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BEST YET! The Pewee Valley Volunteer Firemen and auxiliary gather at the Firehouse to celebrate the record-breaking total of \$14,480.36 (\$1621.47 more than last year!) collected during the Crusade for Children June 6 and 7.



By Lee Heiman, City Clerk

At a special meeting in the Town Hall at 7 p.m. Monday, June 15, the City Council will conduct a public hearing for residents' comments or questions about the proposed budget for fiscal year 1987-88 including use of mineral-severance tax funds from the State.

The annual budget ordinance is expected to be enacted at the close of that meeting.

Then, at the next regular meeting, at 7 p.m. on Monday, July 6, the Council will have a public hearing on use of State municipal road-aid mon-

Written or oral comments or questions may be submitted. Anyone who wishes to do this but cannot attend the public hearings should phone Mayor Vivien H. Reinhardt—241-4243—so that arrangements can be made to obtain the statement.

A copy of the proposed budget is posted on the Town Hall door.

City Council has voted to post a 25-mph speed limit on Elm Avenue between Tulip and Ash Avenues.

The Pewee Valley city tax rate will remain at 23 cents per \$100 valuation for the 1987-88 fiscal year. The City Council passed an Ordinance to that effect on June 1.

Tax bills are scheduled to go into the mail the first part of July. Penalties and interest begin after Aug. 31.

May was a rather light time for the Pewee Valley police—except for that bank robbery! (See Page 8.)

According to Chief Larry Walls' monthly report, motorists were cited three times for speeding, one each for driving under the influence, no operator's license, and no insurance.

Three non-injury accidents were investigated.

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Somebody tried to take a radio out of a car parked at the Ashland station, Central and Highway 22. The culprit, if ever caught, will be charged with criminal mischief.

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Brush and leaves that are left in roadside ditches can cause drainage problems, City Road Commissioner Ralph Beverly reminds residents.

He advises burning them (if there is no temporary ban in effect because of dry weather), making certain the fire doesn't touch road surfaces. JANE ANNE
HIRTZEL TO
DANCE AT
KENTUCKY
CENTER FOR
THE ARTS
WITH LOCAL
DANCE GROUP



Thought-Forms Inc., the experimental dance theatre of Oldham County, will be presenting a performance at the Kentucky Center for the Arts, June 27, at 8 P.M.

Jane Anne Hirtzel, a Pewee Valley teen, has been a member of this group since January, 1987 and will be dancing in this gala program with five other Oldham Countians—Kim Olson, Tracey Hammon, Alana and Marissa Auslander, and Margaret Kastner.

A special feature of this program is guest artist Lasz-lo Berdo-a principal with the Louisville Ballet. He will dance with Susana Williams, the Director and choreographer of Thought-Forms Inc.

Tickets are \$8.00, available at the Kentucky Center for the Arts. Advance reservations may be made by calling Thought-Forms - 222-0884, or Judy Hirtzel at 241-8202. Tickets bought in advance are only \$6.

MORE NEW HOUSES

Where do they put 'em all? New houses, that is.

The Oldham County Planning & Zoning Commission has issued permits for construction of three more residences.

A three-bedroom house, 7103 Poplar Terrace (Maple Valley subdivision), for Walter Robbins. contractor, Esposito Builders, Inc.

A three-bedroom home at 343 Central Ave. (Shagbark Farms) for Harold & Elizabeth Striegel. contractor, Henry King.

Another three-bedroom residence being built at 7608 Woodridge Drive (in Woodridge subdivision) by K & D Builders of Pewee Valley.

Also, Tom Perdew of T & D Developers has informed City Council of his company's intention to build houses on 12 lots in a new subdivision, Stony Creek, off Ash Avenue near the south city limits.

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A permit was issued to Robert C. Wright, 403 Ash Ave., for a 24-foot round swimming pool.

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GATHERING SPACE AVAILABLE

Those of you looking for convenient, attractive place to hold a card party, luncheon, meeting or reception may want to consider renting Pewee Valley Woman's building at the corner of Mt. Mercy and Central. Consisting of a well-equipped kitchen & a meeting room large enough to seat 50-60 people, it may be rented to non-members for \$50. Members and non-profit groups may rent it for \$25. A deposit of \$75 is required, but will be returned provided no damage is done. For rental information, call Mary Stewart at 241-4250.

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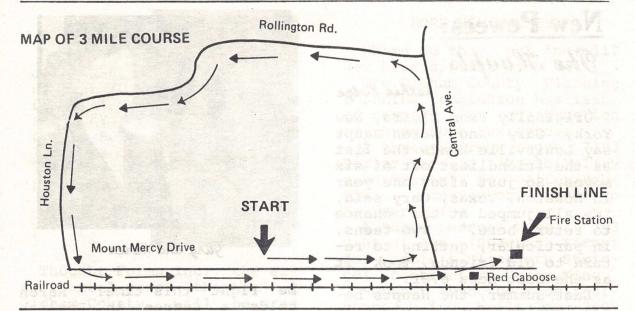


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Walk OR Run JUNE 13

The 7th Annual Pewee Valley 3-mile Race and 3-mile Walk will take place Saturday June 13, and will begin at 8 a.m. at the caboose in Town Square with the Awards Ceremony taking place about 9 a.m. Drawings are to be made at that time, too, for dinners and Etonic shoes. Entry fees are \$10 with all participants receiving a T-shirt.Co-sponsored by South Oldham Lions Chi-Chi's Restaurants, coordinated by Ken Combs Running Store, the proceeds benefit the Lions' community projects.

