

Auditor Kovack's Weekend Update

October 11, 2017

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Greetings,

Congratulations to **Brandon Lenhard** a junior at Highland High School, who earned his Eagle Scout rank with Boy Scout Troop 511!

Congratulations to retired Army Colonel **Dave Taylor**, of Medina, who will be inducted into the Ohio Veterans Hall of Fame next month! Dave has been incredibly active within the veteran community throughout Medina County and is an outstanding selection for this honor! Medina County has at least one other veteran, Air Force vet **Lou DeLoss** in the Ohio Hall of Fame. See the **Kevin McManus** article at [The Post](#) on page 2.

Questions about tax levies on the ballot this November? Get all the information you need at the [Auditor's Website](#).

Wishing you the best for a great week.....**GO TRIBE!**

Mike Kovack

Every day is a new opportunity. You can build on yesterday's success or put its failures behind and start over again. That's the way life is, with a new game every day, and that's the way baseball is.

Bob Feller



Medina Township Trustees repeal

Medina Independent Restaurant Week



Enjoy special deals at locally owned restaurants **until October 14!** Each participating restaurant will showcase a spectacular special menu priced at \$15 or \$25. Join in the excitement by dining at participating restaurants throughout the week, post pics of their specials, and share them with Medina Restaurant Group and your friends and family using hashtag [#medinarestantweek](#) and [#dinemedina](#). As you do, you will

fire levy

Medina Township trustees voted to repeal the

2-mill fire levy Thursday at its township meeting.

"The repeal is immediate," Trustee **Bill Ostmann** said. Ostmann and **Ray Jarrett** voted for repeal. **Ken DeMichael** voted against.

The original plan was to wait on the outcome of the township's

1.4-mill additional safety services levy on Nov. 7 before making a decision on the 2-mill levy. The five-year levy on the November ballot would cost an owner of a \$100,000 home \$49 a year, according to the Medina County Auditor's Office.

If passed, the township would start collection in January. It would raise \$496,000 per year. The 1.4-mill safety services levy would be for police, fire and EMS.

The 2-mill continuous fire levy was passed in 2003. It raised \$647,300 per year. The township has ceased collection on it, as of Thursday. Ostmann said there's no need for it any longer.

"One of the things the city did when it took over (Medina Township's fire services) is look at our equipment - which is still ours - and assess it to see when we'd need new apparatus, new fire trucks," he said. "(Medina Fire Chief Bob Painter said) we

automatically be entered in a chance to win over \$1,000 in participating restaurant gift cards! [RESTAURANTS & MENUS](#)

Ladies Night Out on Medina Square

The final Ladies Night Out on Medina's Square, sponsored by **VCS Salon & Spa and Skin Care Solutions**, will be held **5-8:30 pm, Thursday, October 12**.

More than 30 locally owned and operated businesses in the historic district will be open that night and will feature shopping deals, samplings of food products and mini-makeovers. Although geared toward women, men are welcome to join the event. You can stop at the Medina County Visitors Bureau, 32 Public Square, after 5 pm Thursday to pick up a map of participating businesses and deals. Main Street Medina Facebook fans can get a sneak peek at the guide map and specials that morning. **Swag bags will be given to the first 200 guests.**



Taste of Medina County

Join **United Way of Medina County** on **Thursday, October 12** for Taste of Medina County. Weymouth Country Club at **3946 Weymouth Rd., Medina** will host the premiere networking event. Come out for a night of fun, food and philanthropy. Fabulous "tastes" will be provided by some of Medina County's favorite restaurants and highly regarded chefs such as:

- 111 Bistro
- Corkscrew Saloon
- Dancing Desserts
- Main Street on the Square
- Peppy Walnuts Sweets Boutique
- Project Sushi
- Rito's Bakery
- Rustic Hills CC
- The Center Cafe at The Medina County Career Center
- The Galaxy
- The Oaks
- Thyme²
- Westfield Country Club



wouldn't need any apparatus for another 15 years."

The city is running fire operations for Medina Township, Montville Township and the city of Medina. They've combined the fire trucks and apparatus of all three entities.

"We couldn't just let the money sit there," Ostmann said.

He said the township has about \$900,000 in its fire account. The township will pay the city \$230,000 per year to cover fire expenses.

"We have enough in our account to pay for three years," he said. "There was no reason to leave (the fire levy) on."

