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Garden Manor Lunch Club “Camps” Across America

By Nancy Bowman

Children at the Garden Manor Apartments in Troy are camping across America as part of the summer Lunch Club activities.

The Garden Manor Lunch Club meets weekdays from June into August, this year serving 35-40 youth each day.



The Garden Manor apartments were built in the 1970s by seven Troy churches that formed Troy Housing Opportunity United Inc. (THOU) and tapped into federal HUD money to build suitable housing for low income families.

The complex has 16 buildings with 66 units, most which are federally subsidized. The complex also includes a community room, office, laundry room and maintenance buildings.

The Lunch Club for children includes a meal from the nonprofit Troy Lunch Club government subsidized summer nutrition program and the activities, this year with the camping theme. Children are taking a look at New England, Appalachia, the South, the West and Hawaii among other stops. The program will culminate with a picnic for all families with Rum River Blend band providing music.



Other activities for the Garden Manor youth are coordinated by the Clubhouse at Ginghamburg Methodist Church. This year's intern serving at Garden Manor is Liah Biller, a Troy Christian School student.

The Partners in Hope program is in its third year of providing activities and services for children and adults at Garden Manor.

Sonia Holycross of Partners in Hope said some of those activities would include a spring cleaning event, creation of a literacy room with a computer lab for children

and adults and one on one budgeting counseling.

Representatives of the churches help with the summer programs including volunteering to help organize meals, which are prepared at Troy High School, and assisting at the lunch site and summer activities.

The churches involved in buying the land and building Garden Manor were: Trinity Episcopal, First United Methodist, Church of the Brethren, First United Church of Christ, St. Patrick Catholic, First Lutheran and First Presbyterian. Representatives of Richards Chapel Methodist Church, located nearby, are included in monthly meetings of representatives of the churches.

“Our THOU board continues to improve the apartments and grounds of Garden Manor, so inspections, replacements and repairs are ongoing. We have a very qualified conscientious

management company, which provides financial oversight and staffing,” said board member Gerry Loar.

The complex has a full-time manager and maintenance staff.

Denson to Open New Concert Venue

By Brittany Arlene Jackson

Bradley Denson, the owner of a new concert venue in town is putting on the music event of the year this July 31st through August 1st. The recent opening of Square Roots at 105 S. Market Street is coinciding with the planning of the Miami Valley Music Festival at the Troy Eagles Campground. While Square Roots is still under renovation and continues to take shape, Denson is moving as he builds.



“I’ve been having concerts in my barn for years and figured it would be nice to finally give my wife, Jennifer, a break,” Denson said. According to Denson, his wife and daughter, Daisy, have been his biggest support cast. His band, Lost on Iddings, has been touring the tri-state area for 10 years even while he works in construction for Denlinger and Sons. Just this year, while he has been organizing the Miami Valley Music Festival (MVMF), he decided to open Square Roots. “I wanted to combine all aspects of what I feel is lacking in the music world around this area, including a big stage, a high end sound system, competent sound guys, and a room that’s basing its profit off the sales of the entertainment and not the alcohol,” Denson said.

Denson has been in the business of making music and hosting parties not just for the music, fun and friends but for a good cause. He has been the primary visionary behind the charity fundraiser, MVMF since 2007. The event has produced thousands of dollars for local charities every year. Last year, 3,000 concert-goers were in attendance, many camping out all weekend to enjoy the bands. Out of the profits, several thousand dollars were donated to area 501c3 organizations. The MVMF’s board of energetic organizers includes Denson, Nick Christian, Melonya Cook, and Melissa Bercot. They all have various jobs locally but serve enthusiastically in this capacity to see local charities receive much-needed funding. “I’ve gotten my reward

from doing this and it hasn’t been in the form of money,” Denson said. “Everyone is blessed when people start looking out for each other.”

Denson has booked 50 bands for the MVMF. Friday night, July 31st, will prominently feature funk music, like headliner D Funk, an 11-piece band and Dayton favorite. Throughout both days of the event, every genre of music is scheduled for play including but not limited to funk, bluegrass, reggae, country, folk, yoga-meditation,

punk, rock, etc. Shrub from Columbus will perform a reggae, rock-punk twist on Saturday, Essence of Pink Floyd will make an appearance, and Spike Drivers a local rockabilly band will showcase the talent lead singer of Jesse Henry.

“We make it a point to focus on local artists,” Denson said. “I usually stay within a 90 mile radius when I’m picking bands. The furthest booking this year was from Muncie, Indiana.” Two main stages and two smaller, secondary stages will be positioned around the lake at the Eagles Campground with music playing from morning until late evening. The event will also have 30 food vendors and an unregulated number of craft booths and charity booths. Around 500 volunteers are coordinated to help set up, 400 volunteers help with the take-down after the event, and 100 volunteers are involved throughout the weekend. Basils in Troy is catering all the food for the musicians and the Dayton Brewing Company has donated four kegs of beer for backstage.

Despite the fact that Denson claims to be organizing the MVMF and doing music “on the side,” the endless details are already in order for the event. Presale tickets are currently available online for \$45. The week of the event, the price is \$65 and VIP tickets are \$125 for total access, private restrooms, and all you can eat and drink while the main stages are open.

Lions Club Elects Officers

Joe Jackson, of Troy has been installed as President of the Troy Lions Club for 2015-16 at a ceremony held at the Troy Hayner Cultural Center. Jackson has been a member of the Lions for 29 years. He previously served as president, vice president, club secretary, director, and as the chairman of several committees, including most recently the scholarship committee and the peace poster committee. “I really enjoy the vision and youth programs that the Troy Lions do. I am excited to lead such a good group of community minded people,” said Jackson.

surer), Ryan Subler (Lion Tamer), Doug Beitzel (Director), Garry Brown (Director), Jeff Feierstein (Director), and Bob Medley (Director).