Residents should be aware of the route which is pictured here, so that drivers can

avoid that route while the race is in progress. Central Avenue will be blocked off from 8 to 8.30 a.m. The Lions appreciate everyone's cooperation and hope that residents will line the route to cheer the runners and walkers on.

Walking is a popular means to physical fitness among all age groups and the Lions hope their 3-Mile Walk will also promote this healthful habit. The walkers will follow the same route as the runners and will have the same starting time - 8 a.m.

Registration for walkers and runners is from 7 A.M. to 7:45 A.M., with the event beginning promptly at 8 A.M.

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New Pewees: The Haupts

Kathie Hudge

Originally from Elmira, New York, Gary and Karen Haupt say Louisville heads the list as the friendliest out of six moves. So just after one year in Houston, Texas, Gary said, "We all jumped at the chance to return here." Two teens, in particular, getting to return to old friends, took it as the best news ever.

Last summer, the Haupts began looking for a place in Oldham County, close to his business. Four months in an apartment seemed an eternity for Karen until the "perfect home" turned up in Rosswoods in December. A yard full of dogwood and perennial flowers delighted them in the spring.

Graduating from Western Michigan University in the 60's Gary fulfilled an early desire to enter the automotive technology field. Since then the Haupts have relocated several times with Ford Motor Company and raised a family along the way. Excited to be back in this area, Gary is now General Manager and part owner of Crestwood Ford and the new Tri-County Ford-Mercury.

To Karen, thoughts of settling down permanently actually prevented her from making quick decisions on decorating. "I just wanted it to



Gary and Karen

be right this time!" Karen holds a degree in English literature from the University of New York in Binghamton. Between having children and moving her desire to teach never materialized. Lately, an interest in computers persuaded Karen to apply at Capitol Holding as a programmer. Gary kids that he has mopped his share of floors while Karen goes through an intense training course. However, Karen says, "It's hard to get discouraged when the kids are urging, 'Way to go, Mom!'"

The Haupt's oldest son John returned to St. Xavier High School as a senior, graduating with his former class. Jennifer will be a sophomore at Sacred Heart this fall.

The Haupts say they continue to take in the friendly atmosphere that existed for them upon moving here, especially appreciating the local flavor and events.



Young thespians in our community are in rehearsal for 'Peter Pan", to be performed July 16, 17, 18, at the Little Colonel Playhouse. Mark your calendars!

Art Fair June 13 & 14

The sixth annual St. James' Arts & Fine Crafts Fair, a 2-day event, will be held June 13 - 14 on the grounds of St. James Episcopal Church in Pewee Valley. Times are 10 - 5 on Saturday, and noon to 5 on Sunday.

This juried fair will feature 50 artists and craftsmen from more than eight states, including many new exhibitors. Food will be available, also.

Admission will be FREE.

HOT-AIR BALLOON EXTRAVANGZA

You can view the spectacular sight of 20 to 30 colorful hot-air balloons inflating and launching at one time July 11th at 7 AM and 7 PM at the Outlets Ltd. Mall, Bluegrass Industrial Park. This and other activities at the Mall during the July 9-11th weekend will benefit the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation,

SUMMER CHARM WORKSHOPS

Teens and pre-teens are invited to learn about make-up, hair styling, modeling and color analysis, at a series of two-day workshops announced by Janette Chapman, county extension agent.

Teens 13-19 will meet June 24-25; Pre-teens 9-12 will meet June 17-18 or July 28-29. The sessions will be held at the Oldham County Vocational School on KY 393 in Buckner. Students should bring a sack lunch.

Space is limited, and those interested should call 222-9453 to pre-register.

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"LIKE-NEW" DONATION

Gary Haupt, a Pewee Valley resident and the President of Crestwood Ford and Tri-County Ford-Mercury, stands in front of the 1965 Ford Mustang donated to Oldham County High School's "Project Graduation". A used car in terrible condition, it was TOTALLY refurbished by the Crestwood body shop. Tires were donated by Dean Tire and Service Center.

June 7th, some lucky, justgraduated OCHS senior will be driving this sporty car home





BANK WITHDRAWAL

Well, two bank robberies in all these years. Could have been a lot worse.

The bandit escaped by the skin of his teeth May 27 with an undetermined amount of money from the Pewee Valley branch of Citizens Fidelity Bank & Trust Co. Oldham County.

Pewee Valley Police Chief Larry Walls was nearby when he got the call, and made his appearance about 30 seconds after the robber completed his quickly-executed heist.

The investigation is now in the hands of the FBI.

It was in the 1950s that Pewee Valley's only other bank robbery occurred. Citizens Fidelity's predecessor, the Bank of Oldham County, was located in its original quarters at the time. Today, the building is occupied by the Pewee Valley Woman's Club.

SUCCESSFUL CLEAN-UP DAY

Our Town's yards are fourdumpster-loads less cluttered after the May 16 Cleanup Day.

