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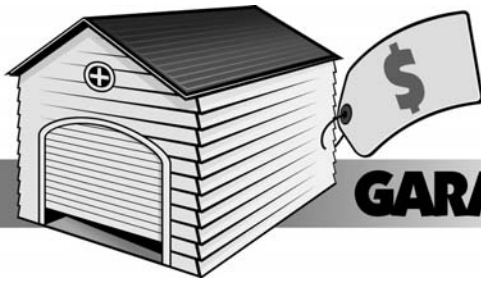
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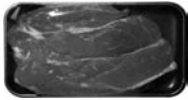
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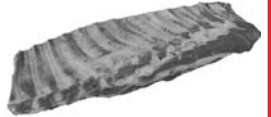
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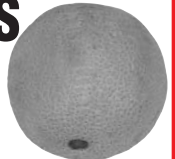
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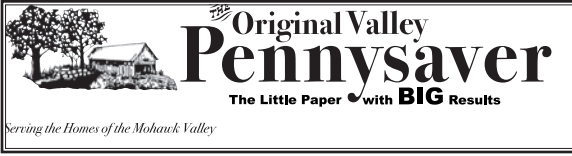


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We had an example this week of "Open Mouth and Insert Foot". One of our readers, by email, indicated that we were not very smart. In fact, accused our editor of not being very smart. She wrote that the picture on the front page of the paper was not grain but hay. In fact it was a load of oats which was grain on the way to the stationary thrashing machine. The thrasher separates oats from the remainder of the plant, which is straw. Hence = oats and straw and not hay. Other incorrect statements were offered. Sorry ma'am, better try next time. Keep on reading, but keep your shoes on your feet. You are very valuable to this publisher – you are a reader – Thanks for reading and writing.

Have you ever wondered what people thought about 50-100 years ago? Did their problems seem as serious or interesting to them as ours today?

In 1966 when we bought our farm on Cunningham Road we could hear the barge operators on the Mohawk River (Erie Canal) tooting their horns – day and night when they reached Canajoharie. With a never-ending life the barges would travel east and west carrying all sorts of products, mostly petroleum.

I doubt that they ever thought that would end. But it did when the huge oil lines connected the east coast with the oil refineries out west. I understand that there is no longer a single petroleum barge operating on the river. Who would have ever thought of it?

In the early 1800s teamsters with

their large size teams of horses controlled most of the freight east and west through New York State. I wonder if they even talked about the proposed Clinton's Ditch which the Senate passed and that by 1820 the canal barges, drawn mostly by mules, would take most of their business moving loads of products both cheaper and faster.

Then when motorized boats came into existence the little width canal no longer made economic sense and the Mohawk River became the roadway for much larger and faster motorized tugs with their barges. Again who would have talked about that?

Then the railroad with their powerful steam engines, and later the electric diesels riding on steel rails, which could handle hundreds of tons at speeds up to 50-60 miles per hour stole most of the canal business. Next entered the giant rubber tired trucks, which claimed a large part of the railroad business.

Even with all of these changes business was still brought to our valley and we continued to be a haven for both large and small places of employment.

Nearly every change in the East-West travel brought business to Upstate New York, which allowed our valley to continue to enjoy a solid industrial base for business.

Then the Great Disaster Struck: in the 1953-1954 period the Thomas E. Dewey – NY State Thruway opened up. This passage way through our state became a world of its own with its own restaurants – service areas, shops. Truckers and passenger cars could enter the thruway at the Pennsylvania Border and travel to near New York City

and never have a reason to stop and purchase anything other than Thruway products. Reverse travel heading north and then west was the same.

I believe 100 percent of all of the restaurants, shops and service stations are operated by large companies, and not one local tax-paying citizen can operate a business on that sacred ground.

That is a perfect example of what happens when government or a government organization gets so big, they only think about serving their own needs. The Thruway set out to serve itself. The entire valley, which could have had commercial exits, became merely a gateway to collect fares of passage.

The Thruway Authority wanted to hog up all of those millions of dollars, and did it, promising to eventually become a free road and never did.

Now our Thruway exchanges merely provide a place to sell tickets. So the Thruway can garner all of the business those cars, buses, trucks, motorhomes and motorcycles create.

The Thruway can even refuse to have a business sign within 600 feet of their right of way. A sign, which naturally would attract customers to our valley businesses, restaurants, motels, museums, etc.

Well, that's plenty of this chatter for one sitting. Let's see if we can enjoy a little laughter and possibly make plans together to create a bright future for our valley. Just think, if we are going to leave a better place for our kids – it's about time we get started.

A young political science major, while conducting a poll in a farm community, asked a little old lady, "Grandmother what do you think of Medicare?" "I've never tried it myself," she said, "but the lady across the street did and lost too much weight – she's now skin and bones"

In my youth pastors were often paid with chickens, vegetables, eggs or fruit, as money was scarce. One day the Pastor met a downhearted parishioner who confessed, "I have stolen a chicken, would you care to have it?"

"Absolutely not my son," said the pastor. "You must return it to the man you stole it from."

"I tried," he said "but he refused to take it."

"In that case" the Pastor said, "You might as well keep it yourself."

"Thank you reverend," he said.

That night the Pastor's wife said, "One of our chickens is missing."

Well I've got writer's cramp – so until some other time stay healthy and happy. As the old hymn says - I found a friend in Jesus – He's everything to me. If you will open your heart to him he will come in. Try church on Sunday it could become the best hour of your life.

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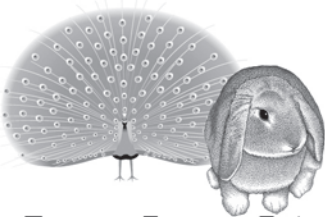
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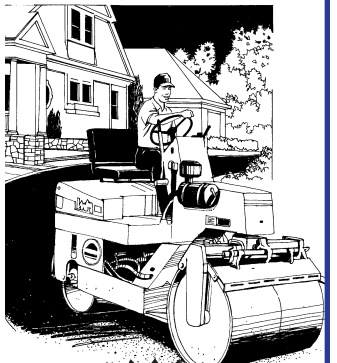
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Intended for sale as scrap when the new town hall was built the newly formed Root Historical Society pleaded that the abandoned building be saved. Despite misgivings that the neglected building could ever be gainfully used again the Root town council agreed to conditionally lease the structure to the society for \$1 per year. The town council pledged that if suitable repairs could be made to the building at no cost to the town within 5 years permanent ownership would pass to the historical society.

Since receiving the lease volunteer society members have replaced a rotting sill, removed unsafe wiring, installed missing windows, contracted for a new roof, sanded and refinished flooring, and painted both the interior and exterior of the building. When fully refurbished the building will display documents and artifacts

relevant to the history of the town. Although the building has little architectural significance the simple wooden structure mirrors the plain style of a rural community that favored practicality over ornamentation.

"The history of Root spans three centuries," says Albert Sakowicz, president of the Root Historical Society, "Our banner illustrates the progress of the town from fortified homesteads of the 1700s through the canal era of the 1800s to the agrarian economy of the 1900s. We've had residents like 11 year old Jacob Dievendorf who was taken prisoner by a Tory raiding party in 1781, was tomahawked when he tried to escape, survived and told his tale until he was 90. We've had men like Enoch Ambler who was granted a patent for a hay and grain cutting machine but was denied fame and riches when Cyrus McCormick improved on Ambler's design and became the man to revolutionize American agriculture.

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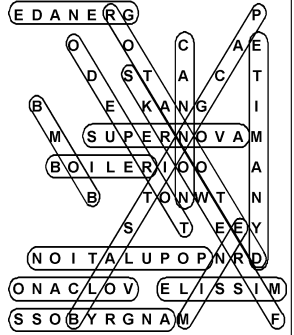
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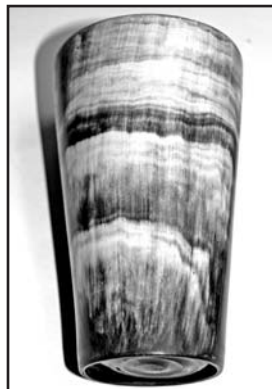
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A very special thank you goes out to the Canajoharie-Fort Plain Elks for hosting the event, to Walt Maaser and "Spike & the Boys" for providing the entertainment, to the Kane & Whiteman Families for their work on the chicken barbecue, to Blair Downes for donating all of the rolls, to Bruce & Sandy Bowers for generously donating their half of the 50/50 raffle to the fund, to Russell Hurteau for jumping in at the last minute to make sure that the beverages were flowing properly, to the Mohawk Valley Pennysaver for printing of the flyers, to Supply Wagon Rentals for the tents, and to the Canajoharie Fire Department for the tables & chairs. We would also like to personally thank the committee members who worked tirelessly to plan, organize and work so diligently for the success of the Benefit.