Gibbs stressed to the local club that the Lions Club motto is “We Serve.” “This usually refers to the club’s community service. However, these dedicated Lions are also serving through their leadership positions,” said the District Governor-Elect.

Jackson takes the leadership role of the Troy Lions Club, which is a nonprofit charitable organization dedicated to vision health. The club helps income-eligible individuals obtain



(L to R) Secretary Sheryl Schlater, President Joe Jackson and Treasurer Steve Kaplan

The Lions installation ceremony was held at the Troy Hayner Cultural Center to install all the officers for the 2015-16 year. District Governor-Elect Micheal Gibbs of Rushsylvania, Ohio performed the ceremony. Also installed were Bob Dever (Vice President), Sheryl Schlater (Secretary), Steve Kaplan (Trea-

eye exams and glasses. The club also performs pre-school vision screenings. In addition, the Troy Lions Club provides scholarships and supports many community programs. For more information visit their web site at www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/Troy_OH or call 335-7345.

Foundation Offers Grant Application Help

The Miami County Foundation will offer a brief instructional session to explain its grant application process. The session will be held on Wednesday, July 29 in room 511 at Edison Community College, 1973 Edison Drive, Piqua from 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Advance registration is required by phoning the Foundation office at 773-9012 or email mcf@woh.rr.com.

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considered for organizations that limit their services to members of any one religious group, political organizations or those whose primary purpose is to influence legislation or political view or general operating funds. Grant deadlines are the last day of February and August each year.

The purpose of the Miami County Foundation is to solicit, receive and administer assets exclusively for charitable purposes that would most effectively assist, encourage and promote the health, education and welfare of the citizens of Miami County. For more information visit www.miamicountyfoundation.org.

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Obituaries

Sue Ann Ipock

Sue Ann Ipock, age 81, formerly of Troy, passed away on Tuesday, July 7, 2015 at Hospice of Dayton. She was born in Dayton on November 15, 1933 to the late Ralph and Helena (Moore) Coffey. Her husband, Carl Franklin Ipock, Sr. preceded her in death on March 9, 1999.



sister-in-law: Marjorie Henry of Troy, OH; seven grandchildren: Monte Ipock-Calicoat, Jeremy Baker, Nathan Davis, Oralia DeVroede, Sonja Wishon, Travis Baker and Abbi Russo; ten great grandchildren; and her rescued dog: Sophie. In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by one grandson: Dustin Davis; one daughter-in-law: Roxanne Ipock; and one sister: Norma Coffey.

Sue was employed by New Carlisle Federal and Grandview Hospital in Dayton. She later became the owner/operator of Alcony General Store. Sue loved fishing and crocheting.

Funeral service will be held at 2:00 PM on Friday, July 10, 2015 at Baird Funeral Home, Troy, OH. Burial to follow in Casstown Cemetery, Casstown, OH. Friends may call one hour prior to the service on Friday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to Miami County Animal Shelter, 1110 N. County Road 25A Troy, OH 45373. Condolences may be expressed to the family at www.bairdfuneralhome.com.

THS Class of 1980 Plans Reunion

Members of the Troy High School Class of 1980 are planning to celebrate their 35th reunion on Saturday, 29 August 2015 beginning at 6:30 p.m. The gathering will take place at 3740 W. Monroe-Concord Road in Troy. The BYOB event will include a happy hour, buffet dinner and dancing until midnight. The cost is \$25 per person and registration is required by 20 August 2015. Please send your name, number of people attending and registration payment to: THS Class of 1980, P.O.

Box 771, Tipp City, OH 45371. An informal get together is planned for 7 p.m. on Friday, 28 August 2015 at The Underground Sports Bar & Grill, 2331 W. St. Rt. 55 in Troy. Family and friends are welcome to stop by and say "hello" to classmates throughout the evening. For more information on the weekend's activities, please visit the Troy (Ohio) Class of 1980 Facebook page or the Class of 1980 page on the Troy High School Web site at <http://www2.troy.k12.oh.us/info/Alumni/>.



Library Events

Teenage Mutant Ninja Pizza Party

Grab your mask and join us for pizza and crafts at the Troy library at 11:30 a.m. on Thursday, July 23, 2015. This event is for children of all ages.

"Tied" in Knots for Teens

Learn how to form some knots and make a survival, wish, or friendship bracelet at the Troy Library from 1-3 p.m. on Wednesday, July 22, 2015; you can also learn to knit. For students in Grades 6-12; registration is requested.

Escape Your Dinner:



Recipe Swap

Tired of the same old dinners week after week? Join us for a recipe swap and collect recipes others are making at 11 a.m. on Saturday, July 18, 2015; bring samples and a written copy of your recipe. This event is for ages 16 and up; registration is required. Please call 339-0502 ext. 117 to register for this event.

The Troy-Miami County Public Library is located at 419 West Main Street, Troy, Ohio.

For more information, call 937-339-0502 ext. 121, or visit our website at www.tmcpl.org.

Resident Artist To Open Photo Exhibit

The Mayflower Arts Center, located at 9 West Main Street in historic downtown Troy, Ohio is pleased to announce the opening of their latest exhibit, by Timothy Wells, the Mayflower Arts Center's current Artist-in-Residence. The exhibit of fine-art photography images titled, *Organic Abstractions: Series 2*, will be on display July 15 - August 15, 2015.

Wells' exhibit fills the Mayflower Arts Center's Lobby Gallery with seven large abstract prints of photographs inviting the viewer to step in front of the images and create their own interpretation of what they see—worlds, places, people, or anything else their imagination sparks.

Wells, a Michigan-based artist and educator, has been working on these images for the last year and half. Wells and Lisa Bauer, owner of the Mayflower Arts Center, selected the seven never-before-exhibited, large-scale images for exhibition at the Mayflower. Using multiple photographic technologies, Wells manipulates the image and colors to transform the everyday items into unrecognizable versions. When asked about why he makes abstract images, Wells replied, "Usually my art tells more of an obvious story or documents a place. The multiple abstract series have been a lot of fun to create because I let go of a specific story and let the viewer create their own. They may even want an image to be turned

around, thinking I have it upside down. And that's what I enjoy, letting the viewer become part of the creative process."

