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Oak Glen receives donation to expand its media center

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NEW MANCHESTER - A donation from an Oak Glen High School alumnus is being touted as the essential ingredient for a refurbished and expanded school library.

More than a library, the Chaffin Luhana Foundation Media Center will combine traditional library resources with modern communications technology, school officials said on Wednesday.

"This center is going to be the center for every student to come in and to really become collegeand career-ready," OGHS Principal David Smith

The \$25,000 grant from the Weirton-based Chaffin Luhana Foundation, founded by law partners Eric Chaffin and Roopal Luhana, will be used to remodel Oak Glen's old library space and outfit

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Chaffin Luhana law partners Eric Chaffin (far right) and Roopal Luhana discuss their donation of \$25,000 to the Oak Glen High School media center on Wednesday. Looking on are Oak Glen students (from left) Solan Mueller, Zach Porter, Zoey Porter, Ryan **Cunningham and Natelie Chappell. (Photo by Stephen Huba)**

REMOVING THE HANDLE



Chester Mayor Larry Forsythe, David Spencer and other volunteers remove the handle from the "World's Largest Teapot" on Wednesday. The handle is being repaired by Bill Kell of Kell Heating & Cooling, whose father and grandfather were involved with the landmark's restoration 40 years ago. The current renovation project, spearheaded by Susan Badgley Hineman, is being done in preparation for Teapot Day on Aug. 8. (Photo by Stephen Huba)

■ WELLSVILLE

Mayor expresses frustration over grass cutting issue

By STEVE RAPPACH

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WELLSVILLE Wellsville Mayor Susan Haugh is tired of dealing with some residents not cutting their grass.

Haugh expressed her frustration with the grass cutting issue during Tuesday's council meeting after a resident inquired during the public comments portion about the village's grass ordinance, which is a six-inch height limit, and whether or not the village will mow certain lawns.

Haugh originally planned to discuss the matter later during the Mayor's Report, but after the grass ordinance inquiry was brought up, she decided then to provide comment.

"There are a few of us doing a whole lot of work," Haugh said. "A lot of good things are going on in Wellsville, and it irritates me to no end to have to stop what I'm doing, or Thom (Edgell,

"Take some pride. The rest of us are doing it, and you are going to be expected to do it as well."

~ Mayor Susan Haugh ~

village administrator) stop what he's doing, to tell a grown adult that they need to cut their grass."

The mayor explained to the guests that she was on Broadway Avenue earlier in the day and was scolded by a resident for another resident's grass being too high.

"Take some pride. The rest of us are doing it, and you are going to be expected to do it as well," Haugh said. "Your house isn't going to make the

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EAST LIVERPOOL

City man accused of sexual related crimes indicted by grand jury

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LISBON - A man accused of several sexual related crimes with a 7-year-old child was among indictments issued this week by the Columbiana County Common Pleas Court grand jury.

Erwin E. Brown, 37, Columbiana County Jail, Lisbon, formerly of Green Lane, East Liverpool, is charged with two counts of kidnapping with a specification of sexual motivation. He is also charged with attempted rape with the specifications that if the rape had been completed, it would have been with a child younger than 10 and after Brown already had been convicted of a sexual offense in 2001.

Additionally he is charged with gross sexual imposition

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BDD board approves changes

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LISBON - The changes coming in direct services for clients served by the Columbiana County Board of Developmental Disabilities were approved by the board Wednesday.

the end of 2015, Employment Development Inc. will be responsible for operating

Additionally, the board approved a similar transition at EDI-Central with Employment Development Inc. taking over all the direct services in the county by Dec. 31, 2018.

The Conflict Free Case Management mandate by the federal government demands that all of

Ohio's BDDs cease providing direct services to clients themselves in the near future. County BDDs currently both develop the plans to assist those with developmental disabilities and provide them with those services. It has been determined that doing both is a conflict of interest.

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CCCTC to receive upgrades this summer

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LISBON – The cosmetology classrooms and corridors at the Columbiana County Career and Technical Center will receive an upgrade this summer after the board approved contracts for the renovations.

The board approved the general trades contract to J.

Herbert Construction Co. in the amount of \$371,100. Additionally, the plumbing contract was awarded to JP Plumbing for \$40,900; the HVAC contract to York Mahoning for \$107,900 and the electrical contract to Graft Electric for \$214,286.

