

City of Bellefontaine Neighbors

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From The Office Of The Mayor



The City of Bellefontaine Neighbors (City of BN) is celebrating our 60th Anniversary this year. Plans are being made for a picnic for residents on Sunday, October 3 from Noon to 6 PM at Bellefontaine Park, located behind City Hall. The picnic will include activities for all, local entertainment, food, and a little reflection on our history. Plan to join us. (See page 2)

St. Louis County's Parks and Recreation Department will open the Bissell House in recognition of our 60th Anniversary on October 3 for tours from Noon to 2:30 PM at the reduced rate of \$1. Children under 12 will be free. Take this opportunity to tour the house and get an idea of what life was like in the early 1800's.

Congratulations to Mark Tranel. Mark was honored by North County, Inc., for his dedication to North County. The City of BN also honored him for his dedication to the City. Mark has been appointed as a Special Appointed Board (SAB) member of the River-view Gardens School District (RGSD).



Mayor Rudloff and Mark Tranel

Street repairs are going slowly. Repair crews found more damage under our streets than we expected. In many cases, broken sewers, laterals and water pipes have undermined streets and have to be fixed before street work can be completed. Please bear with us.

Thanks to everyone who hosted and attended

National Night Out. Neighbors gathered to meet, catch up and let the criminals know that we are united and watching out for each other. If you see something suspicious call the police at 889-2341 and report it immediately.



Night Out on Lebon

The owner of the Bissell Hills Shopping Center made a proposition to the City of BN to purchase Klein Park, located in front of the Shopping Center so they could build a CVS Pharmacy. The Board of Aldermen considered the request but had to deny due to the fact there is a deed restriction on the property. The owner of the shopping center is exploring other options.

Mayor Marty Rudloff

Town Hall Meeting
Thursday, September 16 - 7 PM
at the Bellefontaine Neighbors
Recreation Center
9669 Bellefontaine Road

Join us for our "State of the City" address on Thursday, September 16 - 7 PM at the Bellefontaine Neighbors Recreation Center. Topics discussed will include Budget, Street and Bridge Repair, Police Department Reports, Home Beautification Awards, etc. There will be an open session at the end of the meeting for residents to make comments or ask questions. Everyone is invited to remain after the meeting for refreshments.

City Of BN Celebrates 60 Year Anniversary

The middle third of The United States, known as The Louisiana Territory, was originally claimed in the early 18th century by the French. One of their discoveries was a spring near the confluence of the great rivers that they named, "La Belle Fontaine" which meant "the beautiful waters." This territory was ceded to Spain in 1762 and ceded back to France in 1800.

As a result of negotiations with Napoleon, the ruler of France, The Louisiana Territory was purchased by the United States in 1803. The first American fort and trading post west of the Mississippi, Fort Belle Fontaine, was established at the site of "La Belle Fontaine" in 1804. A trail led from the Fort to the city of St. Louis that evolved through the years into North Broadway and Bellefontaine Road. The Fort was abandoned and land grants were offered. The major land owners in the area were General Daniel Bissell and Dr. John W. Gibson. As the families gradually passed on, over the years, each generation was bequeathed portions of their parent's holdings. Years passed and this area remained largely a community of farmers living on an average 50 to 100 acres.

The area remained farmland until after World War II. By 1950, the population of what is now the City of BN, had grown to 766 people, 18 streets, 1 public school and 1 church. Today we have a population of 11,088, 52 miles of streets, 5 schools and 11 churches.

The only church in Bellefontaine Neighbors in 1950 was the Bellefontaine Methodist Church. This church has a recorded history dating back to the year 1854 when the original church building was erected on land donated by James R. Bissell, son of General Daniel Bissell. It is believed that residents met in each other's homes for church services as early as 1804.

The City of BN was incorporated and the County Court appointed A. D. Schnur as Mayor on June

19, 1950. The first meeting was held in the newly appointed Mayor's home on June 24, 1950. Meetings were held in homes, store fronts, and at a building located at 9505 Bellefontaine, that burned in 1957. Pictured (below, left) is the old City Hall with the police cars and the mostly volunteer police department.

The present City Hall was dedicated in October of 1960 and the Recreation Center was built in 1974.

The once volunteer Police Department now has 32 full time officers and 14 vehicles.

