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Photo By Traci Little

THE RICHLAND COUNTY FAIR had a full week's worth of events, activities and judging. Leah Blay (left) won Grand Champion Showmanship & Reserve Grand Champion Equitation and Emma Tingley (right) won Grand Champion Equitation.

Ontario Schools ready to kick-off new school year

The Ontario Local Schools Board of Education met Tuesday, Aug. 9. Mike Ream, Director of Education, provided an update on curriculum, instruction and assessment.

Ontario Local Schools declared its commitment to the health and well-being of students and staff. The board will closely follow the recommendations of the Richland County Health Department and decided that face coverings will remain a personal decision.

Therefore, the use of facial coverings will be optional for all students and staff members, unless specifically mandated by a governmental authority.

The resignation of Julia Leech, third grade teacher, was accepted effective immediately. Tara Puckett was hired as a Stingel third grade teacher, \$55,378, for 2022-'23.

Cheryl Cramer, Stingel lead cook, retired, effective June 1, 2022.

Whitney Keiser was hired as the Stingel six-hour lead cook for the coming school year, \$22,124.

Eric Wellman, Pete Brophy and Chad Leach were hired to split the title of fall facility coordinator (33% each), \$1,527 each

Jacob Sheldon and Ron Skelton were hired as the OHS football assistant, they are two of five sharing three positions, \$1,766.

The board approved revised middle and high school student handbooks to reflect changes to discipline codes. The revised athletic handbook was also approved.

Approved as mentors were Logan Leitzky, Stingel fifth grade, Tonya Winningham, \$750; and Maggie Voytko, Stingel third grade, Amanda Secrist, \$750.

The resignation of Gina Smith as a Title 1 Reading Tutor was accepted, effective for the upcoming school year.

John and Nancy Kurtz donated \$250 for high school girls tennis.

Permanent appropriations for the 2022-'23 school year were approved as was the overseeing of school district concession operations during the upcoming school year.

Pat Duffner was given approval to act as the superintendent's "designee" for district transportation purposes as well as determining the location of school bus stops and relocating the bus stops during the 2022-'23 school year.

A \$50 stipend will be awarded to personnel for attending the new teacher orientation on Thursday, Aug. 11. Those attending were Allison Haver, Eric Wellman, Elijah Henkel, Tara Puckett, Maggie Voytko, Mandy Van Harlingen, Lindsey Thompson, Stephanie Cole, Logan Leitzky and Devin Osko.

Riki Rietschlin will use the high school auditorium for marching band senior night, the middle school pool for a band camp pool party, the high school commons and auditorium for a marching band banquet and the high school commons, kitchen and football field for "Halftime in Review."

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The Woodhouse Mill

By Bob Carter

John Woodhouse was a most unusual mill wright and miller. His mill was located in the valley between Mansfield and Ashland. It was located near the slight jog in the Fleming Falls Road.

An oil mill was a rare business in early Richland County. The only other known was just north of Lexington. Flax Seeds were ground, and the oil was pressed out, producing linseed oil, the base of early paint and varnish and it could also be used as a dryer. After extracting the oil, the leftover cakes of seed were used as animal feed. The fiber of the plant straw was sometimes used in linen cloth or paper making.

Historian A. J. Baughman described John Woodhouse's operation in 1898: "He used the water from the north branch of Flemings Run to operate the water-powered mill. The mill dam was used as an ice pond in the winter. Ice was taken and stored until the next summer when he hauled it to Mansfield for sale. Woodhouse was a pioneer in the ice business in the area."

The Woodhouse oil mill was in operation in the 1830s but it had closed by 1849. The land was still in the family into the 1870s. It is not known how long the mill was in operation, but because it was on a feeder stream of the Black Fork, it could not have lasted many years as land was cleared and the water table dropped. It is noted that in 1880 he lived in the oldest brick house in the township.

Many mill owners had a side line to keep busy during the off season. Woodhouse, a skilled craftsman, made furniture to order and also a few coffins too. All that was made-to-order by his customers.

Mifflin Oil Mill.

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Mifflin tp., May 5, 1852—6m

Area nonprofits can apply for grant

The Women's Fund of the Richland County Foundation is accepting grant applications from nonprofit organizations for programs that support women and girls.

For more information about the process or guidelines, contact Foundation Community Investment Officer Siera Marth-May at smarth@rcfoundation.org or call 419-525-3020 to assure a program complies with the focus and guidelines.

Programs must occur between Dec. 1, 2022, and Aug. 31, 2023. The deadline to submit an online application is Sunday, Sept. 4.

Applications are available at richlandcountyfoundation.org, click Community Impact then Women's Fund.

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THE ENTERTAINMENT EXAMINER

— By Ian Stumbo —

Elvis is the recently released biopic of the King of Rock and Roll. Austin Butler stars as Elvis Presley and gives a terrific performance. He really transforms into the talented rocker from Tupelo, Mississippi who died much too soon at the age of 42.

Director Baz Luhrmann directs this movie with the style and gusto that he has become known for with *Moulin Rouge* and 1996's *Romeo + Juliet*.

Starting at his humble beginnings, Elvis Aron Presley became a superstar almost overnight with many wanting him to go to jail for his gyrating hips instead entering the military and making a big comeback in Las Vegas.

His longtime manager Col. Parker is played by Tom Hanks who is almost unrecognizable under so much makeup and prosthetics. It feels strange to write that Hanks might be the weak point of the movie. Sometimes he really becomes the character and other times the makeup and accent he uses become more of a distraction. Parker is in just as much of the movie as Butler as his character tells the story.

This movie belongs to Butler though. He captures every facet

of Elvis from his look, mannerisms and voice. Over the movie's two and a half hour run time, Luhrmann explores so many aspects of Presley's life filling the movie with those great songs as only Luhrmann can. Some more

of his marriage and relationship to Priscilla could have been fleshed out in greater detail.

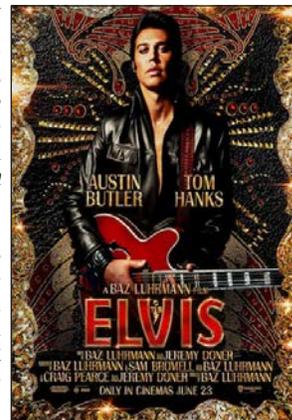
The movie talks about Presley's decline in his later years though not in abundant detail. It showcases a lot in music montages.

The assured direction and Butler's terrific work really make this movie better than it might have been

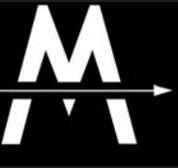
on the page. Butler is certainly Oscar worthy and should definitely be a contender for the nomination.

In the end, *Elvis* is a fine screen biopic. Certainly not a perfect one and had Butler and Luhrmann not been involved, it probably would have been a lesser film. Tom Hanks is fine in the role though sometimes a little goes a long way.

I would recommend *Elvis* for fans of his and of big screen biographies.



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News Briefs

Richland County Regional Solid Waste Management Authority will host a free tire amnesty event at the Richland County Fairgrounds on Aug. 27 from 8 am to 12 pm (or until max capacity is reached).

Ten passenger tires will be accepted per vehicle. This event is for residents of Richland County – proof of residency is required. Tires must be free of water/fluids and off the rim. The Ohio Farm Bureau is co-hosting the event enabling RCSW to accept a limited amount of tractor tires – up to six feet in diameter.

Sponsors include the Richland Co Fairgrounds, Liberty Tire and Richland Public Health.

Those participating are asked to use the back entrance of the fair, Lantz Rd.

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Community Family Fun Night will be held at First Congregational Church of Mansfield, 640 Millsboro Rd., on Saturday, Aug. 27, from 5:30–7:30 pm. This is a free event offering food, games and a live presentation from The Ohio Bird Sanctuary. For more information contact Rev. Brad Bunn at 419-756-3046.

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The Fun Center Chordsmen will host its first annual summer concert at the Marshall Park Bandshell, 3375 Milligan Rd., Ontario, on Monday, Aug. 29, at 6:30 pm.

The free event is open to the public and will feature The Chordsmen and Quartets.

The Chordsmen are directed by Trevor Garrabrandt. For information about the Chordsmen visit <https://funcenterchordsmen.com>.

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The 2nd Annual Western Buckeye Council Sporting Clay event, benefitting the Buckeye Council, Boy Scouts of America, is rapidly approaching. This event will help raise funds to support the 1,020 Scouts in the surrounding area. The event will be held Thursday, Sept. 15, Elkhorn Lake Hunt Club in Bucyrus at 1 pm.

This is a 12-station, sporting clays competitive 50-bird round event offering unique sponsorship opportunities. Sponsorship levels range from \$350 to \$3,000.

For more information or to reserve a spot, contact Amy at amy.heller@scouting.org or 330-418-3282, Kim at kim.messersmith@scouting.org or 419-522-8300, or stop by the Mansfield office at 40 W. Fourth St., Ste. 117. Registration can be completed online at <https://www.celebratescouting.org/western-shoot>.

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Ontario Concerts in the Park will be held at the band shelter in Marshall Park from 6–8 pm on Tuesdays this summer.

Admission is free and those attending are encouraged to bring chairs or blankets. Snacks and picnic dinners are welcome.

Concerts are scheduled for Aug. 23, Sweet Beats, Beatles Tribute; Sept. 13, Sobos, classic rock; and Sept. 27, Departure, Journey Tribute.

In case of rain, concerts are generally rescheduled for a later date.

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Community Family Fun Night will be held at First Congregational Church of Mansfield, 640 Millsboro Rd., on Saturday, Aug. 27, from 5:30–7:30 pm. This is a free event offering food, games, and a live presentation from the Ohio Bird Sanctuary. Entrances to parking will

be available on Millsboro Rd. and Sloane Ave. For more information contact Rev. Brad Bunn at 419-756-3046.

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A recycling trailer will be in the parking lot at Ontario United Methodist Church, 3540 Park Avenue West, Aug. 27 and 28. Acceptable items include rinsed steel and aluminum cans, crushed milk jugs, detergent bottles, plastic bottles with number 1 or 2 on the bottom, broken down 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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The Lexington Area Senior Citizens Inc., invites those 55 and older to attend meetings the third Wednesday of every month at Der Dutchman Restaurant. Lunch begins at 11:30 am, followed by the meeting at 12:30 pm. Cost is \$13 for the meal.

