs

The Clear Fork Valley Local Schools Board of Education has changed the date of the regularly scheduled September Board meeting that originally was to be held on Thursday, Sept. 16, to now be held on Monday, Sept. 20, at 6:30 pm in the Bellville Elementary Cafeteria, 195 School St., Bellville.

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A recycling trailer will be in the parking lot at Ontario United Methodist Church, 3540 Park Avenue West, Sept. 25 and 26. Acceptable items include steel and aluminum cans, crushed milk jugs, detergent bottles, plastic bottles with number 1 or 2 on the bottom, cardboard, all papers included with the newspaper but no other magazines or paper. Please remove caps from bottles and rinse all containers well.

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Veteran of Foreign Wars Post 9943, 806 Grace St., Madison area, is participating in essay scholarship competitions. Patriot's Pen is open to 6th–8th grade students. The theme is "How Can I Be A Good American."

Voice of Democracy is open to 9th–12th grade students and the theme is "America: Where Do We Go From Here?" Young American Creative Patriotic Art is open to 9th–12th grade.

Applications and rules are available at VFW Post 9943, 806 Grace St. Mansfield. Deadline to enter is Oct. 31.

Contact Beth Baldridge at 419-545-2297 for more information or visit youthscholarshipio@vfw.org.

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Work dates and times have been scheduled at Liberty Park Garden in Mansfield. They are Sept. 16, 25 and 30 from 6–8 pm. Under the direction of the Rev. Stanley Wertz, the garden helps meet the needs for fresh produce through the east side's own Catholic Charities Food Pantry. For information call 419-378-2503.

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A Holy Ghost Tent Revival will be held nightly Sept. 24, 25 and 26 at 6 pm at 468 Polk St., Marion. The event will be held rain or shine and there will be special singing, praise and worship and preaching.

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The 29th annual Truck Show to benefit TFC Global, a ministry to the trucking industry, will be held Friday, Oct. 1. This year's event will be one day instead of two days, as it has been in the past.

Drivers will gather in Kidron from 2:30–5 pm. Concessions will be available.

The Parade of Lights will begin at 6 pm and drivers will arrive about 8 pm at the Mt. Hope Event Center, 8076 Ohio 241, Millersburg, where there will be food and live musical entertainment.

There will be a chicken BBQ carry-out at 4 pm. The public is invited. The link to online donations and an online auction is <https://e.givesmart.com/events/n13/>

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The Crossroads Church Ontario campus, 636 S. Lexington-Springmill Rd., in Ontario, will hold a tag sale Sept. 23 (9–5), Sept. 24 (9–4) and Sept. 25 (9–noon) to raise funds for mission teams.

The sale will be held in the gym at the back of the church. Those attending are asked to enter through the gym doors in the back of the building. Items include clothing, furniture, household goods, toys, books, sports equipment, craft items, outdoor equipment, and a myriad of other things.

Saturday is \$1/bag day for clothing and books, and many other items will be 50% off marked prices. Hand sanitizer will be available throughout the gym and extra efforts will be made to clean surfaces throughout the sale to help mitigate any COVID contamination. Tables will be spaced to help with social distancing.

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The City of Ontario summer concert series is held at the Marshall Park Band Shell from 6–8 pm and concerts are free. Food vendors will be available. The next concert is Sept. 23, Just Jazz Live, jazz. Visitors are encouraged to bring lawn chairs and blankets and a picnic.

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Trinity United Methodist Church, 1592 Grace St., Madison area, will hold its annual rummage sale, coordinated by Mary Reynolds, for four days in September.

Hours and times are Wednesday, Sept. 22, 3–7 pm; Thursday, Sept. 23, 9 am to 6 pm; Friday, Sept. 24, 9 am to 5 pm; and Saturday, Sept. 25, 9 am to noon.

Food will be available for purchase. All proceeds will go to missions.

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The Richland Rural Life Center will host its annual chicken BBQ on Saturday, Oct. 2, from 4–6 pm. The meal features a half chicken cooked over an open pit and served with a choice of buttered parsley potatoes or au gratin potatoes, old fashioned cole slaw or applesauce, a roll, beverage and homemade vanilla ice cream.

Cost is \$11 for adults and \$6 for a quarter chicken for seniors and children 10 and under. Carry-out meals will be available. Quarts of ice cream will be available for \$3.50. The RRLC is a non-profit organization that supports 4-H and Boy/Cub Scout troops. Proceeds help

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ONTARIO RECREATION DEPARTMENT

By Heather Hendrix

Female Self Defense Class: Attention all high school female students! Do you want to learn how to feel safe at work or on a college campus?

The City of Ontario Recreation Department is offering a self defense class for females only Sunday, Sept. 19, from 1-4 pm in the City of Ontario Community Room, 555 Stumbo Rd., Ontario.

A qualified self defense instructor, Reneta Music and her husband Gary Music, will be conducting the class. Participants will learn basic self defense moves and ways to stay safe. Cost is \$30.

Spots are limited, so don't delay. Register at ontarioohio.org/recreation-department/. Click on link for self defense class.

For more information call the recreation department at 419-529-2588 ext. 3202 or email recreationdept@ontarioohio.org

The Honkin' Haulin' Hands-On Trucks event will be held Sunday, Oct. 3, from 1-3 pm in Marshall Park near the baseball fields/dog park.

There will be lots of different vehicles to check out including fire trucks, city

trucks, military vehicles and police cars. The event is free for everyone and kids will receive a hat, license and key chain. This event will be held rain or shine.

Those who would like to bring a company vehicle to participate in this event can email recreationdept@ontarioohio.org or call 419-529-2588 ext. 3202 by Sept. 20.

The first annual senior citizen prom will be held Thursday, Oct. 21, from 5-7:30 pm.

Area citizens ages 65 and up can get dressed up in suits and dresses and join together for an evening of live music, dancing and snacks.

Reservations are required. To reserve a spot call 419-529-2588 ext. 3202 or email recreationdept@ontarioohio.org by Oct. 9, with name, phone number and number of people attending.

The vent is sponsored by the Ontario Middle School, VFW 7651 and the Ontario Recreation Department.

The Ontario Recreation Department, along with school and community organizations, is planning to host its third annual Haunted Hollow trail this fall in Marshall Park on Oct. 30. From 5-6:30 pm the event will host a kid/family friendly trail and 7:30-9:30 pm will be a scarier trail for older kids and adults.

Non-profit organizations that would like to have a spot on the trail can email recreationdept@ontarioohio.org by Sept. 20. A portion of the proceeds will be given to non-profit organizations that participate.

Association begins in-person programs

The Alzheimer's Association Northwest Ohio Chapter will be presenting some in person educational programs in addition to virtual programs to help individuals and families who may be impacted by the disease. The programs are helpful for anyone experiencing signs of memory loss, their family members who may be concerned, and community members looking for more education.

All programs are free and open to the public. Registration is required by calling 800-272-3900. Masks are required for in

person programs.

Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia will be held Tuesday, Sept. 21, at 6:30 pm in Fredericktown.

