

KAYS BRANCH AND BEYOND

BY WANDA NEW

Busy and hot were the words for the annual highway 127 Yard Sale last weekend.

It wasn't too awful hot the first few days but Saturday and Sunday warmed up more. Several were set up earlier in the week so that prompted people to stop and shop early. We were certainly blessed to not get any rains all week with reports of hard rains in Lawrenceburg and Georgetown, despite the forecast of a big chance for every day in our area. We had people from places far and near, some being Baton Rouge, La., Wisconsin, Georgia, Alabama, Florida, Arizona, Indiana, Illinois, Ohio and more.

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The grass in the two fields has brown patterns where tents and trailers were sitting and trails made by thousands of feet working their way thru all the items displayed and the cars that drove thru the center and out the other end. Now we could use a rain to

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bring the brown grass back to green.

Ray's grandson Ellis set up a table of his toys on Saturday as his school had started last Monday. Ray's good friend Tim Jones came down a couple of days and they picked up Ron Holland and brought him to his first yard sale ever. He enjoyed talking to shoppers under the shade in the yard.

Charlie Schimmoeller set a few of his beautiful custom-made tables under the big tent I borrowed from him again.

Patrick Kennedy was most happy that he sold the big heavy Murphy bed he had moved down flights of steps in his sister's house when she moved. He spent about all the week on the preparation and sale, so he didn't have any entertainment news.

He took his tent apart mostly on Sunday in case of any high winds. By 4 p.m. Sunday vendors had started packing up, it had been a hard job and they were ready to get

home. There is no such thing as "sell it all" so packing up is a job, too.

My neighbor Bridget came by Sunday and bought a lot of items for her grandkids. She had volunteered to help at Frankfort's farmer's market on Saturday. as they had the ribbon cutting ceremony for the new market location and also kids day.

Fay and Jennifer made their annual 127 sale trek to Liberty and spent Friday night. Jennifer buys all year for small items to fill the Christmas shoeboxes the church sends overseas. They went to the "barn" on Jonesville Road and got stuff. They had never been on that road that Bruce talked about when he was on mail route there for years. The church group had lunch Sunday.

She has caught 2 coons and a possum in her corn field again. She said she "painted" the coons with Ky blue to determine if they returned again.

Louie Hutcherson had corn at his sale, so Barbara and I had a little corn to freeze.

Since I was not going to my lake every day to feed the ducks, they made their way the half mile to my house where they had spent 6 weeks before we took them to the lake, they were on my porch 3 evenings looking for us I guess. We had to ride them back there and feed them there.

My brothers Noel and Charles along with Don Ellis, Chris Fitzgerald, JP Cook, Mike and Jason Wainscott went on their annual boy's day out to a big car race in Florence. Noel said it was the best.

Hannah and "traveling Sarah" have spent the night in 3 different states on their way to North Carolina to attend the John Campbell Folk School Creative cooking class for a week. They drove all day Thursday and spent the night with a cousin's daughter in Atlanta and had dinner at a Persian restaurant. Friday they saw the cousin then drove to Greenville, South Carolina and had dinner with her son. They saw a double waterfall in Maggie Valley.

Earlier in the week Hannah

had met Pastor Tim and Veronice for a nice dinner in Lexington.

Sadly she had to have her cat Calvin put down last week. He was over 20 years old. She had him 3 1/2 years after she rescued him when abandoned in the January cold and needed a warm place and lots of love so he had a good life in his last years.

The Harrods were in Shelbyville Saturday afternoon to see a fiddle player and his wife who were visiting her family so they had dinner together and of course did some fiddling too.

On Sunday she took her friend Nancy to Louisville to take some craft items to her stepdaughter there. Then they met Rachel and her friend to celebrate Rachel's birthday which was Aug 4.

I hope to get my house back in order after this busy week and get my unsold stuff to different places to make best use of everything and give mother's carport back to her. I had new people wanting to sign up for a spot to set up for next year and many wanting their same places then too so I guess it was worth it all.

Don't look back. You are not going that way.

SENIOR CALENDAR

The Owen County Senior Center has a variety of events scheduled this month.

The center is located at 118 N. Main St. in Owenton. Hours are Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. until 3 p.m.

Options available daily include cards, Wii, cornhole games, puzzles, color therapy, TV, and walking and exercise equipment

Individuals can call 502-484-3139 for more information. All trips require an RSVP by a certain date. Individuals can call the center for information on the dates.