The meal on Sept. 21, will be broasted chicken and Jane Horton will sing. A collection will be taken for the Richland County Humane Society. Those attending are asked to bring paper or cloth towels, cleaning supplies, newspaper, wipes, disposable gloves, canned food and Purina cat and dog food.

On Sept. 7, the group will meet for lunch at 11:30 am at Wishmaker House in Bellville.

Dues are \$5 per year. Guests are welcome to attend.

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City of Ontario Zoning Inspector Michael Morton has released the July 2022 zoning report.

Permits were issued to Grayson Pittman, Woodland Park Dr., detached garage; Dewayne Henderson, Willowood Dr., N., shed; Dee Russel, Rudy Rd., shed; Planet Fitness, W. Fourth St., change of use; Kevin Flick, Home Rd., S., shed; Mohamad Abdelaziz, Ferguson Rd., shed; Russel Brown, Hazel Dr., new home; Robert Napier, Tappan Dr., shed; Dianna Stumpf, Rudy Rd., in-ground pool; Daniel Kuhlman, S. Ireland Blvd., shed; and Chipotle, N. Lex-Springmill Rd., drive thru window.

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All Souls Unitarian Universalist Church of Bellville, 25 Church St., Bellville will welcome Hayley Young on Sunday, Aug. 21, at 10:30 am. She will speak on “The Time is NOW: Mindfulness and the Art of Simply Being.” For information visit www.allsoulsuohio.org

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Richland County Solid Waste’s August Board Meeting has been cancelled for the month of August. The next scheduled meeting will be Wednesday, Sept. 14.

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Now is the time to support the Crestview 4-H and FFA exhibitors that show market livestock. The Crestview Area Buyers Club is a tax-deductible charitable organization that raises money to purchase market projects of Crestview Students.

The club’s goal is to support these students by giving 100% of the funds back to the exhibitors. Donations will be used to purchase an exhibitor’s animal at a fair and competitive market price during the auctions. For information call Stephanie at 419-564-0643. Donations can be sent to Crestview Area Buyers Club, c/o Stephanie Bistline, 4430 Mansfield Adario Rd., Shiloh OH 44878.

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•Ontario ready for school year

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Jonathan Sallee will use the high school library for Avita Center for a sports health retreat and Barbara Harmony will use the high school commons for an annual alumni potluck dinner. Touby McCammon will use the high school classroom for a career and college planning seminar. The board approved the 2022-'23 school year calendar which reflects adding an early release day on Sept. 22, for district-wide school safety training.

An agreement was reached between ABA Therapy and Ontario Local Schools for a registered behavior technician and a board certified behavior analyst effective from Aug. 17, 2022-May 24, 2023.

Robin Owen was approved as a long-term substitute family consumer science teacher at OMS for the 2022-'23 school year, \$35,225.

The first day of classes for K-12 students is Aug. 17 and preschool will begin Aug. 22. The last day of school will be May 24 and graduation is May 26 at 7:30 pm. The next regular board of education meeting will be Sept. 13, at 7 pm in the Ontario High School Library.

Luncheon scheduled for Tuesday, October 4

The Domestic Violence Awareness Month Luncheon will be held Oct. 4. At lunch, three advocates who have made a substantial impact towards the goal of eliminating domestic violence and sexual assault within our community will be honored.

The lunch will be held at 11:30 am at Dan Lew Exchange/DLX, 28 N. Main St., Mansfield. Tickets are \$25 and available at https://domesticviolenceshelter-bloom.kindful.com/e/dv-awareness-luncheon-october-4-2022?blm_aid=6215683#

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 Rev. Matt Merendino
 Rev. Mike Stine, Associate Pastor
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 6:30 pm TeamKID and Youth Group

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1043 Springmill St., Mansfield
 567-560-8011
www.DiscoverCommunity.org
 Pastor Sam Belsterling
 10:30 am Sunday Worship
 Live stream at <https://www.facebook.com/CommunityBibleChurchMansfield>

Lexington Presbyterian Church

35 Church St. West, Lexington
 419-884-1330
 Rev. James Randas
 10:30 am Sunday Worship
<https://www.facebook.com/Lexington-Presbyterian-Church-117768414915815>

McElroy Road Church of Christ

297 N. McElroy Rd., Mansfield (Madison area)
 419-589-2661 • mcelroyroad.org
 Minister Dean Jackson
 9:30 am Sunday School
 10:30 am Sunday Worship
 6 pm Sunday Night • 7 pm Wednesday
www.facebook.com/mrccgrace

Ontario Christian Church

1029 Lewis Rd., Ontario
 419-529-5684 • ontariochristian.org
 Minister Steve Broughton
 9 am Sunday School
 10 am Sunday Worship

Ontario United Methodist Church

3540 Park Avenue West, Ontario
 419-529-4345 • www.ontarioumc.com
 Rev. Christine Bell
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 Bible Study: Check website for schedule

Ridgeway Church of God

1380 Park Avenue East, Mansfield
 419-589-5385 • www.ridgewaycog.cggc.org/
 Pastor John Dodds
 Associate Pastor Billy Saunders
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 10:40 am Sunday Worship with live stream
 at www.facebook.com/ridgewaycog
 2 pm Wednesday Bible Study
 9 am Men's Breakfast 2nd & 4th Sunday

Risen Savior Lutheran Church

1685 Lexington Ave., Mansfield
 419-775-1175 • risensaviormansfield.com
 Pastor Brad Wright
 9 am Sunday Family Bible Time
 10 am Sunday Worship

St. Mary of the Snows Catholic Church

1630 Ashland Rd., Mansfield (Madison) 419-589-2114 • www.mansfieldstmarys.org
 Father Matthew Frisbee
 Worship: 4 pm Saturday & 11 am Sunday
 5:30 pm Tuesday Worship
 9 am Friday Worship • Faith Instruction & Bible Study on Sunday Mornings

St. Paul Lutheran

2010 Park Avenue West • 419-529-4351
www.stpaulmansfield.org
 Pastor Jonathan Stufft
 9 am Sunday Worship
 10:15 am Monday Weekly Bible Study

St. Timothy Lutheran Church

1262 Ashland Rd., Mansfield (Madison area)
 • 419-589-5252 • sttimmansfield.org
 Pastor Jonathan Stufft
 10:45 am Sunday Worship
 10:15 am Monday Bible Study
 Email: secretary@sttimmansfield.org

Trinity United Methodist Church

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As a thank-you, all who come to give Aug. 1-31 will be automatically entered for a chance to win gas for a year, a \$6,000 value. There will be three lucky winners.

Everyone who comes to give blood or platelets in August will also receive a \$10 e-gift card to a merchant of choice.

Donors can schedule an appointment to give using the Red Cross Blood Donor App, by visiting RedCrossBlood.org or by calling 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

Upcoming blood donation opportunities include

Friday, Aug. 19, 10 am to 3 pm, YMCA, 750 Scholl Rd., Mansfield

Sunday, Aug. 21, 11 am to 5 pm, Richland Mall RSMO, 2209 Richland Mall, Ontario

Tuesday, Aug. 23, 1-6 pm, Crossroads Ontario Campus, 636 Lexington-Springmill Rd. South, Ontario; and 11 am to 5 pm, Heartland Church, 2505 S. Lexington-Springmill Rd S., Lexington

Wednesday, Aug. 24, 1-7 pm, Richland Mall RSMO, 2209 Richland Mall, Ontario

Wednesday, Aug. 31, 1-7 pm, Richland Mall RSMO, 2209 Richland Mall, Ontario

The Red Cross will continue to socially distance wherever possible at blood drives, donation centers and facilities. While donors are no longer required to wear a face mask, individuals may choose to continue to wear a mask for any reason.

Donors are asked to schedule an appointment prior to arriving at a drive.

Obituary Listings for Wappner Funeral Directors

Esther Frederick, July 29

Madeline Stone, Aug. 6

Suzanne Duke, Aug. 7

Jesse David Hoffman, Aug. 7

Bonnie M. Scott, Aug. 7

Pamela L Phillips, Aug. 10

Leona Mae Crawford, Aug. 11

Daniel Hohman, Aug. 11

Ella R Miller, Aug. 11

Betty Stoner, Aug. 13

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Buckeye Imagination Museum hosts grand opening

Photos and Article By Traci Little

On Tuesday evening, Aug. 9, there was a special event and ribbon cutting to thank all of the generous donors who made the Imagination District a reality. The Boards of the Buckeye Imagination Museum, the Renaissance Performing Arts Association and the Imagination District Campaign Steering Committee welcomed everyone to the preview of the new Buckeye Imagination Museum.

Buckeye Imagination Museum (previously known as Little Buckeye Children's Museum) is now open at its new facility as of Wednesday, Aug. 10. Its new building is located just two blocks away from the previous location and is next to the Renaissance Theatre, 175 W. Third St., Mansfield. It is open Tuesday-Saturday from 10 am to 4 pm.

The mission of Buckeye Imagination Museum is to provide families and children with the opportunity to learn and discover through the power of play. It is a non-profit hands-on children's museum focused on an audience of children 10 and under. Children and their families are encouraged to come experience learning through interactive play in the various exhibits highlighting the arts, sciences and humanities.

During the Aug. 9 celebration, there were remarks and a ribbon cutting to celebrate the new location. Jodie Perry, CEO of the Richland Area Chamber & Economic Development welcomed the guests in attendance. She went on to say that about seven years ago, the first discussions were being made about this new project. Lori Overmyer reached out to do the feasibility study, asking "Can this community sustain a project like this?"

Lee Tasseff, President at Destination Mansfield of Richland County, jumped on board along with others. Jodie Perry went on to say she had given the idea an enthusiastic two thumbs up! Perry's niece and nephews had a sneak peak a few weeks ago, and they said they cannot wait to move to Mansfield, "It's so cool here!"