To recognize our 60th Anniversary, the City of BN has put up banners. We are also planning a community picnic at Bellefontaine County Park, behind the City Hall.

A guest at our picnic will be a British Soldier from the mid 18th Century who will give us an idea of what our area was like in the mid 18th and early 19th Century.



**60th Anniversary Picnic
Sunday, October 3 - Noon to 6 PM**

**Bellefontaine County Park Pavilion
Located behind City Hall
9641 Bellefontaine Road - Zellweiger Dr.**

**Hot Dogs, Hamburgers, Soda
Local Entertainment
Activities for the kids, Playground**

**Bissell House will be open for tours from Noon to 2:30 PM at the greatly reduced price of \$1.
Children under 12 are free.**

**The mini golf course will be open, free of charge to BN residents from Noon to 6 PM.
Proof of residency required.**

Bring your lawn chairs and coolers.

If your church, group, or organization wants to participate, call Shirley Paro, (day 867-9701 or evening 869-8251). Please keep in mind that the picnic will be in a park and electricity is limited, so keep it simple. We are trying to keep cost to the residents to a minimum, so activities should be free or low cost.



Street & Bridge Repairs

Shepley Road Bridge Project

The Shepley Road Bridge project was scheduled for summer of 2010 when the Riverview High School was not in session. The City of BN has obtained all the intermediate approvals from the Missouri Department of Transportation (MODOT), but due to several delays from the Burlington North Santa Fe Railroad in approving plan reviews, obtaining the additional insurance requirement and a project approval letter, the project has been delayed again. The project is now expected to begin on August 16, 2010. The bridge will be closed to traffic from 4 to 6 weeks. Please watch for detour signs in the area.

Street Improvements, Phase I & II

Phase I of street repairs is close to being complete. Phase II is expected to be complete before winter.

The construction has been slowed because of unfore-

seen conditions under the streets caused by water or sewer breaks. When water, sewer or lateral problems are found, they have to be addressed before street work can progress.

There have also been more curbs that needed to be rebuilt than previously expected. All this takes more time and money.



Please drive carefully in construction areas and keep in mind school is starting soon.

A New Look For The BNPd

In April of this year, officers of the Bellefontaine Neighbors Police Department (BNPD) changed the color of their uniform shirts from the traditional light blue which was worn by many surrounding departments to dark blue. The change was prompted by the department in an effort to allow residents to more easily distinguish BNPd Officers. The Administrative Staff was given the option of dark or white shirts.

In July, the BNPd changed the look of all their marked patrol vehicles. Historically, the marked cars were all white with blue graphics, similar to several surrounding departments. Our new vehicles will be black and white. The change was prompted because residents easily identify and recognize black and white cars as police vehicles. Secondly, the BNPd will be the only department in the immediate area with black and white vehicles which will enhance visibility and allow residents to distinguish BNPd vehicles from surrounding jurisdictions' police vehicles.



Lieutenant Boston and a new police vehicle

New vehicles have been contracted on a lease purchase program, allowing the city to purchase ten (10) new vehicles at about the same cost as if we purchased three (3) new vehicles every year for the next three (3) years. At the end of the three (3) year period, we own the vehicles and can trade them in for ten (10) new cars in 2013.

Flu Shot Locations & Times

Flu Shots will be available at several locations and dates in the City of BN.

Please call the numbers listed for further information.

BN Recreation Center

9669 Bellefontaine Road (867-0700)
Tuesday, October 12, 8:30 AM to 2 PM

Holy Name of Jesus Church

10235 Ashbrook (868-2310)
Wednesday, October 6, 8:30 to 11:30 AM
Flu Shots & Health Fair

Frieden's United Church of Christ

1060 Chambers Road (867-2782)
Saturday, October 16, 9:30 to 11 AM

Rinderer's Drug Store

10017 Bellefontaine Road (869-2000)
Wednesday, October 6, 10 AM to 2 PM
Wednesday, October 13, 10 AM to 2 PM

2010 Home Beautification Winners

Ward 1



The McIntosh Home
4 Green Acres



The Johnson-Dagenais Home
5 Green Acres

Ward 2



The Flynn Home
1009 Bakewell



The Wiele-Schweitzer Home
10430 Coburg Lands

Ward 3



The Owens-Mooney Home
1409 Corinth



The Peters Home
10545 Ewell

Ward 4



The Hoffman Home
1229 Jennings Station Road



The Jones Home
1253 Jennings Station Road

Image & Beautification

Many thanks to our hard-working and dedicated members of the Image & Beautification Board (I & B), who have been busy working on various gardens this year. Their work has paid off and our gardens look wonderful! The I & B members also served as our judges for the Home Beautification Awards.