A very heartfelt thank you goes out to everyone who donated food, gift baskets, raffle items, money, and/or their time to the Benefit. The list of names and businesses is extensive; we are overwhelmed by your generosity.

Thank you also to everyone who was able to take the time to attend the Benefit and support the Scholarship Fund. We hope that you enjoyed the food and events of the day while helping us celebrate Bo's life & helping us ensure that his name lives on through the yearly scholarships.

We would also like to take this opportunity to extend our most sincere thank you to our family and friends, Bo's dear friends, Rev. Nancy Ryan and the Fort Plain Reformed Church, the staff of Houghtaling and Smith Funeral Home, and the entire community for their love, support and kindness throughout these difficult months since Bo's passing. It is challenging to put into words how we feel; please know that we truly appreciate every act of kindness and support that has been extended to our family.

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by Sally-Jean Taylor

I believe that we have a need to keep. Dress modes, auto bodies, recipes, colors of the season, hobbies... you name it; we always looking for the next new thing. Just as redwork embroidery was a product of science, penny rugs (actually table and mantel covers) were a product of new a new technology which allowed felt to become widely available by 1870. In addition, the post-war economic depression prompted women to felt their own old wool blankets, uniforms and coats by agitating the material in hot water. Felt could be applied without the edges unraveling. It was then cut into circles, perhaps utilizing the oversized pennies of yesteryear and other objects, then layered small to large using the blanket stitch.

The migration of this needlework came at a time when trains took families on visits

to distant points and Godey's Lady's Book circulated information and patterns. Let us not forget the letter, mainstay of communication between family and friends. As with any other technique, patterns and styles evolved.

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FLOWER - Darling 3 month old female tiger. Found on Dillenberg Road on July 30th.



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Crowds attend ‘Standing Strong: A River Through Time’ fundraiser

by Elizabeth A. Tomlin

A day of events organized by the Mohawk Valley Collective (MVC) and benefiting flood victims in Fort Plain and Van Hornesville, took place in locations surrounding Canajoharie and Fort Plain on Aug. 10.

Live music by well-known area bands, such as, The Dependents and Spike and the Boys were featured, along with historic tours including a tour of the Underground Railroad and West Hill School in Canajoharie and the Unity Hall in Fort Plain. Nellis Tavern in St. Johnsville and the Windfall Dutch Barn in Salt Springville also hosted programs for the day.

T-shirts depicting the Mohawk Valley Collective were sold, a farmers market, antique and craft fair and a chicken barbecue were held at the Arkeel Museum & Library, while in Haslett Park, Fort Plain, an ice cream social took place and 13 vendors sold goods to benefit the fundraiser.

Theresa Travis and Stephanie Rogers manned a booth in Haslett Park where the Masons' had donated barbecued chicken dinners with all of the trimmings for \$10. "100 percent of the proceeds go to the flood victims," acknowledged Travis. "You can also donate a dinner to a flood victim if you don't want it yourself."

Two-year-old Mary Pomatto and her mother Renee stopped to visit the booth. "We were flooded out," said Renee, whose family resided on Reid Street in Fort Plain. "We lost everything

on our first floor." The family, which includes four children, is currently living in a camper until they make other arrangements.

Donnie Schoff, an American Legion Volunteer, sat in the dunking booth — that is when he wasn't in the water, which he was much of the time, as many would-be pitchers threw balls that found their mark; dunking him repeatedly. The St. Johnsville Fire Department had donated the dunking booth for the cause.

"This weekend we had various fundraisers and events across several villages and many historic sites to help with local flood relief efforts," said Mohawk Valley Collective founder, Tolga Morawski. "None of this would have been possible without the large group of volunteers that gave freely of their time to make it all happen and the tremendous support of the people that came out to tour, raffle, have barbecue, enjoy music, and so much more."

Morawski pointed out that people came from far and wide to volunteer and support the event. "As far off as Saratoga and Albany to the East and Syracuse to the West. All in all, it was a very inspiring day!"

Morawski reported that the event raised approximately \$3,000 for the flood relief.

To make a donation to the flood relief effort, contact Michael Raphael, regional lead from the Red Cross on the Otsquago/Fort Plain area flooding at michael.raaphael@redcross.org.



(From left) Fort Plain Nice n' Easy manager/ Spike & the Boys vocalist Walt Maaser, Spike & the Boys guitarist Pat Clark, and Libby and Ted Arndt watch the Dependents perform in Haslett Park, Fort Plain.

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Thirteen vendors sold goods to attendees at Haslett Park in Fort Plain benefiting flood victims.



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Although dark colors are traditional for weddings, dark, heavy fabrics will absorb the sun's rays, making the groom and his groomsmen uncomfortable. Even when a warm-weather wedding takes place largely indoors where it is climate controlled, many couples choose to have the ceremony outdoors, where they pose for photographs as well. The groom and his groomsmen will want to be comfortable during these times, and the right suit and fabric can make all the difference.

Linen and cotton are all-natural fabrics that are made from plant fibers. They are much lighter weight than wool, and linen and cotton suits may be more comfortable. But linen and cotton are highly prone to wrinkling, and a wrinkled suit will not present well in a formal setting. Cotton and

linen may be best reserved for informal weddings or those that will be taking place outdoors or beachside. Seersucker suits are made from cotton in a unique weaving pattern that lets air ventilate through the material. Seersucker suits may be most popular in the southeastern United States, but they can be worn anywhere the weather is warm. Many of these suits are manufactured in a gray, blue and brown striped pattern. Again, due to the lightweight fabric, you will feel cool. For less formal weddings, a seersucker suit may fit.

A khaki suit or a tan one may work better if the wedding is more formal. Ensure the accessories are in place to make this look work. The suit should fit well and be tailored appropriately. Sharp creases in the pants and a crisp shirt and tie can complete the look. If the groomsmen are in coordinating suits, a tan or khaki color will not look out of place. If a full suit still feels too stiff, a nice blazer paired with a complementary colored trouser may be appropriate for a less formal affair.

Some grooms want to err on the side of caution and stick with a classic suit or tuxedo. In such instances, grooms may want to

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Bridal

Cont. from Previous Pg. investigate lighter weight wools. Such suits won't be as confining as a heavier suit. Grooms wearing a tuxedo may want to choose a white tuxedo. A white tuxedo will look pristine and fit with a formal theme. And the white will reflect the sun and be cooler without looking casual.

A groom who does not mind a midday wardrobe change can opt to wear a standard suit or tuxedo and plan to change later

on for the reception. He can coordinate with his new bride and step into something more comfortable for dancing and enjoying the ensuing party. This allows for formality when the moments call for it and comfort later on in the day.

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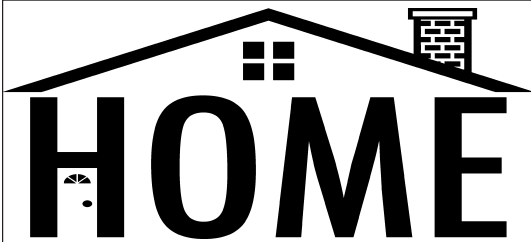
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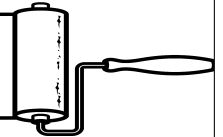
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JUL 2 - AUG 31

Cooperstown Farmers' Market

Noon - 5 pm. 8 vendors feature local food and artisan products. Located at 101 Main St., Pio-

neer Alley, in Cooperstown, NY. Snap Program EBT services. For more information, call 607-547-6195 or visit www.otsego2000.org/farmersmarket

AUG 1-31

Arkell Center News and Events for August
Arkell Center, Canajoharie, NY. Programs for all Area Seniors at Arkell Center for the month of June are as follows:

- **Mondays - Fridays:** Noon. Meals are provided by the Meals of Montgomery Program. Reservations are required by noon of the previous day. Call 673-2000 or 843-2300. (Suggested donation is \$3 for those 60 years of age or older).
- **Mondays & Wednesdays:** 10-10:30 am. We have a Senior Exercise Program for the summer. Come join us.
- **Wednesdays:** 3-4 pm. Gentle Yoga/Chair Yoga with instructor, Patty P. continuing thru the sum-

mer.