State Representative Marilyn John said, "It's so exciting to be here! Seven years ago, we met at Theatre 166 and started talking

about what this could look like, and to be able to see this now and how a community can come together makes me so proud to represent you in Columbus. It can get a little crazy down there, but I'm so proud to represent a district like this. So, on behalf of Senator Mark Romanchuck and the State of Ohio, congratulations on your project and thank you for everything you do for Richland County."

Richland County Commissioner Tony Vero said, "I guess if there were ever a time to take your daughter to work, today would be the day! In 2015, we met and discussed the vision which was meeting the educational and cultural needs of Mansfield and the surrounding communities. It's kind of funny, on the same day, today, Mansfield found out they were receiving 7 million dollars to improve the downtown area. So, seven years of hard work and through a long pandemic, we can come together and celebrate the growth of Park Community, East to West and the Imagination District."

"It goes without saying, that the vision of Mike Miller and Fred Boll and their team and what this will do making a parent's job a lot easier (because I'll have somewhere to take my daughter), and this will be an attraction not only for children and families in our community, but everywhere else. What a special day for Mansfield, thank you for all you do."

The Mayor of Mansfield, Tim Theaker said, "Isn't this a spectacular place! Who could have envisioned seven years ago that this would happen. This is a fabulous place. Mike Miller and Fred Boll deserve a round of applause. They were the ones that did this. My grandchildren were here last year, and I took them to the previous location, which was nice, but this new location is bright, and cheery and a fabulous place to bring your kids. This is something that Mansfield is extremely excited about and are very proud that the Imagination District is just a start of this district."

A big part of this project was receiving some crucial state funds, and the former State Senator, Larry Obhof, was key to that, and

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Buckeye Imagination Museum

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•Buckeye Imagination Museum hosts grand opening

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made a few comments.

“This was one of the last things that we funded during my time in the legislature, and I was very proud to work with Mark Roman-chuck and so many of your local officials, not just public officials but community leaders. To see this come to fruition and something this transformative come to downtown Mansfield, after discussions years ago, has been fantastic. I want to thank you for having me here, but more importantly, I would like to thank all of you who have come, and members of the community, to make today a reality. It takes everyone working together to allow something like this to happen.”

Brady Groves, President of the Richland County Foundation, made a substantial gift early on, which made this all possible.

Groves said, “This project is a culmination of when you challenge two people and see what they can come up with! This was in part a direct result of our Osborn Meese Academy task building program that went on several years ago. We took 20 nonprofits and brought in subject matter experts to see how we could help them develop and create more capacity for development and become stronger organizations. Allie Watson facilitated the Osborn Meese Academy challenge group, which included Fred and Mike. A few years later, and a million-dollar investment later, here we are! We couldn’t ask for anything better. What Mike and Fred have done is a collaboration of two prosperous, active, nonprofit organizations. To the boards of directors, is a culmination of a lot of good things! We are so happy that the Community Foundation was asked to be a part of it. It gives visitors and existing residents a positive sense of hope in the future of this community. Thanks to everyone involved in this project.”

Chelsie Thompson, the president and CEO of the Renaissance Theatre, said, “It’s so wonderful to be here celebrating with all of you tonight. It has been an honor to serve with Michael Miller this past twelve years at the Renaissance, and especially over the last four years in my role as president while Mike was able to work with Fred to help launch this amazing collaboration we now know as the Imagination District. It is because of so many generous friends like you who are in this room tonight that the Imagination District can open a world of possibilities to different organizations throughout Richland County for incredible collaboration projects. We are thankful to all of you, and to Michael and Fred for your vision and drive in making this happen. It is a thrill for me to lead this Renaissance organization into the next chapter of the journey, and we are excited to partner in the future and really grow a thriving partnership in the Imagination District.”

Jodie Perry said, “A project like this would not be possible without willing boards of directors, these are two nonprofits that came together to do a project like this. I want to introduce Jason Williams, the board chair of the Buckeye Imagination Museum, and Rand Smith is the past board chair of the Renaissance performing arts, they were fairly joined at the hip.”

Jason Williams said, “As you can see when you’ve been driving by, there’s a name change from when we first started out from Little Buckeye Children’s Museum to Buckeye Imagination Museum. This name change was determined after a thoughtful journey, a lot of de-

liberation of what the name should be to best represent the brand moving forward, while still keeping true to the heritage. The expansion will better serve the families in our community for play, imagination and the arts, and it quickly became evident that a collaboration would yield the best result. Out of that the Imagination District was formed. I want to thank the board members who worked tirelessly. Thank you to all of the donors, families and sponsors who made this brand-new facility a reality. We have a deep sense of gratitude for each one of you.”

Rand Smith said, “Only when two parties are strong enough, smart enough and generous enough to realize that they should come together — only at that point is Imagination District born! After that we have to realize that that district drastically lifts the economics and the culture of North Central Ohio. It only happened because people in this room believed in the cause and gave to the cause. Because you gave, because you believed, we are going to cut the ribbon here today at a complex that is almost five acres in size. Everything you see here carries no debt. That is a testimony to all of you for your belief in the cause. Speaking of Fred and Mike, there are some people that only dream about the future, there are some who only see the future, but Mike and Fred create the future! What they have done here is maybe just a little short of a miracle, but they did show us that imagination can become a reality.”

Former President at the Renaissance Theatre, Mike Miller said, “It’s certainly a team effort and it takes a village to do what we’ve done. My new role as the head of the Imagination District Alliance which we hope to be a special improvement district, will just carry on that vision of what Fred and I have started. We hope to continue imagining all of these cool things that are going to happen throughout Mansfield. We’ve been able to raise 6.5 million dollars so that in itself is amazing. The vision of the sum is greater than its parts, without our steering committee who did that exact thing, they steered us through the project. Lori Overmyer kept us on our toes during this project and we couldn’t have done it without her so thank you. The leadership and commitment demonstrated by this team made the difference.”

Executive Director of the Buckeye Imagination Museum, Mr. Fred Boll went on to say, “Tomorrow, we open to the public! Thank you to the Richland County Foundation, Carl and Annamarie Fernyak, to the Gorman Family and Gorman-Rupp Company, The Robert and Esther Black Family Foundation, Fran and Warren Rupp Fund of the Richland County Foundation, The Phillips Family Foundation, The Shelby Foundation, Hire Family Foundation, Park National Bank, Mechanics Bank, The State of Ohio Facilities and Construction Commission, John and Pearl Conard Foundation. I would like to thank my staff, and my wife Ellen, and without everyone in this room this would not happen.”

The next phase of construction will begin in September 2022 and will consist of building the exhibits for the second-floor gallery which are designed for individuals ages 10 and up, along with outdoor improvements, and additional artwork. This phase is anticipated to conclude in late 2023, early 2024. The museum will remain open during construction.”

A Buffet style Barbeque dinner was served on the second floor after the ribbon cutting to thank all of the donors.



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A FREE FIRE SAFETY SHOW, sponsored in part by Franklin Township Firefighter's Association and the Shiloh, Cass, Bloomingrove Firefighter's Association, pulled participants from the crowd to help.

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MARLEY THRUSH, 10, rides her horse, Nick, during the Richland County Fair.

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10-YEAR-OLD TYLER SMITH of Shelby said his favorite part of the fair is all the yummy food!



KATE FREEMAN, 10, of Bellville, showed rabbits at the Richland County Fair and Kate Trumpower, 11, of Lucas showed goats.

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Richland County Junior Fair

King: Carson Abbott, Ring Raiders 4-H and Shelby FFA (Shelby)
Queen: Caroline Tilton, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H (Bellville)
First Runner-Up to Queen: Kelsey Snyder, Rusty Riders 4-H and Shelby FFA (Shelby)
Second Runner-Up to Queen: Hailey Eldridge, Ring Raiders 4-H and Shelby FFA (Shelby)

Best of Show Awards

- Agriculture – Miscellaneous, Asher Clark
- Clothing, Julia Auck Reserve, Marissa Barciz
- Natural Resources, Lilly Clark
- Family Life Design, Thalia Kurtzman
- Family Life Hobbies and Leisure, Sarah Turner
- Family Living, Megan Lindenberger
- Foods – Beginner, Josie McNary
- Foods – Intermediate, Kaley Bowman
- Foods – Advanced, Selah Ogle
- Gardening, Cody Wolford
- Health, Kaley Bowman
- Photography, Izabel McDermott
- Shooting Sports, Logan Hoffman
- Small Animals, Lelia Myers
- Veterinary Science, Gracie Rodman
- Woodworking, Carson Secriskey
- Engineering Sweepstakes, Asher Clark

Talent Show

- Best of Show: Finlay Rowlands, Next Generation 4-H – Instrumental (keyboard)
- 2nd place - McKinnley King, Freedom Wranglers 4-H - Vocal
- 3rd place - Finn Devaney, Clover Clan 4-H – Instrumental (cello)
- 4th place - Mariah Barciz, Next Generation 4-H - Baton
- 5th place - Marissa Barciz, Next Generation 4-H – Dance (ballet)

Outstanding 4-H Booths

- Most Inviting/Catchy: Bibs & Boots 4-H
- Best Display of 4-H History: Country Champions 4-H
- Most Unique: Freedom Wranglers 4-H
- Best Promotion of 4-H: Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H
- Best Portrayal of Club Activities/History/Projects: Buckeye Farmers
- Best Use of Theme: New Edition 4-H
- Most Colorful: Next Generation 4-H
- Most Creative: Country Clovers 4-H
- Best Use of Space: Richland Round-Up 4-H
- Best Reduce, Reuse and Recycle Booth: Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
- People’s Choice Award: Country Champions 4-H