This story, by **Bob Finnan**, appeared in [The Gazette](#).



Medina Lacrosse Association's ex-leader accused of theft

The former president of the Medina Lacrosse Association is accused of

- Weymouth Country Club

[INFO/TICKETS](#)

Highland Foundation Wild West Night Out



All Highland parents, alumni and community friends are WANTED for a Wild West Night Out! The Highland Foundation for Educational Excellence is hosting a friend-raising party from **6-10 p.m. on Thursday, October 12** at The Lodge at Allardale, **141 Remsen Rd., Granger Township**. Bring your own beverages and join them for a fun evening with DJ and food by Dickey's Barbecue Pit, as they apprehend some known Highland community do-gooders including: Deputy **Sharon Centner**, middle school social studies teacher **Charles Franchetti**, high school principal **Carrie Knapp**, school board member **Chris Wolny** and County Auditor **Mike Kovack**. You will have the opportunity to contribute to their bail fund or keep them incarcerated. \$20 admission cost or like-valued, in-kind donation for use at their upcoming Great Gifts Dinner Auction [INFO](#)

It's A Grand Affair



Howard Hanna Real Estate Services is hosting the 2017 Medina Office Children's Free Care Fund Charity Event on **October 13 from 6 to 10:30 pm at Weymouth Country Club, 3946 Weymouth Rd., Medina**.

Howard Hanna partners with 11 children's hospitals in Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Michigan including the area's very own Akron Children's Hospital, University Hospital Rainbow Babies & Children's, the Cleveland Clinic Children's Hospital, and Metro Health System. YOU can make a difference by attending this dinner and dance, Tickets are \$50 per person, which includes a delicious dinner, lively music provided by Midnight Magic and a silent auction with 40+ assorted baskets of goodies. [MORE INFO](#)

Children's Free Care Fund

stealing tens of thousands of dollars from the organization during his tenure.

A Medina County grand jury this week indicted **Greg Bacho**, 51, of Great Smokey Circle in Medina Township, on one count of grand theft, a fourth-degree felony. An arraignment hearing is scheduled for 8:30 a.m. Thursday before Common Pleas Judge **Joyce V. Kimbler**.

Bacho, who is being held at the Medina County Jail on a \$25,000 bond, allegedly stole about \$93,000 from the association between September 2013 and February 2016 for personal use, Medina Township Police Chief **David Arbogast** said.

Arbogast said his department's investigation began last year after complaints were filed with police and the Ohio Attorney General's Office by association parents and volunteers, including **Lisa Puto**.

Puto, who volunteered for 12 years and had two sons in the program, said she acted on her "gut feeling" when she began questioning the organization's financial records.

"I asked my husband, 'How do we not have any money when they raised fees from \$85 to \$225 (for boys lacrosse)?' " Puto said Thursday. "I volunteered long enough to know something was wrong."

One of two complaints that

Chatham Apple Butter Festival



The 49th annual festival is sponsored by the Chatham Community Church and will be held, **11 am - 5 pm on Saturday, October 14 and Sunday, October 15** at the **Chatham Memorial Hall, 6299 Avon Lake Rd.**

No admission cost. Feast on home-made chili, bean soup, bratwurst, chili dogs, hot dogs, freshly made donuts, hot biscuits with apple butter. Music, country store, vendors and much more. For more info, contact Sandee LeMasters at (330) 667-2543.

2017 Fall Foliage Tour



The Fall Foliage Tour is **Saturday, October 14 and Sunday, October 15 from Noon to 5 pm both days.**

Tour Hosts

Pioneers in the Park

Take a trip back in time to **Buckeye Woods Park at 6335 Wedgewood Rd., Lafayette Township**. Demonstrations of pioneer crafts and skills, historical re-enactors, music, entertainment, great food. Free.

[INFO](#)

Geig's Orchard

Take a hayride to the pick-your-own pumpkin patch, wander through the apple orchard, or visit the farm market store fresh with local products. **8468 Wooster Pike Road in Seville**

Seville Library

Harvest Festival! See special guests, *Our Zoo to You*, pumpkin painting and more. Sunday has demonstrations from local crafters and artists, and use the libraries own Ellison machine to make your own holiday die cuts. **45 Center Street in Seville**

Seville Historical Society

Take a tour of the museum, then shop the seasonal Seville memorabilia that will be available for purchase. **70 W. Main Street in Seville**

Maple Valley Farm

were filed with the attorney general's office in late 2015 stated Bacho "refuses to show finances and audits or get a (certified public accountant) involved" and "no one knows where all the money is going."