MONDAY, AUG. 17
9 a.m. coffee and chat; 10 a.m. chair yoga DVD; 11 a.m. book club; 1 p.m. walking club; 1:30 p.m. scrapbooking and craft class with Shadoe Aldridge

TUESDAY, AUG. 18
9 a.m. coffee and chat; 11 a.m. color therapy; 1 p.m. computer class with David Hill; 2 p.m. walking club

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 19
Leaving at 8:30 a.m. for the Williamstown Splash Water Park

THURSDAY, AUG. 20
9 a.m. coffee and chat; 11 a.m. word search; 1 p.m. walking club; 1:30 p.m. Three Rivers Health

FRIDAY, AUG. 21
9 a.m. coffee and chat; 10 a.m. billiards; 11 a.m. bingo with United Citizens Bank; 12 noon National Senior Citizens Day potluck

OWEN COUNTY LIBRARY CALENDAR

MONDAY, AUG. 17
10 a.m. stretch and strengthen exercise. This workout consists of gentle and dynamic exercises that are safe while challenging every fitness level. Mover every muscle for a healthy body. Join Miss Julie and follow the video on the big screen.

TUESDAY, AUG. 18
6 p.m. Tea Garden Series: Part 3. Please join Karen from Dengler Farmacy to learn more about creating your own personal tea garden using common, native, and medicinal herbs and plants. This is a four-part series from planning to growing, harvesting, and processing. For this program, learn how to harvest herbs that you grew!

THURSDAY, AUG. 20
9:30 a.m. sewing circle. Learn to quilt in a small group setting with Deborah. Bring your own sewing machine and be able to thread and sew straight seams. Make a Carpenter's Star Quilt. You will need to bring 32 ten-inch squares of fabric of contrasting colors (layer cake fabric, 2.24 yards of light background fabric, 1.5 yards of border fabric, 7.75 yards of backing fabric, and .5 yards of binding fabric. The finished dimensions will be 83x83.

10 a.m. Yoga with Esmee. Local instructor, Esmee McKee, leads our practice that connects the body, breath, and mind. Yoga uses physical postures and breathing exercises to improve overall health. She will offer modifications for many poses. Wear comfortable clothes. Bring a mat or use one of ours. Free yoga classes meet weekly at the library.

11 a.m. Walk on. Take a two-mile walk in 30 minutes with online fitness coach Jessica Smith. Follow along on the big screen in the spacious meeting room. Walking is good exercise for everyone!

6 p.m. Gordon's Gourmet. Each month, Chef Gordon shares kitchen tips, cooking techniques, and tasty recipes. Join us! Everyone welcome.

FRIDAY, AUG. 21
2 p.m. Mystery Book Club. We will discuss "1222," by Anne Holt. Retired police investigator, Hanne Wilhelm-

sen, is trapped with other train passengers in a hotel in the worst snowstorm in Norway's history. When one guest is murdered, Hanne has qualms about getting involved, having lost her career, her love, and her mobility pursuing truth and justice. Join us for this murder mystery by Norway's best female crime writer. All welcome! Pick up next month's book, "Death at the Sign of the Rook," by Kate Atkinson. Ex-detective Jackson Brodie uncovers art thefts that lead to an estate that hosts Murder Mystery Weekends. The fiendishly clever plot in this popular series honors mystery writers past and present. Join us!

MEALS ON WHEELS MENU

MONDAY, AUG. 17
Cincinnati chili with spaghetti, shredded cheese, corn and black beans, cinnamon apples, tropical fruit juice, oyster crackers

TUESDAY, AUG. 18
Turkey with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple cup, dinner roll, Lorne Doone cookie

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 19
Salisbury steak with gravy, parslid potatoes, mixed vegetables, strawberry applesauce, dinner roll

THURSDAY, AUG. 20
Pork BBQ, redskin potatoes, carrots, orange, hamburger bun

FRIDAY, AUG. 21
Boneless chicken bites, au gratin potatoes, mixed vegetables, peach cup, slice of bread

Computer classes at senior center

A learn-at-your-own-pace computer class will be held Tuesday, Aug. 18, at 2 p.m. at the Owen County Senior Center, 118 N. Main St. David Hill will teach the class

Being taught will be email basics, internet safety, using smartphones, social media, online forms, and more.

The class is free and open to the public. No experience is needed.

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LOCATION: 6995 LaGrange Road, Shelbyville, KY 40065

REAL ESTATE: PARCEL 1: 78 Acre parcel with 1,242 square foot modular home/tenant house, barn, and machinery shed. The home has three bedrooms and two baths. The land is mostly cleared and currently in crops and hay.

PARCEL 2: 3,700 finished square foot custom 5-bedroom 2.5 bath home on 5 acres, 36 x 50 metal barn/shop/storage building. This Quality home has many added features including a walk-out basement, attached two-car garage, large primary suite with whirlpool tub and walk-in shower, spacious kitchen, enclosed sunroom, large laundry area on main floor, and a family room with brick fireplace.

PARCEL 3: 179-acre crop farm with long road frontage, good crop and hay land, and access from LaGrange Road as well as Clore Jackson via an easement.

PARCEL 4: 6 acre building site on Clore Jackson Road. This is a nice building site for your rural residential home or an ideal tract to add to tract 3 for even more potential.

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