Bake-a-rama Results

- Best of Show: Riley Adkins, Bibs & Boots 4-H
- Reserve Best of Show: Elizabeth Cole, Bibs & Boots 4-H
- Class Winners:
- Cookies: 1st – Sarah Turner, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
- 2nd – Elizabeth Cole, Bibs & Boots 4-H
- 3rd – W. Owens, Richland Round-Up 4-H
- Fruit Pie: 1st – Parker Miller, Rusty Riders 4-H
- 2nd – Devin McGugin, All Star Gang 4-H
- 3rd – McKinnley King, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
- Two Layer Cake: 1st – Riley Adkins, Bibs & Boots 4-H
- 2nd – Audrey King, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
- 3rd – Marissa Barciz, Next Generation 4-H
- Bar Cookies or Brownies: 1st – Elizabeth Cole, Bibs & Boots 4-H
- 2nd – Marissa Barciz, Next Generation 4-H
- 3rd – Mariah Barciz, Next Generation 4-H
- Quick Breads/Yeast Rolls: 1st – Mason Nunnally, Bibs & Boots 4-H
- 2nd – K. Sanders, Richland Round-Up 4-H
- 3rd – Amery Sexton, Country Clovers 4-H

- Baker’s Favorite: 1st – Riley Adkins, Bibs & Boots 4-H
- 2nd – Makenna Miller, Rusty Riders 4-H
- 3rd – Owen Keith, Country Champions 4-H

- Candy: 1st – Mariah Barciz, Next Generation 4-H
- 2nd – Marissa Barciz, Next Generation 4-H
- 3rd – Natalie Adkins, Freedom Wranglers 4-H

Species Ambassadors

- Junior Poultry Ambassador: Fin Rowlands, Next Generation 4-H
- Junior Rabbit Ambassador: Maylanna Gamble, Wild-n-Free 4-H
- Senior Canine Ambassador: Cheyenne Sumler, Wild-n-Free 4-H
- Junior Canine Ambassador: K. Sanders, Richland Round-Up 4-H
- Junior Canine Ambassador Runner-Up: Mahsii Gamble, Wild-n-Free 4-H
- Senior Alpaca/Llama Ambassador: Vanna Burns, Ring Raiders 4-H
- Junior Alpaca/Llama Ambassador: Kaley Bowman, Wild-n-Free 4-H
- Senior Horse Ambassador: Marissa Circosta, Wild-n-Free 4-H
- Senior Horse Ambassador Runner-Up: Julia Auck, Wild-n-Free 4-H
- Junior Horse Ambassador: Jordan Tedrow, Branded Pony 4-H
- Junior Horse Ambassador Runner-Up: Ryleigh Newsome, Richland County Wranglers 4-H

Draft Horse Hitch Show

- Single Hitch Cart: 1st place – Kyleigh Biglin, Red & Gray Gang 4-H
- Team Hitch: 1st place – Kyleigh Biglin, Red & Gray Gang 4-H

All Beef Showmanship Show

- Pro Showmanship
- 1st – Hayden Williams, Great Expectations 4-H
- 2nd – Ryder Frech, Great Expectations 4-H
- 3rd – Rain Peyton, Shelby FFA
- 4th – Alyssa Neill, Shelby FFA
- 5th – Claire Howell, Blackfork Friends 4-H

- 17–18 Years Showmanship
- 1st – Hayden Williams, Great Expectations 4-H
- 2nd – Trayden Schumacher, Rusty Riders 4-H
- 3rd – Braden Boyer, Kickin’ It Kountry 4-H
- 4th – Nicole Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
- 5th – Ryan Culler, All Star Gang 4-H

- 14–16 Years Showmanship:
- 1st – Alyssa Neill, Shelby FFA
- 2nd – Colton Braska, Shelby FFA
- 3rd – Morgan Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
- 4th – Allyson Arnold, Great Expectations 4-H
- 5th – Emma Montgomery, Shelby FFA

- 11–13 Years Showmanship:
- 1st – Claire Howell, Blackfork Friends 4-H
- 2nd – Kinsley Van Dine, Rusty Riders 4-H
- 3rd – Payton Stover, Rusty Riders 4-H
- 4th – Colten Montgomery, Rusty Riders 4-H
- 5th – Kayden Dauch, Triangle T 4-H

- 8–10 Years Showmanship:
- 1st – Ryder Frech, Great Expectations 4-H
- 2nd – Grace Shatzer, Rusty Riders 4-H
- 3rd – Owen Guegold, Kickin’ It Kountry 4-H

- Novice B Showmanship:
- 1st – Rain Peyton, Shelby FFA
- 2nd – Sam Ohl, Great Expectations 4-H
- 3rd – Colton Hass, Plymouth FFA
- 4th – Breanna Neill, Shelby FFA
- 5th – Sofi Johnson, Freedom Wranglers 4-H

- Novice A Showmanship:
- 1st – Ava Harrison, Ring Raiders 4-H
- 2nd – Landon Foulks, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H
- 3rd – Aiden Thompson, Country Champions 4-H
- 4th – Dylan Studer, Rusty Riders 4-H
- 5th – Aubrey Crain, Clear Fork Colts & Fillies 4-H

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Beef Breeding Show

Supreme Champion Beef Female: Braden Boyer, Kickin' It Kountry 4-H

Reserve Supreme Champion Beef Female: Hayden Williams, Great Expectations 4-H

Champion Hereford: Allyson Hulbert, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H

Reserve Champion Hereford: Aliya Echelbarger, Plymouth FFA

Champion Simmental: Hayden Williams, Great Expectations 4-H

Champion Shorthorn: Gracie Rodman, Shelby FFA

Other Breeds Champion: Braden Boyer, Kickin' It Kountry 4-H

Reserve Other Breeds Champion: Caroline Tilton, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H

Market Beef Show

Market Beef Champions:

Grand Champion – Audra Music, Next Generation 4-H

Reserve Champion – Nicole Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

3rd place champion – Ethan Staley, Clear Fork FFA

4th place champion – Trenton Braska, Shelby FFA

5th place champion – Ryder Frech, Great Expectations 4-H

6th place champion – Hadley Williams, Great Expectations 4-H

7th place champion – Bergan Leonhardt, New Edition 4-H

8th place champion – Emma Montgomery, Shelby FFA

Dairy Market Beef Champions:

Grand Champion – Allyson Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

Reserve Champion – Allyson Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

3rd place champion – Morgan Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

4th place champion – Ashley Markley, All Star Gang 4-H

5th place champion – Sam Ohl, Great Expectations 4-H

6th place champion – Ava Harrison, Ring Raiders 4-H

7th place champion – Ryan Culler, All Star Gang 4-H

8th place champion – Ambur Arnold, Great Expectations 4-H

Born and Bred Market Beef Champions

Grand – Nicole Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

Reserve – Payton Stover, Rusty Riders 4-H

Born and Bred Dairy Beef Champions

Grand – Joseph Culler, Kickin' It Kountry 4-H

Reserve – Taylor Breedlove, Toats ma Goats 4-H

Feeder Calf Show

Beef Feeder Calf Champions:

Grand Champion – Hayden Williams, Great Expectations 4-H

Reserve Champion – Cami Gowitzka, Great Expectations 4-H

3rd place champion – Cameron Guegold, Farmhand Friends 4-H

4th place champion – Aiden Thompson, Country Champions 4-H

5th place champion – Colton Braska, Shelby 4-H

6th place champion – Hadley Williams, Great Expectations 4-H

7th place champion – Hadley Williams, Great Expectations 4-H

8th place champion – Ryder Frech, Great Expectations 4-H

Dairy Beef Feeder Calf Champions:

Grand Champion – Nicole Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

Reserve Champion – Allyson Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

3rd place champion – Morgan Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

4th place champion – Aubrey Crain, Clear Fork Colts & Fillies 4-H

5th place champion – Morgan Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

6th place champion – Julia Sickmiller, Shelby FFA

7th place champion – Tynley Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

8th place champion – Tynley Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

Goat Show

Meat Market Goat Champions:

Grand Champion – Hayden Harriman, Clear Fork FFA

Reserve Champion – Olyvia Culler, Kickin' It Kountry 4-H

3rd place champion – Maryn Lantz, That Udder Club 4-H

4th place champion – Hayden Harriman, Clear Fork FFA

5th place champion – Abby Snyder, Shelby FFA

6th place champion – Morgan Trumpower, Kickin' It Kountry 4-H

7th place champion – Hadley Williams, Great Expectations 4-H

8th place champion – Kayla Evans, Shelby FFA

Dairy Market Goat Champions:

Grand Champion – Mandee Lantz, Country Champions 4-H

Reserve Champion – Maggie Lantz, Country Champions 4-H

3rd place champion – Ruthie Faith, Shelby FFA

4th place champion – Owen Keith, Country Champions 4-H

5th place champion – Bailey Tridico, Shelby FFA

6th place champion – Owen Keith, Country Champions 4-H

7th place champion – Ava Bowman, Richland Round-Up 4-H

8th place champion – Tanner Hartz, Shelby FFA

Meat Breeding Champion: Kelsey Snyder, Shelby FFA

Meat Breeding Reserve Champion – Hadley Williams, Great Expectations 4-H

Dairy Breeding Champion: Alaina Stone, Lucas FFA

Dairy Breeding Reserve Champion – Alaina Stone, Lucas FFA

Pro Showmanship:

1st – Hayden Harriman, Clear Fork FFA

2nd – Tynley Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

3rd – Hayden Williams, Great Expectations 4-H

4th – Mikaela Guegold, Farmhand Friends 4-H

5th – Bristol Collins, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H

17-18 Years Showmanship:

1st – Hayden Williams, Great Expectations 4-H

2nd – Makayla Spoerr, Next Generation 4-H

3rd – Ty Lehnhart, Kickin' It Kountry 4-H

4th – Huck Finnegan, Shelby FFA

5th – Arica Uplinger, Country Clovers 4-H

14-16 Years Showmanship:

1st – Hayden Harriman, Farmhand Friends 4-H

2nd – Madison Boyer, Lucas FFA

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3rd – Hadley Williams, Great Expectations 4-H
 4th – Bergan Leonhardt, New Edition 4-H
 5th – Abby Snyder, Shelby FFA

11–13 Years Showmanship:

1st – Mikaela Guegold, Farmhand Friends 4-H
 2nd – Sophia Gano, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 3rd – Makenzie Spoerr, Next Generation 4-H
 4th – Olyvia Culler, Kickin' It Kountry 4-H
 5th – Shiloh Walter, Kickin' It Kountry 4-H