Read **Halee Heironimus'** full story at [The Gazette](#).



Main Street Medina's new director is an old familiar face

Matt Wiederhold is already feeling comfortable behind his new desk in the Main Street Medina office in the Huntington National Bank building on Public Square.

That's understandable. After all, he was only gone for a year and a half.

Wiederhold returned to his former post as executive director of Main Street Medina on Oct. 2, taking over for **Jeremy Levine**, who parted ways with the organization earlier this summer.

The job is nothing new for Wiederhold, who joined the fledgling historic preservation and economic sustainability organization in 2008.

He left in April 2016 to take a position as director of

Visit the 100-year-old bank barn, cow barn, milking parlor, and sugar house for a tour. Learn how to milk dairy cattle and produce maple syrup. Maple syrup products will be for sale during the tour hours.

8701 Hubbard Valley Road in Seville

Skypark, Inc.

Learn about this airport's unique history. Try one of the Civil Air Patrol's hands-on simulators, or take to the sky on a scenic flight provided at \$20 per person (weather permitting). Snacks and beverages are available for purchase.

3071 Greenwich Road in Wadsworth

Wadsworth Historical Society

Step back in time as you tour the Wadsworth Historical Society's Johnson House and Museum and learn about Wadsworth's past. Also visit the Grace Lutheran Church across the street for an organ recital from 2 to 3 pm.

161 High Street in Wadsworth

Stoney Ridge Stables

View riding lessons and learn about horse showmanship from experienced trainers. Pony rides will be offered for \$5.

2010 Reimer Road in Wadsworth

Blooming Acres

Check out this plant nursery and green house. Guests can tour the hoop houses, and get information on winter garden preparation. Fall plants and decorations will be for sale.

7561 State Road in Wadsworth

Points of Interest

Mound Hill Cemetery

This is the final resting place of Captain Martin Van Buren and Anna Swan Bates- the Giants of Seville and their infant child

Sign Our Stream program- DRIVE BY ONLY

Adopt a stream or river crossings to encourage stewardship of our waterways. [MORE INFO](#)

Wadsworth Brewing Company

This family-owned and operated local business uses locally grown ingredients and a two-barrel system, allowing for a diverse variety of craft beers. Stop by and sample some of the fresh brew. (sampling fee applies)

126 Main Street in Wadsworth

Barn Talk Hops

This is a unique, family owned hop farm and processing facility that works

development for the Diversity Center of Northeast Ohio.

There, he worked on securing grants to support the center's mission of eliminating bias bigotry and racism.

"It was a deep-dive experience in grant writing. It was a whole other side of fund-raising that I wasn't as familiar with," Wiederhold said.

"It rounds out my non-profit experience, and will be helpful here, too," he said.

But while he enjoyed his work at the Diversity Center, Wiederhold found that he missed the more hands-on, day-to-day nature of running Main Street Medina.

And he missed Medina. His family had moved from Medina to South Euclid to be closer to the Diversity Center offices.

Read **Ann Norman's** full story at Cleveland.com.



with local breweries (Wadsworth Brewing Company) to supply a fresh product.

2480 Fixler Road in Wadsworth

Hazardous Waste Collection Event

The Medina County Solid Waste District is holding a hazardous waste collection event **Saturday, October 14, 8 am - 2 pm** at both the Medina County Fairgrounds, **710 W. Smith Rd.**,

Medina and the Brunswick Service Garage, **1238 W. 130th St.** Paints, household cleaners, gasoline, lighter fluid and exterminating chemicals will be accepted; medical waste, tires, antifreeze & electronics will not be accepted. [INFO](#)



Community Shred Day

The Medina County Board of Developmental Disabilities is hosting a free shred day, **Saturday, October 14, 10 am-1 pm**, at **4691 Windfall Rd., Medina**. Limited to four boxes. [INFO](#)



Dog Days at Heritage Farm

Heritage Farm at **4613 Laurel Rd., Brunswick** will host a Canine Costume Contest at **noon, October 15**, during the big Country Pumpkin Festival. Registration starts at **11:30 am**. Free admission, free parking and lots of vendors and activities. For more information, call (330)-441-0292.