This year, the I & B members decided to acknowledge two businesses in the City of BN; New Bethlehem Cemetery for vast improvements in the appearance of the grounds and Bellefontaine Gardens Nursing Home for continued grounds maintenance over the years.



Bethlehem Cemetery

The Fall Beautification Action Day will be held on Saturday, September 18. Volunteers are needed; no experience necessary. Meet at the Recreation Center at 9 AM, clean our streets and return by 11 AM for lunch and mini golf. The Missouri Hill Home Division of Youth Services, have provided manpower to make this event successful for the past few years.

Native Grass & Wildflower Gardens



Sign in Bellefontaine Park

St Louis County Parks has added a native grass and wild flower gardens in two areas of Bellefontaine Park. The first is just south

of the BN City Hall that can be seen from Bellefontaine Road and the second is in the west side of the park in Moline Acres.

Part of the reason for the new garden is to provide natural habitat and natural drainage so water is absorbed into the ground and doesn't run into sewers and creeks. The grasses and wild flowers cut down maintenance costs. After the initial cost of plowing and seeding, the County is saving on maintenance, manpower and fuel costs.



Black-eyed Susan

Some of the flowers planted are: Black-eyed Susan, Blanket Flower, Blue Flax, Dwarf Red Coreopsis, False Sunflower, Grayhead Coneflower, Indian Blanket, Lance-Leaved Coreopsis and Lemon Mint.

Marines Answer The Call..... Again!

When the Marine Reserves of the 3rd Battalion, 24th Regiment got back from Iraq this spring, some of them didn't have a job to go back to and some were waiting for school to start in the fall, so they opted to remain on active duty, but they had to keep busy.

Sergeant Jon Askins got busy and found them volunteer work. Besides tilling a community garden at the Riverview Gardens High School, the Marines spent many weeks this summer volunteering at other schools in the Riverview Gardens School District.

Pictured at right, Christine Kulla-Branz, Director of the Early Childhood Education on the Danforth Elementary School Campus, talks with Jon and the Marines,

who were able to clean vegetation and vines from fences around the school buildings. Thanks to the Marines for answering the call. Semper Fi!



Everyone Lives In A Watershed

A watershed is an area of land where storm water runoff will drain to a stream, river or wetland. Our actions have a direct impact on the quality of our water resources.

To help protect our creeks from contamination:

- Never allow pesticides, fertilizers or other materials to drain into streets or storm water drains.
- Do not dump yard waste into a sewer or creek.
- Use nontoxic, biodegradable and recyclable products whenever possible.
- When using hazardous materials, follow the directions and properly dispose of the excess at a household chemical collection event. (See below)
- Recycle reusable materials. Clean up trash as this can be carried by runoff into the stream.
- Never allow roof gutters to drain directly to pavement. Allow the water to flow over the lawn.
- Reduce the amount of paved area and increase vegetated areas so storm water can soak into soil.

Yard Clippings and Leaves Raking lawn clippings and leaves into the street can clog sewers and back up into your basement. Yard waste should be put out in kraft paper bags or cans for removal.

Auto Care Washing your car and de-greasing auto parts at home can send detergents and contaminants into our watershed. Wash your car at a commercial car wash, repair fluid leaks as soon as possible and dispose of used fluids at recycling centers. When you clean up spills with a material like kitty litter, dispose of it properly in the trash.

Pet Waste Pet waste is a major source of bacteria in our watershed. Pick up pet waste both in your yard and when walking your pet. Pet waste should be sealed in a plastic bag and put into the trash, flushed down the toilet or buried at least 6 inches deep, away from gardens or drainage areas.

Septic Systems Poorly maintained septic systems can cause public health problems. Have a professional check your septic system every 3 years and pump the tank every 5 years.

Free Household Chemical Collection

The improper disposal of household chemicals can be harmful to the environment and to public health. The best way to properly manage leftover household chemicals is to use them or give them to someone else to use. As a safe alternative to throwing away your leftover chemicals, bring them to one of the Free Household Collection Events in the area. Proof of residency, such as a driver's license or tax bill, is required. These events are ONLY for residents of Saint Louis County.