Virtual programs scheduled are 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's Sept. 16, 6 pm, Sept. 22, at 11 am; and Sept. 23, at 6 pm; and Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia, Sept. 27, at 6:30 pm.

In Ohio, more than 600,000 caregivers provide care for more than 220,000 loved ones impacted by Alzheimer's. Visit alz.org or call 800-272-3900 for information.

Church Directory

Bunkerhill Baptist Church

3340 St. Rt. 97, Butler • 567-430-9002
Pastor Thomas Crank
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By Kim Sterry

SEMOLINA CRUSTED CORN ON THE COB

It is corn season and you are going to love this Semolina Crusted Corn. It will add a dimension to your plain old corn on the cob that will leave you wanting more!

Ingredients

12 ears corn on the cob, husked and cleaned
2 Tbsp. italian seasoning
2-3 cups semolina
Salt & pepper
Olive oil
2 jalapeno's
4 Tbsp. chardonnay wine
2 sticks butter
1/2 cup heavy cream
Fresh tarragon
1 clove minced garlic



Instructions

Take one of the jalapenos and slice in circles, soak in the 1/2 cup wine for at least 2 hours (overnight works really well). You will smell the pepper in the wine as it sits. In a pan or dish with sides, combine the semolina, italian seasoning and salt & pepper. In another pan or dish put a good amount of olive oil (you will be rolling the corn in this). Prepare a baking sheet with parchment paper. Roll the corn in the oil and then roll in the semolina mixture to get corn well coated, set on prepared baking pan.

For your butter sauce: In a large saucepan melt butter, add garlic and fresh tarragon (maybe 6-7 leaves), saute for a few minutes to get the fragrance. Add the other jalapeno (chopped and seeded). Add the wine that has been soaking with the jalapeno (don't add the jalapeno). Turn heat down and add cream, keep on low heat. Bake corn in 350 degree oven for 20 minutes. Serve it up and drizzle with the jalapeno butter.

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By Mátiece Thomas

Today, I want to challenge you to challenge yourself. It is important to create little goals and challenges on your fitness journey. This helps you to keep the excitement in the relationship between you and your body.

There are a lot of challenges to choose from. Some examples are a water challenge (drink 70 oz a day), a step challenge (get your goal steps in each day) and "cut the crap" challenge (eliminate all junk food).

To start, you can do these challenges for seven days. If you love how your body responds you can continue the challenge.

The NO sugar challenge is one I would highly suggest. You will be surprised how much you are addicted to sugar, and its understandable because it is in almost everything.

Did you know if a label says no fat or low fat that means the sugar content is usually higher. Did you know that there was a rise in cancer and mental diseases after the low fat diet craze hit the shelves?

It's true! When they remove fat they also remove flavor. To make products taste better manufacturers add sugars and sugar alcohols to make them taste better. I challenge you to cut the sugar for seven days, it's not fun but you body will love you for it! Check out some health risks connected to sugar and decide for yourself if you want to take this challenge.

- Weight gain
- May increase risk of heart disease
- Acne
- May increase risk if Type 2 diabetes
- May increase risk of cancer
- May increase depression
- May increase cellular aging
- Drains your energy (sugar crashing)
- Can lead to fatty liver
- High sugar diets increase risk of dementia

For seven days, I encourage you to keep it simple, lean meat, veggies and only your berries for fruit. You will feel amazing once the sugar detox is over and your body will love you for it!

Follow me at Instagram-5ptsfitness_trainergirl for nutrition and workout tips.



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Lifestyle Inspiration



Photo by Damon Callis

Day Trippin with Damon —Mack-A-Cheek Piatt Castle is located in West Liberty, OH. The houses were built by brothers Donn and Abram S. Piatt in the 1860s and 1870s, designed in a Gothic design. Visiting the grounds is free and, for a fee, self-guided tours allow visitors to explore the Mack-A-Cheek home and museum to look through historical artifacts, photographs, exhibits and read explanatory text. For more information visit <https://piattcastle.org/visit>.

Photo by Mark Shutt

Seul Choix Point Lighthouse is located along the northern shore of Lake Michigan and a bit off the beaten path. Established in 1892, the buildings now house a museum but the light itself is still used as a navigational aid. Events are planned throughout the year including the haunted lighthouse. For more visitor information see www.greatlakelighthouse.com



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Thursdays, Sept. 23 and 30

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 Sheep & Beef Judging, 5 pm, Livestock Tent
 Rabbit & Poultry Judging, 6 pm, Livestock Tent
 Fair Queen Contest, 6 pm, Main Stage
 Clear Fork High School Marching Band, 7 pm, Main Stage

Thursday, September 16

Art Show, 9 am – 8 pm, Bellville Public Library
 Street Exhibit Judging, 9 am, Fairgrounds
 Rides Special: Pay One Price Rides, 5–10 pm
 Goat, Dairy & Swine Judging, 5 pm, Livestock Tent
 Marching Princesses, 6 pm, Main Stage
 LIVE Music: Six Miles To Nellie, 7 pm, Main Stage
 LIVE Music: Sibling Rivalry, 9 pm, Bandstand

Friday, September 17

Art Show, 9 am–8 pm, Bellville Public Library
 Rides: Special Kid's Price
 Pay One Price for ALL KID'S Rides, 1–5 pm
 Pay One Price for Rides, 6–11 pm
 LIVE Music: Caney Creek, 7 pm, Bandstand
 LIVE Music: The British Invasion, 9 pm, Main Stage

Saturday, September 18

Junior Livestock Sale, 10 am, Livestock Tent
 Art Show, 9 am – 8 pm, Bellville Public Library
 Pet Show, 11 am, Main Stage
 Rides: Special Kid's Price
 Pay One Price for ALL KID'S Rides, 1–5 pm
 Kiddie Pedal Pull, 1 pm, Main Stage
 Sponsored by: Jamison Well Drilling & Pump
 Clear Fork Band Boosters Cake Auction, 4 pm
 Bandstand
 Rides Special: Pay One Price Rides, 6–11 pm
 LIVE Music: Out Of Eden A Tribute To The Eagles, 7 pm
 Main Stage

Sunday, September 19

Horse Show, 1 pm
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•Seasons of Change and the Beauty of Kingwood

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Walking throughout the gardens feels as if the two seasons kiss one another with a cheerful greeting!

Explore the former home of Charles Kelley King, a once influential visionary with the Ohio Brass Company. Rich with mystery and adventure, you'll find yourself investigating each and every room. As I walked around the French-Provincial-style home, I could envision the movement of its former tenants — where they sat to have tea and read the morning paper, the places they entertained their guests, and a large dining room table where they enjoyed their evening meal. It's truly magical and enchanting!

Shop for special gifts, home décor, souvenirs, and garden goodies in the Garden Gateway. Right now, it is full of beautiful autumn-styled decorations and delights. Perhaps you'll become inspired to create your very first garden at your home? There are plenty of seeds and plants for purchase to get you started and in the right direction. Friendly and knowledgeable staff will be more than happy to enlighten you!