OctoberBreast - Beer, Brats & Bras

Election 2017: Brunswick Board of Education

Five candidates are vying for two open seats on the Brunswick Board of Education. Incumbents **Grant Relic and Tammy S. Schebek** are being challenged by **Tina Dame, Philip D. Frate and Mary A. Weinbauer**. The candidates were asked to answer two questions, "What makes you the best candidate for School Board" and "What are the biggest challenges facing Brunswick City Schools and how would you address them?" See their answers at [Medina Gazette](#).



Canines in costume will highlight Brunswick Pumpkin Festival

Gracie Nazel may be small, but she is mighty. At 8 years old, Gracie will be

**Wednesday, October 18, 5:30-8:30 pm,
Weymouth Country Club, 3946 Weymouth Rd.,
Medina.** Sponsored by Medina County Women

Helping Women, this uplifting and supporting event benefits women in Medina County who are in need of cancer screenings. The evening features beer, brats and decorated bras, including a polka band. Tickets - \$45. For more info, contact Kathy DeLoss at (330) 416-3865.



Made in Medina County Expo

Come listen to the keynote speaker from "Disney's Approach to Leadership Excellence" over breakfast. **Food at 8 am; keynote speaker 9:30 - 11 am.** Cost for breakfast & speaker is \$40. **Tickets Free** exposition open to the public from 11 am to 2 pm at Medina County Fairgrounds Community Center, **735 Lafayette Rd., Medina..**



2017 Medina County Race Calendar



Like running? Check out the races coming to Medina County the next few weeks!

"Color Me Canavan" 5K run/walk **Saturday, October 14** at 10 am at Ella Canavan School, 825 Lawrence St., Medina. Kid's races following at 11 am. [INFO](#)

Medina County SPCA Paws for the Cause 5K & 1 mile walk, Medina Square, **Saturday, October 21, 9 am.** [INFO](#)

Monster Dash 5K and 1-mile walk, Medina High School, **777 E. Union St., Saturday, October 21, 8-10 am.** [INFO](#)

Other Events:

Saturdays & Sundays in October

the official emcee of the very first Canine Costume Contest in conjunction with the County Pumpkin Festival **Oct. 15** at Heritage Farm, 4613 Laurel Road.

Gracie's dog Speedy doesn't like to wear costumes, so that might have meant she couldn't participate. It didn't. The almost-weekly visitor to the Brunswick Farmers Market at Heritage Farm, makes bracelets and has her own company, Simply Sophia Designs.

It seemed like perfect timing - Gracie will emcee the costume contest, which **begins at noon Oct. 15** behind the big red barn.

The festival runs from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Oct. 14 and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 15.

Each day there will be more than 150 vendors selling virtually every kind of item. Some of the regular farmers market vendors will still be there with their seasonal produce and bakery; cheese and meat; handmade jewelry, wood products, food-related items, hand-painted items, vinyl records re-imagined into clocks and artwork, Halloween items and an entire Christmas shop.

Read **Sam Boyer's** full story at Cleveland.com.

The Medina County Fall Parade of Homes showcases 11 new construction homes throughout the county from **Noon - 5 pm through October 22**. Prices vary from \$240,000 to over \$1 million. [INFO](#)

Every Wednesday in October

Battered Women's Shelter & Courthouse Pizza, **2 Public Square**, Medina, have teamed up to raise funds for the Shelter every Wednesday in October. Bring [This Coupon](#) to the restaurant between noon and 7 pm and 25% of your sale will be donated to the Shelter!

Wednesday, October 11

Rob Snow will be speaking at St. Francis Xavier Church at **606 E. Washington Street in Medina**. Rob combines his background in comedy and his process for managing through his own challenges in life, including raising a child with special needs, to provide a very funny, very moving and very inspiring show for all audiences. [MORE INFO](#)

Thursday, October 11

Join the Medina County Police Activities League for a Fall Mix & Mingle, **5 - 7 pm**, Blue Heron Event Center and Patio, **3227 Blue Heron Trace**, Medina. \$40 ticket includes 2 drinks & appetizers. To purchase tickets by October 4, call Rebecca Byrne at (330) 661--0121.