• **Thursday, Aug. 29:** 1-3 pm. Second Time Around band practice, visitors welcome.

• **September 28:** Defensive Driving Schedule. 8:30 am to 3 pm. We still have openings. Call Joan at 673-4408 for reservations.

SPECIAL EVENTS

• **August 21 & 28:** 12:45 pm. Senior Citizens Public Card Party, Donation - \$2, prizes & light refreshments. If anyone plays Pinochle & would like to sub call Terry at 518-673-5635.

• **August 22:** 2-3 pm. Alzheimer's Dementia Caregivers Support Group will be meeting. This service is sponsored by the Alzheimers Assoc. of Northeastern NY. Welcome all.

Church Directory

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Ames - Sprout Brook UMC
613 Latimer Hill Rd.
Ames, NY 13317
518-673-2265
Rev. Dr. Campbell Laker
Sunday Service 9:30am

Cherry Valley Assembly of God
37 Alden St., Cherry Valley,
607-264-3306
Pastor David Carpenter, Jr.
Sundays 9:30am

Christian Church of Charleston Four Corners
1380 E. Lykers Rd., Sprakers
518-922-9088
Pastor Brett Popp
Sunday School (adult & children) 10am,
Worship 11am,
Sunday Eve. Prayer 6:30pm,
Thurs. Eve. of Encouragement 6:30pm
www.christianchurchcharlestonfourcorners.org

Church of Christ Uniting
PO Box 896
Richfield Springs, NY 13439
Rev. Mark Ioset
315-858-1553
Service: Sunday 9:15am
Church School: Sunday 10:30am

Church of the Nazarene
3316 State Route 29 W
Johnstown, NY 12095
Offices: 518-762-2982
Cell: 857-523-8417
Pastor, Rev. Mark Fowler
Sunday Morning Service 11:00am
Sunday School for All Ages 10:00am

Cornerstone Baptist Church
7274 St. Hwy. 10, Ames
518-673-3405
Sunday School 10am, Adults & Children
Morning Worship 11am, Youth Ministry
5:45pm, Evening Worship 6pm,
Wed. Bible Study & Prayer Meeting 7pm,
Awana Club 6:15-8:15pm

Currytown Reformed Church
829 St. Hwy. 162, Sprakers
518-922-8422
Rev. Donald Hoaglander
Sunday School 9:15am
Worship Service 10:00am

Dolgeville Christian Fellowship
3 Elm St., Dolgeville, NY 13329
315-429-9142
Dr. Marvin Isum, Pastor
Worship Sunday 10:30am
Midweek Fellowship Tuesday 7pm
www.dolgevillechristianfellowship.org

Dolgeville United Methodist Church
21 N. Helmer Ave., Dolgeville
Pastor: Rev. Diane E. DiLuzio
315-429-7381
Worship 11:00am
Sunday School @ 9:30am beginning
September 18th
Bible Study - Wednesdays @ 12:30pm

Emmanuel Episcopal Church
588-594 Albany St., Little Falls, NY
315-823-1323
Sunday Mass 10am
Coffee Hour following Sunday Mass
Sunday School & Youth Group
Tuesday 10am Mass & Bible Study
Friday 10am-2pm Thrift Shop

Ephratah Reformed Church
140 Co. Hwy. 140, Ephratah, NY
To live and share Jesus Christ both locally and globally.
Everyday, Everywhere, Everyone.
Pastor Jeff Hindrieter
Sunday School for all ages
10am September-June
Sunday Morning Worship 11am
Prayer & Praise Thursdays 7pm

Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd
26 Moyer St., Canajoharie
518-673-3440
Holy Communion Sundays at 9:30am
Fellowship Time to Follow
Call for Holy Day services
The Rev. Virginia L Ogden, Rector
churchgood@frontier.com

Everlasting Joy Believers Fellowship
66 Hancock St., (Rte. 5S)
Fort Plain, NY 13339
315-858-2112
Pastor Carolee Coye
Sunday Service 10am

Faith, Hope and Love Christian Fellowship
18 W. Grand St., Palatine Bridge
518-673-5128
Rev. David W. Bowley
fhl@frontiernet.net
Sundays 11:30am,
For other service times please call

First Baptist Church
Springfield Center, NY
Rev. - Gary Tyler
Sunday School 10:00am
Morning Worship 11:00am
Sunday night Worship 6:00pm
Wed. night Bible Study 7:00pm
Free meal & music every
2nd Sat. of the month 4-7pm

Fonda Fultonville United Methodist Church
11 Montgomery St., Fultonville
Pastor Nancy Pullen • 853-3311
Sunday Morning Worship 9:15-10:15,
Sunday School 9:15-10:30, Coffee
Fellowship Following Service
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Fordsbush Bible Church
131 Clark Rd., Fort Plain
518-568-7606
Pastor Kevin Kever
Sunday School 10am, Morning Service
11am, Eve. Service 6pm, Wed. Service
6:45pm, Thurs. Visitation 6pm
www.fordsbushbiblechurch.com
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Fort Plain United Methodist Church
39 Center St., Fort Plain
Rev. Alan Griffith
Church Office 518-993-3863
Parsonage 518-993-3645
Office Hrs Tues & Thurs. 10am-4pm
ALL WELCOME,
Worship Service 11am

Freysbush United Methodist Church
Freysbush Rd., Fort Plain
518-993-3645
Rev. Alan Griffith, Officiating
Worship 9am,
Sunday School 10am ALL ARE WELCOME
coffee hour to follow service

Fultonville Reformed Church
Corner of 5S & 30
Pastor Jane Hubschmitt
Sunday School 10AM
Family Worship 10:30AM

Calendar of Events

- **August 23:** 1 pm. Senior Citizens Club Picnic. Bring a dish.
- **August 26:** 7 pm. Valley Bells Performance. Open to the public, come and enjoy.
- **August 27:** 11:15 am - 12:15 pm. Blood Pressure Clinic. Home Health Care Partners Corp. (Co-Sponsored by St. Mary's & Nathan Littauer Hospitals). In addition to conducting the blood pressure clinic the Home Health Care Partners Corp. also provides health & wellness information.
- **August 30:** 12 noon.

Meals of Mont will be serving Labor Day Special, BBQ Chicken Breast, Baked Beans, Corn, Dinner Roll & Banana Parfait. Call 518-673-2000 or 518-843-2300. (Suggested donation is \$3 for those 60 years of age or older).

AUG 13-18

Herkimer County Fair
Queen Pageants, Talent Show, Idol Contest and Demo Derby. Demo Derby held on Aug. 16 and drivers must be at least 18 years old. Queen Pageants held Aug. 13 with girls of different age groups from 4-17 and

boys from 4-12. Idol contest try outs are Aug. 4 at the Fairgrounds with semi and finals held during the fair. Talent Show is Aug. 17 with any age and talent. All events require pre-registration and acts are limited. The Herkimer Co. Fair is joining with other County Fairs across the nation to "Dream Big" and help feed the hungry. Fairgoers are asked to bring in non-perishable food items to the fair and receive a chance to win daily prizes & a grand prize at the end of the fair. We are looking for businesses to donate items or gift certificates to give out each day at the fair. The food will be distributed after the fair to the food banks of the Mohawk Valley. Call

315-895-7464. On Internet at www.herkimercountyfair.org

AUG 17

Free

Clothing Giveaway
Valley Alliance Church, State Hwy. 5, east of Nelson, NY. 9-11:00 am. Doors open at 8:45 am. Refreshments will be provided.

AUG 19

Monthly Meeting of the Salisbury Historical Society
1805 Frisbie House. 6:30 pm.