The Household Chemical Collection Event will be on Saturday, September 18 at the St. Louis Community College - Florissant Valley Campus, 8 AM to 3 PM. (Enter the campus from Pershall Road just west of West Florissant, and follow the event signs.)

Materials accepted: Paints, stains, varnishes, pesti-

cides, herbicides, poisons, gasoline and other fuels, solvents and strippers, aerosols, motor oil and filters, gas cylinders (BBQ pit size or smaller), fluorescent tubes, rechargeable batteries, antifreeze, brake and transmission fluid, pool chemicals and other acids and bases, car batteries, wood preservatives, driveway sealant, and items containing mercury (such as thermometers, thermostats, and mercuric salts).

Unacceptable items: Explosives and ammunition, radioactive waste, smoke detectors, medical waste, household trash, tires, electronics and bulky items.

For more information please call the Saint Louis County Department of Health Solid Waste Management Program at (314) 615-4130.

Businesses are prohibited by law from participating.

Electronic Recycling Collection

Midwest Recycling Center will hold an Electronic Waste Collection Event on Saturday, September 25, 2010, at the Florissant Valley Community College, 3400 Pershall Road from 9 AM to 2 PM. There will be a \$10 fee for computer monitors and a \$15 fee for any size television. All other electronic items will be accepted FREE of charge. For more information, please visit their web site at www.midwrc.net

Acceptable items include electrical devices, computers, hard drives, monitors and televisions (CRT, LED and Plasma), printers, routers, scanners, zip or floppy drives, adding machines, copiers, phones, cordless phones, fax machines, battery back-ups, digital cameras, DVD/video players, electronic game devices, pocket PC's, video games, consoles, accessories, stereo equipment, and rechargeable batteries.

Neighborhood Watch - Robert McCullough



Robert McCullough, St. Louis County Prosecuting Attorney, was the guest speaker at the City of BN Neighborhood Watch meeting on May 5.

Mr. McCullough is working to make Missouri a "no refusal" state where search warrants, approval from the

Prosecuting Attorney's office and judge's order in the event of a non accident related DWI stop are not required. He is also working to keep violent offenses punishable by imprisonment.

Mr. McCullough urges residents to serve when called for jury duty. Seniors with age related or physically disabilities should be honest returning forms.

Mr. McCullough said the Neighborhood Watch Program was an important part of crime prevention. Turning in suspicious persons and vehicles stop crime and lead to important information to prosecute violators.

Neighborhood Watch works! If you see something that doesn't seem right, call 889-2341 or if you think it is urgent, call 911. Neighborhood Watch Meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month at 7 PM at the City Hall. Please mark your calendars for:

- Wednesday, September 1 - St. Louis County Animal Control Officers will discuss dangerous animals, animal care in extreme weather and animal laws
- Wednesday, October 6 - Bill Dehmer with Wheels for the World – Mobility Aids Program
- Wednesday, November 3 - To be announced

Mark Tranel, Ph.D., Recognized By NCI



Rebecca Zoll (NCI) and Mark Tranel

Mark Tranel, Ph.D., received the prestigious North County Inc. (NCI) Elmer Belsha Leadership Award, which is presented annually to an individual who has had a long lasting, positive impact on North County. Mark, Director of the Public

Policy Research Center on the campus of the University of Missouri-St. Louis, has served on the NCI

Board since 2000. From 2001-2006, Mark served as Chairman of the Economic Development Committee, Chairman of the Board for 2007-2008 and currently on the Executive Board and a transportation task force.

Mark is a resident of the City of BN and has been our Collector since 1999. State Rep. Gina Walsh presented Dr. Tranel with a resolution from the State.

On July 15, the City of BN also recognized Mark, not only for his service with NCI, but for his efforts with the City of BN and the Riverview Gardens School District. Mark was recently appointed by the State of Missouri as a Special Appointed Board Member for RGSD.