Wednesday, October 11

NALS of Northeast Ohio, formerly Medina Co. Legal Secretaries Assoc., will hold a 40th anniversary Open House in **Courtroom #2 on the square at 4:30 pm**. Judge Kimbler will speak at 5:30 pm. Cake & refreshments.

Thursday, October 12

Beriswell Farms' Witches Night Out, **6 - 8:30 pm, 2200 Station Road, Valley City**. Tickets \$35 each, 3 for \$100, \$5 for \$150, 11 for \$300 (\$40 at the door). A girlfriends-night-out with corn mazes, hay rides, mountain slides, bonfire, DJ, hayride, festive food, special witch's brew, sweet treats. 100% of ticket sales will be donated to The American Cancer Society Relay for Life Cancer initiatives. For more info, (330) 571-3905.

Thursday - Saturday, October 12-14

Friends of Wadsworth Library will hold their book annual sale **Thursday preview (members only) 6-8:30 pm and 9 am - 5 pm Friday and Saturday** at the Library, 132 Broad Street.

Friday, October 13

Medina Ghost Tours and Dinner are at **6:30** with participants meeting at Main Street Cafe, **17 Public Square**. Guests will enjoy Chef Garry's infamous dinner creations and enjoy ghostly tales and photos with your host, Psychic Sonya Horstman. After dining, the brave group walks to haunted places where ghosts are still being reported. Dinner at **6:30 pm**,



Top Dog Essay Contest open to all Medina County 4th graders

Is your family's dog something to bark about?

If so - and if you have fourth-graders in your home - now is the time for them to start writing their entries for the 23rd annual Top Dog Essay Contest sponsored by the Medina County Auditor's Office.

"Medina County loves their animals, and we are delighted we get to see some of that love shine through each year from our fourth-graders," Auditor **Mike Kovack** said.

"We get hundreds of essays every year, running the gamut from hilarious to heart breaking," he said.

"Writing about one's dog often inspires students in a way that other assignments don't. It is a wonderful opportunity for teachers to tap into an area of real interest for children and help teach composition and grammar in the bargain," Kovack said.

Essays are due to the Auditor's Office no later than Nov. 6. Awards will be

Walk begins at 8:45 pm and returns at 10:30 pm. \$50 per person. [INFO](#)

Friday, October 13

Ticket Blitz for the event, All Decked Out, **8 am-2 pm**. Buy your tickets online at www.bloomeventplanners.com and **take advantage of buy-one, get-one free during this timeframe only**. With your ticket you get a unique boutique shopping experience, a drink ticket, appetizers, fun, and you will be supporting The Children's Center of Medina County. **The event is October 26** at Buffalo Creek Retreat, Seville.

Saturday, October 14 The Medina Fire Department Open House is **11 am - 2 pm at Fire Station 1, 300 W. Reagan Parkway**. Fire trucks, rescue squads, police cars, the "Air Bear" helicopter and Metro Life Flight. Tour of the firehouse. For more information call Steve Ingersol at (330) 725-1772.

Saturday, October 14

The Sharon Center United Methodist Church will have its annual fall Swiss Steak Dinner, **6407 Ridge Rd., 4 - 7 pm**. Meal includes Swiss steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, applesauce, bread, beverage, dessert. Adults-\$9; Children 5-12 \$5. [INFO](#)

Saturday, October 14

Erhart Firefighters Assoc. Swiss Steak Dinner. Buffet style, all you can eat! **4 pm - 8 pm at 6609 Norwalk Rd.**, Medina (intersection of Rts. 18/252). Adults \$13, seniors w/ Golden Buckeye Card \$12, Children 6-10 \$7, Children 5 and under FREE. Credit cards now accepted!

Saturday, October 14

The Ohio Community Rights Network partners with Sustainable Medina County and Medina County Together to present a workshop: *Community Rights for Social Justice: Growing Roots and Rights*, **9 am - 5 pm**, at the Medina Library, **210 S. Broadway**. Cost of \$50 includes curriculum, lunch and snacks. For more information call Kathy Kinstler at (330) 241-9077. [REGISTER](#)

Saturday, October 14 Cups Cafe at **126 N. Court St., Medina** is hosting a scavenger hunt during Medina County's Fall Foliage Tour. Cars and motorcycles welcome. There will be food afterwards, a 50/50 raffle and prizes for the winners. \$15 per car or motorcycle. **Registration: 2 - 3 pm; Hunt: 3 - 5 pm; Food, prizes, raffle: 5-6 pm**. [INFO](#)

Saturday, October 14

Trunk or Treat hosted by Key Church, **1825 Reimer Rd., Wadsworth, 2 - 4 pm**. Children under 12 accompanied by an adult will receive candy and goodies, all for free. [INFO](#)

Saturday, October 14 Swiss Steak dinner at Church at the Lake United

presented at a special ceremony Nov. 29 at the county administration building. Winners and their dogs will receive prizes from local companies and organizations.