Superintendent Chuck Adkins said the reason the electrical contract was so high was due to the amount See UPGRADES, Page 5A

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OBITUARIES

Carolyn 'Sue' Sines Tarver, 67EAST LIVERPOOL – Carolyn 'Sue' Sines Tarver

of East Liverpool passed away on Tuesday May 19, 2015 at Life Line Hospital in Wintersville following a lengthy ill-

67 years old, Sue was born in East Liverpool on Feb. 14, 1948. She was a daughter of the late William Oscar Sines Jr. and Betty Underwood Beaver.

Sue had been a secretary for the East Liverpool Safety Service Director for

many years and she was a licensed home interior designer. She had attended the Ohio Valley Business College in East Liverpool and she enjoyed doing arts and crafts and

refinishing old furniture. Her husband of 23 years, who she married on Aug. 14, 1991, Gary L. Tarver survives at home.

In addition she will be deeply missed by her children, Wm. Edward Cranston and his wife Janet of East Liverpool, Randal C. Cranston and his wife Kim of Orlando, Robert W. Cranston Sr. of Florida, David T. Cranston and his wife Kathy of Orlando, and Aaron Agnew and his wife Jaime of Toledo, Ohio.; her siblings, Diana Hooper of Wellsville, Chuck Sines and wife Patty of Indiana, Tim Shultz and wife Dianna of Homeworth, Ohio., Lanny Bruce Sines of Newell, and Daniel W. Shultz and wife Debbie of Orlando; Six grandsons, two granddaughters, and five great grandchildren.

Preceding her in death were her brother David J. Shultz and her brother-in-law, Raymond Hooper.

In fulfilling Sue's wishes, no services are planned and her care has been entrusted to the Arner Funeral Chapel in Chester.

You may view this memorial and send condolences at www.arnerfuneralchapel.com.

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and unlawful sexual conduct with a minor.

On April 28, Brown allegedly convinced an older boy to help him lure a 7-year-old boy and then transported three boys to Jefferson County with the purpose of getting the 7year-old to engage in sexual activity with him. According to police reports at the time, the 7-year-old refused to cooperate and instead "kicked the guy in his bad area." Those alleged activities are the majority of the charges against Brown. The additional kidnapping charge and unlawful sexual conduct with a minor charge involve a teenager, at least 13 but less than 16. According to the indictment, Brown allegedly sometime during the spring months of 2015 also took this teenager to Jefferson County for the purpose of engaging in sexual activities with Brown.

The grand jury issued a total of 10 open indictments after hearing 27 cases. Another 14 secret indictments were issued, while the grand jury chose not to indict in three of the cases. The secret indictments will be released as they are served to the defendants.

Changes

Superintendent Bill Devon said the BDD is going to look ot different in the future, focusing instead on oversight of the services being provided to clients. He noted right now they will focus on making as "seamless" a transition as possible for the clients they are serving.

Devon provided a map showing the privatization status of different counties in Ohio as of February 2015. Of the state's 88 counties 20 were privatized at that time and another 20, including Columbiana County were discussing making changes. Columbiana County will now join five other counties listed as in the process of making changes. Some have not begun, but Devon said the transition must be completed by St. Patrick's Day 2019.

"I really think the state of Ohio (already) has the best system in the world for helping people with disabilities,' Devon said, adding while he may be saying too much, he finds it discouraging the federal government feels they need to step in and change it.

Devon said throughout the transition process, he wants to encourage anyone with questions about the changes to contact him either by stopping by his office, calling 424-7788 or emailing him at bdevonccbmrdd@spii.net.

In other matters before the board:

- Although it was hot, about 90 degrees on May 9, the first Best Buddies Walk at the Lisbon High School Track was touted as a success. The board learned the event raised \$7,317, more than the \$5,000 goal. About 124 people walked during that morning and event helped put the Best Buddies organization about 50 percent of the way toward its financial goal needed to start an Ohio chapter. Board members discussed making a few changes, but having the event again next year if they are asked. Columbiana County Board of Developmental Disability is reportedly the first county board in Ohio to host a friendship walk.
- Robert Bycroft graduation will be held at 6 p.m.,
- About 350 attended the Spring Dance this year at St. Jude's Church in Columbiana, which was catered by The Georgetown.
 - The board does not plan to meet in July.