AUG 21 & 27, SEP 4 & 11

Community Evenings of Hope & Thanks
London Tower's Gazebo, 100 West Main St., Ilion, NY. The community is invited to enjoy an

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Grace Christian Church
20 Center St.,
St. Johnsville, NY 13452
Rev. Harry J. Teuchert
315-866-8626
Sunday School 9:30am
Worship 11:00am

Grace Episcopal Church
32 Montgomery St., Cherry Valley
315-858-4016
Fr. Kyle Grennen, Priest-in-Charge
Sunday 11:00am Holy Communion/sermon

Grandview Baptist Church
15 Washington St.
Fort Plain
Pastor Dan West
Sunday School 10am
Morning Service 11am
Bible Study & Prayer Meeting,
Wednesday 6:30pm

Holy Family Parish
Little Falls, NY
315-823-3410
Saturday 4pm
Sunday 10:30am

Joy Fellowship
296 Co. Hwy. 119
St. Johnsville, NY 13452
518-568-3217
William Hayes Pastor
Joyce Loughran Assistant Pastor
Sunday School 9am, Morning Worship 9:30am
Wednesday Evening Worship 6:30pm

Lassellville United Methodist Church
State Hwy. 29
Pastor Robert A. Lindsay
Worship: Sunday 9:30am
Sunday School to start soon

Lighthouse Baptist Church
1524 St. Rt. 29A, PO Box 114
Stratford, NY 13470-0114
315-429-8854
Pastor Martin Smith
Sunday Morning Worship 10:30am; Wed. Eve. Prayer Meeting 6:00pm; 2nd & 4th Sunday Dinner following Morning Service with Afternoon Service following dinner
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Marshville Evangelical Church
Route 10 South
Rev. David Bowley
Worship Sunday 9am

National Kateri Tekakwitha Shrine and Indian Museum
3636 St. Hwy. 5, PO Box 627
Fonda, NY 12068-0627
518-853-3646
Weekly Masses: Sat. 4:30pm, Sun. 10:30am
friars@katerishrine.com
www.katerishrine.com

New Hope Christian Fellowship
32 Spencer St., Dolgeville, NY 13329
Pastor Pat Andreoli
315-429-3630
NewHopeChristianFellowship.net
Sunday School 9:30AM
Worship Service 10:30AM

Oppenheim United Methodist Church
Route 29
Pastor: Rev. Diane E. DiLuzio
315-429-7381
Worship 9:30 Sundays,
Totally Awesome God-TAG time 6:30pm
Wednesdays beginning in Oct. Sunday School 9:00am beginning September 18th

Our Lady of Hope R.C. Church
115 Reid St., Fort Plain, NY 13339
Parish Office 518-993-3822
ourladyofhope@frontier.com
Pastor: Father Dennis Murphy
Mass Schedule: Saturday, 4pm; Sunday, 8:30am & 11am; Mon.-Thurs. 8:30am.
Confessions: Sat. 3 & by appointment
Please call parish office for Holy Day schedule

Paines Hollow United Methodist Church
Intersection of 167 & 168, Paines Hollow
Pastor Peg Donaghy
518-568-7604
Sunday Worship 9:00AM
Fellowship Hour to Follow

Randall Christian Church
NY Rte. 5S
Sunday Service 10am
Pastors
Winston Hallett & Carl Hawver

Reformed Church of Canajoharie
15-19 Front St., Canajoharie
518-673-2816
Rev. Miriam Barnes
Worship 10am, Nursery Provided, Christian Education for children & adults 9am

Reformed Church of Fort Plain
165 Canal St., Fort Plain, NY 13339
518-993-4302 • fortplainrca@yahoo.com
Rev. Nancy E. Ryan
Sunday Worship 10:30am,
AA meetings on Tues. 7pm,
Home of Manna House Meals, A Community Meal Program-Sat. & Sun 5pm

Reformed Church of Sprakers
112 Sprakers Hill Rd
Mark Tiffany, Preaching Elder
Worship ~ 10AM

Richfield Springs Bible Church
19 Church St
Richfield Springs, NY 13439
Rev. David Tosi
315-858-0564
Sunday School (all ages) 10am
Worship Service 11am & 7pm
Wednesday - Prayer & Praise
Call for info on various Youth Ministries
www.richfieldspringsbiblechurch.org

River of Jubilee Church
5057 State Highway 5 S
Sprakers, NY 12166
Pastor: Gail Adamoschek
Pastor: Steve Adamoschek
518-322-1427 / 518-224-4455
Sunday Service 10:00am
Children's Church Available
Other Learning Opportunities Available
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Seeker's Fellowship
14 Park Place
St. Johnsville, NY 13452
518-568-7700
Pastor Mike Yezierski
Sunday Worship 6pm, Tues. Prayer 7pm,
Bible Study 7pm (Wed., Thurs. & Fri.)
We teach the fullness of God's Word, a life of holiness for the believer, and salvation for all who trust in Christ's sacrifice.

Calendar of Events

encouraging message of hope, music, sign a thank you for Ilion Fire & Police Depts and first responders, donate non perishable items for the Ilion/Frankfort Pantry and enjoy free food. Please bring a chair.

- Aug. 21- 6-8 pm serving root beer floats
- Aug. 28- 6-8 pm serving hot dogs
- Sept. 4- 6-8 pm serving fruit smoothies
- Sept. 11- 6-8 pm serving cake and presenting thank you's to the departments. Donations of non-perishable items to benefit the local food

pantry would be appreciated. Food is free until it's gone. On Internet at ilionchurch.com

AUG 24

All Day Christian Concert
Dolgeville Central High School A. Contact Bobby Pierce, 315-868-5815.

Fifth Annual Reign Fest: NY
Dolgeville Central School auditorium, 38 Slawson St., Dolgeville, NY. 2-10 pm. Grammy nominated "The Rhett Walker Band" headlines this year's amazing lineup, that includes hot new artist

"All Things New," ReignFest mainstay "Everyday Sunday" with special guest "Grant Woell," along with Christian rock bands "Kardia," "Life Band," "Deeper Still" and the "New Hope Worship Team." The event's guest speaker will be Pastor Dave Hayner. Tickets are \$15 in advance and \$17 at the door. Group pricing is available. For tickets and information, call 315-868-5815 or e-mail bobby@rpkpsportingoods.com. You can also follow ReignFest: NY on facebook.

AUG 25

55th Annual Silas G. & Sarah E. Bowerman Family Reunion
Wiles Park, Fort Plain, NY (look for the pavilion). Hosted by the Douglass

families. Dinner at 1 pm with a pig roast. Don't forget the auction. Bring your own table settings, beverages and a dish to pass.

AUG 27

Hydroelectricity on the Mohawk River
Enders House, adjacent to the Schoharie Crossing State Historic Site Visitor Center, 129 Schoharie St., Fort Hunter, NY. 6:30 pm. All are welcome to attend. The meeting and lecture are both open to the public. For more information about this event or how to join the Friends of Schoharie Crossing, please call the Visitor Center at 518-829-7516. For more information about New York State Parks, visit our website

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St. John's & St. Mark's Lutheran Church
143 Church St., Canajoharie
518-673-2224
Pastor Zach Labagh
Sunday Worship 11am,
Christian Ed. 9:45am
stjstm@frontiernet.net

St. John's Lutheran Church
774 St. Hwy. 163, Freysbush, NY
518-421-1027
Sunday Worship 9:30am, Sunday School 10:30am,
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St. John's Reformed Church
68 W. Main St., St. Johnsville
518-568-7396
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Sunday Worship 10:30am

St. Johnsville Methodist Church
7 East Main St.,
St. Johnsville, NY 13452
Rev. Harry J. Teuchert
518-568-7983 • 315-866-8626
Worship Sunday 3pm

St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church
31 North Helmer Ave., Dolgeville
315-429-8338
Father Guy N. Vo
Sunday Mass is 10:30am,
Daily Mass Mon. & Wed. 8am

St. Mary's Episcopal Church
7690 Rt. 80, Springfield Center
315-858-4016
Fr. Kyle Grennen, Priest-in-Charge
Sunday Eucharist. 9:30am
Coffee - Fellowship follows service
Holy Days - as announced

St. Paul's Lutheran Church
32 W. Main St.,
St. Johnsville, NY (next to NBT Bank)
518-568-3007 Church
518-568-2405 Parsonage
Rev. David Johnson
Sunday Worship 10:30am,
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St. Paul's Lutheran Church
36 Lydius St.,
Fort Plain, NY 13339
518-993-2040
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Church Service 11am

St. Paul's Universalist Church
565 Albany St., Little Falls
315-823-2284
Service Sunday 10am
Coffee hour following service.
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spiritual free thinkers with diverse
religious beliefs. All are welcome.

