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Lights, music, and a homecoming



Photo by Chuck Vandenberg/PCC

A time lapse shot shows the glamour of the Midway carnival action Saturday at RiverFest 2017. Sunday marks the last day of the four-day festival highlighted by a charity breakfast beginning at 8 a.m. on the fairgrounds.

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG
PCC EDITOR

FORT MADISON - It was a full night of fried comforts, the spinning neon of a midway, and sounds of national caliber music.

RiverFest 2017 quickly rolled into a Saturday full of activities and brought with it national country recording artist Buddy Jewell, a Keokuk upstart in Trystan Grisham, and former Fort Madison High School graduate turned national Garth Brooks cover artist, Shawn Moss.

Grisham warmed up the main stage with some personally written tunes and then Jewell came on for about an hour and fifteen minutes, but not before taking some pictures with fans back stage. Moss then came on at about 9:30 p.m. and played for a full 90 minutes belting out Brooks' tunes such as Baton Rouge, Thunder Rolls, and other chart topping hits. Moss said in an earlier interview with the Pen City Current, that unfortunately for him, Garth Brooks was Garth Brooks before Shawn Moss could be Garth Brooks.

And Moss, who plays under the stage name Shawn Gerhard, is every bit the country music mega star of the 90s. A close of the eyes and it's extremely difficult to tell

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Hounds will play six football games at home

BY CHUCK VANDENBERG
PCC EDITOR

FORT MADISON - Iowa high school football schedules go in two year rotations with four games at home one year and five the next. However, in 2017, the Hounds will get the benefit of another district's improvements and will play one additional game at home this year.



MITCHELL

The first home game of the year against Davis County was originally set to be played in Davis County, but will now be played at home.

FMHS Activities Director Andy Mitchell said Davis County is in the process of upgrading facilities and won't be able to host the game.

"This past spring Richard Evans, activities director at Davis County, informed me that they could be redoing their football field and home bleachers. If that became a go, there could be a chance they would not be ready for game one," Mitchell said Friday.

This is the first year for Fort Madison Head Football Coach Tony Shiffman who hopes it continues to fuel an already excited fan base.

"With everybody telling me how excited the com-

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With everybody telling me how excited the community is, it's even better opening at home on Aug. 25.”

-Tony Shiffman
FMHS Head Football coach

munity is, it's even better opening at home on Aug. 25th," Shiffman said. "We hope to fill the stadium and keep fans glued to the action as best as we can. Then we hope to see the same crowd the next week against Central Lee."

Mitchell said he and Evans stayed in touch after the work at Davis County was approved to begin and discussed options of what to do if Davis County couldn't host the game. He said different neutral sites were discussed. Then in the spring, Evans asked Mitchell if Fort Madison would be willing to host the game.

"I said that wouldn't be a problem, even if we didn't


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SHIFFMAN

2017 SCHEDULE

- 8/25 @ Davis County
- 9/1 Central Lee
- 9/8 @ Oskaloosa
- 9/15 West Burlington-N.D.
- 9/22 Mt. Pleasant
- 9/29 @ Solon
- 10/6 Fairfield
- 10/13 @ Keokuk
- 10/20 Washington



Fort Madison Bloodhounds

The original 2017 Bloodhound football schedule shows the first game of the season to be played at Davis County. However, that has been changed and the Hounds will now host.

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Obituaries/CURRENT-LEE

JUDITH "JUDY" SUE MAHONEY

Judith "Judy" Sue Mahoney, 63, of rural Fort Madison, passed away at 1:00 A.M. Sunday July 30, 2017 at her home.

Born November 7, 1953 in Fort Madison, Iowa, the daughter of Kenneth Roy and Dona (Dockum) Hagmeier. On August 15, 1993 in Fort Madison, Iowa, she married Michael "Mike" Sanford.

Survivors include her husband, Mike; two sons, Matthew (Cheritie) Mahoney of Granger, Iowa and Kevin (Bailie Siemens) Mahoney of Fort Madison, Iowa; five grandchildren, Ethan, Madeline, Gavyn, Kellen, and Cameron; one brother, Mark (Phyl Hinds) Richers of Denmark, Iowa; and several nieces, nephews, cousins, and brothers and sisters-in-law.