After spending time in the sun, I ate a meal at the Gateway Café by Buehler's. Here you can find market fresh seasonal sandwiches, salads and nourishing soups. I opted for a hot-pressed Cuban sandwich on gluten free bread with a side salad. Flavorful pulled pork, sliced ham, pickles, tomato and onion, mustard, and melted Swiss cheese still dance on my tastebuds. What a treat after my adventure outdoors! For beverages you can find an assortment of sodas, water, holiday flavored coffee,

adult beverages, and more. Celebrate a refreshing treat with family and friends as you enjoy Whit's frozen custard served daily.

You'll want to check out all the upcoming events on Kingwood Center Garden's website. The Great Pumpkin Glow event on Oct. 16-17 and 23-24 from 5-10 pm is a yearly favorite! Advanced timed tickets and registration is required. Purchase tickets at kingwoodcenter.org.

Like the faithfulness of your favorite perennial is God's love in our life each day. Instead of taking His love for granted, thank Him today for His many blessings. Just as we know His love is always there, the beauty and splendor of His love never gets old and there's always something new to discover.

Psalm 104:19 says, He made the moon to mark the seasons; the sun knows its time for setting.

Leave a legacy that blooms for generations to come. Bloom where you're planted. Thrive despite the conditions this world faces. Nature reminds us that we too can come back year after year, always present, persistent, enduring and constant.

The Tribune-Courier welcomes Traci Little as the new writer/photographer and advertising representative. Her family moved here recently from Rochester, NY. She is a writer and graphic designer at www.tracimichele.com and you can view her photography page on Instagram at www.instagram.com/traci_michele_photography. She is also available for senior pictures, portraits, sports and family photos.



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SENATOR SHERROD BROWN visited the North Central Ohio Industrial Museum at the Ohio State Reformatory last week. With Brown are Jodi Perry, Chamber CEO, John Siegenthaler and Rich and Gayle Green. Brown visited the museum after touring the 179 AirLift Wing at Lahn Airport. See article on front page.

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maintain the center's land and facilities. For more information call 567-307-4220.

★
Mansfield Open Bible, 1150 Rafield Dr., Madison area, will host the Bobby Bowen Family for a live concert on Sunday, Sept. 19, at 10 am. The free concert is free and a love offering will be taken.

★
The Community Drive-Thru Baby Shower is returning this year for Ashland and Richland County Expectant Mothers. Help Me Grow Regional Outreach Specialist Marissa Runo is working with a number of agencies who traditionally work with pregnant women and young children to present this wonderful event.

The drive-thru baby shower will be held at Crossroads Church, 1188 Park Avenue West, on Thursday, Sept. 23, from 9:30-12:30 pm.

Expectant mothers are encouraged to register for the baby shower and a chance to win door prizes. Last year's door prizes included cribs and mattress, pack and play, baby monitoring system, highchair, strollers, car seats and baby swings.

Participants must be pre-registered in order to be eligible for a door prize.

Sign up for the shower by emailing Marissa Runo at m.runo@mvrco.org or visit <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/904094DA8AA22A0F85-community1>

★
A support program for grandparents raising grandchildren and foster families raising children will be hosted by Ontario Local Schools and Ontario United Methodist Church on Thursday, Oct. 14, from 6-7:30 pm, at Ontario UMC, 3540 Park Avenue West, Ontario.

A light dinner will be served and kids will be offered their own breakout session.

The event is hosted by Cathleen Johnson, Substance Abuse Coordinator/Counselor, Ontario Local Schools and Jim Shaum and Pastor Chris Bell of Ontario UMC.

RSVP the number of family members attending to Ontariomethodist@gmail.com or call the church at 419-529-4345.

★
All Souls Unitarian Universalist Church of Bellville, 25 Church St., Bellville, will host speaker Mark Jordan on Sunday, Sept. 19, at 10:30 am. He will speak on "From Nobility to Nightmare: The Redemption of the Ohio State Reformatory."

For more information visit www.allsoulsuuohio.org.

★
Crestview Local Schools Athletic Boosters will host a golf outing on Sunday, Oct. 3, at 9 am at Brookside Golf Course, 1399 Sandusky St., Ashland.

Cost is \$260 for a 4-person team and includes greens fee, cart, snacks, prizes and drawings.

The event is limited to 36 teams. Register by Sept. 27 by calling 419-512-9338.

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Moments outdoors, a great way to de-stress and enjoy nature

Photos and Article By Traci Little

Some of my very favorite memories as a child happened while playing outdoors. I would spend hours in the woods making forts, sweeping dirty paths and lining them with brushed off rocks. Skipping rocks in creek beds and catching slimy toads, turtles and fish never grew old.

Riding my bike to the local gas station for candy for 10 cents was a family favorite. Once the street lights came on, all the neighborhood kids would gather in the cul-de-sac for a competitive game of Spud.

We have come so far in the world of technology, yet it has caused us to regress from enjoying the gift of fresh air. Children are now learning how to navigate iPads and computers from a very young age. The more we have at our fingertips,

the less we venture out and enjoy nature.

Family time is being replaced by phones, you tube, video games and television. The more we zone out in front of our screens, the less we live creative and inspired lives. We are no longer wowed by nature, fresh air and stillness.

Take a moment this week to evaluate where you and your family are spending your time. Lest we push all the blame on our children, may you and I take a hard, honest look at how we spend our time as adults.

Challenge yourself this week to get out and enjoy a good walk, a stroll through a local park to admire nature, or simply playing a sport together as a family outdoors.

Learn, or relearn, the art of being still in a fast past world. It is a proven fact that by getting outside and viewing nature for

just a few minutes a day can decrease stress, anger and anxiety. Who doesn't need some of that these days?

Practical Ways To Get Outside This Week:

- Go for a walk on your lunch break
- Eat outside
- Go to a park with your family
- Discover a new sport
- Go fishing
- Lay in the grass and look at the sky
- Canoe or Kayak
- Take a bike ride
- Read a book on your front porch
- Sit on a bench and watch the squirrels and birds

•Go to a pond and feed the ducks

Getting outside helps connect us with people and places. When we shut ourselves inside in front of our screens, it tends to make most of us depressed and miserable!

The other day our family got out and visited Brookside Park in Ashland. We are new to the area and this park impressed me with its clean and inviting atmosphere. We played basketball, took a stroll along

the water and had some ice cream at Yoder's Red Barn Ice Cream. Maybe your family would enjoy visiting Brookside Park in the near future. Some other things that this park offers are:

- Picnic areas
- Free library book stands
- Playgrounds
- Dog park
- Mini golf
- Swimming
- Tennis courts
- Beautiful bridges
- Shuffle board
- Softball diamonds

The more you and I are intentional about getting outside, the easier it will be to exhale and smile. We live in stressful times, but we can make simple changes that include shutting off our screens and enjoying the gift of fresh air. What will you discover this week? What will inspire you? I dare you to find out!