St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Community
1 Church St., Cherry Valley
607-264-3779
Masses Sunday
8:30am & 11am

Stratford United Methodist Church
Route 29A
315-429-9085
Rev. Roger Waldron
Worship 9am

The Christian Church of Rural Grove
170 Rural Grove Rd., Sprakers, NY 12166
518-922-7831
Pastor Joshua Feterhoff
pastorjosh@ruralgrovechurch.org
Sunday School (all ages) 9:45am,
Morning Service 11am, Eve. Service 6pm,
Wed.-Family Night 7pm,
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The Holy Spirit Polish National Catholic Church
618 E. Gansvoort St.
Little Falls, NY
315-823-0793
Father Rafal Dadello
Mass at 11am on Sunday
www.holyspiritpncc.org

The House of Zion, Inc.
580 Dillenbeck Road,
Palatine Bridge
518-577-3069
Pastors Richard & Denise Allen
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Worship Service 11:30am
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the 1st Sunday of every month 3pm-4pm

The Rose of Sharon Church of God
1485 St Rt 20, Sharon Springs, NY
518-284-3307
Pastor Fred Jones
Worship Service Sunday at 11am & 7pm
Tuesday night 7pm Bible Study at 122 Moyer St.
Wednesday Bible Study at Spring Meadows 6pm
Friday Youth at the Church All Welcome at 7pm

The Time for Truth Ministries
PO Box 351
Amsterdam, NY 12010
Phone 518-843-2121
Cell 518-774-8558

Trinity Lutheran Church
5430 St. Hwy. 10,
Palatine Bridge
518-673-2224
Rev. Zach Labagh
Sunday Worship 9am, Sunday School 10am,
(No services in July, meet at St. John's St.
Mark's Lutheran Church in Canajoharie).
Communion on the first & third Sundays

United Methodist Church of Canajoharie
50 E. Main St.
518-673-2717
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umc673@frontiernet.net
Communion Last Sunday of the Month

Valley Alliance Church
85 E. Main St., Nelliston
518-993-3458
Pastor Dave Prahst
Sunday School (all ages) 9:15am,
Sunday Worship 10:30am,
Wed. Praise & Prayer 7pm,
Fri. Youth Group 7pm (7-12th grade)

Victorious Life Church RMI Fellowship
104 Main St. & 431 St. Hwy. 80
Fort Plain, NY
518-993-3102
Sunday School 9am,
Morning Worship 10:30am,
Youth Group 5pm,
Evening Worship 7-8pm

Calendar of Events

at www.nysparks.com. Find us on Facebook.

**NY CONNECTS
Informational
Luncheon**

Raindancer Restaurant, 4582 State Hwy. 30, Amsterdam, NY. Topics will focus on needs of Montgomery Co. citizens with long term care needs regardless of age. Space is limited and reservations are required

by Aug. 19. Space is limited. Luncheon is free and open to the public. Contact Montgomery Co. Office for Aging, Inc., 518-843-2300.

SEP 5

**Brooks
Chicken Barbeque**

Marshville Evangelical Church, Rt. 10 South, Marshville, NY. 3:30 until sold out. Take outs

only. \$6/half. Also baked goods, beans, salad & baked potatoes. Pre-paid tickets try to pick up by 5 pm. For more info call 518-673-2394.

**SEP 7, OCT 5,
NOV 2 & DEC 7**

Acoustic Coffee House
Fultonville Methodist Church, Montgomery St., Fultonville, NY. 6:30-10 pm. Now into our 4th year, the no admission, no donation Acoustic Coffee House is open to all types of music as long as no vulgarity, doesn't offend anybody and is

SEP 14

**Class of 1963
50th Class Reunion -
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Teachers of the 1960's**
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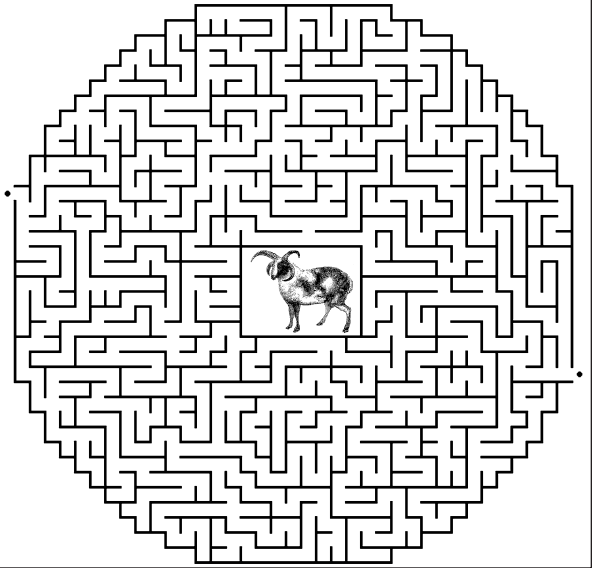
Hey kids,
Fill in this page for a chance to win \$5.00!

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 - All entries must be received no later than 5 p.m. Monday, August 26, 2013.
- Winners may pick up their \$5.00** between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday-Friday, at 6113 State Hwy. 5, Palatine Bridge, NY

August 3 Puzzle Page Winner:
Congratulations **JOHN SOPOSKI** of Jordanville, NY!

Mega Maze

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTIHOFF



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CAN YOU TRUST YOUR EYES? There are at least six differences in drawing details between top and bottom panels. How quickly can you find them? Check answers with those below.

Look for the answers to these puzzles in next week's issue!

Puzzles4Kids

by Helene Hovanec

RIDDLE SEARCH - QUIET

Look up, down, and diagonally, both forward and backward to find every word on the list. Circle each one as you find it. When all the words are circled, take the UNUSED letters and write them on the blanks below. Go from left to right and top to bottom to find the answer to this riddle: **Why is bowling the quietest sport?**

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HUSHED	O	T	U	C	A	S	N	U	K	E
MUM	H	F	I	E	I	A	N	I	A	L
MUTE	G	A	D	L	R	D	A	E	E	E
NOISELESS	E	I	E	M	L	A	C	T	W	S
QUIET	N	N	H	E	P	I	U	N	T	I
SILENT	T	T	S	M	D	M	R	F	O	O
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UNSPOKEN										
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WEAK										

Riddle answer: _____

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ANSWER KEY

How did you score on last week's puzzles?

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Differences: 1. Hair is different. 2. Bracelet is missing. 3. Handle is missing. 4. Snake's head is moved. 5. Pig is missing. 6. Lamppost is missing.

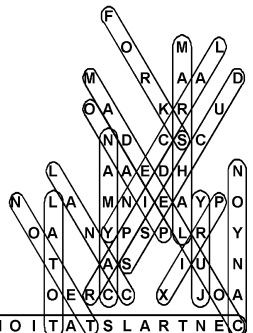
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Answer

Why do soccer players do well in school?

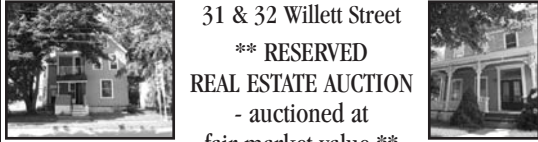
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Using tree fruits

by Dr. Leonard Perry, Extension Professor, University of Vermont

One of the joyous parts to the latter half of summer, and early fall, is the abundance of tree fruits — peaches, pears, and apples. In addition to many recipes, there are variations on fresh eating, and ways to save fruits for later.

Peaches ripen in the northeastern states from mid July to mid September, nectarines beginning in late July. If picking your own, pick peaches just before ripe and they'll still soften a bit, similar to pears and late apples. Or pick ripe if eating fresh within days. As with other tree fruits, leave the stem on the fruit. Ripe peaches last 3 to 5 days in the refrigerator.