8–10 Years Showmanship:

1st – Tynley Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
 2nd – Adleigh Guegold, Farmhand Friends 4-H
 3rd – Aliya Walter, Kickin' It Kountry 4-H
 4th – Clayton Tabor, Blackfork Friends 4-H
 5th – Aiden Stone, Kickin' It Kountry 4-H

Novice B Showmanship:

1st – Ambur Arnold, Great Expectations 4-H
 2nd – Allyson Arnold, Great Expectations 4-H
 3rd – Kolten Sexton, Country Clovers 4-H
 4th – Kennedy Mounts, Farmhand Friends 4-H

Novice A Showmanship:

1st – Bristol Collins, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H
 2nd – Wyatt Miller, Triangle T 4-H
 3rd – Amery Sexton, Country Clovers 4-H
 4th – Kaelynn Nickell, Ring Raiders 4-H
 5th – Kale Tedrow, Branded Pony 4-H

Poultry Show

Market Turkeys:

Grand Champion – Sarah Smith, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 Reserve Champion – Dale Morris, Farmhand Friends 4-H
 3rd place champion – Willa Morris, Farmhand Friends 4-H
 4th place champion – Reagan Kleman, New Edition 4-H
 5th place champion – Kyle Morris, Farmhand Friends 4-H
 6th place champion – Adrian Wuertz, Clear Fork FFA
 7th place champion – Olivia Shrader, Great Expectations 4-H
 8th place champion – Kendal Shrader, Great Expectations 4-H

Market Ducks:

Grand Champion – Monae Leedy, Branded Pony 4-H
 Reserve Champion – Paige Mullins, Triangle T 4-H
 3rd place champion – Bryanna Francis, Shelby FFA
 4th place champion – Ava Putnam, Shelby FFA
 5th place champion – Rehberg, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 6th place champion – Blanton, Next Generation 4-H
 7th place champion – Beau Blanton, Next Generation 4-H
 8th place champion – Michael Vogt, Shelby FFA

Broilers:

Grand Champion – Alivia Hicks, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
 Reserve Champion – Natalie Buzard, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 3rd place Champion – Cailey Fairchild, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 4th place champion – Huck Finnegan, Shelby FFA
 5th place champion – Tristen Dawson, Country Champions 4-H
 6th place champion – Allie Shrader, Great Expectations 4-H
 7th place champion – Mason Follett, Blackfork Friends 4-H
 8th place champion – Ben Laug, Freedom Wranglers 4-H

Breeding Champion: Ryleigh Chase, Country Champions 4-H
 Breeding Reserve Champion – Macey Parks, Richland Round-Up 4-H

Pro Showmanship:

Grand Champion – Ryleigh Chase, Shelby FFA / Country Champions 4-H
 Reserve Champion – Tristen Dawson, Country Champions 4-H
 3rd – Katelyn Swingle, Plymouth FFA
 4th – Josiah Schmitt, Clearfork Colts & Fillies
 5th – Emerson Docherty, Richland County Livestock Lovers

17–18 Years Showmanship:

1st – Ryleigh Chase, Country Champions

2nd – Makayla Spoerr, Next Generation

14–16 Years Showmanship:

1st – Katelyn Swingle, Plymouth FFA
 2nd – Cailey Fairchild, Bibs & Boots
 3rd – Sarah Smith – Richland Round-Up
 4th – Dailynn Dawson, Country Champions
 5th – Michael Vogt, Shelby FFA

11–13 Years Showmanship:

1st – Tristen Dawson, Country Champions 4-H
 2nd – Westen Rehberg, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 3rd – Finlay Rowlands, Next Generation 4-H
 4th – Madelyn Moore, Rusty Riders 4-H
 5th – Tanner Beer, Richland Round-Up 4-H

8–10 Years Showmanship:

1st – Lydia Hawkins, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
 2nd – Natalie Adkins, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
 3rd – Beau Blanton, Next Generation 4-H
 4th – Raylan Hendricks, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H

Novice B Showmanship:

1st – Emerson Docherty, Richland County Livestock Lovers 4-H
 2nd – Carson Secriskey, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 3rd – Jack Stephens, Rusty Riders 4-H
 4th – Leland Reeder, Country Pals 4-H

Novice A Showmanship:

1st – Josiah Schmitt, Clear Fork Colts & Fillies 4-H
 2nd – Tyler Smith, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 3rd – Emma Blanton, Next Generation 4-H
 4th – Aiden Schmitt, Clear Fork Colts & Fillies 4-H

Alpaca Show

High Point – Kaley Bowman, Wild-n-Free 4-H
 High Point Runner-Up – Carson Abbott, Ring Raiders 4-H

Junior Showmanship:

1st – Kaley Bowman, Wild-n-Free 4-H
 2nd – Anna Irwin, Triangle T 4-H
 3rd – Asher Clark, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H

Intermediate Showmanship:

1st – Katie Crider, Ring Raiders 4-H
 2nd – Sarah Turner, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
 3rd – Vanna Burns, Shelby FFA
 4th – Lily Clark, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
 5th – Nataleigh Welch, Ring Raiders 4-H
 6th – Cayden Burns, Ring Raiders 4-H
 7th – Bailey Tridico, Shelby FFA
 8th – Sean Funk, Ring Raiders 4-H

Senior Showmanship:

1st – Carson Abbott, Ring Raiders 4-H
 2nd – Arica Uplinger, Country Clovers 4-H
 3rd – Kat Lindenberger, New Edition 4-H

Junior Obstacle:

1st – Kaley Bowman, Wild-n-Free 4-H
 2nd – Anna Irwin, Triangle T 4-H
 3rd – Asher Clark, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H

Intermediate Obstacle:

1st – Katie Crider, Ring Raiders 4-H
 2nd – Nataleigh Welch, Ring Raiders 4-H
 3rd – Sean Funk, Ring Raiders 4-H
 4th – Lily Clark, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
 5th – Bailey Tridico, Shelby FFA
 6th – Cayden Burns, Ring Raiders 4-H
 7th – Sarah Turner, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
 8th – Vanna Burns, Ring Raiders 4-H

Senior Obstacle:

1st – Carson Abbott, Ring Raiders 4-H

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2nd – Kat Lindenberger, New Edition 4-H
 3rd – Arica Uplinger, Country Clovers 4-H

Rabbit Show

Grand Champion Market Rabbits: Kensley Burrer, Blackfork Friends 4-H
 Reserve Champion Market Rabbit: Courtney Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H

3rd place champion – Rylie Davidson, Country Clovers 4-H
 4th place champion – Jalana Lawhun, All Star Gang 4-H
 5th place champion – Sadie Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 6th place champion – Ty Dawson, Country Clovers 4-H
 7th place champion – Wyatt Biglin, Red & Gray Gang 4-H
 8th place champion – Maria Knight, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H

Pro Showmanship:

1st – Katrina Beer, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 2nd – Sadie Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 3rd – Anna Blanton, Next Generation 4-H
 4th – Shelby Van Pelt, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
 5th – Madison Montgomery, Blackfork Friends 4-H

17-18 Years Showmanship:

1st – Katrina Beer, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 2nd – Megan Lindenberger, Plymouth FFA

14-16 Years Showmanship:

1st – Sadie Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 2nd – Lillian Heydinger, That Udder Club 4-H
 3rd – Jena Lafon, Shelby FFA
 4th – Carson Secriskey, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 5th – Aubrey Holly, Triangle T 4-H

11-13 Years Showmanship:

1st – Madison Montgomery, Blackfork Friends 4-H
 2nd – McKinnley King, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
 3rd – Ava Irwin, Triangle T 4-H
 4th – Finlay Rowlands, Next Generation 4-H
 5th – Abigail Secriskey, Richland Round-Up 4-H

8-10 Years Showmanship:

1st – Mia Mullens, New Edition 4-H
 2nd – Levi Rabquer, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
 3rd – Molly Mutchler, Next Generation 4-H
 4th – Trevor Stacy, New Edition 4-H
 5th – Kaiden Lee, That Udder Club 4-H

Novice B Showmanship:

1st – Shelby Van Pelt, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
 2nd – Addison Shura, Shelby FFA

Novice A Showmanship:

1st – Anna Blanton, Next Generation 4-H
 2nd – Beau Blanton, Next Generation 4-H
 3rd – K. Sanders, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 4th – W. Owens, Richland Round-Up 4-H

Breeding Rabbit Champion: Katrina Beer, Richland Round-up 4-H
 Reserve Champion Breeding Rabbit: Anna Blanton, Next Generation 4-H

Sheep Show

Grand Champion Market Lamb: Hayden Harriman, Clear Fork FFA
 Reserve Champion Market Lamb: Mariah Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

3rd place champion – Natalie Korbas, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 4th place champion – Shelby Bays, Next Generation 4-H
 5th place champion – Ethan Staley, Clear Fork FFA
 6th place champion – Kelsey Snyder, Shelby FFA
 7th place champion – KC Cooke, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 8th place champion – Ethan Staley, Clear Fork FFA

Pro Showmanship:

1st – Reece Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
 2nd – Ethan Staley, Clear Fork FFA

3rd – Shelby Bays, Next Generation 4-H
 4th – KC Cooke, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 5th – Bryson Bays, Next Generation 4-H

17-18 Years Showmanship:

1st – Ethan Staley, Clear Fork FFA
 2nd – Mariah Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

14-16 Years Showmanship:

1st – Reece Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
 2nd – Natalie Korbas, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 3rd – Abby Snyder, Shelby FFA
 4th – Isabelle Temple, Richland County Livestock Lovers 4-H
 5th – Kelsey Snyder, Shelby FFA

11-13 Years Showmanship:

1st – Shelby Bays, Next Generation 4-H
 2nd – Karlie Walp, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 3rd – Kayne Cooke, Shelby FFA
 4th – Brinley Korbas, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 5th – Alivia Fritz, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H

8-10 Years Showmanship:

1st – KC Cooke, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 2nd – Tynley Cook, Great Expectations 4-H

Novice B Showmanship:

1st – Sara Hoffer, Great Expectations 4-H
 2nd – Ky Pamer, Clear Fork FFA
 3rd – Rylie Lane, Lucas FFA

Novice A Showmanship:

1st – Bryson Bays, Next Generation 4-H
 2nd – Landon McFarland, Great Expectations 4-H



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3rd – Ava Estep, Farmhand Friends, 4-H
 4th – Kaiden Lee, That Udder Club 4-H
 5th – Whitney Barrett, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H
 Grand Champion Ewe: Reece Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
 Reserve Champion Ewe: Hayden Harriman, Clear Fork FFA

Style Revue Awards

Best of Show: Marissa Barciz, Next Generation 4-H
 Reserve Style Revue Best of Show: McKinnley King, Freedom Wranglers 4-H

Junior Model: Audrey King, Freedom Wranglers 4-H

Class Winners:

Sew for Others: McKinnley King, Freedom Wranglers 4-H

Sew Fun:

1st – Marissa Barciz, Next Generation 4-H
 2nd – Mariah Barciz, Next Generation 4-H
 3rd – Audrey King, Freedom Wranglers 4-H

Swine Show

Grand Champion Market Hog: Morgan Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
 Reserve Champion Market Hog: Morgan Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
 3rd place champion – Carson Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
 4th place champion – Madison Boyer, Lucas FFA
 5th place champion – Lane Schuster, Great Expectations 4-H
 6th place champion – Hayden Harriman, Clear Fork FFA
 7th place champion – Kendra Walp, Rusty Riders 4-H
 8th place champion – Emerie Van Dine, Rusty Riders 4-H

Pro Showmanship:

1st – Jace Craner, Richland County Livestock Lovers 4-H
 2nd – Morgan Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
 3rd – Cadence Fairchild, Shelby FFA
 4th – Lane Schuster, Great Expectations 4-H
 5th – Meredith Wolf, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H

17-18 Years Showmanship:

1st – Jace Craner, Richland County Livestock Lovers 4-H
 2nd – Trayden Schumacher, Rusty Riders 4-H
 3rd – Natalie Channing, Plymouth FFA
 4th – Emma Parsons, Shelby FFA

14-16 Years Showmanship:

1st – Morgan Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
 2nd – Kennedy Studer, Shelby FFA
 3rd – Taylor Wolf, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H
 4th – Kendra Walp, Rusty Riders 4-H
 5th – Hayden Harriman, Clear Fork FFA

11-13 Years Showmanship:

1st – Lane Schuster, Great Expectations 4-H
 2nd – Carson Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
 3rd – Makenzi Mills, Blackfork Friends 4-H

4th – Riley Canterbury, Red & Gray Gang 4-H
 5th – Karlie Walp, Rusty Riders 4-H

8-10 Years Showmanship:

1st – Lillian Muntis, Red & Gray Gang 4-H

Novice B Showmanship:

1st – Saige Guegold, Farmhand Friends 4-H
 2nd – Allison Roll, Shelby FFA
 3rd – Emerson Docherty, Richland County Livestock Lovers 4-H

Novice A Showmanship:

1st – Meredith Wolf, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H
 2nd – Kash Cooke, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 3rd – Easton Parsons, Rusty Riders 4-H
 4th – Bryson Bays, Next Generation 4-H
 5th – Griffin Thrush, Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H

Small Equine Show

Showmanship – 14 and over

1st – Sofia Johnson, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
 2nd – Alaina Stone, Kickin' It Kountry 4-H
 3rd – Molly Parks, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 4th – Zada Marquis, Freedom Wranglers 4-H

Showmanship – 13 years and under

1st – Izaiah Reynolds, Triangle T 4-H
 2nd – Courtney Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 3rd – Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H

Trail in Hand – 14 years and over

1st – Molly Parks, Richland Round-Up 4-H
 2nd – Alaina Stone, Kickin' it Kountry 4-H

Trail in Hand – 13 years and under

1st – Izaiah Reynolds, Triangle T 4-H
 2nd – Courtney Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 3rd – Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H

Jumper

1st – Alaina Stone, Kickin' It Kountry 4-H
 2nd – Courtney Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 3rd – Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
 4th – Molly Parks, Richland Round-Up 4-H

Hunter

1st – Alaina Stone, Kickin' it Kountry 4-H
 2nd – Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
 3rd – Courtney Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H
 4th – Molly Parks, Richland Round-Up 4-H

Ground Driving

1st – Alaina Stone, Kickin' it Kountry 4-H
 2nd – Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
 3rd – Courtney Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H



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Ground Driving – Reinmanship

- 1st – Sofia Johnson, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
- 2nd – Alaina Stone, Kickin’ it Kountry 4-H
- 3rd – Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H

Bribery Barrels

- 1st – Sofia Johnson, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
- 2nd – Zada Marquis, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
- 3rd – Courtney Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H
- 4th – Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
- 5th – Molly Parks, Richland Round-Up 4-H

Horse Smarts

- 1st – Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
- 2nd – Sofia Johnson, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
- 3rd – Zada Marquis, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
- 4th – Molly Parks, Richland Round-Up 4-H
- 5th – Courtney Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H

Mystery

- 1st – Courtney Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H
- 2nd – Sofia Johnson, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
- 3rd – Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
- 4th – Molly Parks, Richland Round-Up 4-H
- 5th – Zada Marquis, Freedom Wranglers 4-H

Simon Says

- 1st – Sofia Johnson, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
- 2nd – Courtney Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H
- 3rd – Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
- 4th – Zada Marquis, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
- 5th – Molly Parks, Richland Round-Up 4-H

Showman of Showmen Contest

Showman of Showmen Winner: Hayden Harriman, Clear Fork FFA (goats)

Other Participants:

- Katrina Beer, Richland Round-Up 4-H (rabbits)
- Ryleigh Chase, Country Champions 4-H and Shelby FFA (poultry)
- Jace Craner, Richland County Livestock Lovers 4-H (swine)
- Cameron Guegold, Farmhand Friends 4-H (horse)
- Ethan Staley, Clear Fork FFA (sheep)
- Hayden Williams, Great Expectations 4-H (beef)

2022 Recognition Program Awards

Blooming Leader Award: Bryson Bays, Next Generation 4-H

Richland County Junior Fair Scholarships:

Richland County Agriculture Society \$250 recipient: Aubrey Hoffman, Lucky 4-H’ers

Richland County Women’s Auxiliary \$250 recipient: Hailey Eldridge, Ring Raiders 4-H

Donald Garrison Memorial Scholarship \$500 scholarship recipient: Aubrey Hoffman, Lucky 4-H’ers

Lonnie and Paulette McFarland Memorial Scholarship \$500 scholarship recipient: Hailey Eldridge, Ring Raiders 4-H

Outstanding Junior Fair Board Members

AJ Roll (Shelby FFA), Evan Stuart (Crestview FFA), Katie Crider (Ring Raiders 4-H), Caroline Tilton (Muddy Creek Clovers 4-H), Cailey Fairchild (Rusty Riders 4-H and Shelby FFA), Katelyn Messmore (Blackfork Friends 4-H) and Carson Abbott (Ring Raiders 4-H and Shelby FFA)

Gymkhana (Contesting) Horse Show

Senior Gymkhana Champion: Maddie Strouth, Branded Pony 4-H
Reserve Senior Gymkhana Champion: Monae Leedy, Branded Pony 4-H

Junior Gymkhana Champion: Adalie Miller, Country Clovers 4-H
Reserve Junior Gymkhana Champion: Jessica Hall, Branded Pony 4-H

Herdsmen Awards

Alpaca:

Individual: Sara Turner, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
Club/Chapter: Ring Raiders 4-H

Feeder Calf/Beef Breeding:

Individual: Ashley Markley, All Star Gang 4-H
Club/Chapter: Kickin’ It Kountry 4-H

Goat:

Individual: Kate Trumpower, Kickin’ It Kountry 4-H
Club/Chapter: Farmhand Friends 4-H

Horse:

Individual: Elizabeth Enix, Neighhh Not Today 4-H
Club/Chapter: Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H



Photo by Jenna Wolford

RICHLAND COUNTY JUNIOR FAIR ROYALTY — King Carson Abbott, Second Runner-Up to Queen Hailey Eldridge, Queen Caroline Tilton and First Runner-Up to Queen Kelsey Snyder.



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KELSEY SNYDER presents a ribbon to Carson Secrisky during the awards ceremony Saturday, Aug. 13.

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Poultry:

Individual: Macey Parks, Richland Round-Up 4-H
Club/Chapter: Richland Round-Up 4-H

Rabbit:

Individual: Jacob Shade, Freedom Wranglers 4-H
Club/Chapter: Lucky 4-H'ers

Sheep:

Individual: Maxtyn Fritz, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
Club/Chapter: Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H

Steer:

Individual: Cameron Guegold, Farmhand Friends 4-H
Club/Chapter: Rusty Riders 4-H

Swine:

Individual: Kendra Walp, Rusty Riders 4-H
Club/Chapter: Rusty Riders 4-H

Honor Project 4-H Members

Carson Abbott, Mariah Barciz, Marissa Barciz, Bryson Bays, Kaley Bowman, Asher Clark, Katie Crider, Hailey Eldridge, Sawyer Eshelman, W. Owens, Finlay Rowlands, Carson Secriskey and Sarah Smith

Outstanding 4-H Members

Carson Abbott, Natalie Adkins, Mariah Barciz, Marissa Barciz, Bryson Bays, Shelby Bays, Kaley Bowman, Vanna Burns, Asher Clark, Katie Crider, Hailey Eldridge, Sawyer Eshelman, Grace Fry, W. Owens, Finlay Rowlands, Carson Secriskey and Sarah Smith

Outstanding Market Livestock Exhibitor

Feeder Calf: Nicole Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
Goat: Tynley Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
Poultry: Cailey Fairchild, Bibs & Boots 4-H
Rabbit: Sadie Howarth, Bibs & Boots 4-H
Sheep: Ava Estep, Farmhand Friends 4-H
Steer: Nicole Cook, Great Expectations 4-H
Swine: Kendra Walp, Rusty Riders 4-H