Wells will offer smaller prints of the exhibit images, as well as other images from his abstract series, for sale in the Artist's Den Studio, located upstairs. In addition to the exhibit, Wells is also teaching the Fun With Photography camp, July 28-31 from 1:00-4:00pm, as part of the Mayflower Arts Center's Summer Art Camp program. Students age 10 and older, who want to learn to do more with photography than just looking at their images on a phone screen, will learn how cameras work, make prints of their images including using the sun and water, and much more.

Wells will also offer Open Studio hours in the Artist's Den throughout the week. Feel free to stop by his studio and see what he is working on, check out the postcards he's received as part of his AIRMail Project, and talk to him about art.

And make sure to visit his *Organic Abstractions: Series 2* exhibit in the Mayflower Arts Center Lobby Gallery, July 15 - August 15, 2015. There will be a closing reception and artist talk on August 15, 2015 from 7-9PM.

For more information on the Mayflower Arts Center, visit www.MayflowerArtsCenter.com or LIKE "Mayflower Arts Center" on Facebook and @MayflowerArts on Twitter.

Generations of Life to Host Camp for Grieving Children

Generations of Life, a service of Hospice of Miami County, is currently accepting applications for Camp Courageous, a week-long day camp for children entering grades K-12 who are experiencing grief from the loss of a loved one. At Camp Courageous, children experience traditional camp activities such as arts & crafts, fun & games and recreation along with bereavement education and activities geared to help them process their grief.

In addition to trained bereavement counselors, children will be assigned a Camp Companion who will be at their side

throughout the week. Snacks and lunches provided each day, and there is always trained medical staff on duty.

Camp Courageous will be held August 3-7, 2015; 9am-4pm each day at Ludlow Falls Camp, 2535 S. St. Rt. 48, Ludlow Falls, OH.

Camp Courageous is offered as at no charge to families of participants due to grants, fundraising, private donations and United Way support.

Deadline for registration is July 20.

For more information or to register, call (937) 573-2100.

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Continuum of Care Acquires Non-profit Status

The Miami County Continuum of Care organization has recently been granted their 501(c)(3) non-profit tax-exempt, public charity status from the IRS. The declaration now allows donors a better tax advantage in supporting the organization's efforts.

Established in 1996, the MCCC has brought together many human services agencies to share resources to aid the county's homeless population. Board members include those involved in health services, housing, education, emergency assistance and government agencies.

Board President Justin Coby said, "Being approved as a charitable organization will allow us to seek donor help and expand our service to our most vulnerable citizens." Coby added, "This Continuum truly supports a collaborative care effort amongst the non-profit organizations within the county. We will all benefit from this step towards more organized collaboration."

Coby also serves as executive director of the Health Partners Free Clinic, located in Troy. Others serving on the MCCC Board of Directors are Dorothy Crusoe, Director of Community Housing of Darke, Miami and Shelby Counties; Jessica Echols, Executive Director of Partners in Hope; Thom Grim, Executive Director of Miami County Recovery Council; Barb Holman, Executive Director of the Family Abuse Shelter of Miami County; John Jung, Director of New Creation Counseling Center; Bill Lutz, Executive Director of The New Path; Claire Timmer, Executive Director of the Miami County Dental Clinic; and Piqua Police Chief Bruce Jamison.

In 1996, the Family Abuse Shelter (FAS) of Miami County, Inc., provided leadership in forming the MCCC to identify gaps in services to the homeless in Miami County. Their goal was to work towards eliminating these gaps through increased collaboration. In the beginning stages of the group, participation was relatively small and limited to individuals and agencies directly serving the homeless populations.

In 1998, officials began discussing the needs of at-risk, low-income populations to expand its focus, and begin addressing the issues faced by the homeless.

In 1999, through the Continuum, the FAS were able to obtain the first Housing Trust Fund grant received in the county. The funds were used to help homeless persons transition out of shelter care easier and to begin assisting at-risk, low-income individuals from losing their housing through rental and utility assistance.

First needs assessment and homeless count

In 2001, the MCCC conducted its first annual needs assessment and homeless count. They identified a need for transitional housing to assist homeless individuals and families with longer term housing and case management support. The FAS secured funding and began providing eight units of housing for homeless individuals in downtown Troy.

A second grant provided longer term case management and follow up services in the home for homeless families with minor children. The goal of this program, which continues to be offered today, is to help families transition out of shelter care and to promote their ongoing stability and self-sufficiency.

In 2003, the Continuum began looking at the needs of special populations when attempting to obtain employment, housing, and other supportive services. They expand its membership to agencies representing diverse needs such as mental illness, developmental disabilities, chemical dependency, physical disabilities, etc. Officials at Community Housing, Inc., obtained a grant to provide long-term, supportive housing assistance for individuals suffering from severe mental illnesses, which is still provided today.

In 2005, the MCCC appointed an executive committee, consisting of volunteer members representing diverse populations.

In 2009, grant funding was obtained through the Ohio Department of Development to provide rental and utility assistance for homeless and at-risk families, and individuals in Miami County. New Creations Counseling Center provided case management.

In 2012-13, the MCCC continued to receive and distribute funds, now on a regional level in Miami and Shelby Counties.

Leaders take action to meet other local needs

In 2013, the Continuum entered into a pact with the Miami County Recovery Council to care for chemically-dependent women through transitional housing. During this time, members also began addressing transportation gaps for indigent and low-income persons. These barriers, for those without reliable transportation in a rural area, were identified as a serious gap. The plan was to assist homeless and at-risk populations in accessing available supportive services.