Update On Special Appointed Board, RGSD

The Riverview Gardens "Special Administrative Board" (SAB) will be working with everyone in the District, including students, parents, staff and residents to achieve "Rebirth of Educational Excellence." The State of Missouri, effective July 1, transferred governance of the District from the elected board to the 3-member SAB. The SAB affirmed the elected board's selection of Clive Coleman as District Superintendent. All employment contracts 'lapsed' when the SAB assumed responsibility for the District and

Dr. Coleman's first task became hiring staff for the 2010-2011 school year. New administrators and new teachers are among many changes being made.

The SAB adopted a budget and a set of policies. The SAB also approved a school calendar. The first day of school is August 18. Before school starts the administrators, faculty and staff will hold a convocation, starting several weeks of preparation for a school year that will see a new direction for the RGSD.

Recycle & Save, Get \$35 from AmerenUE

Do you have a spare, working refrigerator or freezer in your garage or basement? It can provide extra storage, but is it worth \$100 or more a year to keep it running? AmerenUE will pick it up free of charge, properly recycle it and give you a \$35 rebate. Appliances must be plugged in the night before, manufactured before 2002, picked up at the address listed on your AmerenUE account and not a primary unit. For more information or to schedule a pick up, call 1-877-341-2187 (toll free) or go to <http://www.ameren.com/sites/aue/Pages/home.aspx> and click on "Appliance Recycling." The \$35 rebate will be mailed 4 to 6 weeks after pick up.

Church Activities

Knights of Columbus
800 Chambers Road
867-9727

Washer Tournament for The Steve
Weiss Scholarship Fund
Sat., Sept. 4
Sign up 9 AM, start 10 AM

Mice Races
Sat., Sept. 18
Doors open 7 PM, start 8 PM
Call 867-9727 for reservations

Meat Shoot
Sun., Oct. 3 & Sun., Nov. 7 - 1 PM
Everyone invited.

Tootsie Roll Drive
Fri. & Sat., October 8 & 9
at Bill's Market, Handyman
Hardware and Shop-N-Save.
Proceeds benefit Mentally
Handicapped Programs.

Trivia Night - Sat., Nov. 20
Doors open 6:30 PM, start 7 PM
\$120 table of 8
For reservations call 867-9012.

Holy Name of Jesus
10235 Ashbrook
868-2310

Fall Festival Sat., Sept. 11
Walk/Run 9 AM (registration 8:30)
Festival opens 11 AM, hamburgers,
hot dogs, brats, soda, ice cream,
games, booths, raffle
Chili Cook-Off - Noon to 2 PM
(Bring heated chili in crock pot
between 10 & 11 AM)
Bingo & Beer Booth open at noon
"Third Degree" from 6 to 10 PM
For the kids: face painting, dunk
tank, "The Gladiator Joust," "The
Dragonfly" & "3 Way Sports Arena"

Fall Market & Ladies Social
Thursday, Oct. 14, 6 to 9 PM
Shop for Christmas, Food - \$5

Bellefontaine Baptist Church
1410 Kilgore
868-6880

5th Sunday Hymn Sing
Sunday, August 29 - 6 PM
Various churches participating.

Bellefontaine Baptist (cont.)

Silver Circle Adult Group
2nd Friday of the month - 12 Noon
minimal charge for chicken lunch

Revival
Sun. - Thurs., October 3 - 7
Tom Cox World Ministries

True Redemption Center
1229 Shepley Drive
868-3082

Back to School
Concert/Conference
Fri. thru Sun., Sept. 10, 11, & 12
The TRC has been raising money
for several months so they can
provide students of all ages with
spiritual guidance, school supplies,
backpacks, haircuts, lunch, and
many other resources. Having the
material that's needed, the stu-
dents have a better chance of
achieving their academic goals.
Everyone is welcome. Call
368-0366 or 387-3804 for
times & details.

Free Outdoor Movie Night Saturday, September 18



The City of BN Youth Commission will sponsor a Free Outdoor Movie Night (on a 18 foot by 15 foot Inflatable screen), on Saturday, September 18, on the beautiful side lawn of the Bellefontaine Neighbors Recreation Center. Seating begins at 6:45 PM. Movie starts at dark. Concessions available on site. Bring your own lawn chairs and blankets. Full length feature film and selected cartoons to be announced at a later date. In case of inclement weather movie will be moved to the gym.