If you can't use your peaches and nectarines right away, keep them in a cool place such as a refrigerator or cool basement. In a warm room

they continue to ripen and soon spoil. Shortcake, pie, cobbler, and salads abound when peaches are in season, and you can make fresh peach pie, sundaes, milkshakes, or ice cream. Preserve them in jams, preserves, butters, chutneys, and pickles, or even dry them. Though most cultivars can be frozen, the flavor and consistency are usually better when they are canned.

Pears ripen in most northeastern areas between mid-August and late September, as with other fruits depending on area and cultivar. If picking your own, similar to peaches pick just before ripe. If you leave pears until they are perfectly ripe to pick, they develop hard, gritty cells in the flesh and begin to rot inside, since they ripen from the inside out. Fruit should separate easily from the tree with a slight upward twist. Pick your

pears with extreme care, because if you even slightly damage the delicate skin, the fruit will spoil quickly.

A typically southern use of pears is "honey," which combines them with lemons, limes, ginger, or coconut. Other ways to eat fresh are to cut in halves, topping with vanilla ice cream, chocolate, whipped cream, and what else — a fresh cherry! Then there are tasty pear preserves, chutneys, pickles, butters and nectars. In Europe, large amounts are pressed into an alcoholic cider called "Perry", which is found here in some specialty beverage or food outlets.

Freezing pears is easy. Peel, cut in half, and scoop out the seeds. Place in a pot of water with lemon juice to retard fruit browning. Use half a squeezed lemon for every 4 cups of pear slices, or a fruit preservative like

ascorbic acid, according to label directions. Add half to 2/3 cup sugar to help preserve as well. Then place in containers, or plastic freezer bags laid flat with air squeezed out before sealing.

Apples are the last major tree fruit to ripen, with cultivars from late August to November, depending on area. If picking your own, ripe apples have a characteristic blush, separate easily from the tree (leave stems on), and when cut open you'll see brown seeds. Color when ripe is not necessarily red, as some of the best-flavored apples are yellow, green, or russet brown. "Winter" (late-ripening) apples need to stay on the trees for a few weeks after they begin to show color in order to develop their flavor. A few light frosts don't hurt these.

For ripe apples, wash and refrigerate, and they usually will last from 4 to

6 weeks. Early-ripening apples, and those described as "soft", generally don't store well. Refrigerate soon after picking, as apples will ripen 6 or more times faster if left at room temperature.

You can use apples for cooking before the fruit is fully ripe. In fact, if you are storing them you should pick before they are fully ripe. To store for later, you can freeze or dry slices. For drying, dehydrators work best, as do thin slices. Soak as above to prevent browning prior to both drying or freezing. To freeze, spread slices on a baking sheet first as with cherries, then repack in containers or freezer bags when frozen.

For apple

sauce, cook until softened or in the microwave on high power, perhaps one minute for each cup of slices. Then, for a smoother sauce process in a blender, or for a chunky sauce use a potato masher instead. Using at least some red apples with the skin still on makes a pink sauce. Use your favorite cultivar, or try mixing several for different flavors.

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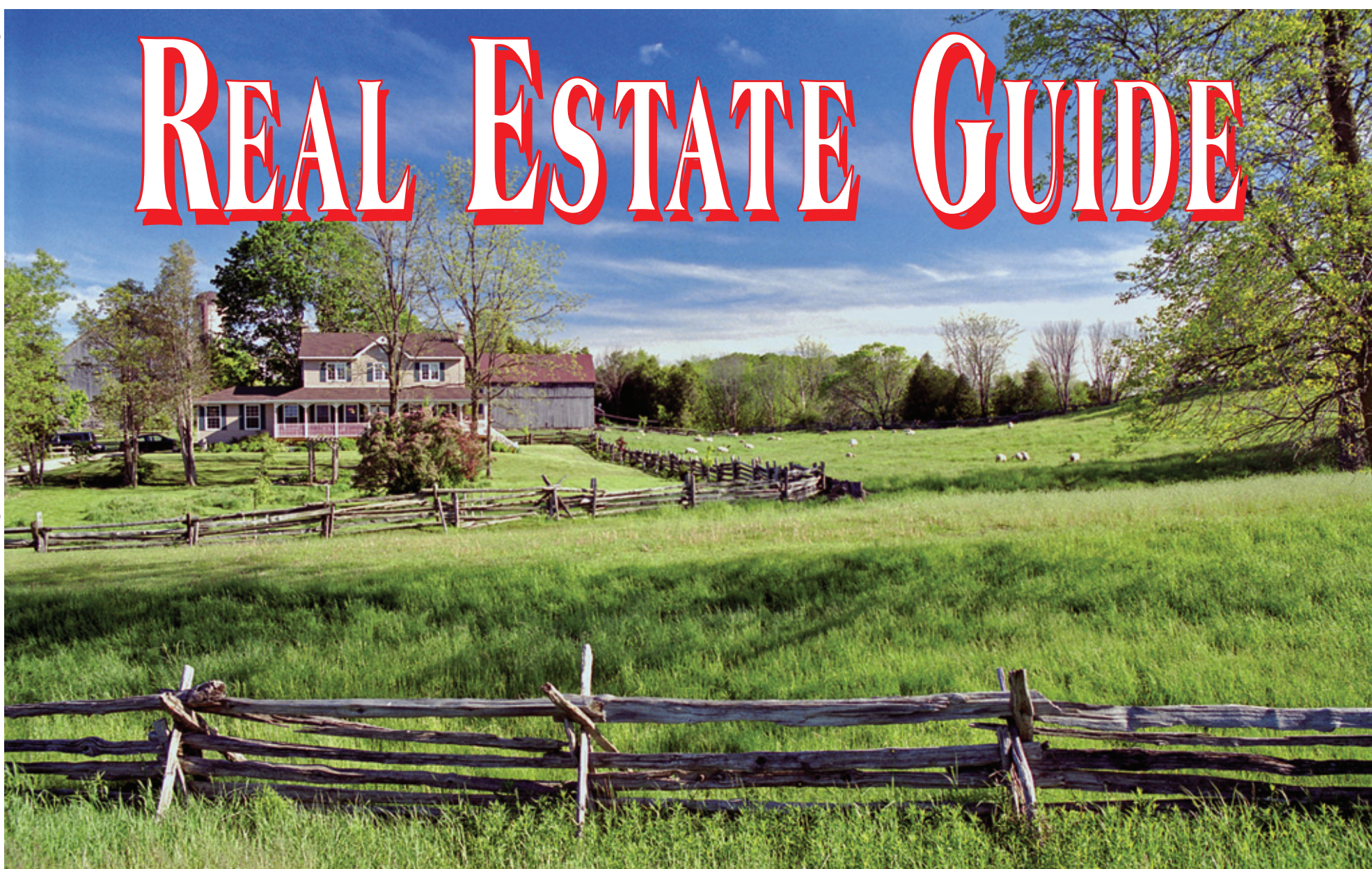
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Ten steps to a safe food kitchen

by Deb Maes, Extension Field Specialist, Food Safety

Summer has arrived and we know what that means. Family outings, vacations, food cooked on the grill, picnics at the beach or on a mountain-side after a morning hike. Our summer season is so short that we all want to make the most of it.

Something else that arrives with summer is an increase in the number of food borne illnesses. We seem to be a little less concerned about food safety when putting food into coolers, cooking hamburgers on the grill and getting food safely stored, just when we should be more careful.

Iowa State University Extension has developed 10 steps to making sure your kitchen is safe. Individually they may be small steps, but put all 10 of them together and they provide a good way to make sure the food you serve to family and friends is remembered as tasting good, not causing someone to get sick.

First, remember to keep your refrigerator at 40°F. Use a thermometer to confirm that the food is

being held at the correct temperature to slow the growth of bacteria that can make you sick. Cold temperatures also help to keep food tasting better. In addition, be sure to check your freezer temp, it should read 0°F.

Refrigerate cooked, perishable foods as soon as possible within two hours after cooking. Make it easy by dating leftovers so that they can be used within two or three days — or freeze them. If you are in doubt about whether or not a food is safe, throw it out.

Kitchen dishcloths and sponges provide a perfect breeding ground for bacteria. We recommend that you sanitize your kitchen cloths and sponges regularly by soaking them in a solution of one teaspoon chlorine bleach to one quart of water and let air dry — or throw them into your laundry.