In 2013, the MCCC received a \$40,000 donation by a local business man to begin addressing transportation concerns. At the time, the Continuum did not have a 501(c)(3) status as the Ginghamburg Church was named to serve as the recipient of the donation, and to administer the funds. The MCCC purchased two vehicles, and hired a part-time transportation coordinator. This eventually led to the development of the Rides to Work Program, which is still in use today.

For more information about the MCCC, the group may be contacted by e-mail at miamicountycoc@gmail.com.

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Noll Excited For Senior Season

By Jim Dabbelt

I met with Troy senior hockey standout AJ Noll at Hobart Arena last Friday evening during the middle of a figure skating competition, and you could see it in his eyes. The ice was down in the arena, and while the skaters performed their magic, and all he could do was think about creating a little magic of his own this winter, as he closes out a storied career with the Trojans.



Noll, who is currently in the top ten all-time for the Trojans in points, goals and assists, will suit up in November trying to complete his legacy at Troy, and will have a chance with a very good year, to break the 100 goal and assists mark.

But if you ask him, he could care less about that. All he wants to do is win. "Numbers don't mean a lot to me, I just want to win games and have fun with my teammates," he said. "It would be nice to be first on those lists, but I am happy where I am right now and if I don't make it there, it's no big deal. I just want to win some games."

"I have progressed pretty well, and as a senior I will be the team leader this year," he said.

While he has been successful, he knows it is his time to be that leader and take the Trojans to a successful season, and aim for a league championship.

"Things have gone pretty well for the first three years, but obviously we would like to do a bit better," Noll said. "We have had some good teammates and it has been a fun experience. I hope to just go out there my senior year and do well."

Noll is coached at Troy by his father Phill, who has seen him progress since he was a young player to who he is today.

"I have coached AJ since he was 5 years old and he has always been a very smart and aggressive player," the older Noll said. "He sees the ice very well and can make a smart play with a pass or taking a shot that will help his team."

"He is very compet-

itive, but still is a team player and will make a pass to the open teammate rather than taking a bad shot. It is always hard not to show favoritism toward your own child and many times I am harder on him than other players and expect more from him. He has grown into a great hockey player and a fine young man."

AJ Noll began his playing career when he was three years old learning to skate, and started play-

ing more competitively when he was five years old.

"They put me in IPs and I played there one year before they moved me up because I was scoring too many goals," he said. "From there I have always played a year above my level. I have been at Troy all my life."

"When I was a kid my brother actually played and I thought it was fun and wanted to try that sometime, and I have just stuck with it."

Hockey is a sport in high school that doesn't have many local teams. In fact, Beavercreek is the closest high school sporting a team, and that makes it tough for kids who want to play.

"Football and basketball are what people always talk about and they express a lot of emotions outside of their sport that is why you get their attention as much, hockey guys don't do that as much," he said. "High school wise, not many teams have arenas around here, so people don't hear much about it."

"Hockey is very high pace, you are on the ice going all-out for 50 seconds, and you get a break for 50 seconds," he added. "It is very quick paced and full speed the whole game."

Noll has received some offers, but he has his eye on the Air Force as an option, or going to school in Ohio and maybe play club.

"If I don't get to play after high school, it's no big deal."

Noll also plays baseball for Troy, and is a Senior Leader, coaches a youth hockey team, and is a member of the Key Club.

Troy Walks Off For Big Win

By Jim Dabbelt

It's one thing to enjoy a walkoff win in a baseball game, but the Troy Post 43 squad took that term literally.

A bases loaded walk to Jackson Ford brought in the winning run in the bottom of the ninth inning, as Troy defeated their rivals from Piqua 3-2 last week in WOL action.

With the game tied at two heading to their last at bat, Troy led off the ninth with a walk to Brandon Nesbitt, followed by a hit from Michael Hale. Cody Harsman walked to load the bases before Ford took ball four to bring in the game winner and give Troy their 25th win of the season.

"We battled rain, no batting practice, a game delay and very good pitcher to win this game," Troy coach Frosty Brown said. "I'm proud of these guys because they know they can find ways to win."

Zach Greenwalk started for Troy, striking out six over seven innings.

"He had a great curve ball and his fast ball got better as the game advanced," Brown said. "My original game plan was for Zach to go five or six innings and follow with Ford and Zach Kirby. I got caught up in Greenwald's effort."

Troy led 1-0 with a run in the fifth only to watch as Piqua came back and scored twice in the sev-

enth to take the lead.

With one out in the bottom of the eighth, Hale looped a double to center, and moved up to third on a wild pitch. Harsman then dropped a squeeze bunt to score Hale, tying the game at two.

Troy then strung together the bottom of the ninth to walk off with the win.

Also last week, Troy traveled to Lancaster for their 4th of July Tournament, and came away as the champions of the tourney.

In the opener, Troy fought back to tie the game in the bottom of the seventh with a pair of runs, only to see Prospect Legion score three runs in the top of the eighth, and take the victory from Troy 6-3. Trenton Wood and Harsman each doubled for Troy.

Troy then came back and defeated Pemberville Legion 6-2 behind Chris Heisey on the mound for Troy. A three run sixth inning broke open a close game for the win.

An 8-4 win for Troy in their next game against Coshocton was followed by a fourth round 6-1 win over Lancaster before heading into the crossover round, where they lost to Steubenville 15-6.

In the semifinals, Troy defeated Pickerington 5-1 before earning a 6-1 win over Steubenville in the finals.

New Art Studio

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when they leave."

The Centerville location currently has five instructors and a few hundred visitors per week. Andy and Laura are going to personally focus their attention on the Troy studio but will soon be looking for other instructors. The Carters anticipate slowly building momentum at

the new location but are already receiving calls to book appointments and parties in Troy. They have been hesitant to set a date to open until they have all their permits in-hand and inspections completed. The remodel on the 2,000 square foot space has been extensive. Early August is their tentative projection for opening.