Traci Little is new to the Tribune-Courier. Her family moved here recently from Rochester, NY.

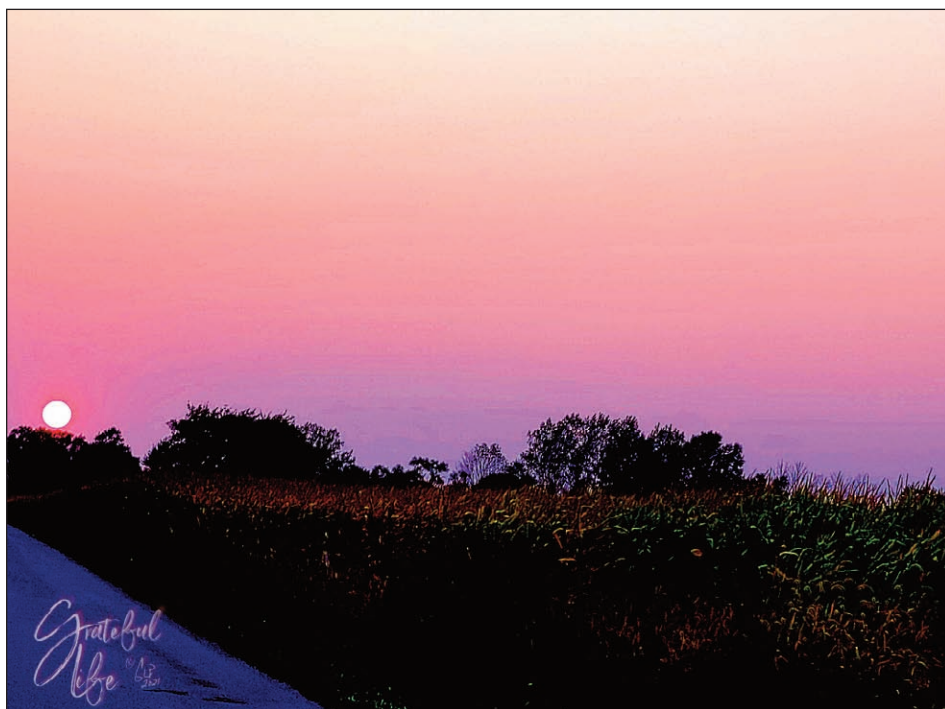
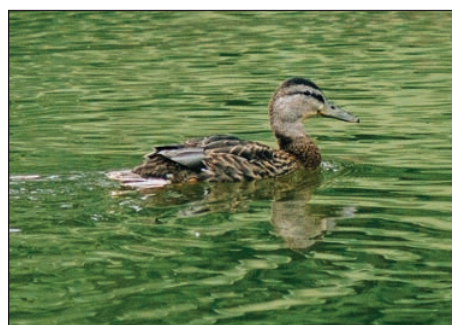


Photo by Brandon Chambers



This Week's Outdoor Space



Ed & Teresa Vore of Lexington





ONTARIO HIGH SCHOOL 2021 HOMECOMING ROYALTY members were chosen by those in their respective grade for their kindness, school spirit and community/school involvement. Five senior boys and five senior girls were chosen as was a boy and girl representative from the other grades to serve as court attendants. The senior court members and the court attendants are Alexis Barry, Lukas Hopton, Ellie Maurer, Joshua Young, Chloe Hollar, Nathan Slater, Ava Ruhe, Evan Trumpower, Brooklyn Blaising, Alejandro Carrizal Ramos, Adison Turnbaugh, Gage Weaver, Sarah Strickler, Canaan Wentz, Morgan Turnbaugh. Not pictured is Zachary McChristy.

Richland Academy welcomes Bailey Maxfield as new vocal instructor

Richland Academy of the Arts has announced its most recent new-hire, Bailey Maxfield, who will be teaching voice lessons at the academy.

Maxfield obtained her Master's degree in Vocal Performance from Bowling Green State University. Her previous experience includes both private teaching and serving as a K-12 substitute teacher. During her degree, she specialized in classical voice and opera and has experience with musical theatre and contemporary styles.



During her time at Bowling Green, she participated in the world premiere of student composed operas as part of the annual MicroOperas program. She also has considerable theatre experience, having worked as a stage director for the same program. Her goal as a teacher is to give her students a thorough understanding and mastery of vocal technique and incorporate acting, foreign language, and history into her lessons. Student will receive a holistic grounding in the vocal discipline.

"We love bringing in instructors who are passionate about their art and are inspired to help students grow in every way," says Marianne Cooper, Executive Director. "I believe that the instructors and offerings we have at the Academy are the best arts experiences that a student can receive, and we are proud of that."

For more information on registering for classes, call 419-522-8224 or visit www.richlandacademy.com. "Richland Academy is located at the corner of 4th and Walnut St., Mansfield. It was founded in 1991 and is supported by the Ohio Arts Council.



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THE NORTH CENTRAL OHIO INDUSTRIAL MUSEUM, housed inside the Ohio State Reformatory, has a collection of Rupp memorabilia and vehicles among its displays. The 3,680-square-foot museum opened earlier this year.

September celebrated as Library Card Sign-up Month

The Mansfield/Richland County Public Library is celebrating September as Library Card Sign-up Month.

The library encourages Richland County residents to obtain a card and see the many things it has to offer. In addition to books, items that can be checked out include board games, DVDs, tools, bicycles, cake pans, sewing machines, puzzles and more.

For a card visit a MRCPL branch library or visit <https://www.mrcpl.org/services/get-a-library-card/>

Bus trip will travel to Farm Science Review next week

The Farm Science Review located at The Molly Caren Agricultural Center (MCAC) near London and hosted by The Ohio State University College of Food, Agricultural and Environmental Sciences is Sept. 21-23.

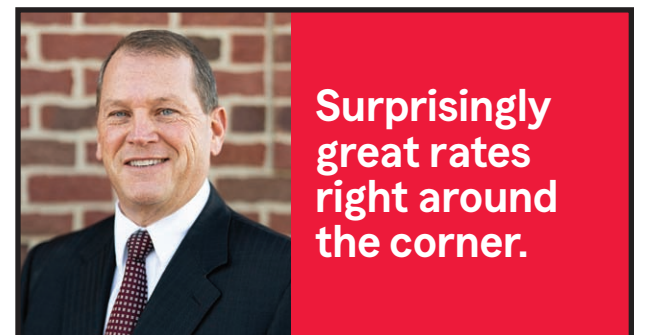
OSU states the Review will have more than 100 educational sessions, 600 exhibits; the most comprehensive field crop demonstration in the United States; a career exploration fair; and immersive virtual reality videos of agricultural activities. In addition to agriculture, visitors can learn about a variety of conservation topics at the Gwynne Conservation Area.

The Richland Soil and Water Conservation District, in

partnership with OSU Extension Richland County, will host a chartered bus to Farm Science Review on Wednesday, Sept. 22.

The bus will depart the Longview Center, 1495 W. Longview Ave., Mansfield, at 7 am and departs from the Farm Science Review for the Longview Center at 5 pm. Cost is \$20 per person and includes the bus ride and a ticket for Farm Science Review.