LOTTERY NUMBERS OHIO

Day Pick 3: 938 Pick 4: 5693

Pick 3: 704 Pick 4: 8336 Classic Lotto: 24-34-35-41-

47-49 Rolling Cash 5: 1-18-23-31-

PENNSYLVANIA Day

Daily Number: 645 Big 4: 1592

Treasure Hunt: 1-7-20-22-30

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Big 4: 6419 **Cash 5:** 1-22-23-38-42

WEST VIRGINIA

Daily 3: 909 Daily 4: 6729

Upgrades

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of electrical work needed to refit the corridors with new LED lights. Additionally, he said the cosmetology lab also needs a large amount of electrical work. The hallway work will also include ceiling tiles.

Overall he said they were pleased with the bids, which came in substantially less than what the architects predicted.

In other matters:

The board approved the retirement resignations of Donna Moser, school nurse; and David Kaszmarek, the culinary careers instructor. Adkins pointed out Moser has 28 years of "very dedicate" time on the job. Kaszmarek helped open the CCCTC in 1977, according to Adkins, and has about 44 years in teaching.

Board President Mark Hudson also chimed in about how he was sorry to see the both of the retirees go.

"The guy's a gem," Hudson said. "He's a class act and he always has been."

Board member Gary Peruchetti pointed out he was at a recent event catered by the CCCTC, and Kaszmarek made his way through the crowd, personally talking to everyone there. It was also noted the students look up to him.

- The board decided not to replace Carol Henrich, a long time secretary, who retired a few months ago. They decided to reduce that position and also Kaszmarek's position. JR Straley, who was hired into culinary careers a couple years ago in anticipation of Kaszmarek's retirement will now take over the pro-
- The board approved hiring Carolyn McCune as the LPN Adult Education Coordinator for next school
- The board also approved three-year contracts with one percent base salary raises each year, insurance rates remaining the same for many of the CCCTC employees including those in the central office and the administration.
- Tuesday after the board meeting was the senior awards ceremony for high school graduates at the CCCTC. Next Wednesday at 6 p.m. will be an adult education spring graduation ceremony. The next meeting of the board will be at 7 p.m., June 16.

Center

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it with new furniture, approximately 800 new books, a mobile lab and wireless infrastructure, Smith said.

The library has been mostly unused since the retirement of longtime school librarian/media specialist Larry Shaw in 2012. At the start of the current school year, Oak Glen officials removed most of the books, putting some in storage, and began working on a plan to adapt the space for reuse as a modern media and broadcast center.

Critical to that effort, Smith said, was the hiring of English teacher Lissa Dulick and Assistant Principal Carla Carinci-Bell. Dulick has been using the area as a classroom and foresees big changes in the coming

"This incredibly generous donation will enable us to provide facilities and resources to enhance the already skilled and talented teaching that takes place here every day," she said.

In addition to Dulick, Smith and Carinci-Bell, other members of the Oak Glen media team are social studies teacher Ted Arneault, English teacher Morgan (Martin) Bricker and math and technology teacher

At a news conference on Wednesday, the media team members unveiled their concept for the media center. They described it as a "hub of the building where students and faculty can go to read, write, study, create projects, communicate and collaborate."

Arneault defined it as a "modern resource area for evidence-based learning. ... We have to expand our classroom beyond the classroom."

The center will include a circulation desk, a reading corner, bookshelves, a "collaboration area," broadcasting equipment and classroom seating. There, students will be able to do research, work as teams and improve their communication and problem-solving skills, Smith said.

"It really puts us on the path to be ahead of every curve in West Virginia," he said.

Smith said the \$25,000 gift, plus \$5,000 raised by the school, will pay for all of Phase 1 of the media center, which will open in August, and parts of Phase 2. Phase 1 includes remodeling (new flooring, design and furniture), updated database subscriptions, new acquisitions for the fiction, nonfiction and reference sections, community outreach activities, staff development and student training in media center policies, resources and database usage.

Chaffin, a 1989 graduate of Oak Glen, used Wednesday's press conference to reflect on his own education and his "blue collar" upbringing. Now a plaintiffs lawyer in New York City, Chaffin said he was the first person in his family to go to college.

"When I came here to Oak Glen, I wasn't that engaged. ... I knew that I wanted to do things in life, but I didn't really know how to do them or how to access information," he said.

Chaffin said a professor took one look at his high school grades and gently suggested that college was not for him.

Chaffin said it was a "no-brainer" to contribute to the media center effort.

"Research and communication skills are key to our law firm's success. Access to information is critically important," he said. "We see the value in teaching students these skills early, and that can happen only if they have access to appropriate materials.