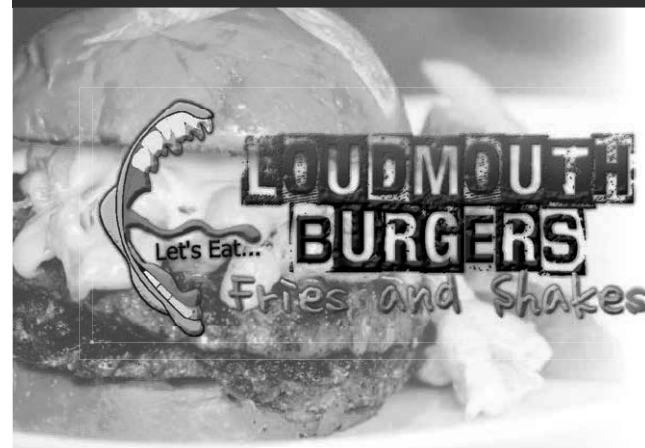
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Buckeye Chris Fong Speaks at Troy Rotary

Being a walk-on to a college football team in Ohio isn't the easiest path to take to becoming a national champion; however, that is exactly what Pre-Pharmacy major, Chris Fong (pictured), did to become a nose tackle for the 2014 National Champion football team at The Ohio State University. In fact, Fong has three rings to prove his collegiate success: Big Ten, Sugar Bowl and the National Championship (see picture). Fong regaled Troy Rotarians with his personal football history during the club's weekly meeting on Tuesday,

ball history, culminating with the team's big win on January 12, 2015 at AT&T stadium when the OSU Buckeyes rolled over the Oregon Ducks 42-20 in the inaugural College Football Playoff. During the Summer break, Fong is part of the 7:45 a.m. daily training camp group at school. His day begins with breakfast and goes on to include workouts, conditioning, stretching and a rewarding tub soak. All the hard work is paying off. When the 2015-16 training camp begins this Fall, Fong will be the third string nose tackle on the current



July 7, 2015.

While many college-level football players come from many years of practice throwing the pigskin, Fong's athletic journey actually began on the wrestling mats in his freshman and sophomore years at OSU. He played club football his junior year, and it was then that his club coach encouraged him to try out for the team in August 2014. The result is college foot-

depth chart.

The championship run was, in Fong's words, phenomenal. His presentation to Rotary was equally impressive, and the members wish him all the best for another successful season. Troy Rotary Club members are always looking for new topics to share at weekly meetings. If you are interested in presenting your business or organization, please visit the Troy Rotary Web site at www.troyohiorotary.org and submit your information in the "Contact Us" section. Troy Rotary is a member-involved, goal-oriented service club focused on socio/economic issues that have an impact both locally and internationally. You can follow their activities on Facebook at Troy Rotary Club.

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Columns & Opinion

Tip of the Week

By Sgt. JJ Mauro
Tipp City Police Retired

Riding/Driving Animals On Roadway

We have all seen and been behind one of those horse and buggies on the roadway, especially out in the country. Sometimes a long line of vehicles are following, waiting for the opportunity to pass. All laws pertaining to passing and going left of center still apply to cars the same as they would to passing another car. The main point is being observant and patient.

But what laws apply to the buggy and the driver? The Ohio Revised Code does address them and considers them to be a vehicle and as such are subject to pretty much all the same traffic laws that cars have to adhere to. Except those laws that naturally don't apply. There is probably no way to make the horses bumper/rear end be able to withstand a 5 mph collision.

When the sun goes down, the buggies must have lights on. When at an intersection the driver must stop and obey all stop signs, traffic signals, lane rules and so on.

Should you come upon a buggy too fast and hit it in the rear, you are charged with the speeding viola-

tion of failing to maintain an assured clear distance. The buggy has the right to be on the road the same as the car, truck, motorcycle and bicycle. In the same manner, the buggy has to obey the same laws.

Seems to me that if the price of gas keeps going up, oats may be a reasonable alternative fuel. I wonder if the gas stations could accommodate buggy drivers and display the price per bucket of oats. Probably wouldn't save a lot of money though, even when not driving the buggy you would have to still fuel the horse up.

Following is the Ohio Revised Code pertaining to animal driven/riding on the roadway:

4511.05 Persons riding or driving animals upon roadways.

Every person riding, driving, or leading an animal upon a roadway is subject to sections 4511.01 to 4511.78, inclusive, 4511.99, and 4513.01 to 4513.37, inclusive, of the Revised Code, applicable to the driver of a vehicle, except those provisions of such sections which by their nature are inapplicable. Effective Date: 10-01-1953.

Gardening Commentary

from MVG

Hanging Basket Condition

Before the June monsoons we were behind in our rainfall amounts in the Miami Valley and in a couple of short weeks we are above the average rainfall for the year and we are likely to get more moisture. In addition to the rains, we have experienced below normal temperatures. These conditions do not bode well for some of our garden plants and flowers in hanging baskets and containers. We are seeing plants like vinca periwinkle, begonias, zinnias, tomatoes and others that like warmer temps and drier conditions balk at growing normally or maybe even just giving up and are dying.

We can't do much about the rain that falls on our garden other than improve the drainage and porosity of the soil so it drains as fast as possible and the roots of our plants are happy and do not become water logged. But let's see if we can explain some of the basics about how to care for the plants we have in containers and hanging baskets.