Reservations may be made by visiting <https://bit.ly/3kKV7dv> or calling 419-747-8686. Payment is requested at time of reservation. The trip is underwritten by an Ohio Farm Bureau grant.



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MRS. RHODES' CULINARY FUNDAMENTALS students at Ontario High School practice knife skills by making a fruit salsa with baked cinnamon tortilla chips. Pictured are Kendra Nelson, Mrs. Rhodes and Gage Rufo.

Voter registration deadline for general election is October 4

The deadline to register to vote or change an address and/or name in the voter registration database for the Nov. 2, 2021, General Election is Monday, Oct. 4. The Board of Elections office will be open that evening until 9 pm.

The office is located at 1495 W. Longview Ave. Suite 101 in the Longview Center. After 4 pm, visitors must use the entrance at the lower level back parking area at the southwest corner.

Qualifications for registering include:

- must be either a native U. S. citizen, or a naturalized citizen of the U.S.
- must be a resident of Richland County and Ohio 30 days prior to an election
- must be a minimum of 18 years of age on or before the date of the General Election on Nov. 2, 2021

Registered voters who have moved or changed their name must notify the board office in writing or in person. Voters who are currently registered in Ohio may change their address online at VoteOhio.gov but must do it by the Oct. 4 deadline. Online registration is also now available at

VoteOhio.gov

In addition to the Board of Elections office, citizens may register or complete a change of address/name at the following locations in Richland County:

- Any library branch
- All city and village hall offices
- The Bureau of Motor Vehicles Office
- The Department of Human Services
- The Richland County Courthouse (recorder or treasurer offices)
- All area high school offices

Registration forms may also be obtained at vote.richlandcountyoh.gov or can be requested by mail. Contact the board office at 419-774-5530 to have a form sent by mail. Completed voter registration forms must be postmarked 30 days prior to Election Day.

Ontario Local Schools, Madison Local Schools, Lexington Local Schools and Clear Fork Valley Local Schools will all have candidates running for school board.

Richland County will have candidates for Mid Ohio Educational Service Center for members of the Governing Board, Richland County District.

Washington Township will have an election for trustees as will Troy Township, Springfield Township, Jefferson Township and Madison Township. Candidates will also run for trustee in Perry Township and Mifflin Township. Madison Township will have a candidate for fiscal officer.

The Village of Lexington and the Village of Bellville will have candidates for member of council.

The City of Ontario will have candidates for mayor, president of council, auditor, treasurer, director of law and council at large.

Among the local issues on the ballot are a tax levy replacement for the Village of Bellville and a tax levy renewal for Village of Lexington.

Mansfield Chamber Music Players will present memorial concert October 3

The Mansfield Chamber Music Players will present the 25th Annual Donald Bernhardt Memorial Chamber Music Concert Sunday, Oct. 3 at 4 pm in Riedl Hall at The Ohio State University, Mansfield Campus. Various combinations of strings and woodwinds will be performing music by Johann Georg Lickl, Anatol Liadov, Joseph Eybler and William Grant Still.

Carol Bernhardt organized the first Memorial Chamber Music Concert in 1997 in memory of her husband, Donald Bernhardt, an avid chamber music player. Don, who died in October, 1996 from malignant melanoma, was Concertmaster of the Mansfield and Ashland Symphony Orchestras and taught strings in the Mansfield City Schools for many years. He would often organize marathon chamber music playing weekends at their house and loved going to Montana for a

week of chamber music playing each summer.

Included on this year's varied program is Trio in Eb for Clarinet, Horn, and Bassoon by Johann Georg Lickl, Eight Russian Folksongs, Op. 58 by Anatol Liadov, Quintet in D Major by Joseph Eybler, and Ballet Music by William Grant Still.

Performing this year will be: violin, Michael Sieberg and Steve Domka; viola, Jim Froelich; cello, Robert Rashid; bass, David Lenigan; flute, Carla Colon; oboe, Carol Bernhardt; clarinet, Pam Ellis; French horn, Keely Krumweide; bassoon, Jane Price; and piano, Gary Kennedy.

The concert is provided by the Donald Bernhardt Memorial Chamber Music Fund at Chase Bank in cooperation with The Ohio State University – Mansfield Campus. Masks are required.

St. Baldrick's event on September 25 will raise funds for cancer research

The St. Baldrick's Head Shaving event to help fund research for a cure for pediatric cancer will be held at The Phoenix Brewery in downtown Mansfield on Sept. 25, from 3–6 pm. The link to the event page is <https://www.stbaldricks.org/events/mypage/4228/2021>. This link can be used to volunteer and donate.

The head-shaving event at The Phoenix Brewing Company is replacing the local event held previously at Legends Sports Grille and Pub in Shelby. The change in venue and time of year allows us to plan an outdoor event.

Locally, the event has raised over \$275,000 over 13 years due to the generous support of local communities. Many volunteers have been willing to have their heads shaved to collect on pledges from sponsors.

St. Baldrick's shavers raise money for research by shaving in solidarity with children fighting cancer at St. Baldrick's

signature head-shaving events. But there are other ways to raise funds to support the cause such as casual days in the office, bake sales, fun runs and more.

There are over a dozen major types of childhood cancers, and countless subtypes. Most are different from adult cancers and require unique treatment. Before the age of 20, about 1 in 285 children in the U.S. will have cancer.

While 90 percent of children now survive one type of cancer, the outlook is far worse for those fighting most other types. For some childhood cancers, there is no cure at all. Research is a child's best hope for a cure.

St. Baldrick's nationwide has raised over \$306 million for childhood cancer research since 2005. The foundation is the largest private funder of childhood cancer research grants, second only to the U.S. government.

For more information call 419-563-5794 or email judywithstbaldricks@gmail.com.



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THE OOLONG GURUS entertained a large group of fans gathered at the band shell in Marshall Park, Ontario. Band members are Brad Williams, Alan Duffy, Douglas Baldwin and Mark Keck. The final Concert in the Parks series event will be held Thursday, Sept. 23, from 6–8 pm. Just Jazz Live will perform.

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R. HAWKS of the Silent Watch group poses with a picture of Seth David Haapanen, who took his own life on Oct. 28, 2008, after serving overseas. It is reported that there are 22 suicides a day across the country. The purpose of Silent Watch is to Bring Public Awareness to Veteran Suicides. The group also helps veterans with PTSD get the SGB injection (Stellate Ganglion Block) which is proven to help veterans and first responders deal with PTSD symptoms. Currently this procedure is not done in Ohio, so they send or transport the veterans to Annapolis, MD. Silent Watch is a 501 (c) non-profit organization.



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RICH HAAPANEN stands watch during the Veteran Suicide Awareness presentation at the Richland County Courthouse.