County Older Resident Program (CORP)

St. Louis County started the County Older Resident Programs (CORP) in 1975 to help older residents with essential services so they can maintain an independent lifestyle. The success of this program has been due to the volunteers that help older residents with shopping needs, transportation to medical appointments, rest and relief for primary caregiver of a home bound elderly, assistance with home related tasks, calling or visiting an older adult to check on well being, legal or tax assistance and installing security locks and smoke alarms. Help is also needed answering the phone at the office maintaining files and helping with mailings. CORP offers training and mileage reimbursement for all volunteers.

If you need help or you are able to volunteer to help someone else, please call the CORP office at 615-4425. Find out what CORP can do for you and what you can do for the older adults in St. Louis County.

From The Desk Of The City Clerk



Deni Donovan

Neighborhood Night Out was a wonderful success. Thanks to all who participated. Call the police at 889-2341 if you see anything that just doesn't seem right. We need to look out for each other.

One of the City's employees, Karen Strunk, will be retiring in the fall after working for the City since 1995. She began as the receptionist and worked in many capacities; she will be retiring from the Building Department. Not only was she a trusted employee, but she's a resident of the City of BN.



Karen Strunk

I hope to see you at the Town Hall meeting on September 16 at 7 PM at the BN Recreation Center.

Good Luck, Karen!

The City of BN is accepting applications for the position of Administrative Assistant in the Building Department. Knowledge of building and zoning codes, which includes excellent clerical and customer service skills are required along with extensive computer experience and database management. Qualified candidates should have a minimum combination of 5 years education and/or work experience. Interested candidates can E-mail a resume to the City Clerk at ddonovan@cityofbn.com or mail to Deni Donovan, 9641 Bellefontaine Road, St. Louis, MO 63137. Deadline for accepting applications is Friday, August 27 at 5 PM.

How Did Your Alderman Vote?

Bill #	Date	Description	Paro (w-1)	Migliazzo (w-1)	Glenzy (w-2)	Merz (w-2)	Roth (w-3)	Jordan (w-3)	Smith (w-4)	Hollis (w-4)	Pass or Fail	Ordinance Number
2208	05/06/10	Conditional Use Permit for Western Oil	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2130
2209	05/06/10	Contract with Sherrell Construction	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2131
2210	05/06/10	April 6, 2010, Election Results	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2132
2212	06/03/10	Adopt 2010-2011 Budget	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2133
2213	06/03/10	Pay Plan & Compensation	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2134
2211	06/17/10	Coordinating Sign Regulations	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2135
2214	06/17/10	Amend Parking Spaces Code	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2136
2215	07/01/10	Conditional Use Permit for United Mart	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2137
2216	07/01/10	Conditional Use Permit for Day Care at 1266 St. Cyr	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2138
2217	07/15/10	Contract with Ford Motor Company	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2139
2218	08/05/10	Prohibiting Marijuana and synthetic drugs	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2140
2219	08/05/10	Contracting for Computer Technology Support	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2141
2230	08/05/10	Ethics Penalty Provisions	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Pass	2142

Y = Yes; N = No; A = Abstain, blank = Absent

St. Louis County Fall Career Fair

If you are a career seeker, second career professional, graduate student or Veteran, plan to attend the Fall Career Fair sponsored by the Missouri Career Centers - Saint Louis County. The Career Fair will be held on Wednesday, September 8, 2010, from 9 AM to 2 PM at the Jewish Community Center's Staenberg Family Complex (2 Millstone Campus Drive, Creve Coeur, Missouri 63146). An anticipated 60 area employers are expected. Attendees should bring multiple copies of their resume and professional dress is required.

Employers interested in participating please contact Adam Brown at (314) 615-4682 (abrown4@stlouisco.com)

Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)

Learn what to do while waiting for help to arrive in a disaster. CERT Training will be held at the BN Recreation Center on Friday, September 17, 6 to 10 PM, Saturday, September 18, 9 AM to 4 PM and Sunday, September 19, 9 AM to 4 PM. Attendance at all sessions is required for certification. For More Information, call the Riverview Fire Protection District at 867-3889.