If you are like a lot of people right about now, your container gardens and baskets are starting to look pretty sad. Some people, very close to me, are having this problem so I am sure some of you are experiencing this as well. The question we get asked the most is, "How often should I water my hanging basket or container garden?" My response always is



"when it dries out". This is like asking "what kind of coat should I wear today", response: "wear the one that will keep you warm" and that will depend on how cold it is outside. Stop and think about it, plant water needs are seldom the same every day because this depends on several things- temperature, breezy, stage and rate of growth. As plants mature in containers and their rate of growth slows down because they are flowering heavily instead of growing rapidly, they are also becoming "pot bound" (the container is full of roots) and they will likely require watering more frequently when it is warmer. If the temperatures become cooler they will not dry out as fast and over watering can occur causing serious damage to the roots and ultimately this will show up in the tops of the plants. Symptoms of root damage are yellowing and browning of the foliage, defoliation because the roots are drowning in too much water. Let the



soil dry out between waterings and if the plants wilt some that is ok as long as it isn't a severe wilt. Fertilizer will not help if the roots are damaged so keep the soil moist but not saturated and feed regularly (weekly). Imagine if you were drowning and someone offered you a good Philly steak sandwich, you don't need the sandwich right then, what you need is air, this is true of your plants as well. When you keep them growing then they can use the feed.

Next week we are going to talk about how to give your hanging baskets and container gardens a good summer prune so we can keep them green, full and bursting with flowers, not all stringy and leggy like the photo.

Send your comments and/or questions to www.meadowview.com. com and someone will get back to you.

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At Home

By Connie Moore

Ohio Low Country Boil

Sometimes the weather can get the best of us. So much rain during June made it seem impossible that any outdoor eating could take place as the last day of spring dawned. But, never fear, there are always options; and sometimes we just plain get a break.

On a Saturday that began with torrential downpours and continued with the floodgates open wide, we had already gathered the ingredients deemed necessary for a real low country boil. Traveling to South Carolina for the feast was not possible so the bravest of the three of us decided to bring the Frogmore Stew to Ohio.

Originally called by the town's name whence the inventor came, Low Country boil is a one pot meal credited to Richard Gay, a National Guardsman who had to cook for one hundred men. The town, Frogmore, is in the middle of St. Helena Island near Beaufort, South Carolina. When prepared for the ten-day Beaufort Water Festival, ingredients are amassed at the rate of 1200 pounds of shrimp, 2400 ears of corn, 600 pounds of sausage and 72 ounces of seafood seasoning. Side dishes include 350 pounds of coleslaw, 250 gallons of iced tea, 2400 rolls and 90 watermelons.

Our Ohio boil meant that a large-ring propane cooker with an even larger stock pot with basket became the latest outdoor kitchen equipment.



One usually has to reason one's self into these purchases. A lot more than a low country boil could go into this pot. Corn on the cob, whole chickens deep-fried to a crispy ambrosial feast, boiled turkey, slow-simmered pumpkins for winter pie filling. The possibilities were enough to justify the purchase.

But back to the rain. Our break came at exactly 2 p.m. when skies opened up to a breeze that sent rain clouds moving eastward. The propane burner was set up in the back yard with the 64 quart stock pot and enough water to do a load of laundry. As the water came to a boil, ingredients were lowered gently according to a schedule which

would ensure all would be cooked and ready at the same time.

First in were three heads of garlic, three lemons cut in half and a bag of Louisiana crawfish boil seasoning. A generous sprinkle of cayenne pepper followed along with salt and pepper. Next in went four pounds of baby potatoes, both red and yellow. Onions, a three pound bag of medium to small sweet Vidalias, peeled and left whole were lowered to the potato layer.

After bringing the pot back to boil and cooking for about ten minutes, the next layer of chorizo sausage, cut into two-inch pieces was added. Cooking again for another five minutes, nine mini-ears of corn

on the cob were put in along with a frozen raw lobster tail. Cooking again for another four or five minutes, the final layer of cooked snow crab legs and a large bag of raw in-the-shell jumbo shrimp was added. Cooking only took a few minutes more, just till the shrimp turned pink and the lobster tail turned red and curled.

It took a strong arm to pull the basket up and hold it while it drained. Finally the entire assembled dinner was poured onto a large rimmed pan. Eaten in true picnic style, with only paper towels to catch drips, it was wonderful. And, there was enough left to have lunch for two days.

As evening hours set in,

Comments? Contact Connie at mooredcr@juno.com

Low Country Boil

- 4 pounds new red potatoes (golf ball size)
- 5 quarts water
- Old Bay Seasoning to taste
- 2 pounds chorizo sausage cut in 1 1/2 inch pieces
- 6 ears corn halved for 12 pieces
- 4 pounds fresh large shrimp

A very large stock pot is needed, preferably one with a removable basket. Over high heat bring to a boil the water and seasoning. Add potatoes and cook for 5 minutes. Add sausage and corn, return to boil. Cook till potatoes are tender but not mushy. Add shrimp, cooking for another 3-4 minutes until the shrimp turn pink.

Carefully lifting basket from pot, drain well. Pour contents onto paper covered picnic table. Provide paper plates, forks and plenty of paper towels. Serve with melted butter, cocktail sauce and any sides dishes desired.

Hint: If your pot does not have a basket, place each ingredient in a triple thickness of cheese cloth and tie up the ends. Use tongs or long-handled fork to retrieve when done.

gray rain clouds were still moving across the skies. Then suddenly, some sunshine from the western sky broke through and produced a rainbow over the drive to the east. It was a perfect ending to the last day of spring and our first low country boil.

To get a general working recipe I visited Charleston Gateway website. Even without any side dishes this recipe will feed at least four people.

Financial Focus

Provided by Matt Buehrer, Thrivent Financial



Five questions to ask your financial professional

You know how to tell your doctor where it hurts. You can tell your dentist about your toothache. So why can it be so hard to talk finances with your financial professional?

A meeting with financial professionals can admittedly be a source of stress for some. Managing money can seem intimidating, is sometimes confusing and is always very personal. While they're easy to avoid, missing financial meetings can bring similar issues as skipping a dentist or doctor visit.

These meetings provide an important financial check-up for you to ensure your strategy is still on track and can help make sure your family and finances are protected. Like going to the doctor or dentist, it is important that you come prepared to ask the right questions. Thrivent Financial suggests you ask these questions when you're meeting with your financial professional.