Duana Patton appointed to USAgging Board of Directors

At the most recent USAgging Annual Conference and Tradeshow, held virtually July 19–23, the membership association announced the appointment of Duana Patton, CEO of the Ohio District 5 Area Agency on Aging, Inc., to the USAgging Board of Directors. Patton will represent Region V and serve as a member of the Public Policy Committee of the Board.

Duana Patton has been employed with the Area Agency on Aging since 1994 and has served as CEO since 2006. Duana is an effective and passionate advocate for the aging population. She is active in educating our State Legislators on issues affecting our aging population and looks forward to continued service at the National Level. Duana holds an MBA in Health Care from the Western Governors University and is a certified executive coach and trainer.

USAgging represents and supports the national network of Area Agencies on Aging and advocates for the Title VI Native American Aging Programs that provide critical

services and supports that enable older adults and people with disabilities throughout the United States to live with optimal health, well-being, independence, and dignity in their homes and communities.

“USAgging is delighted to have its Board of Directors guided by these local leaders in aging well at home, said USAgging CEO, Sandy Markwood. “These leaders bring unique experience and perspectives to USAgging at a critical time for our nation’s older adults, people with disabilities and caregivers.

“They will also play an integral role in helping our association navigate the recent transition from being called the National Association of Area Agencies on Aging to now becoming USAgging.”

“I am honored and privileged to serve at the local, state and national level,” said Patton. “My passion is seeing others live their best life possible. Serving on the USAgging Board gives me the opportunity to do that with a national perspective.”

Mechanics Bank makes announcement of employee promotions

Mechanics Bank has announced the following promotions:

Johanna Beer has been promoted to Assistant Vice President. Johanna joined Mechanics in 2014 as a Customer Service Representative and has served as a Customer Service Specialist and Accounting Intern prior to her current position of Accountant III. Johanna holds a bachelor’s degree in Business Administration from The Ohio State University.

Taylor Bogner has been promoted to Assistant Vice President. Taylor joined Mechanics in 2019 and serves as a Commercial Lender. Taylor holds a bachelor’s degree from Ohio University.

Nichole Brindo has been promoted to Assistant Vice

President. Nichole joined Mechanics in 2014 as a Customer Service Representative (CSR) and has served as a Senior CSR, Customer Service Specialist (CSS), Senior CSS, and Management Trainee prior to her current position of Branch Manager of the Shelby Office.

Colleen Carter has been promoted to Assistant Vice President. Colleen joined Mechanics in 2014 as an Intern and later served as a Customer Service Representative, Customer Service Specialist, Answer Center Specialist, and Credit Analyst prior to her current role of Senior Credit Analyst. Colleen holds a bachelor’s degree in Business Administration from Kent State University.

Karin DeSanto has been promoted to Assistant Vice President. Karin joined Mechanics in 2010 as a Customer

Service Representative and has served as a Customer Service Specialist (CSS), Senior CSS, and Assistant Branch Manager prior to her current position of Branch Manager of the Clear Fork office. Karin completed a bank apprenticeship in Germany and holds an associate’s degree in Business from Baker College.

Andrew Dinger has been promoted to Assistant Vice President. Andrew joined Mechanics in 2017 and has served as a Customer Service Representative and Staff Accountant prior to his current position of Accountant III. Andrew holds a bachelor’s degree in Accounting from Heidelberg University.

Mechanics Bank is Richland County’s only independent, community bank with nine locations in Richland County.



Johanna Beer



Taylor Bogner



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Colleen Carter



Karin DeSanto



Andrew Dinger

Tribune-Courier Sports Highlights



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ONTARIO SOPHOMORE Chase Studer (24) picks up short yardage as teammate Landon Sowards (54) blocks a Shelby player. The Warriors lost the game Sept. 10, 35-7.



T-C Staff/Bud Motter



SHELBY SENIOR Marshall Shepherd (3) (above photo) avoids a tackle by Ontario's Grason Bias (55). Pictured for Shelby are Luke Shepherd (57) and Xander Wilkins (63). Shelby won the contest played in Ontario 35-7. (Left photo) Ontario sophomore Quinton Frankhouse (15) tosses a pass while being chased by Shelby's Xander Wilkins (63) and Amareon Russell (58). The Warriors will play a non-conference game at Lakewood this Friday night, Sept. 17. Ontario's season will continue with River Valley at home on Sept. 24, Clear Fork at Bellville on Oct. 1, Galion at home on Oct. 8, Pleasant at home on Oct. 15 and at Marion Harding on Oct. 22.

Lexington vs. Clear Fork Girls Soccer Sept. 9 • Colts Win 3-0 • Photos by Jeff Hoffer



Tribune-Courier Sports Highlights



SENIOR NIGHT was recently held for the Ontario High School golf team members. (Bottom photo) Ontario's Donovan Ditmars and Ryan Chapman concentrate on their game.



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THE MANSFIELD CHRISTIAN Lady Flames defeated St. Peters 9-1 on the Spartans' Turf. Kelem Klotzbach (12) takes control of the ball and was among those scoring for MCS. Also scoring were Aubrynn Maiyer, Noelle Beare, Isabel Golias, Erin Them and Abby Little. Those with assists were Elisa McFadden, Calah Rader, Noelle Beare and Isabel Golias.

ONTARIO HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PLAYERS TEACH FLAG FOOTBALL TO YOUTH



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FRESHMAN LAYNA CHASE (24) controls the ball for the Mansfield Christian Lady Flames.

Tribune-Courier Sports Highlights



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MADISON'S FAITH KUHN (8) makes a play against the Clear Fork Colts. The Lady Rams won all three matches.



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MADISON'S Kayla Putney (18) attempts to block a serve during the second game of the three game series as the Madison Lady Rams defeated the Clear Fork Colts in three games 25-22, 25-19 and 25-17. Defending for the Colts was Adrian Wuertz (9).



T-C Staff/Bud Motter
CLEAR FORK'S MYLAH FLYNN (10) returns a serve during the game against the Madison Lady Rams at Madison Middle School.



T-C Staff/Bud Motter
MANSFIELD CHRISTIAN freshman Everett Martin (15) heads a corner kick during the St. Peters Spartans vs. Mansfield Christian Flames boys varsity game played on St. Peters turf. Martin went on to score one of the Flames' two goals as they took down the Spartans 2-0. Others in photo are Cale Everroad (17) and Spartan Kellen Young (34).



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LEXINGTON'S CORBIN GREEN is tackled by Clear Fork Colt Chris Grove. Clear Fork won 35-28 on Sept. 3.