City of BN Commercial Business Directory 2010

Auto & RV Sales		Environmental Services		Lounge/Bar	
North County RV		Heritage Environmental Service		Kathy's Bissell Lounge	
1145 Belgrove	868-9441	1188 Pershall Road	388-3500	10049 Bellefontaine	867-9090
Automotive Parts		Equipment (Pile Driv. & Hydraulic)		Personal Trainers	
Advance Auto Parts		Mississippi Valley Equipment Co.		Temple Body Fitness	
1260 Jennings Station	388-3826	1198 Pershall	869-8600	10113 Lewis & Clark	868-7348
Automotive Repair		Plumbers			
Bellefontaine Automotive		Valtec Hydraulics, Inc		Tom Byrd Plumbing	
9309 Bellefontaine	867-9701	1100 Pershall Road	867-1100	1135 Belgrove	867-5696
Barber, Beauty & Nail		Florist		Restaurants/Food	
Hair It Is Salon		St. John's Bellefontaine Florist		Dairy Queen	
10013 Bellefontaine	388-3044	10009 Bellefontaine	868-5001	10016 Bellefontaine	867-2870
Furnace/AC Repair					
Initram Barber Shop		Action Heating & Cooling		Domino's Pizza	
9319 Duenke Dr.	388-4950	9301 Duenke	388-2665	10109 Lewis & Clark	868-2244
Gas & Convenience					
LGM Studio		BP		Down Home Elegance	
10002 Bellefontaine	869-6111	10844 Bellefontaine	868-3144	10832 Bellefontaine	868-3140
		Conoco		White Castle	
Rosa Nails		10320 Bellefontaine	388-5800	10720 Bellefontaine	869-1026
10045 Bellefontaine	867-7466	QuikTrip		Retail	
		10845 Lilac	867-2777	Family Dollar Store	
Transitions Salon and Spa		Shop - N - Go		10035 Bellefontaine	867-7702
10008 Bellefontaine	867-7200	10113 Lewis & Clark	867-5229	Skilled Nursing Care	
Bank Service				Bellefontaine Gardens	
Regions Bank		United Mart - Conoco		9500 Bellefontaine Road	388-0796
9269 Lewis & Clark	869-1300	949 Chambers	388-5606	Sports Facilities	
				Spanish Lake Sports Complex	
US Bank		Grocery		9649 Bellefontaine	869-6669
10067 Bellefontaine	868-1415	Aldi		Storage	
Beauty Supply		10800 Bellefontaine	868-8931	Grand Slam Storage	
Grace's Wig & Beauty Supply		Bill's Market & Meat Inc.		2505 Chambers Rd.	867-2800
10053 Bellefontaine	869-0869	10009 Bellefontaine	868-0400	Trash Hauling	
		Heating and Cooling		Metro Waste	382-3636
King's Beauty Supply		Action Heating and Cooling		Waste Management	506-4700
10073 Lewis & Clark	388-2823	9301 Duenke Drive	388-2665	Re-Sale/Thrift Shops	
Cemeteries		Insurance		MT Closets	
New Bethlehem Memorial Park		Allstate Insurance Company		9303 Duenke	868-3339
9650 Bellefontaine	867-6234	10011 Bellefontaine	867-0202	Tutoring Service & Schools	
Day Care		Stann Insurance Agency		Ace Learning Center	869-2005
Precious Love Academy & Day Care		10067 Bellefontaine	867-9184	Storman Academy	
10020 Bellefontaine	388-4700	Landscaping Materials		10600 Bellefontaine	395-1200
		AAA Materials		Tree Service	
Perfect Gift Learning Center, Inc.		715 Chambers Road	867-8668	Gamma Tree Service, LLC	
10012 Bellefontaine	869-4117			10210 Bellefontaine	867-2363
Drug/Pharmacies					
Rinderer's Drug Store					
10017 Bellefontaine	869-2000				

Home Based Businesses & Licenses 2010

Home Based Businesses

A List Relators	869-5923
Boot Camp Fitness	452-6838
Cush Automotive	565-3965
Diva's Wholesale Consultants, LLC	283-2653
Dogwood Farm & Vineyard	869-1655
Fire Hydrant, LLC	522-1316
G L Jewelry Repair	869-0077
Granny's Garden	388-4138
Interior Design and Supply, LLC	868-9000
J & B Sales	869-5505
Jim's Lawn Service	868-8613
JKR Industries, Inc	283-6022
Key 1 Development LLC	869-5051
M & M Crafts	867-6764
Marion's Floor & Janitor Service	435-0367
MAZE Unlimited	395-2118
Mink Graphics	388-4900
Nelson Brothers Concrete	868-7156
New Beginnings Travel The World	494-5801
R. T. Ruhling Acccounting	867-1223
Radejilo, Inc.	265-0667
Schultz Health Service	388-2615
Send-I-Ments	395-2118
STL Company	869-0219
The Fire Hydrant.LLC	522-1316
Van Deven & Sons Construction	869-3840
Wedding Cakes Unlimited	867-5759

