

## LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, OCTOBER 13, 2024

10/13..A cool Sunday morning and John Gorton said he had a frost there in Sheldon, no frost here as we had 42 degrees this morning. We have lots of trees in our driveway and that might not let the cold in, as an open driveway. John came with prepared bulletins, and officiated our Church Service, with his sermon entitled "Contending With God." He called on Vivian Elbe and Sandy Bowman to read today's Scripture readings.

10/13..Marty Vallender and Son Hudson, Grand-Dad Joe Vallender left town Saturday morning where they had plans to attend a Baseball Tournament in New Hampshire. They returned Sunday afternoon, after having a wonderful weekend, with plenty of excitement.

10/7. I got a call from Lila and Lyndol Elkins, since it was raining it was a good day for them to come and start cleaning the Fellowship Hall at the Church. I then made a call to Sandy Bowman, Linda & Frank Elkins to come ahead of Lila and get the tables and chairs off the carpet and do some vacuuming. We did just that, then Sandy cleaned the bathroom; Sandy, Frank & Linda went up stairs and vacuumed and mopped. Lyndol & Lila did all the shampooing, which was a huge job, they have nice machines. Today Friday Linda called me and we went down to the Church and put tables back. Looked so nice, and the hall seemed so big once again, as we have had our tables loaded with food for years. We had the dehumidifier on the rest of the week with the doors open up and down stairs to hopefully dry it out before Sunday.

10/8. The 500 Card Club met at the lovely home of Debbi Chauvin in the Center. The ladies all meet before noon time as they like to begin at noon. There were no subs this month all members were present. Debbi had a wonderful assortment of snacks and drinks for everyone to enjoy during the play. The ending scores, Sue Peters had high 2980; second high was Sue Cherrier 2950; low score was Linda Van Gieson 1200 and she also had most horses (4). They all had a good time.

10/10..I was invited by Lois Babbitt to come with her and Connie McFarland to Newport. We had our luncheon at East Side. Then we went up to the Dollar Tree and Walmarts before heading back home. We had a nice misty day here in Montgomery but not in Newport, but it did clear up later in the afternoon here in Montgomery. Today Friday it is another lovely afternoon.

I have some news from Kathryn and Harold King. They went to Connecticut on 10/3 and visited Howard's sister Judy Sears in Torrington, Ct. on 10/4. This same day Kathy visited her daughter Lisa in Watertown, Ct. and Friday night went out to supper with daughter Leslie Gamelin. On 10/5 went to daughters Lori and Kenny Young's then to lunch with them and Judy Sears and Mike then back to Lori's to visit and saw Grandson Kenny Jr. On Sunday 10/6 was the big event attending Granddaughter Danielle Gamelin and Matt Coppola's Baby Shower, enjoying a great day. Monday 10/7 hung out with Leslie and Danielle at their house and waited for Great Granddaughter Carter, to get home from school, so we could visit. On 10/8 we headed back home. We had a very enjoyable ride and the foliage was changing down that way but not as far ahead as up this way.

Events coming up: "PEOPLE'S ART SHOW" At the Art Gallery October 11 - 27th. Time..??

Event: "VARIETY SHOW". October 18 & 19; Doors open at 6 pm at the Town Hall, if you have talent and want to participate come and sign up, we will welcome you.

Event: Montgomery Elementary 8th graders are planning a "HAUNTED FOREST" will take place at the River Walk Park October 26 from dusk till 9 pm. All little children should be accompanied by an adult/parent; Cost by donation; There will be snacks and drinks for sale. All Welcome.

Event: "PUMPKIN CARVING & COMMUNITY POT LUCK" October 27, at 4 pm, at the Montgomery Center for the Arts 2 Mountain Road.

Happy Birthday to: David Newton 10/20; Charlie Fachmann 10/21; Marijke Dollois 10/23; John Cluba 10/24; John Harrocks 10/26.

Happy Anniversary to John & Margie Harrocks 10/26.

\*\*\*1. What's a scare crows favorite fruit? Straw-berries. \*\*\*2.What did the ghost take on a date? His ghoul-friend. \*\*\*3,What's in a ghost's nose? Booogers. \*\*\*4. What's read and lives in an apple? A Bookworm\*\*\*...Enjoy, and have a nice Fall week, we might even see a few snow flurries so the weatherman is telling us. Keep safe, keep warm and Love to you!!!