Is my coverage adequate?

Ensuring proper protection against death, disability or injury is one of the most important things you can do for your family. Talk to your financial professional about cost concerns, protection options and how you can make sure that your family will be covered financially in the event of an untimely death, or disability. If you've had major life changes like the birth or adoption of a child, bought a house or got married- chances are your protection will need updating.

What are some creative ways we can refine my strategy to help maximize benefits?

This is the area that a financial professional can really help you. They can help you organize your financial strategy in a way that factors in things like taxes and market volatility, and they will know what changes are on the horizon that could affect you. They can also help you use staple products, like life insurance, in unique ways, like helping supplement a retirement income stream. These are applications many average folks don't know about but can offer different advantages to your financial strategy.

How are my financial strategies aligning with my values?

Having a financial strategy which allows you to align your finances with your values is another important topic to bring up. If you have charitable causes you want to support, or volunteer trips you want to take, make sure your financial professional knows about them and he/she can help you develop ways to bring your generosity to life.

Tell me about the strength and stability of your company or organization.

Insurance is only as strong as the ability of your financial institution to pay out claims when you need to claim a contract. Make sure to investigate the strength and stability of any company you're working with to ensure it is financially sound enough to make good on its obligations.

What should I do differently in the next year?

This seems like an easy question, but you'd be amazed how few people ask it. Your financial professional is often in a unique position to help you stay ahead of the curve when it comes to your future strategy needs. Taking advantage of market volatility and ensuring your future protection needs are just two of the many variables to consider. Yearly meetings with a financial professional can help you hone your financial strategies for the upcoming year and help keep them as healthy as possible.

Your time is valuable; and your financial future is even more valuable to you and your family. Make sure you're maximizing both and ensure you get the most out of meeting with your financial professional.

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Noon Optimist Club Awards Scholarships

The Troy Noon Optimist Club is pleased to announce that they have awarded five \$1,000 scholarships to five 2015 graduating seniors from Troy High School. David Beitzel, Project Chairman and Jules Connor, Troy Noon Optimist President announced the winners. Scholarships were awarded to Olivia Mullens, Lauren Anderson, Haley Robbins, Jules Conner, Grace Huffman and Josh Spayde.

This is the most scholarships the Club has ever awarded at one presentation. Fundraising has been very successful in the past year including a booth at the Strawberry Festival and the Avenue

of Flags Program.

Every patriotic holiday you will see American flags in front of more and more homes and businesses in Troy. If you are not participating in this program just email AvenueofFlags@troynoonoptimist.com and you can donate and show your patriotism on Memorial Day, Flag Day, 4th of July, Labor Day and Veterans Day.

Scholarship chairman Mr. David Beitzel added that In addition to scholarships, the Optimists fundraising allows the Club to continue its support of the Hometown Halloween Parade and Costume Contest, the Hometown Holiday Cel-

ebration, the Troy Noon Optimists Oratorical Contest for Jr. and Sr. High students, the Lincoln Center, Girl Scouts, Destination Imagination, Sheriff's Summer Youth Camp, Bruckner Nature Center and "Kids Read Now" which makes Troy one of America's Best Communities!

Nominations Sought For Distinguished Citizen Award

The Troy Area Chamber of Commerce is seeking nominations for its 2015 Distinguished Citizen Award. This award has been presented annually since 1968 to an individual who has contributed a significant amount of their time back to the Troy community and whose work has added to the strength and vitality of the community. The individual must be living and/or working in the Troy area. Generally a person whose business and personal lives both benefit the community.

The Distinguished Citizen Award will be awarded at the Troy Area Chamber's annual Recognition Banquet on November 19th, 2015.

A list of past recipients can be viewed on the Chamber's website: TroyOhioChamber.com/committeesandcouncils/Awards_committee.aspx

Nomination forms are available at the Chamber office or on the Chamber's website: TroyOhioChamber.com. To place

a name in nomination, please include a brief synopsis of the nominee's qualifications and mail, fax, or deliver it to the Troy Area Chamber of Commerce by August 31, 2015. Address: 405 SW Public Square, Suite 330, Troy. - FAX 339-4944.

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1968 Frank Prouty
1969 Clayton Brukner
1970 E. A. Hobart
1971 David A. Meeker
1972 Katherine Hennessey
1973 Perlema Sewell
1974 Thomas Wheeler
1975 Ivan Terrell
1976 J. Cameron Dungan
1977 Robert E. Hall
1978 Robert C. Russell
1979 John H. Lafferty
1980 Max A. Myers
1981 A. Robert Davies
1982 David B. Meeker
1983 Mark Knoop
1984 Robert & Lucia Bravo
1985 Frank E. Bazler
1986 William H. Hobart
1987 Richard C. Fesker
1988 Forrest A. Archer
1989 William J. McGraw

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1990 G. Joseph Reardon
1991 William M. Dixon
1992 Douglas A. Campbell
1993 Al Mayer
1994 Parker A. Behm
1995 Thom & Pat Robinson
1996 William E. Lukens
1997 Doris Ann Blackmore
1998 Joan C. Heidelberg
1999 Arthur D. Haddad
2000 Richard W. Klockner
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2002 Dr. Richard Adams
2003 Evelyn Sheaffer
2004 Ruth and Peter E. Jenkins
2005 Robert and Ann Baird
2006 Richard J. Fraas
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- Aren't
- Army
- Asia
- Awake
- Axis
- Base
- Beat
- Beds
- Betray
- Bloody
- Boat
- Cage
- Calendars
- Cleaned
- Date
- Death
- Dies
- Dirt
- Dogs
- Down
- Earth
- Eraser
- Exit
- Fear
- Feel
- Fishes
- Frost
- Gift
- Growl
- Hops
- Ideas
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- Item
- Kind
- Kite
- Legs
- Loaded
- Look
- Lump
- Makers