Home Based Day Care Providers

Brenda's Licensed Home Day Care	867-2773
Lil Bear Ed U Care Learning Center	395-2327
Little Heaven 4 Kids	389-4401
Miss Mae Mae's Day Care	869-9364

Liquor Licenses

Aldi Inc.	10800 Bellefontaine
Bill's Market	10009 Bellefontiane
BP Gas Station	10844 Bellefontaine
Holy Name of Jesus	10235 - 10257 Ashbrook
Kathy's Bissell Lounge	10049 Bellefontaine
Knights of Columbus	800 East Chambers
Conoco	10230 Bellefontaine
Conoco, United Mart	949 Chambers
Quick Trip Corporation	10845 Lilac
Rinderers Drug Store	10017 Bellefontaine

Manufacturing Licenses

MKT Manufacturing, Inc.	1198 Pershall Rd
Jomico Tool Mfg Co Inc.	1194 Pershall Rd
Wirecraft Manufacturing	10223 Lewis & Clark

New Businesses - Commercial

United Mart - Conoco

949 Chambers
388-5606

Mon. - Thurs., 6 AM to Midnight
Fri. & Sat., 6 AM to 1 AM

New owner, "Tim"
Haithem Abdeljabbar
has remodeled and
improved the former
Sinclair station and
United Mart convenience store.



MT Closets

9303 Duneke Dr.
868-3339
www.themtclosets.com

Monday - Saturday
11 AM to 7 PM

Angela Staffore (pictured at right) and her sister, Sherrie Staffore, offer affordable solutions for great clothing and accessories for the whole family. Furniture taken on consignment.



New Businesses - Home Based

Little Heaven 4 Kids

Carmella Jones
389-4401
Home Based Day Care

MAZE Unlimited

Mary Collins
395-2118 or www.mazeunlimited.com

Senior Citizen's Night Out At The Recreation Center

The Recreation Center has begun sponsoring Senior Citizen Dinners that are turning out to be a big hit. Admission is \$5 per person and includes dinner and an evening of music. Beer and wine are available for a nominal fee. Join your friends and neighbors for a nice evening out. Call 867-0700 for reservations.

Tuesday, August 31, 4:30 PM - Down Home BBQ Dinner

Tuesday, October 26, 4:30 PM - Halloween Party/Dinner

All City Meetings Open To The Public

All meetings are held at the City of BN City Hall except Parks & Recreation which is held at the Recreation Center.

Board of Aldermen - 1st and 3rd Thursdays 7:30 PM

Planning and Zoning Board - 1st Monday 7 PM

Public Safety Commission - 4th Thursday 6:30 PM

Neighborhood Watch - 1st Wednesday 7 PM

Youth Commission - 3rd Monday 7:30 PM

Image and Beautification Board - 2nd Tuesday 7 PM

Parks and Recreation Board - 3rd Tuesday 7:30 PM

Board of Adjustment - upon request

Municipal Court - 2nd Wednesday and 4th Tuesday - 6:30 PM

Human Relations Commission - Upon Request

City Hall will be closed for the following holiday:

Labor Day, Monday, September 6

Waste Management Holiday Schedule:

Labor Day, Monday, September 6

Collections scheduled for Monday will be picked up on Tuesday, Tuesday will be picked up on Wednesday, etc. Friday collections will be made on Saturday.

City Calendar

BackStoppers BBQ - Saturday, September 11

Town Hall Meeting - Thursday, September 16

CERT Training - Friday - Sunday, September 17 - 19

Beautification Action Day - Saturday, September 18

Outdoor Movie Night - Saturday, September 18

60th Anniversary Picnic - Sunday, October 3

Wine and Beer Garden - Saturday October 9

Daylight Savings Time

Ends Sunday, November 7, 2010

Set clocks back one hour

BackStoppers BBQ

Saturday, September 11, 9 AM to 6 PM
Bissell Hills Shopping Center Parking Lot

All proceeds benefit BackStoppers. Sponsored by the BNPD.

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