Skill-a-rama Results

Best of Show: Mariah Barciz, Next Generation 4-H
Reserve Best of Show: Devin McGugin, All Star Gang 4-H

Class Winners:

Needlework or Sewing: 1st – Marissa Barciz, Next Generation 4-H
Woodworking: 1st – Devin McGugin, All Star Gang 4-H
Metals: 1st – Asher Clark, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H

Art Work:

1st – Sara Turner, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
2nd – Molly McGugin, All Star Gang 4-H
3rd – Mariah Barciz, Next Generation 4-H

Skilled Favorite:

1st – Mariah Barciz, Next Generation 4-H
2nd – Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts 4-H
3rd – Marissa Barciz, Next Generation 4-H

Outstanding Exhibitors

Carson Abbott, Ring Raiders, Alpaca
Carson Abbott, Shelby FFA, Market Beef
Jillian Adkins, Country Clovers, Market Goat
Julia Auck, Wild-n-Free, Clothing - Clothes for Middle School
Marissa Barciz, Next Generation, Horseless Horse
Marissa Barciz, Next Generation, Clothing - Sew Fun
Bryson Bays, Next Generation, Market Lamb
Katrina Beer, Richland Round-Up, Market Rabbit
Katrina Beer, Richland Round-Up, Breeding Rabbit
Nicole Beverage, Blackfork Friends, Vet Science - Cutting Edge
Anna Blanton, Next Generation, My Favorite Things
Kaley Bowman, Wild-n-Free, Health - Staying Healthy
Kaley Bowman, Wild-n-Free, Foods - Star Spangled Foods
Madison Boyer, Kickin' It Kountry, Breeding Swine
Ryleigh Chase, Shelby FFA, Market Broilers

Ryleigh Chase, Country Champions, Breeding Poultry

Asher Clark, Ganges Happy Hearts, Arcs and Sparks
Asher Clark, Ganges Happy Hearts, Alpaca
Lily Clark, Ganges Happy Hearts, Beekeeping
Jack Cotter, Farnhand Friends, Self-Determined
Aubrey Crain, Clear Fork Colts & Fillies, Horse
Jace Craner, Richland Co Livestock Lovers, Market Hog
Katie Crider, Ring Raiders, Alpaca
Katie Crider, Ring Raiders, Horse
Kaylee Dabney, Richland Round-Up, Get Started in Art
Emma Dailey, Bibs & Boots, Scrapbooking
Dailynn Dawson, Country Champions, Breeding Poultry
Lucas Distl, Rusty Riders, Market Rabbit
Lily Eckenwiler, Great Expectations, Foods - Let's Begin Cooking
Luke Eckenwiler, Great Expectations, Foods - Let's Begin Cooking
Hailey Eldridge, Ring Raiders, Market Broilers
Hailey Eldridge, Shelby FFA, Market Goat
Elizabeth Enix, Neighhh Not Today, Horse
Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts, Self-Determined
Sawyer Eshelman, Ganges Happy Hearts, Market Rabbit
Kayla Evans, Richland Round-Up, Ohio Birds
Mahsii Gamble, Wild-n-Free, Dog Obedience
Maylanna Gamble, Wild-n-Free, Dog Obedience
Evelyn Gerber, New Edition, Foods - Let's Begin Cooking
Mia Gledhill, Neighhh Not Today, Horse
Kailey Hale, Triangle T, Photography
Lydia Hawkins, Freedom Wranglers, Self-Determined
Lydia Hawkins, Freedom Wranglers, Photography
Lillian Heydiner, That Udder Club, Market Rabbit
Sarah Hoak, Country Clovers, Woodworking
Sadie Howarth, Bibs & Boots, Market Rabbit
Ava Irwin, Triangle T, Photography
Ava Irwin, Triangle T, Market Rabbit
Courtney Kissinger, Clover Clan, Health - You're the Athlete
Reagan Kleman, New Edition, Foods - Let's Start Cooking
Natalie Korbas, Bibs & Boots, Market Lamb
Natalie Korbas, Bibs & Boots, Breeding Sheep
Zoe Kuhn, Next Generation, Market Goat
Thalia Kurtzman, Neighhh Not Today, Get Started in Art
Rylie Lane, All Star Gang, Market Lamb
Bergan Leonhardt, New Edition, Breeding Beef
Bergan Leonhardt, New Edition, Market Beef
Kathryn Lindenberger, New Edition, Self-Determined
Megan Lindenberger, New Edition, Cake Decorating
Megan Lindenberger, New Edition, You Can Quilt
Megan Lindenberger, Plymouth FFA, Market Rabbit
Grace Mayer, Bits-n-Bridles, Photography



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Norah Cochran, 10, and Jessica Hall, 9, both of Bellville

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Emma McCallister, Next Generation, Self-Determined
 Izabel McDermott, Triangle T, Photography
 Maeve McDermott, Triangle T, Self-Determined
 Josephine McNary, Ganges Happy Hearts, Market Rabbit
 Josie McNary, Ganges Happy Hearts, Foods - Let's Begin Cooking
 Stella McNary, Ganges Happy Hearts, Foods - Everyday Food and Fitness

Katelyn Messmore, Blackfork Friends, Market Goat
 Makenzie Mills, Blackfork Friends, Dog Obedience
 Emma Montgomery, Shelby FFA, Market Beef
 Lindsay Montgomery, Wild-n-Free, Horse
 Madelyn Moore, Rusty Riders, Market Hog
 Paige Mullins, Luckey 4-H'ers, Scrapbooking
 Lelia Myers, Freedom Wranglers, Cats - Perfect Pals
 Kaelynn Nickell, Ring Raiders, Intermediate Fishing
 Mason Nunnally, Bibs & Boots, Foods and Nutrition - Let's Start

Cooking
 Selah Ogle, Country Clovers, Foods - Let's Bake Quick Breads
 Marlee Otterbacher, Blackfork Friends, Foods - Let's Begin Cooking
 William Owens, Richland Round-Up, Not Just Knots
 Madison Parks, Richland Round-Up, Market Beef
 Alivia Potts, Ring Raiders, Market Goat
 Gracie Rodman, Richland Round-Up, Your Thoughts Matter
 Gracie Rodman, Richland Round-Up, Vet Science - All Systems Go!
 Finlay Rowlands, Next Generation, Vet Science - All Systems Go!
 Finlay Rowlands, Next Generation, Breeding Turkey
 Finlay Rowlands, Next Generation, Market Turkey
 Finlay Rowlands, Next Generation, Chicken Exhibition
 Lane Schuster, Great Expectations, Market Hog
 Abigail Secriskey, Richland Round-Up, Foods - Grill Master
 Abigail Secriskey, Richland Round-Up, Cake Decorating
 Carson Secriskey, Richland Round-Up, Nailing It Together
 Amery Sexton, Country Clovers, Market Goat
 Alex Shatzer, Shelby FFA, Market Rabbit
 Hayden Skropits, Wild-n-Free, Horse
 Sarah Smith, Richland Round-Up, Vet Science - On the Cutting Edge
 Sarah Smith, Richland Round-Up, Market Turkey
 Kelsey Snyder, Shelby FFA, Breeding Goat
 Peyton Spohn, Neighhh Not Today, Beef Feeder
 Makayla Stephens, Country Pals, Market Goat
 Lilly Stine, Ganges Happy Hearts, Pocket Pets
 Courtney Stiving, Country Clovers, Beef Feeder
 Courtney Stiving, Shelby FFA, Market Beef
 Evan Stuart, Crestview FFA, Self-Determined
 Chad Tingley, Branded Pony, Horseless Horse
 Sarah Turner, Ganges Happy Hearts, Cake Decorating
 Arica Uplinger, Country Clovers, Market Goat
 Hayden Williams, Great Expectations, Breeding Goat
 Audrey Wolford, Country Champions, Foods - Take a Break for

Breakfast



Photos By Traci Little



Tribune-Courier Sports Highlights

ONTARIO HIGH SCHOOL MEET THE TEAM NIGHT



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Tribune-Courier Sports Highlights



Local soccer players travel to Denmark to win championship title

Photos and Article By Scott Hammer

Fifteen players from four states joined forces on the All American Football Club team. Many of these players had never met each other a mere thirty days ago but spent one magical week in Hjørring, Denmark — home of one of the largest international youth soccer tournaments in the world. The majority of these players hail from right here in North Central Ohio including representation from Lexington, Ontario, Clear Fork and Ashland high schools.

This group of young ladies worked their way to a 7–0 record amassing a combined score over their opponents of 34–1. It is difficult to look back at the tournament and determine whether it was the offensive or the defensive unit that shined the most. Led by Ontario striker, and recipient of the tournament's Best Player Award, Addi Pittman led the AAFC offensive barrage in goals while still managing to facilitate the various offensive attacks that repeatedly overwhelmed their opponents.

Ella Dils of Granville, OH, was the second leading scorer in the tournament followed by Reidland, Kentucky's KK Tynes and a slew of area scorers Oaklynn Burns of Ashland, Audrey Wendling of Lexington, and Natalie Smith of Ontario.

Zoe Lamp of Clear Fork added consistent attacking pressure and a goal while Brooklyn Rider found herself contributing in multiple positions scoring a goal in the championship match versus Viking FK.

Equally as impressive was the AAFC defensive unit, allowing only one goal in the seven games. The high pressure defensive assault was spearheaded by Ontario's Braelyn Llewellyn, a trio of defenders from Lexington; Carliann Hughes, Maggie Arnett, Zoe Borowicz, and Bell Hillebrand from Metropolis, IL. Claire Hammer of Lexington served as the keeper allowing just one goal for the entire tournament.

Winning the tournament in such a dominating fashion speaks volumes to these young athletes' soccer abilities and the teams' prowess. Perhaps the more impressive experience to witness was the relationships and interactions with teams from foreign countries. As the tournament progressed, previous opponents of the girls on the field traded in their opposition for AAFC fandom and could be seen on the sidelines chanting and rooting them on. During the championship game, no less than four teams were in the stands chanting 'USA, USA, USA' and raucously celebrating the AAFC achievements.

