


What's Happening Elsewhere

The City of West Lafayette is showcasing eight local artists and six award-winning gardens in the Hills & Dales and Northwestern Heights neighborhoods at **ART IN BLOOM**, a free home-garden tour on June 27, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. The public is invited to pick up a tour map at the home of Ann Hunt, 1149 Hillcrest Road, showing the location of the six homes on the tour, which will have red balloons and a planter of red flowers in the front yard. Each of the gardens is a previous winner of a West Lafayette Beautification Award.

2009 MINORITY AND WOMEN'S BUSINESS ENTERPRISES Summer Resource Fair and Workshop Series sponsored by the Indiana Department of Administration Minority and Women's Business Enterprises Division and the Black Expo Business Conference will be July 14 from 8:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. at the Indiana Government Center S. Conference Center, 402 W. Washington St., Indianapolis. Pre-registration from June 1 to July 3. For information contact Terrie Daniel at tdaniel@idoa.in.gov.

2009 INDIANAPOLIS COLTS' "MAKE IT PERSONAL TOUR" sponsored by the AAA Hoosier Motor Club will be June 15 from 4 to 6 p.m. at the AAA club office at 8100 E. US36, Suite F in Avon. Colts' players and cheerleaders will appear along with the "Colts In Motion" traveling museum and merchandise trailer. Opportunities to win Colts' tickets will be available. For information go to Colts.com/Events.



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Flora library offers a different art class

Comet staff report

Flora Public Library's summer reading program has the theme, "Be Creative at Your Library." In connection with that theme, the library and art instructor Grace Woodruff are offering summer art classes for preschool age through adult.

The classes, designed by Woodruff, interconnect visual arts with the performing arts and literature. The themes are: "Music Meets Art," "Art Meets Drama," and "Literature and Art Go Hand-In-Hand."

The Music Meets Art classes were held June 4 and 9. Participants can still sign up at the library for the other two sessions. The classes are free, and are held in the library program room.

There are two classes left for each age group. Grades 4-6 meet from 10 a.m. to noon, preschool age meets from 10:45-11:30 a.m., grades K-3 meet from 1-2:30 p.m., and teen-adult meet from 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Dates and descriptions are given below.

June 11 - Art Meets Drama. Grades 4-6: shadow puppet theatre. Teen-adult: costume



Firebird
Ethan Graybill works intently on his firebird in a summer art class in Flora. Bright colored firebirds were created, with music in the background as inspiration. The music was Igor Stravinsky's "The Firebird," composed for a ballet. Taught by Grace Woodruff, the class is part of the Flora Library's summer reading program, which emphasizes creativity. Comet photo by Jennifer Archibald

design for theatre, film or dance.

June 16 - Art Meets Drama. Preschool: make a marionette puppet. K-3: express yourself with a mask (comedy and tragedy).

June 18 - Literature and

Art Go Hand-In-Hand. Grades 4-6: illustrate historical event or story from mythology or the Bible. Teen-adult: illustrate a classic poem or story with a new visual image.

June 23 - Literature and

Art Go Hand-In-Hand. Preschool: illustrate a nursery rhyme or bedtime story. K-3: illustrate a fairy tale different than Disney.

The art classes are supported by a grant from the Indiana Arts Commission.

Library

Flora-Monroe Twp.

Don't miss your chance to experience the sounds of Tippecanoe Chamber Music Society's, "Concert to Go!" on Monday, June 15 at 2 p.m. The brass quintet is an outreach program for children of all ages to see professional musicians perform chamber music.

Chamber music is a form of classical music, written for a small group of instruments which traditionally could be accommodated in a palace chamber. It includes any music that is performed by a small number of performers with one performer to a part, without a conductor. It usually does not include solo instrument performances.

It's not too late to sign up for the free art classes offered during this month.

The art classes and "Con-

cert to Go!" are part of the library's summer reading club, "Be Creative at Your Library," which runs through July 24.

Information about summer reading is available at the main desk, or call the library at 967-3912.

The Flora Book Club's next selection is "Nineteen Minutes," by Jodi Picoult. Best known for tackling controversial issues through fictional accounts, Picoult's, "Nineteen Minutes," deals with the truth and consequences of a small town high-school shooting. Extra copies of the book are available for check out. The club will meet June 17 in the Flora Senior Center.

The theme for the next storytime is Father's Day. Storytime is Tuesday morning at 10 a.m.

Delphi Public

The Northwest Branch of the Delphi Public Library's Book Sale will be June 12 from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. and June 13 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Yeoman.