Read the rest of **Ann Norman's** story at Cleveland.com.



Cloverleaf Assistant Coach dies in wreck

Members of the Cloverleaf High School community honored one of their own at Friday's football game.

John Sands, 23, of New London, an assistant football coach and assistant track coach with the Colts, was killed in a two-vehicle crash Monday morning in Wood County.

Cloverleaf Athletic Director **Craig Walkup** said members of the football team will wear emblems bearing Sands' initials on their helmets for their homecoming game against Akron Springfield at Gene Clark Stadium.

About 20 minutes before the start of the Portage Trail Conference game, both teams held a moment of silence on the field. Walkup said Cloverleaf

Methodist, **7824 Lake Rd., Chippewa Lake, 4:30 - 7 pm.** \$9 adults; \$5 6-12; under 6 free. Contact: James Yannayon at (330) 769-2288.

Saturday, October 14 and Sunday, October 15 Chatham Township Community Center Vendor and Flea Market, **9306 Avon Lake Rd. Saturday - 10 am - 5 pm; Sunday - 10 am - 4 pm.** Chatham Historical Society Museums will also be open. Contact: Sue Jurkowski at (330) 667-3286.

Saturday, October 14
Medina VFW Post 5137 is hosting an Elvis Tribute Dinner Show. Single tickets are \$10. **Doors open at 5 pm; dinner is served at 6 pm and the show starts at 7 pm.** Call (330) 725-0884 for more information. **Located at 3916 Pearl Road.**

Sunday, October 15 Pancake Breakfast and Open House at Sharon Township Fire Department. Come and see their new addition. **9 am - 1 pm, 1274 Sharon Copley Rd. FREE. [INFO](#)**

Sunday, October 15
Harlem Wizards vs. Black River's Teachers/Staff/Alumni at **6 pm** at the **Black River Education Center located at 257 Co. Rd. 40, in Sullivan.**

Friday, October 20 6th Annual Senior Day Event at the Medina Community Recreation Center, **855 Weymouth Rd., Medina, 9:30 am - 12:30 pm.** Sponsored by MCRC, Cleveland Clinic Medina Hospital and Medina County Office for Older Adults. Vendor tables, raffles, health screenings, flu shots, senior services, refreshments. FREE. For more info 330-721-6934.

Friday, October 20 and Saturday 21

Free Halloween Miniature Train Rides, **3654 Lester Rd., Medina,** offered by NEOLS miniature railroad group. Children encouraged to wear costumes, but nothing that would get caught in wheels. **Friday & Saturday: 6:30-8:30 pm, Saturday only: 2 - 4 pm.**

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Saturday, October 21

Medina Hospital Foundation's BASH (Benefitting a Superior Hospital), **6 pm** at Weymouth Country Club, **3946 Weymouth Rd., Medina.** 35th annual event features cocktails and gaming, dinner, raffle prizes and dancing to live music. Raffle features more than \$35,000 in prizes. Raffle tickets available for \$50 each or 3 for \$100. Betsy Kling of WKYC-TV3 will serve as mistress of ceremonies. Event tickets are \$125 and available at [INFO](#).

Saturday, October 21

37th Annual Brunswick Sound Spectacular high school band show, Brunswick High School Stadium, **3581 Center Rd.** Sixteen high school bands from around the state will compete beginning at **4 pm.** \$6 admission, \$5 for students & senior citizens.

players brought Sands' old New London High School football jersey onto the field.

"The kids loved him so much," Walkup said. "It's nice they will be carrying his old jersey on the field."

Read **Bob Finnan's** full story at [The Gazette](#).



Wadsworth's Baughman breaks county passing record

The fact **Joey Baughman** is a better wrestler than quarterback is a scary thought, although Wadsworth football coach **Justin Todd** isn't convinced.