Clear Fork Marching Princesses Photos by Jeff Hoffer



Tribune-Courier Sports Highlights

Clear Fork vs. Bellevue • Sept. 10 • Bellevue Wins 48-7 • Photos by Jeff Hoffer



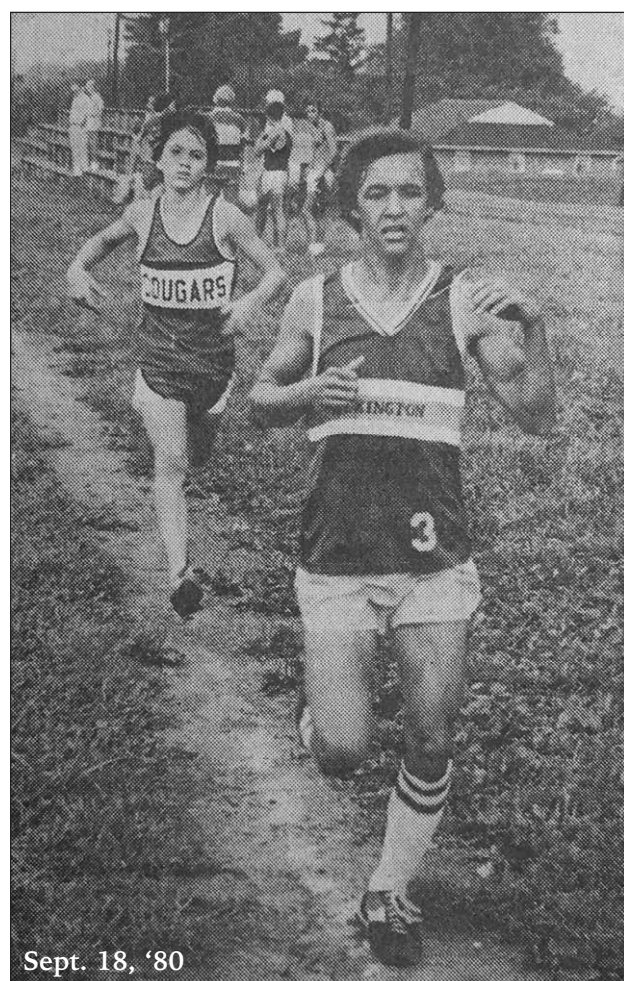
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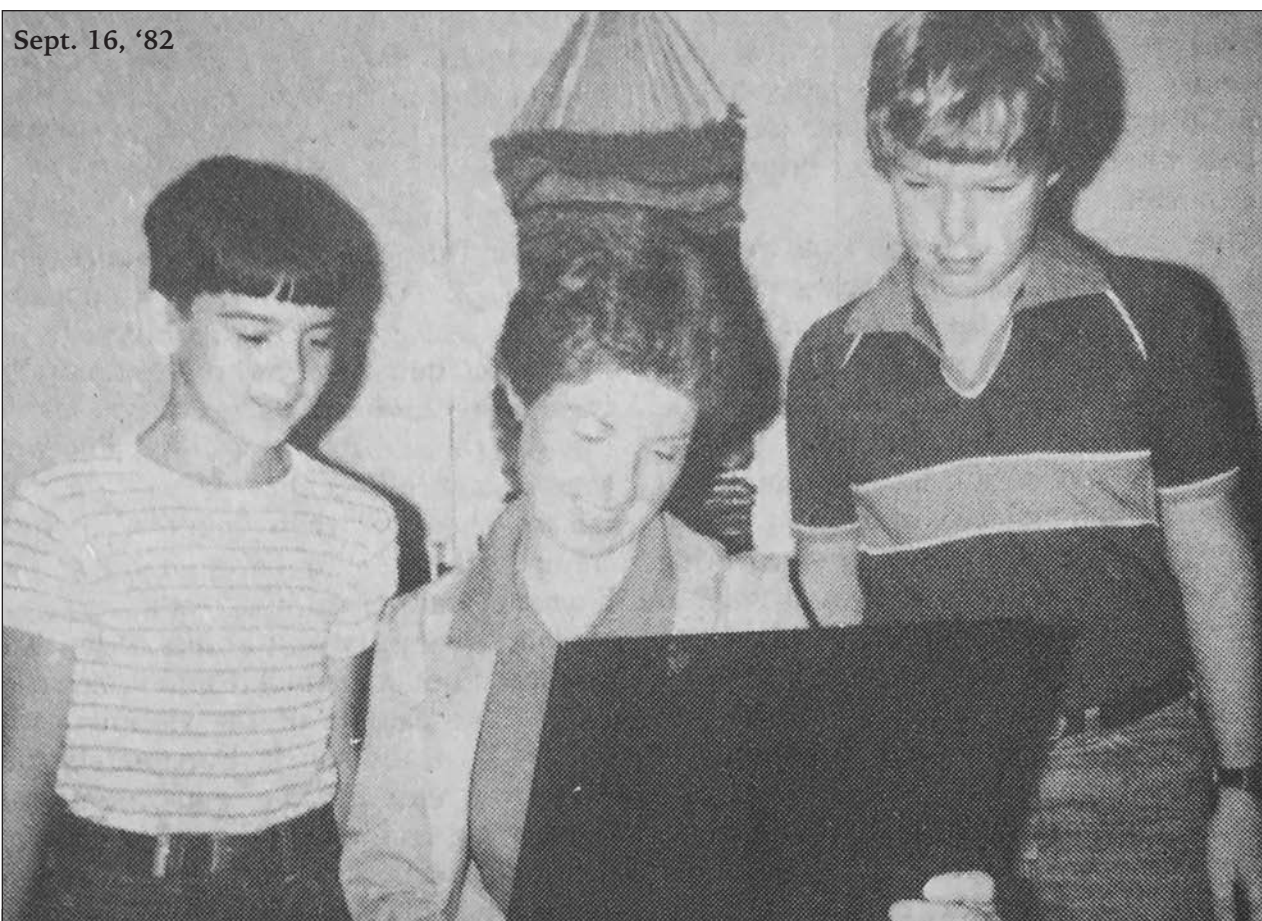
RIBBON CUTTING — The ribbon-cutting ceremony for "The Fort" play structure at Bicentennial Park in Lexington was held last Tuesday. Shown cutting the ribbon on the happy occasion are, from the left, Mayor Eugene Parkison, Miss Lexington Jessie Clark, Village Administrator Chuck Pscholka, Publicity Chair Dawn Gould and Lexington Councilman Charles Hansen.



NEW STUDENTS — Pictured above are new students who have moved into the Ontario School District and are attending Ontario Middle School for the 1989-90 school year. They are (front) Jay Miller, Wyatt Cross, Kyle Thomas, Robin Morse, Heidi Miller, Christi Wolff, Amanda Travis, Anthony MacAdam, (middle) Amanda Grogg, Helenea Thomas, Angela McCoy, Chad Braunschweiger, Josh Owens, Donald Corbett, Josh McKinney, Carla Rowland, Monica Shepherd, Nicole Krizan, Michaela Shepherd, Nicki Walker, Tim Potter, Doug Titus, Jennifer MacAdam, Kelly Haney, Thomas Thornton, Steve Hammer, Melissa Miceli, Jacob Lyons, Danny Haney and Michael Morse. Not pictured is Josh Harich.



LEXINGTON'S GIL PIERCE leads a Cougar harrier into the chute in a recent cross country meet. The local harriers have upped their season's record to 4-1 with only a loss to Fredericktown blemishing the slate. Other LHS harriers are Steve Galat, Greg Kowaleski, Dave Keller, Jeff Shaul, John Shadel, Dave Milli and Steve Roof.