Wash your cutting boards with soap and hot water after each use. Be careful not to allow raw meats and fish to come in contact with other foods.

Use separate cutting boards for vegetables and fruits. Consider putting your cutting boards in the

dishwasher or soaking them in a bleach solution periodically to prevent bacteria from remaining on your cutting board.

Just because you are cooking on a grill doesn't mean that you shouldn't

worry that the food is cooked enough. Use a meat thermometer to make sure that your ground meat is cooked to at least 160°F to kill off bacteria that can make you sick.



You may remember sneaking a finger full of raw cookie dough when Mom was making your favorite chocolate chip cookies. Due to the increased risk in eating foods with undercooked or raw eggs, it is safer not to indulge. Enjoy your cookies fresh out of the oven with a glass of ice cold milk instead.

Think of all the things that get put on your kitchen counters. Would you want to eat off those counters? No way. Now make sure that before you prepare any food on those counters that you clean them with hot soapy water and a spray of that bleach solution you use to keep your sponges safe.

Wash your dishes by hand and let them air dry. Using a dishtowel may merely be transferring bacteria from your cloth to your clean dishes. Remember to wash the dishes within two hours to keep bacteria from multiplying.

Wash your hands often. Use hot water and soap, scrub and rinse thoroughly. Then dry your hands on a paper towel. This is especially impor-

tant if you have been handling raw meat, poultry or fish.

The last step deals with defrosting meat. The safest way to defrost foods is in the fridge, but sometimes you want to eat sooner than later. If your food is well wrapped, put your wrapped frozen item in a container with cold water and change the water every 30 minutes. Never leave food on the counter to defrost. Think of how hot your kitchen gets during the heat of the summer; it is just the temperature bacteria love for growing quickly.

When I started teaching food safety classes there were four rules: Keep Hot Food Hot. Keep Cold Food Cold. Keep Everything Clean. When in Doubt, Throw it Out. As you can see from the above 10 steps, nothing has changed over the last thirty years. Don't be one of the 48 million people who have a food borne illness each year. Protect yourself and your family by following the ten simple steps to a safe food kitchen.

For more information about food safety go to www.befoodsafe.org

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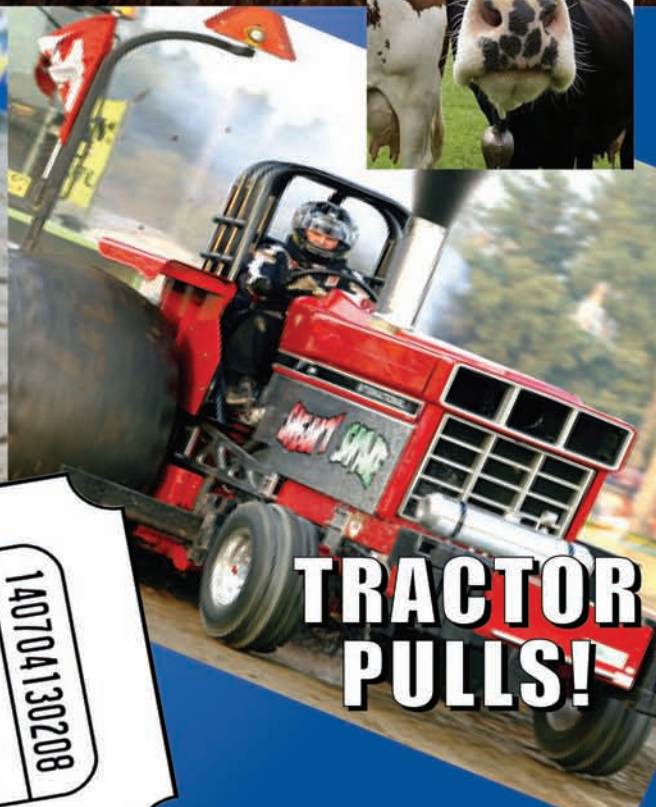
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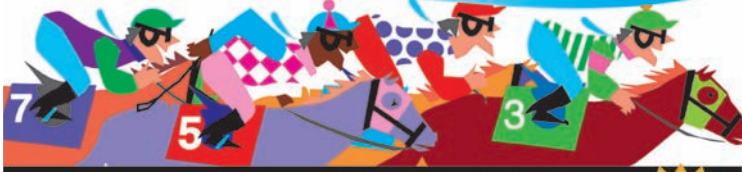
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Auto service contracts and warranties

If you're shopping for a new or used car, the salesperson may encourage you to buy an auto service contract to help protect against unexpected or costly repairs. While a service contract may sound like a good idea, it may overlap with the vehicle's existing manufacturer's warranty. So before you spend the extra money, do some research to see if an auto service contract makes sense. Coverage varies widely.

Auto service contracts 101

A service contract is a promise to perform (or pay for) certain repairs or services. Sometimes called an "extended warranty," a service contract is not a warranty as defined by federal law. A service contract may be arranged at any time and always costs extra; a warranty comes with a new car and is included in the purchase price. Used cars also may come with some type of warranty coverage.

Research your options

Auto service contracts are sold by vehicle manufacturers, auto dealers, and independent providers. If you're considering a service contract, shop around so you understand exactly what you're buying.

Do I have to buy a service contract?

You are generally not required to buy an auto service contract when you buy a car. You also are generally not required to buy a service contract to get financing. If the dealer tells you that you have to buy a service contract to qualify for financing, contact the lender to find out if this is true.

Also beware of unscrupulous dealers who may try to include an auto service contract in your loan without your consent.

Does the service contract duplicate any warranty coverage?

Compare service contracts with the manufacturer's warranty. New cars come with a manufacturer's warranty, which usually offers coverage for at least three years or 36,000 miles, whichever comes first. A service contract likely will not provide benefits until the manufacturer's warranty expires.

What is the length of the service contract?

If the service contract lasts longer than you expect to own the car, ask if it can be transferred when you sell the car and whether there is a fee, or if a shorter contract is available. If you're buying a "demonstrator" — a new car that hasn't been owned, leased, or used as a rental, but has been driven by dealer staff — ask when the warranty coverage begins and ends. It may have begun when the dealer put the car into service.

Who backs the service contract?

Find out who performs or pays for repairs under the terms of the service contract. It may be the manufacturer, the dealer, or an independent company. Many service contracts are handled by companies called administrators, that authorize the payment of claims to any dealers under the contract. If you have a dispute over whether a claim should be paid, deal with the administrator. If the administrator goes out of business, the dealership still may be obligated to perform under the contract. The reverse also may be true: If the dealer goes out of business, the administrator may be required to fulfill the terms of the contract. Whether you have any legal remedies depends on your contract's terms and/or your state's laws.

Find out if the auto service contract is underwritten by an insurance company. It's required in some states. If the contract is backed by an insurance company, contact your state insurance commission to ask about the solvency of the company and whether any complaints are on file.

Insurance regulations generally require companies to:

- maintain an adequate financial reserve to pay claims.
- base their contract fees on expected claims. Some service contract providers have been known to make huge profits because the cost of their contracts far exceeds the cost of repairs or services they provide.
- seek approval from the state insurance office for premiums or contract fees.

Check out the dealer and the administrator

with your local or state consumer protection office or local automobile dealers association to see if any complaints are on file against the company. You also can search online for complaints.

If you decide to buy a service contract through a dealership — and the contract is backed by an administrator or a third party — make sure the dealer forwards your payment and you get written confirmation.

How much does it cost?

Usually, the price of the service contract is based on the car make, model, condition (new or used), coverage, and length of contract. The upfront cost can range from one to several thousand dollars. In addition, you may need to pay a deductible.

What's covered?

Few service contracts cover all repairs. Common repairs for parts like

brakes and clutches generally are not included in auto service contracts. The best advice: If an item isn't listed, assume it's not covered. Watch out for absolute exclusions that deny coverage for any reason.

You may not have full protection even for parts that are covered in the contract. Some companies use a "depreciation factor" in calculating coverage: the company may pay only partial repair or replacement costs based on your car's mileage.

How are claims handled?

When your car needs to be repaired or serviced, you may be able to choose among several service dealers or authorized repair centers. Or, you may have to take it to the dealer you bought it from. Find out if your car will be covered if it breaks down while you're using it on a trip or if you take

it when you move out of town.

