

LOIS WITH THE MONTGOMERY NEWS, JULY 4, 2021

WHAT A WONDERFUL PARADE.. Just to see our Beautiful Elle Purrier St.Pierre coming on a float was so SPECIAL to see her and such a warming SMILE. We have come back from this horrible pandemic that has kept us all inside for over a year..and so many events were cancelled during this time. It was great to see so many floats and cars that joined in the parade, A VERY SPECIAL THANKS TO EVERYONE INVOLVED. Just having people from local Towns come and share with us was so meaningful and appreciated..Thank You!!!! The BBQ Chicken was so tender and delicious, Thanks to all that help prepare and cook.

I 'am sharing this story given to me a few months ago by my dear Friend Catherine O'Neill. This is one of many of her memories and going camping with their six children and one friend in a Volkswagon bus. They were off for a few days of camping and the bus was full of things that they would need. The top of the bus was also piled high with tents, sleeping bags, fishing poles and whatever else they might need; they also had a big cooking thing-a-ma-jig that was homemade by Mr. O'Neill, which held pots and pans and food. This reminds me of the Clampets of Beverly Hills, with heads in every window and all our camping gear. The trip took us this way and that way through Tennessee. Yes, one of the girls was complaining and others would argue over little things. There was a need to go to the bathroom and we found a place up in the backwoods at a gas station, everyone got out and we even put more gas in to be sure we would have plenty, and made a purchase of cookies and chips, hoping this would quiet down the complaining a bit. Once we were loaded back up and heading down the road..we heard screams coming after us. What the heck is going on..it was our complaining daughter running after us..she took longer in the bathroom and we took off without her. The Store attendant was laughing his head off as he stood in the doorway watching us drive off without one child. We stopped to let her in, so once again we were all packed in and on our way. The trip was a great experience as one can imagine with 7 kids and running around and making mud pies, and trying to find wonderful outdoor games to play and hike in the woods and playing in cold streams, there was certainly lots of screams and fun-fun-fun. We never tired of our Vacations with all the children, Now we have such splendid memories of all those wonderful times. (Thanks for Sharing Kate) How many others might have special memories to share..I'm here waiting for them.

The Montgomery Town Library will be hosting a "Silent Auction" on Saturday, July 10, from 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.held at the Grange Town Hall. There will be many Crafty donations, Gift Certificates from Local and regional Businesses, including a Jay Peak Ski Pass. Welcome for this wonderful event to help the Town Library.

Reminder that the first Farmers Market will have its first event this Saturday..July 10..at the Lawn of the Historical Society and also Johnson and Johnson one shot vaccine are going to be available.

Happy Birthday to: Barbara St.Cyr, Stacy Ryea, Keith Sampietro 7/11; Matt Crowley 7/12; Patricia Carpenter, Susan Delear, Debbi Chauvin 7/13; Brenna Lanphear 7/14; Stuart Brunton, Jo Cota 7/15; Betty Courville, Sandy Cota, Finnleigh Daberer7/16; Pamela Marshall 7/17.

Anniversary Wishes to: Tim and Colleen Pratt 7/13; Patrick and Sharon Evans. Justin and Jennifer Deuso 7/14.

**Three guys die in a car accident and go to heaven. They are all asked, When you are in your casket and friends and family are mourning over you, what would you like to hear them say about you? The first guy said I would like to hear them say I was a wonderful doctor and and great family man. The Second guy says he would like to hear them say he was a great teacher and made a huge difference in their children's life. The third guy says, I would like to hear them say..LOOK, HE IS MOVING. ** Hope you all enjoyed today the 4th as it was a nice day..a little to cool but wonderful when the sun came out. M.L.T.A.