Morning Book Club will meet June 26 at 9 a.m. to discuss the Frances Itani novel, "Remembering the Bones." Thrown from her car, injured and unable to move, Georgina Witley must rely on her strength, family memories, no-nonsense wit and a long forgotten exercise from her childhood of reciting the names of the bones in her body to remind her she is still alive. Coffee Beat featuring folk artist, Al Stelk, will

be June 20 at 7 p.m. Known by his family as Al John, he writes songs and musical tributes. Coffee is free.

Stargazer's production of "Charlotte's Web, the Musical" will be July 25 and 26 in the DCHS Little Theatre. Wilbur will be portrayed by Vivian Haley, Hannah and Eli Darling will play the friends of Wilbur - Fern and Avery, Elisa Germond will portray Charlotte the spider, Daniel Layman, Taylor Hudelson, David Haley, Hilary Cripe and Jacob Stevens will play the parents and local farmers.

Camden

An opening program kicked off the summer read-

ing program at the Camden Public Library on June 3. Deb Foreman read stories and told jokes to the 34 children in attendance. The children made sock puppets and were served refreshments provided by library board member Pat Casserly.

This year's program theme is "Get Creative @ your Library." Summer reading hours are each Wednesday at 1:30.

A musical theme will highlight today's June 10's program. The children will be making musical instruments to take home with them.

Sign up for the summer reading program continues.

Burlington

Cheryl Milburn Burlington 566-3453

Vacation Bible School will be held June 15-18 from 9 to 11:30 a.m. at Faith Church of Christ.

Kiwanis Club will meet at 7:30 a.m. Saturday for breakfast and meeting at the fire station.

A group of volunteers from Faith Church of Christ and Crossroads Community Christian Church will leave Sunday following services for Shiloh Children's Ranch in

Missouri. They will return June 18.

Zane Bousum will be guest speaker for Sunday morning worship at the United Methodist Church.

United Methodist Women will meet at 1:30 p.m. Monday at the church with Janice Waddell and Marge Salsbery as hostesses. Guest speaker will be Rosa Jackson of the Bethel Christian Center in Logansport.

The Rev. Mike Radcliff will be guest speaker Sunday at the First Brethren Church.

Oakland Christian Church will have its jail ministries at 7 p.m. June 11 at the Carroll County Jail and at 7:30 p.m. June 15 at the Clinton County Jail.

Fourteen members of the Classy Classics E.H. Club, along with guests, Jan and David Eller and grandson, Devan, traveled to Indianapolis on June 1 to tour Lucas Oil Stadium. They also went out for lunch and shopping. The next meeting will be July 20.

ISP disposes of dynamite near Delphi

Comet staff report

The Indiana State Police

Explosive Ordinance Disposal Units (EOD) and an agent from Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms (ATF) removed 146 deteriorated sticks of dynamite, 127 blasting caps, and detonator cord from a shed on U.S. 421, just south of Delphi over two days last week.

According to the Carroll County Sheriff's Department, the dynamite had been there for approximately 25 years and the property owner wanted it removed.

Master Trooper Chris Hager said the contests were removed and disposed of safely. Hager was assisted by Sergeant Leonard Langland a detective out of the Pendleton District.

Police & Fire Calls

Police reports are gathered from available records on file at local police departments. This information is a matter of public record and does not imply guilt or innocence. Information for fire reports is also gathered from reports on file with local fire departments.

Delphi Police Dept.

May 29, 6 p.m. - Theft, 900 block of E. Monroe St. Items owned by Cameron Stout were stolen from his vehicle. Officer Darron Giancola investigated.

May 29, 11:30 p.m. - Battery with bodily injury, North Wells St. Regina Alder, 51, victim of battery. Giancola investigated.

May 31, 8:20 p.m. - Auto theft/contributing to the delinquency of a minor, 600 block of N. Union St. Edward McKenzie, 56, Delphi, and 17 year-old male were arrested on suspicion of stealing a vehicle owned by Tammi Carter. Giancola investigated.

June 1, 3:40 p.m. - Theft, 420 W. Main St. Prescription owned by September C. Caracheo was stolen. Officer Shane Bernhardt investigated.

June 2, 4:30 p.m. - Battery, 133 Riley Meadows Dr. Victim, Callan Smith, Battle Ground. Bernhardt investigated.

June 3, 6:10 - Trespassing, 203 Davis Lane Apt. 9. Mark C. Eagon, 21, Lafayette, was arrested on warrant for battery in Tippecanoe County.