Some auto service contract companies and dealers offer service only in specific geographical areas. Find out if you need prior authorization from the contract provider for any repair work or towing services. Be sure to ask: how long it takes to get authorization, whether you can get authorization outside of normal business hours, and whether the company has a toll-free number for authorization. Test the toll-free number before you buy the contract to see if you can get through easily.

You may have to pay for covered repairs and then wait for the service company to reimburse you.

Are new or reconditioned parts authorized for use in covered repairs?

If this concerns you, you will want to know

whether the authorized repair facility maintains an adequate stock of parts. Repair delays may occur if authorized parts are not readily available and must be ordered.

What are my responsibilities?

Under the service contract, you may have to follow all the manufacturer's recommendations for routine maintenance, like oil changes. If you don't, it could void the contract. To prove you have maintained the car properly, keep detailed records, including receipts. Find out if the contract prohibits you from taking the car to an independent station for routine maintenance or performing the work yourself. The contract may specify that the dealer that sold you the car is the only authorized facility for servicing the car.

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Preserving summer flowers

by Dr. Leonard Perry, Extension Professor, University of Vermont

Have you ever wished you could enjoy the beauty of summer flowers year-round? You can, if you preserve garden flowers now while they're in their peak of bloom. Because flowers and plant parts respond differently to drying and preserving methods, you may need to experiment for best results with method and time of harvest. More than one method may work with many flowers.

Start with top quality plants. Choose fresh, unwilted, undamaged flowers and foliage from your garden, farmer's market, or cutting field at a farm stand. Collect plant materials on a warm, sunny morning after the dew has dried. Dampness encourages mold and slows the drying process.

Try to cut flowers just before they are fully opened. Always gather more material than you think you'll need for your arrangements and wreaths since some shrinkage and loss of plant material will occur. Tall artemisia or wormwood is useful as filler in arrangements and wreaths. Harvest when the seedhead is fully developed, and air dry.

Air drying is the easiest

and most popular method of drying flowers. It is generally the best method to use for flowers with strong stems such as cockscomb or celosia, globe thistle, sea lavender, liatris, sunflower, tall sedum like 'Autumn Joy', Joe Pye, and yarrow. Air dry those with small flowers in clusters such as baby's breath, larkspur, statice, salvia, or lavender. Also air dry dock, goldenrod, grasses, dusty miller, sedges, cattails, and hydrangea. Pick hydrangea when it is getting a papery feel, as picking before this stage may cause it to wilt.

After cutting the flowers, strip the foliage from the stem, then tie a few stems together with a string or rubber band. Hang upside down on a hook, clothesline, or coat hanger for several weeks in a warm, dry place with good air circulation, such as an attic, garage, or old barn. Keep out of direct sunlight, and preferably below 85 degrees (F). Flowers such as hydrangea and yarrow dry best when placed upright in a jar filled with one-half inch water that is then allowed to evaporate. If an enclosed or indoor space, you may need to use a dehumidifier on humid days.

To dry dahlias, plumed

celosia, zinnias, roses, marigolds, and other flowers with thick heads or delicate blooms, use a drying agent — borax, white cornmeal, rice, or silica gel (available at craft shops). These materials draw the moisture out of plant tissues while still retaining flower color. Others good for such such preservatives include salvia, annual larkspur, and delphinium.

Spread the drying agent about an inch thick in the bottom of an airtight container. Don't use wooden or cardboard containers, as they will allow moisture inside. You may want to use a mask if working with silica gel, and don't reuse the same container later for food.

Select blooms approximately the same size and type, and remove the foliage and most of the stem except for about an inch. Place the blooms on top of the layer, and cover completely with more drying agent. Seal the container, and place in a cool, dark place. In about a week's time, the flower petals will be dry and crisp. Gently pour off the agent, and remove the dried flowers, or remove with a slotted spoon. Spray blooms with a fixative, such as hair spray. Store preserved blooms

in an airtight container with just a bit of drying agent on the bottom. To hold the blooms upright in arrangements, use 20 or 22 gauge florist's wire.

If you want instant results, you can microwave

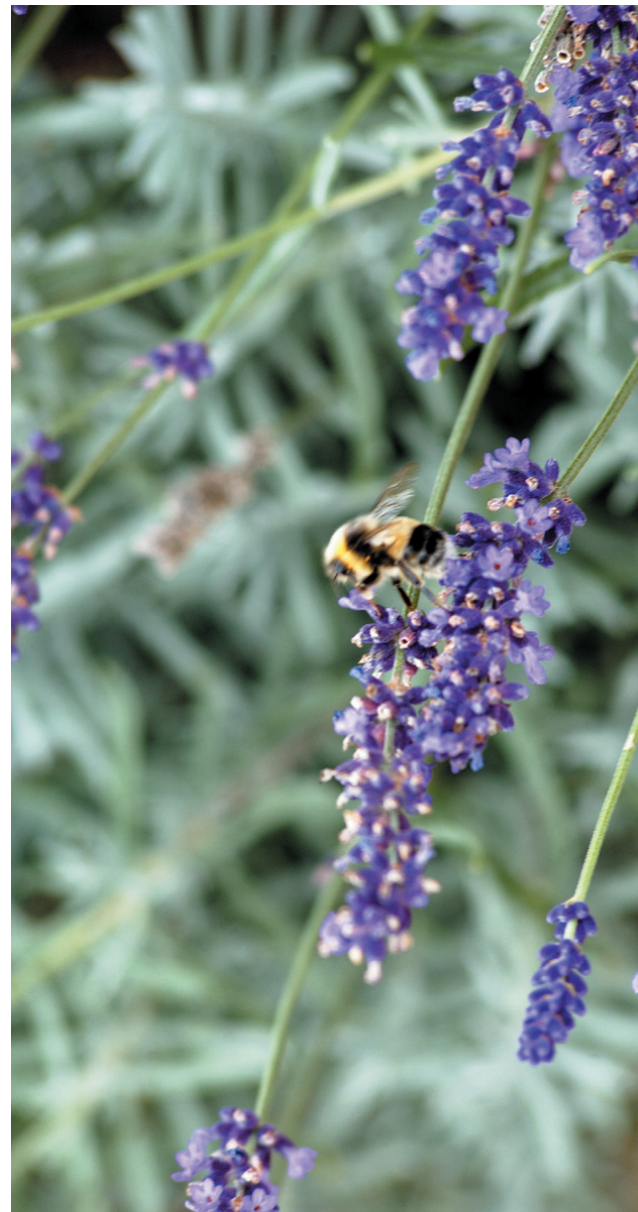
until crystals turn blue. Place a flower on the warm crystals, and cover completely with silica gel. Cook for one to three minutes, then let stand for up to 25 minutes (time depending on flower

wooden flower press or between heavy books. Flowers with fine, delicate petals lend themselves to pressing. Examples include fennel, pansy, viola, wild roses, dianthus, lavender, and alyssum. Foliage such as fennel and ferns can be pressed too. Pressed and dried birch leaves can be strung with fine wire into a fall garland.

Select only perfect specimens for pressing, but keep in mind that while orange and yellow blossoms will retain their vivid color, most blues, purples, and pinks will fade, and reds may turn a muddy brown. Leave your flowers in the press for four to six weeks. If the material is very fleshy, you may need to change the paper after the first 24 to 48 hours to prevent mold growth.

To preserve woody stems of leaves and fruit, cut the ends and place the bottom four to five inches of basal stem in a glycerine mixture until the plant has a glossy appearance and a leathery feel to all its leaves. To make the mixture, combine two parts water with one part glycerine (available at most drug stores), and blend thoroughly. Save the glycerin solution for future use by adding a few drops of bleach.

While collecting and preserving flowers and foliage, don't forget to collect non-flower items too for later decoration such as cones, acorn caps, milkweed pods, and seeds.



the flowers with silica gel in an oven-proof or glass container. Preheat one inch of the silica gel on high for one minute or

type). Or preserve summer flowers by pressing them between layers of paper towels or newspaper, in a

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By Jim McLean, owner, Jim McLean Golf School, author of the best-selling books "The Slot Swing" and "The 8-Step Swing," illustrated by Phil Franke

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