She was preceded in death by her father; mother; step-father, Johny Richers; and three siblings, Janet Thompson Deeders, Sandra Nelson, and Kenneth Hagmeier.

Judy was a graduate of Fort Madison High School. She worked for Lee County Bank, and she later worked for ResCare.

Judy's family always came first, especially her grandchildren. She enjoyed all of her pets, fishing, gardening, mushroom hunting, helping people, and spending time with her family and friends.

Per her wishes, her body has been entrusted to Schmitz Funeral Home for cremation.

A Celebration of Life was held at 2:00 P.M. Saturday, August 5, 2017 at her home 2194 West Point Road, West Point, Iowa 52656.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Lee County Hospice.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.schmitzfuneralhomes.com

Schmitz Funeral Home in West Point is assisting the family with arrangements.

BETTY JEAN DIETZMAN

Betty Jean Dietzman, 94, of Burlington, formerly of Farmington, Iowa died at 10:03 A.M. Thursday, August 3, 2017 at the Blair House Nursing and Rehab Center in Burlington, Iowa.

Born April 28, 1923 in Milton, Iowa, she was the daughter of Montie and Elsie (Miller) McQuoid. On February 18, 1945 she married Harold Dietzman in Keosauqua, Iowa. He died August 31, 1968.

In the 50's they opened and co-owned the Farmington Tastee Freez. Mrs. Dietzman also worked and retired after 20 years from Sheaffer Pen Co. She graduated from Cantril High School and attended UNI.

She loved her family and nothing made her happier than her grand, great grand, and great, great grandchildren. She spent most of her life in Van Buren County, 58 years in Farmington.

She was a member of the Farmington United Methodist Church, United Methodist Women, Chapter O P.E.O., Eastern Star, and the Farmington Garden Club. She enjoyed a circle of friends in Farmington and made many new ones in Burlington. Her kindness will be remembered by all her life has touched.

Survivors include one daughter Sandra (Duane) Hendrichsen and one son Dennis (Dyan) Dietzman all of Burlington, Granddaughter Laura Hendrichsen, grandsons David (Lyndsey) Dietzman and Daniel Dietzman, great grandson Jonah Hendrichsen, great granddaughters Chloe Brueck and Ellie Dietzman, great great granddaughter Novalee Hendrichsen, sister Marilyn (Jim) Gillman, brother David (Darlene) McQuoid, sisters-in-law Mryna Dietzman and Betty McQuoid, nieces and nephews.

In addition to her husband Harold, she was preceded in death by her parents, sister and brother-in-law Beverly and Duane Williams, brother Marvin McQuoid and grandson Marty Hendrichsen.

Per Betty's wishes, she has donated her body to the University of Iowa College of Medicine.

The Memorial Service will be held on Wednesday, August 23, 2017 at 2:00 P.M. with Pastor Michael Elrod officiating at the Farmington United Methodist Church in Farmington, Iowa.

Burial will be at a later date at Fellows Cemetery, Keosauqua, Iowa.

Memorials have been established for the Farmington United Methodist Church, Farmington EMT's, and Great River Hospice.

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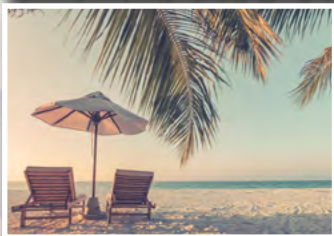


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8/5
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Powerball: 11
Power Play: 2

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Pick 4 - Midday	Daily	Noon	12:20 pm
Pick 4 - Evening	Daily	9:40 pm	10:00 pm



8/5
19 23 36 42 43
Hot Ball: 7
Sizzler: 3



8/4 MID-DAY
9 9 7
8/4 EVENING
0 0 5

8/5 MID-DAY
4 3 8
8/5 EVENING
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Obituaries/From the Front

WILLIAM J. SCHNEIDER

William J. Schneider, 94, of Ft. Madison passed away on Friday, August 4, 2017 at 1:55 AM at Pleasant Manor Nursing Home in Mt. Pleasant.