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| Papered | Seal | Toes | Yawns |
| Pence | Seed | Town | Year |

Cooper

By Larry Warren



Crossword Puzzle

#188

Across

- Jab
- Droop
- Lentil sauce
- Weapon storer
- Adult female bird
- Electric and conger
- Cape Breton is one
- "She loves ___" Beatles
- Wagered
- Syndicate
- Pleated garment
- UCLA supporter
- Old time addition machines
- Sports shoe
- Male escort
- Catmint
- Fundamental compound of DNA
- Fuzzy food
- Dark brown
- Wise three
- Scads
- "The ___ of the Ancient Mariner"
- Small insect
- Midmonth time
- Confused
- Knotted weave
- Galway country
- Pennsylvania founder Sir William ___
- Printers' widths
- Slow-cook

Down

- Pressure meas.
- Microprocessor type
- Stewpot

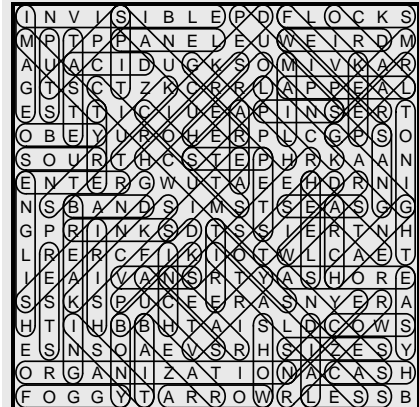
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- Person of action
- More modest
- Ancient God of the winds
- Antelope
- Hero home
- Make well
- Dismounted
- Chicago street, for short
- Georgia capital
- Leg protector
- Holiday, as one
- Turkish title of rank
- Proposal to buy
- Time period
- Bamboozle
- Curious George, e.g.
- New Zealand parrot
- Lister's abbr.
- Stadium cheer
- Metallica's first hit
- Name source
- Small quantities

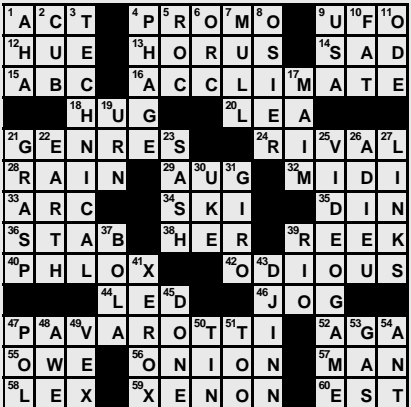
- Agreement in law
- "I'll second that"
- Sweet cherry
- White things, sometimes
- Correct a text
- Dried up
- Billboard category
- "What ___ the odds?"
- Tailor

Last Week's Solutions

Wordsearch



Crossword



Sudoku

2	8	5	6	1	4	7	3	9
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Sudoku

#185

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By Liz Ball



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Trivia Challenge

June Current Events

- Historic Battles - Which of these battles occurred first?**
 - Battle of Waterloo
 - Battle of Champion Hill
 - Battle of Solferino
 - Battle of Cross Keys
- British Prime Ministers - Which of the following Prime Ministers reigned the earliest?**
 - Gordon Brown
 - John Major
 - David Cameron
 - Tony Blair
- Communication History - Which communication invention made its appearance first?**
 - Telstar
 - TV
 - Telex Machines
 - Video Recorder
- Historical Events - Which historical event came first?**
 - USA Buys Alaska
 - Zulu War
 - Suez Canal Completed
 - Battle of the Little Big Horn
- Historical Leaders - Which of the following leaders was born before the others?**
 - Lawrence of Arabia
 - Vo Nguyen Giap
 - Heinz Guderian
 - Georgi Zhukov
- Historical Trials - Which of these historical trials happened first?**
 - Nuremburg
 - Nicola Sacco
 - OJ Simpson
 - Alfred Dreyfus
- History and Science - What appeared first?**
 - Euclid's Elements
 - Pythagoras Theorem
 - Napier's Logarithms
 - Kepler's Laws of Motion
- History of xploration - What historic exploration event occurred first?**
 - Da Gama reaches India
 - Magellan straits discovered
 - Leon conquers Puerto Rico
 - Cabral arrives in Brazil
- History of Medicine - Which historical medical event happened first?**
 - Salk's Polio Vaccination
 - First IVF Baby Born
 - Laser Eye Surgery First Used
 - CAT Scanner Invented
- History of Religion - Which religious event occurred the earliest?**
 - Muhammad Born
 - Luther's 95 Theses
 - Sunni and Shia Split
 - Guru Nanak Born

Trivia

- Turkey - Suleyman died on June 17th at the age of 90.
- Sugar can be found on Maroon 5's fifth studio album, V.
- Paris - The International Paris Air Show is celebrating its 51st anniversary this year.
- Jupiter is the largest planet in our Solar System.
- Foo Fighters - However, some future gigs had to be canceled.
- Indonesia - The Sinabung Volcano is a stratovolcano located next to the town of Berastagi.
- Gambia is a small West African country
- Bangladesh - India and Bangladesh exchanged more than 150 enclaves of land.
- 93 - Christopher Lee played the role of Saruman in the film The Lord of the Rings - The Fellowship of the Ring.
- North Korea - Some areas are experiencing the lowest rainfall levels since 1961.

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Sunday, July 26
Demolition Derby

Saturday, July 25
COTOC Truck Pull 7:00pm

Tuesday, July 28
OSTPA Tractor Pull 7:00pm

Friday, July 31
Kiddie Pig Chase 6:00pm

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Pig & Calf Scrambles 7:00pm

Big Tent Entertainment

Sunday, July 26
Zoso - "The Ultimate Led Zeppelin Experience" 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, July 29
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Scott Hisey 7:30

Friday, July 24
Touch-The Sounds of Motown 7:30 p.m.

Monday, July 27
Tommy Renfro 7:30 p.m.

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