A strong following was built on the teams' All American FC Facebook page with game updates and pictures documenting their travels, experiences and games. The championship game was streamed live via YouTube with viewership in the thousands and remains available for viewing. This tournament is an experience that the athletes and their families will never forget and is a testament that the future of North Central Ohio's soccer is in good hands.



Addi Pittman
Best Player Award

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Ontario High School Cross Country Time Trials Under the Lights



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CLEAR FORK SOCCER VS MADISON · PHOTOS BY JEFF HOFFER





Photos By Traci Little

THE BUCKEYE IMAGINATION CENTER has now opened at 175 W. 3rd St., Mansfield. The new location incorporates some of the previous museum's signature exhibits as well as new areas of discovery. Memberships are available and the new location is handicap accessible including parking, restrooms and an elevator. Admission is 14 per person age 2 and older. Family memberships start at \$129 and birthday party packages are also available. For information call 419-522-2332 or visit www.littlebuckeye.org.

Charity outing will benefit Hospice of North Central Ohio

Reflections Salon & Spa owner, Amy Forrest established a charity golf outing in memory of former owner Linda Horning in 2004 as a business team building event. Proceeds from the event are directed to a local non-profit organization. The most recent outing generated \$4,000, which will be donated to Hospice of North Central Ohio (HNCO) to support end-of-life care.

According to Amy Forrest, "so many of our families have experienced the compassionate care provided by HNCO that the idea of supporting their special mission resonated with everyone associated with this outing. Many hands go into the planning and implementation of a Charity Golf Outing, we are thankful for our many sponsors, participants, and volunteers."

Ralph Tomassi, HNCO Chief Development Officer/Senior Administrator stated, "this gift not only perpetuates the memory of a former employee and friend, but also will have an immediate impact on the quality of compassionate care delivered daily by our team of caregivers. We are indeed grateful for the support we receive from the communities we serve."

Hospice of North Central Ohio has served thousands of families with compassionate end-of-life and Palliative care, bereavement programs and services since 1988. Headquartered at 1021 Dauch Dr., Ashland, Hospice of NCO serves more than 200 patients daily in Ashland, Crawford, Huron, Knox, Morrow, and Richland counties.



LOOKING BACK • THIS WEEK IN TRIBUNE-COURIER HISTORY



"B" LEAGUE CHAMPS — front row, left to right, Ron Cooper, Ford King, Mark Bishop, Charles Mabry, Steven Dearth, Gary Dinges. Back row, Terry Baker, Mrs. Crider, scorekeeper, Don Baker, Manager, Jeff Hipsher, Randy Crider, Don Hipsher, co-manager, Bruce Boyce, and Jay Bishop, coach.



"B" LEAGUE RUNNER-UP — front row, left to right, Bob Salter, Larry DeHart, Dick Kaber, Roger Newport and Steve Sapp. Back row, Dave Gerhardt, Doug Henretta, Bob Shafer, David Sunnucks, manager, Marc Sunnucks, and Tim Erick.

This Day in History — Aug. 18, 1920: A dramatic battle in the Tennessee House of Representatives ends with the state ratifying the 19th Amendment to the United States Constitution. America's suffrage movement was founded in the mid 19th century by women who had become politically active through their work in the abolitionist and temperance movements. In July 1848, 200 woman suffragists, organized by Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Lucretia Mott, met in Seneca Falls, NY, to discuss women's rights. After approving measures asserting the right of women to educational and employment opportunities, they passed a resolution that declared "it is the duty of the women of this country to secure to themselves their sacred right to the elective franchise." For proclaiming a woman's right to vote, the Seneca Falls Convention was subjected to public ridicule, and some backers of women's rights withdrew their support. However, the resolution marked the beginning of the woman suffrage movement in America. When Carrie Chapman Catt took over from Susan B. Anthony as president of the National American Woman Suffrage Association in 1900, she prioritized the push for a constitutional amendment to give women the vote. At the outset of World War I, NAWSA urged women to prove their worth to the war effort while the National Women's Party, led by Lucy Burns and Alice Paul, engaged in civil disobedience, directly targeting President Woodrow Wilson with protests outside the White House. By March of 1920, just one more state was needed to ratify the 19th Amendment in order for it to become law. The Tennessee General Assembly took up the question in August. The State Senate voted convincingly to ratify, but the House failed to do so twice, by two votes of 48 to 48. State Rep. Harry T. Burn was one of the "nay" votes. Reportedly, he had intended to vote for ratification but had been persuaded not to by his constituents and members of his party. On the third vote, Burn changed his mind. Thanks to his single vote, the House approved the amendment, Tennessee ratified it, and the Constitution was changed to guarantee women the right to vote. On Aug. 26, the amendment was formally adopted into the Constitution.

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LEGAL NOTICE

LEGAL NOTICE

The following is a succinct summary of the legislation adopted by the Council of the City of Ontario, at their regular meeting held on August 3, 2022.

The complete text of these Ordinances may be viewed and copies obtained at the Office of the Clerk of Council, Ontario Municipal Building, 555 Stumbo Road, Ontario, Ohio, during regular business hours.

ORDINANCE NO. 22-37 - AN ORDINANCE ADDING CHAPTER 1174, PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT TO THE CITY OF ONTARIO, OHIO PLANNING AND ZONING CODE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Cathy VanAuker
Clerk of Council
City of Ontario, Ohio
(T-C 8-11,18 '22) 20L

LEGAL NOTICE

The Village of Lexington, Ohio (the "Village") invites interested firms to submit a sealed Statement of Qualifications (SOQ) for the following:

SERVICES FOR
WATER METER SYSTEM
REPLACEMENT
PROJECT NO. 22-01

Interested parties may submit Qualifications for an Advanced Metering Infrastructure (AMI) Full Service Imple-

mentation and Maintenance Program in order to improve the process of collecting monthly water utility meter data to enhance the level of service offered to customers.

The AMI Full Service Program will be implemented system wide in a short time frame, in order to maximize the benefits of the system. Interested parties are to submit qualifications for a turnkey deployment of approximately 1,900 metered accounts, followed by an ongoing maintenance program with field labor that includes network, AMI endpoints, and software maintenance as well as full service data hosting, daily notifications, and delivery to the Village.

The requirements for Qualifications including instructions, requirements, and formatting for the SOQ may be secured at the Village of Lexington, 44 West Main Street, Lexington, Ohio 44904 on or before August 25, 2022 at 12:00 pm.

Firms interested in being considered for selection should respond by submitting one original and three copies of the SOQ in a sealed envelope marked "Water Meter System Replacement" to Village Administrator, Village of Lexington. Responses received after the specified due date and time will not be considered.

Andy Smallstey
Village of Lexington, OH, Administrator
(T-C 8-11,18 '22) 47L

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held before the Council of the City of Ontario during a regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 21, 2022, at the Ontario Municipal Building, 555 Stumbo Road, Ontario, Ohio, upon a request submitted by J. Mark Investments, to rezone their property, parcel #'s: 0386021814000 and 0386021815000, at 2990 Park Avenue West, from Business to General Industry.

The City of Ontario Planning Commission has recommended in favor of these changes.

All persons interested in these issues

are invited to attend and express their views.

Cathy VanAuker
Clerk of Council
City of Ontario, Ohio
(T-C 8-11,18 '22) 22L

CITY OF ONTARIO GENERAL LABOR POSITION

The City of Ontario, an Equal Opportunity Employer, currently has an opening for a General Laborer in the Service Department. Duties may require operation of hand and power tools, heavy equipment, capable of lifting 50 pounds or more, working in inclement weather or other unpleasant conditions and call-in on short notice. Overtime is likely. A valid driver's license is required. Starting hourly rate is based on experience. We offer an excellent benefit package.

After achieving the minimum passing score of 70% candidates can receive extra consideration for proficiencies in: Backhoe, Front End Loader, Snow Plow, Zero Turn Mower, Bat Wing Mower.

Applications may be picked up at the Ontario Municipal Building, 555 Stumbo Road, Ontario, Ohio, beginning Au-

gust 15, 2022 and must be returned by September 7, 2022 at 3:00 p.m., in a sealed envelope addressed to the Civil Service Commission-General Labor Position. Applications are available online at ontarioohio.org. The Civil Service examination for General Laborer will be held Sunday, September 11, 2022, 9:00 a.m., in the Ontario Municipal Building Community Room, 555 Stumbo Road, Ontario, Ohio.

Cathy VanAuker
Clerk of Council
City of Ontario, Ohio
(T-C 8-18, 25 '22) 38L

PUBLIC AUCTION

The City of Ontario will hold a public auction on Thursday, September 1, 2022, at the Ontario Service Building, 3375 Milligan Road, at 10:00 a.m.

Items to be auctioned, but not limited to, include firewood, generator, ice machine, office equipment, office furniture, and computer equipment. The City of Ontario has the right to waive any and all bids.

Cathy VanAuker
Clerk of Council
City of Ontario, Ohio
(T-C 8-11,18 '22) 14L

Enrollment open for budget plan

Columbia Gas has announced that enrollment is open to all customers for the 2022-'23 budget plan.

During August, customers may sign up for the budget plan in one of three ways:

- Pay the "budget payment" amount on their August bill
- Enroll at ColumbiaGasOhio.com/Budget
- Call 1-800-344-4077 to speak with a customer service representative

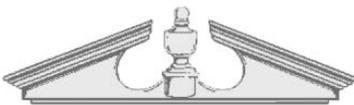
The budget plan lets customers avoid higher heating costs in the winter by spreading payments out over 12 months. The budget plan lets customers know exactly what they will pay each month, making it easier to balance personal budgets.

Once enrolled, customers will pay the "budget payment" amount listed on their monthly bill from August 2022 to July 2023. The budget payment amount will be the same each month, eliminating the guesswork for budgeting and avoiding increased heating costs during the winter season.

Accounts are reviewed and adjusted, if needed, for accuracy in March.

Each customer's budget plan amount is calculated individually by looking at their previous usage rates, 30-year typical weather and the present and estimated cost of natural gas. The budget plan is free and open to all Columbia Gas customers.

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