He was born on March 21, 1923 in Peoria, IL and was adopted by William and Anna Hoerr Schneider when he was nine months old. On January 26, 1952 he married Elinor Krehbiel in Ft. Madison. William was a shipping clerk at Sheaffer Pen Co. and retired after forty three years of service. He was a member of Sacred Heart Church. William served in the US Army during WWII, from 1942-1945 in the 1020 Engineer Battalion in central Europe and received a bronze star. He enjoyed traveling and photography. He was a former President of the Aquinas Band Parents and a charter member of the Aquinas Athletic Boosters.



SCHNEIDER



Survivors include his wife, Elinor Schneider of Mt. Pleasant; two sons, David (Julie) Schneider of Mt. Pleasant and Donald (Gail Baldwin) Schneider of Davenport; three grandchildren, Ingrid Schneider, Elise Schneider and Megan Schneider. He was preceded in death by his parents and two sisters, Barbara Mitchell and Mary Ann O'Toole.

The funeral service will be held at 2 PM on Wednesday, August 9, 2017 at King-Lynk Funeral Home & Crematory where the family will meet with friends from 1 PM until the time of the service at 2 PM. Burial will be in Sacred Heart Cemetery and military rites will be performed by the Ft. Madison Veterans Honor Guard.

A memorial has been established for Sacred Heart Church, Mt. Pleasant Music Boosters and St. Ambrose University. Online condolences may be left at www.king-lynk.com.

Aug. 25 season opener moved

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know until closer to the season. We decided at that point if Davis County couldn't host, that Fort Madison would - instead of trying to find a neutral site. He asked me to contact him in late July or early August to see what their progress was," Mitchell said.

"I contacted Rich on Monday. He said the project would not be completed on time and asked if we would host. I agreed. I then contacted the IHSAA to let them know of the situation. :

Mitchell said the IHSAA sets the football schedule in two-year cycles. This would be the second year of the current

cycle. Each school gets nine home games in those two years. "Last year we had four, this year we were scheduled for five. The change with Davis County gives us six this year. I can't tell you the last time that happened," he said. "It is nice to us on many fronts, but in particular, a chance for our kids to play another game on their own field.

In an unrelated matter, the Sept. 15th home game against West Burlington-Notre Dame will now be against WB-ND-Danville as West Burlington approved last week to allow Danville to share in that co-op football program.

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Sunday meal helps Honor Flight

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the cover band from the real deal.

The last day of RiverFest kicks off Sunday morning with the annual Charity Breakfast, in which all proceeds will go to help fund the American Legion's local Honor Flight efforts. Local American Legion Post 82 will be serving the feast.

The menu for this year's breakfast will feature sausage patties, scrambled eggs, hash browns, biscuits and gravy, pancakes, coffee, orange juice, and milk. The cost of the breakfast will be a free will donation to The Great River Honor Flight. In addition Shuttle Service will be available from the Riverview Park parking lots to the breakfast site.

According to Dan Vice, the local post commander, sponsors for the breakfast will cover the actual cost of the event. "We would like to thank Fareway Food Stores, Kohl Wholesale, Lee County Bank, and the Fort Madison Elks Lodge for getting involved. Because of their support, 100 percent of the money raised at the breakfast will help send up to seven Lee County Veterans on the Honor Flight. We are hoping for a big crowd and would like to invite everyone to stop in and support our Veterans."

Also on Sunday, the carnival will run from noon to 7 p.m. with Pickleball demonstrations and games available from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. A motorcycle stunt show will take place between 11:45 and noon and then The Ozone Ramblers will help offer up a pro-jam session from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Commercial and Craft Vendors will be on site from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.



Photos by Chuck Vandenberg/PCC

National country music artist Buddy Jewell signs the back of Laurie Link's shirt after his performance Saturday. Below Shawn Moss sings a chorus of "Thunder Rolls" Saturday after Riverfest.



5-DAY WEATHER FORECAST

SUN 06 Aug



Moderate Rain
High - 64.6° F | Low - 60.2° F

MON 07 Aug



Scattered Clouds
High - 74.3° F | Low - 57.5° F

TUE 08 Aug



Moderate Rain
High - 75.2° F | Low - 66.4° F

WED 09 Aug



Light Rain
High - 74.0° F | Low - 66.8° F

THU 10 Aug



Light Rain
High - 78.3° F | Low - 65.7° F

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