RECEIVE AWARDS — Eddie Kurtich, left, and Tony Lewis, right, students at Eastern Elementary School, are shown with their art teacher Mrs. Dana Johnsen, after they received the Ohio Tornado Safety Poster Awards for 1982. Lewis, a sixth grader, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lewis, RD 9, Lexington. Kurtich, a fifth grader, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jearl Miller, Lakeview Estates, Lexington. The boys, who created their posters in Mrs. Johnsen's art class at Eastern, numbered among 51 Mansfield Weather Station regional winners and 30,000 entrants state wide. They received certificates and additional prizes at Sea World of Ohio and at the Ohio State Fair.

ONTARIO LOCAL SCHOOLS MENU

BREAKFAST

Monday: Apple cinnamon muffin, fruit juice
 Tuesday: Whole grain mini pancakes, fruit juice
 Wednesday: Cream cheese filled bagel, fruit juice
 Thursday: Whole grain cinni mini roll, fruit juice
 Friday: Two whole grain pop tarts, fruit juice

LUNCH WEEK OF SEPT. 20

Monday: Cheeseburger, potato wedges, pickles, peaches
 Tuesday: Chicken nuggets, broccoli, apple cinnamon loaf, mixed fruit
 Wednesday: Chicken patty sandwich, garbanzo beans, mandarin oranges, brownie
 Thursday: Slopy joe, sweet potato rounds, sidekick juice, granola bar
 Friday: Pepperoni pizza, celery sticks, pears, cookie

LUNCH WEEK OF SEPT. 27

Monday: Corn dog, baked beans, potato chips, peach/pear cup
 Tuesday: Ravioli, romaine salad, bread sticks, pineapple
 Wednesday: Chicken drumstick, mashed potatoes with gravy, roll with butter, fruit cup
 Thursday: Pepperoni pizza calzone, carrot sticks, orange sherbet, fruit snack
 Friday: Chili, PB&J pocket, green beans, fruit cocktail

LUNCH WEEK OF OCT. 4

Monday: Chicken/cheese quesadilla, cheese sauce cup, cauliflower, applesauce
 Tuesday: Shredded chicken, broccoli with cheese, apple crisp, ice cream cup
 Wednesday: French toast sticks, sausage links, hash brown, orange juice
 Thursday: Submarine sandwich, sweet potato fries, corn chips, fruit juice
 Friday: Taco salad, black beans, peaches, Jello cup

LUNCH WEEK OF OCT. 11

Monday: Beef and bean burrito, green beans, spiced apples, pudding cup
 Tuesday: Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, roll with butter, applesauce
 Wednesday: Ham sandwich, cooked carrots, scalloped potatoes, pineapple
 Thursday: Hot dog or coney, romaine salad, apple slices, caramel cup
 Friday: Chicken finger wrap, lettuce and cheese, black beans, applesauce cup

LUNCH WEEK OF OCT. 18

Monday: BBQ pork sandwich, potato wedges, string cheese, mixed fruit
 Tuesday: Fish sandwich, cole slaw, potato chips, pears
 Wednesday: Tomato soup, toasted cheese sandwich, pickle spear, peaches
 Thursday: Pepperoni pizza, broccoli, strawberries, Goldfish Grahams
 Friday: No School • Teacher In-Service
Breakfast & Lunch served with choice of milk.

Richland Gives registration open for nonprofits

Richland Gives registration for Richland County based nonprofit organizations is open through Oct. 31. It is free; however, nonprofit organizations must register each year.

This is the seventh year for Richland Gives which is hosted by the Richland County Foundation. Since its inception in 2015, Richland Gives has raised \$1,435,869. Thanks to the generosity of donors at the Foundation, \$100,000 in incentives will be awarded as grants to participating organizations, beyond what they raise from online donations.

Richland Gives is designed to encourage people to contribute to local nonprofits they care about through a single giving website. The Foundation hosts the day to build capacity, grow philanthropy and make the commu-

nity stronger.

Each organization will have an individualized web page to promote their cause. The success of the event will depend on our collective enthusiasm and implementation.

Leading up to the event the Foundation provides an online toolkit, webinars, mass media and social media coverage to make it easier for nonprofit organizations to participate. The donation period is from Nov. 15, at 7 am through Nov. 30, at 7 pm.

For more details or to donate go to richlandgives.org.

The Richland County Foundation, a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization, was established in 1945 as a way for individuals to pool and invest their gifts for the long-term good of Richland County and its residents.

“The Fifth Quarter” returns

After taking a year off due to Covid, McElroy Road Church of Christ, 297 N. McElroy Rd., Madison area, is bringing back the free event, The Fifth Quarter.

The Fifth Quarter is held after every Madison High School home football game and welcomes all middle school and high school students, regardless of school, to provide them with a safe and fun place to hang out after Friday night high school ballgames.

This year's first event was held on Aug. 20. The next event will be Friday, Sept. 17, with two more events this season on Friday, Oct. 1 and Friday, Oct. 15.

Students enjoy free food, video games on the big screen, indoor and outdoor games, fire pit, entertainment by local DJ, DJ REC, plus prizes are given out from local businesses who have donated to the event, including gift cards from local restaurants and more.

MRCC Minister, Dean Jackson shared, “At the McElroy Road Church of Christ, our purpose is to share the grace of God. We strive to encourage other Christians, but also to reach out in love to our neighbors. After high school football and basketball games, we open our building to teenagers for a few hours of music, games, food and fun. We want to offer a place where teens can be themselves, and a place where parents can trust that their children will be protected and welcomed.”



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THE MANSFIELD MEN'S GARDEN CLUB held its annual corn roast at Kingwood Center in the Carriage Room. Guest speaker was Jodie Perry, President and CEO of Richland Chamber of Commerce. Some of the topics Jodie spoke on were Mansfield Rising, Main Street, Diamond Street and Third Street projects, public art and the facade improvement.

5K run/walk aims to raise awareness of many challenges

The Warriors Leave Your Demons Behind 5K Run/Walk will be held Saturday, Oct. 2, at Marshall Park in Ontario.

This is a walk dedicated to raising awareness and support for the community and the many challenges community members face including bullying, addiction and recovery, domestic violence and animal abuse, suicide prevention and mental health. This event will also support our military.

Early registration through Sept. 30, is \$15 and race day is \$20. Children 12 and under are \$5 and 13-17 are \$10.

Those who sign-up early will receive t-shirts and payments can be made by cash, check, cash app or Venmo. Transportation can be provided if needed.

The race will be held at 9 am with registration beginning at 8 am. There will be snacks, refreshments and raffle and door prizes. Course may be a challenging to some due to hills and wooded trails.

The net proceeds will be donated to a charity selected by participant vote at the end of the race.

For more information, to register or volunteer, contact Sunnee Ball by email at sisco0034@gmail.com or call 567-307-2360.

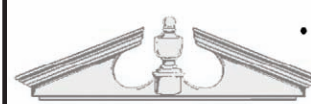
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