Those in attendance at Serpentine Chevrolet Stadium might have a hard time believing that as well after the senior went crazy Friday in a 61-28 Suburban League National Conference win over North Royalton.

"I don't know if I believe that," Todd said. "He's a pretty good quarterback, so he must be a really good

Saturday, October 21 Scary Walk & Truck or Treat, **6 - 8:30 pm, Cobblestone Park, Montville Township.** Scary Walking Path, Not so Spooky Path for littler children. Support DARE and MCPAL. Suggested donations: \$5 for individuals; \$10 for families. [INFO](#)

Saturday, October 21 Seville Spooktacular, **5 - 8 pm, at Center and Main Streets.** A silly, fun, unique, adult-centric Halloween event. Adult trick or treat, costume contest, scavenger hunt and more. Shops will each have a special activity. [INFO](#)

Thursday, October 21

Boo-Tacular hosted by Wadsworth YMCA, **623 School Dr., noon-1:30 pm.** Local community organizations will set up stations to pass out candy and/or other giveaways. FREE, but requesting donation of a new pair or package of socks for the "Sock-tober" outreach project. [INFO](#)

October 21-22 & 28

Free Spooktacular Weekends at Susan Hambley Nature Center, **1473 Parschen Rd., Brunswick. noon - 5 pm.** [INFO](#)

Thursday, October 26

Join The Children's Center of Medina County for a unique shopping experience, **4 - 9 pm, at Buffalo Creek Retreat, 8708 Hubbard Valley Rd., Seville.** Fashion show at 7 pm. Boutiques & independent consultants will be featuring clothing, accessories, jewelry, makeup and skincare products. [TICKETS](#)

Every Saturday

The **Northern Ohio Railway Museum, 5515 Buffham Rd., Seville** is open **Saturday, 10 am - 4 pm.** til the end of October. Admission free; donations gratefully accepted. Visit a restored 1954 Cleveland Transit System Rapid Transit Car and ride a streetcar on the **second Saturday of each month.** Rides cost \$4 for adults, \$2 for children, and free for children younger than 5. Rides will begin at **11 am** and end at **3 pm.** [INFO](#)

Get ready to celebrate 200 years of Medina

with the Bicentennial Coloring Book, featuring drawings by local artist Cindy Allman. Its 32 pages contain adapted images of historic Medina as well as background text. This coloring book is for all ages and costs \$10, which benefits bicentennial events. Books can be purchased at various locations in Medina or online [HERE](#). For more bicentennial info, call 330-723-7649.

OTHER ACTIVITY LISTINGS

[Joy of Medina County](#)

wrestler."

What Baughman did against the Bears (3-4, 1-3) had never been seen in 100-plus years of Medina County football, as he went 21-for-32 for a county-record 416 yards and three touchdowns.

The previous record was held by former Grizzly **Mike Hoover** (403 vs. Midview, Nov. 5, 1999), and Baughman probably would have had a lot more if not for the running clock.

Not bad for a two-time state runner-up and three-time state placer on the mat.

"He was phenomenal," North Royalton **Nick Ciulli** said. "He's definitely one of the top ones in this area. He can do it with his legs. He can do it with his arm. It's very difficult to defend him.

Read **Brad Bournival's** full story at [The Gazette](#).

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Employment Opportunities

Click on links below for more opportunities.

Visiting Angels - Medina, Wadsworth, Brunswick, Strongsville, is currently looking for STNAs, caregivers that would like day, nights and

weekend working with our clients in the clients homes. [INFO](#)

Food Retail Manager - Federal employment opportunity, Cleveland, \$46K-\$50K. 3 years food, retail management experience. [INFO](#)

Pet Sitters Wanted - Immediate openings for PT, on call. Mature, reliable transportation. [INFO](#)

Courier - Drive between Medina, North Ridgeville and occasionally Columbus. Mileage, vehicle allowance. [INFO](#)

Entry Level Warehouse Positions - Local distribution facility. M-F, 8 - 4:30 pm. [INFO](#)

Substitute Custodians for Buckeye Local Schools - 2nd shift. \$10.75/hour. [INFO](#)

Job openings with Medina County - Various. [INFO](#)

Substitute teachers needed throughout Medina County - [INFO](#)

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