In addition to expanding the media center, Oak Glen is redesigning its journalism course descriptions and curricula, Bricker said.

Journalism I will cover such topics as the First Amendment (journalism law and ethics), news literacy/newsworthiness, interviewing and information gathering, news writing, feature writing, alternative story forms, photojournalism and publication design.

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DEATH NOTICES

M. Jane Secrest

SALEM – M. Jane Medical Center.

S h e was born Dec. 3, 1933 in Salem, a daughter of the 1 a t e Edwin R. a n d

Carrie Mae (Sanders) Fitzpatrick. She was preceded in served in

death by her husband the Marine Corps during Harold "Zeke" Secrest.

Hospital and had attended services at the Damascus wife, Betty, and his daugh-Friends Church.

She is survived by two Damascus, and Jerilyn funeral home. Emig of Massillon, three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Services will be held at 1 p.m. at the Arbaugh- Martin Mitchell Pearce-Greenisen Sons Funeral Home and d i e d Cremation Services with Tuesday, Pastor Rick Brendlinger May 5, at officiating. Calling hours Essex of will be from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Friday. The Burial

Harold Frye

EAST PALESTINE -9:58 p.m., Tuesday, May 19, Elizabeth he had been a patient.

Mary Bhe Frye. He had Salem Honor Guard. been employed at the for-Tubular

Products, well as working as a carpenter

in the Beaver Falls area. He was a U.S. Air Force veteran.

He was a member of the First United Presbyterian

Mr. Frye is survived by Burial in Columbiana his wife, the former Marjorie McMillen, a son Dennis Frye, and a daughter, Denise Powers, all of East Palestine. He also leaves a brother, Norman Frye, Rowlett, Tx.; a sister, DeAngelis, Betty Cleveland; five grandchildren; and seven great grandchildren.

A son, James Harold Frye, preceded him in death.

The funeral service will be at 10 a.m., Saturday, May 23, 2015 at the Oliver-Linsley Funeral Home. Burial will follow a.m. to 1 p.m. memorial in Sylvania Hills Memorial at Eells-Leggett-Stauffer Park, Rochester, Pa. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 6-8 p.m. Friday.

Russell **Albright**

LISBON - Russell L. (Fitzpatrick) Secrest, 81, (Rusty) Albright, 88, of Salem, died at 2:32 p.m. passed away Wednesday, Monday at Salem Regional May 20, 2015 at the Vista Center in

> Lisbon. He was born May 13, 1927 in Salem, the son of the late Harold and Lena (Day) Albright. Η



the Korean conflict and She was retired from was retired from Teamster Community Local #92, Canton, Ohio.

He is survived by his ter, Karen.

The funeral will be held sons Tom Secrest of at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Youngstown and Timothy Weber Funeral Home with Secrest of Boardman, and Rev. Cindy Carlisle of the a daughter Amy Bailey of New Lisbon Presbyterian Salem. Also surviving are Church presiding. Burial four sisters Jean Keefer will follow in Lisbon and Joyce Fitzpatrick of Cemetery. Calling hours Salem, June Rogers of are 4-7 p.m. Friday at the

Robert Mitchell

SALEM

and Salem, Salem #1.

born He was will be in Hope Cemetery. Northampton County, Pa., and served in the US Navy Reserves.

He is survived by a daughter Elizabeth, and a Harold George Frye, 87, of step daughter Dottie S.R. 14, passed away at Johntony of Girard, Ohio.

Services will be held at 7 2015 at the St. p.m. Friday at the Hospital Arbaugh-Pearce-Boardman Campus, where Greenisen & Sons Funeral and Cremation Services, Mr. Frye was born Nov. Salem. Pastor DeMar will 15, 1927 in Clymer, Pa., a be officiating the services son of the late John and and military honors by the

A time of visitation will mer Babcock & Wilcox be from 6:30-7 p.m. on Friday.

Stephen D. 'Steve'

Keuper — 11 a.m. today at Dawson Funeral Home. County Memorial Park.

Gary Allen Murray — 1:30 p.m. today at Dawson Funeral Home. Burial in Locust Hill Cemetery.

Elizabeth Curry — 11 a.m. Saturday at Dawson Funeral Home, Burial in Riverview Cemetery. Visitation one hour prior to service.

Alfred Steele — 11 Funeral Home. Private graveside service and burial at Lisbon Cemetery.

In Loving Memory of Mary L. Johnson



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