June 6, 4:30 p.m. - Recovered property, behind EMS garage. Stolen moped owned by Kym Stangle was found. Bernhardt investigated.

Sheriff's Dept.

Criminal/non-criminal
May 26, 2:30 p.m. - Harassment, 8845 W. Division Line Rd., Delphi. Det. Kevin Hammond investigated.

May 26, 11 a.m. - Intimidation, 120W. 480S., Cutler. George Durbin, Cutler, threatened. Hammond investigated.

May 26, 8:39 p.m. - Leaving the scene, 12137W. Horseshoe Bend Rd., Brookston. Deputy Jason Dunning responded.

May 28, 9:45 a.m. - Recovered stolen vehicle, 310N. 9021W. Delphi-Pittsburg. Stolen vehicle from White County was recovered. Sgt.

Dennis Randle investigated.

May 29, 4:12 a.m. - Road rage, SR75 south of Flora. Dunning investigated.

May 29, 9:30 a.m. - Criminal mischief, 5441E 350S., Bringham. Mailbox owned by Mark Meyer was damaged. Hammond investigated.

May 30, 9:15 a.m. - Criminal mischief, 169S. 800W., Delphi. Mailbox owned by Dennis Morrow was damaged. Reserve Deputy Ryan Browning investigated.

May 31, 9:46 a.m. - Criminal mischief, 1348N. 350W., Delphi. Mailbox owned by Sandra Johns was damaged. Hammond investigated.

May 31, 11:45 a.m. - Burglary, 6300 W. Wildwood Dr., #13, Rossville. Prescription medication owned by Christopher Large was stolen. Hammond investigated.

June 1, 8:46 a.m. - Information report, 3137S. 350E., Bringham. Telemarketing scam involving a cell phone number owned by Susan Allbaugh. Det. Steve Mullin investigated.

June 2, 12:14 p.m. - Theft, 890N. 200E., Flora. Tent and folding chairs owned by Scott Spencer were stolen. Mullin investigated.

June 2, 10:42 p.m. - OWI, US421 and CR800W., Monticello. Brandon Priest, 28, Monon, was arrested. K-9 Deputy Tony Liggett investigated.

June 2, 10 p.m. - Attempted suicide, Trailhead Park, Delphi. Female, 47, transported to Lafayette Home Hospital for evaluation. Dunning investigated.

June 3, 9:32 a.m. - Burglary, 10908N. Ravina Blvd., Monticello. 2007 black Suzuki 250 Ozark four-wheeler owned by Matthew Jenkins stolen. Deputy John Chapman investigated.

June 3, 10:42 p.m. - OWI, US421 and CR800W., Monticello. Brandon Priest, 28, Monon, was arrested. K-9 Deputy Tony Liggett investigated.

June 4, 5:50 a.m. - Driving while suspended, US421 and CR200S. Juan Perez, Jr., 33, Frankfort, was arrested. Liggett investigated.

June 4, 6:01 a.m. - Burglary, 6242E. 350S., Bringham. Firearms owned by Aaron Cottrell stolen. Chapman investigated.

June 4, 7:49 a.m. - Theft, IPC parking lot. Tire and rim from vehicle owned by Jesus Rincones stolen. Hammond investigated.

June 5, 11:46 a.m. - OWI, CR400W. north of CR1000N. John Ralstin, 45, Logansport. Mullin investigated.

June 6, 10:28 a.m. - Burglary, 1756S. 800W., Delphi. Laptop computer and wireless internet card owned by Mike Shanks were stolen. Mullin investigated.

June 6, 11:04 a.m. - Criminal mischief, 5699N. US421, Delphi. Mailbox owned by Clifford Venters and a neighbor's mailbox were damaged. Mullin investigated.

June 6, 12:45 p.m. - Cemetery criminal mischief, Hickory Grove Cemetery, CR700W. north of CR950N. Montford Ballard, Camden, son's grave was defaced. Mullin investigated.

Property damage
June 3, 2:40 p.m. - CR350W. at CR100N. Michael T. Alwine, 25, Flora, and Nicholas L. Pattengale, 29, Brookston. Maj. Tobe Leazenby responded.

Deer reports
May 29, 8:25 a.m. - CR600S. near CR190E. Brenda M. Connaway, 45, Frankfort. Chapman responded.

May 31, 9:22 a.m. - CR1200N. near CR500W. Michael C. Rardon, 34, Burnettsville. Hammond responded.

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