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QUOTE OF THE DAY

"To accomplish great things we must not only act, but also dream; not only plan, but also believe."

-Anatole France



THURSDAY'S WEATHER



PARTLY CLOUDY
HIGH 79°F · LOW 57°F

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SEEING DOUBLE IN REESE COUNTY

Vivo and Taft cities are seeing double these days as they share two sets of twins. The Turner sisters, Ann and Grace, and the Wirt sisters, Sophie and Hannah, are happy they are close to their sisters. "Most twins are joined at the hip", stated Ann. On the other hand, according to Sophie, "being apart from my sister is helping me to meet more new people. I am finding my new individuality and I like it." Hannah says, "It helps to be in the same county with my sister, but being apart helps me be on my own." Twins Grace and Ann find BGS as a new challenge. "Usually we are always involved in sports together, this is a whole new bonding experience for us," stated Ann. With both the Turner twins being Federalists, they are excited to be able to campaign together, while the Wirt sisters wear different



color lanyards. Just think of all the fun these four sisters will have sharing their individual experiences when they reconnect at that hip.

BUSINESS IS BOOMING AT BGS

All across the halls of Buckeye Girls State, new businesses are springing up. Over in Ray County you will find the city of Resnick, which is "unbearably" cute. From Smokey the Bear Fire Dept to the Polar Bear Ice Cream Shop, the residents will make you feel warm and fuzzy. Then you can stop by Stowe City, grab a cookie, and play a board game or two in Rice City. However you'll need a whole day to cover the sights in Hayes City. Located in Nickoson County is the Disney Castle Festival. Here you'll find numer-

ous Disney themed shops. There is Cinderella's Dress Shop, Belle's Book Shop, Woody's Toy Store, and Goofy's Gift Shop. There is also Pinocchio's Puppetry Place, and Aladdin's Magic Carpet Cleaners. While you shop, your little ones will feel right at home in Snow White's Day Care, where they promise to "turn your little dwarves into handsome princes". Wherever you go, you'll feel right at home at Buckeye Girls State.



BUCKEYE GIRLS STATE HIGHWAY PATROL



Federalists

- Emily Ann Barhorst- Hobart City
- Jameliah J Brown- Flowers City
- Jordan Darrah Byrley- Kaptur City
- Courtney Marie DeZee- Taft City
- Alayne F Fink- Cook City
- Amber R Fleming- Bombeck City
- Alishia Rose Forshey- Davidson City
- Megan A Ketchum- Day City
- Sabrina Elizabeth Kohls- Oakley City
- Hiliary Minton- Rice City
- Britney Marie Weidenthal- Oakley City

Nationalists

- Alyssa Ann Al-Jammal- Allen City
- Laura M Bender- Allen City
- Allison Danielle Burton- Withrow City
- Helen E Clark- Benson City
- Audrey Dawn Flores- Stoy City
- Allicia Irene Hill- Vivo City
- Logan L Lucas- Zeller City
- Teddi Jo Maslowski- Hayer City
- Kaitlyn Taylor Miller- Benson City
- Julie Marie Poyar- Junge City
- Mollie M Sebald- Withrow City
- Tiera Shephard- Harwood City
- Chelsea M Spears- Jones City
- Miranda Stockton- Rice City



TRAFFIC LAWS ENFORCED ON THURSDAY

Beginning Thursday, the Highway Patrol will enforce traffic laws for delegates. These laws are as follows:

- Everyone must have in her possession a valid Buckeye Girls State Driver's License. 4510.12
- No running (also known as speeding). 4511.21
- Walking on the sidewalk while consuming any liquid in any form is equivalent to driving while under the influence of alcohol. 4511.19
- Two people walking on the sidewalk side by side is the equivalent of drag racing. 4511.251
- Stopping on the "highway" will be considered parking. Parking on the traveled portion of the "highway" is not legal. Parking is permitted on the "berm." 4511.68
- Everyone must wear a BGS safety belt (rubber band). 4513.263
- All "vehicles" must signal before passing, turning, or stopping. When given by hand

and arm, signals shall be given from the left side of the "vehicle" in the following manner: 4511.40

- Left turn- hand and arm extended horizontally
- Right turn- hand and arm extended upward
- Stop- hand and arm extended downward

AUDITIONS OFFER IMMENSE TALENT

Thank you for participating in the auditions held on Monday. Whether it was singing tunes from Phantom of the Opera, Wicked or State Fair, the pre-registered auditions offered a vast amount of talent this year.

Delegates have been chosen and will showcase their talents throughout the week at special events. These delegates are:

- Allie Dolan, Benson City, Miller County
- Elizabeth Sampson, Deal City, Nickoson County
- Elizabeth Smarkel, Hayes City, Nickson County

- Shannon Biegler, Jones City, Peeples County
- Emily Mapes, Jones City, Peeples County
- Sarah Kline, O'Connor City, Ray County
- Stephanie Zyzak, Resnick City, Ray County
- Katie Fife, Vivo City, Reese County

Delegates have also been selected as soloists to sing the National Anthem for County Flag Raising. These delegates are:

- Mackenzie Leskovec, Davidson City, Nickoson County
- Sophie Lewis, Hayes City, Peeples County

- Mimi Klipstine-Dick, Kaptur City, Ray County
- Dee Manning, Resnick City, Reese County
- Sophie Wirt, Vivo City, Reese County All County
- Mayim Hamblen, Merritt City, Peeples County

Congratulations on a job well done. Everyone that auditioned was awesome. Keep up the great work!



STATE HIGHWAY TROOPER GONZALEZ

Buckeye Girls State seems to get a hold of people. Dora Gonzalez, a State Highway trooper is serving her first year on staff here at Ashland University. She attended Buckeye Girls State 25 years ago as a junior from Norton High School and was elected Mayor of her city. She also has a daughter who attended Buckeye Girls State in 2006 and was elected as a county commissioner. In real life, Trooper Gonzalez, aka "Dora the Explorer", serves as a full time recruiting officer for North Central Ohio and lives in the Barberton area.

Trooper Gonzalez said that Buckeye Girls State was the first time she was ever away from home that long. She stated, "I loved that whole experience. It helps you adapt to college life". She felt the only drawback to volunteering at Buckeye Girls State is that she misses her family and her six dogs.

Both Trooper Gonzalez and her sidekick Sgt. Karla Taulbee thought the enthusiasm and energy at Monday night's naturalization ceremony was awesome. They said, "The girls were wonderful! They already were chanting, did the wave and even got a train going on. We wanted to join in too."

The State Troopers wish all the delegates a great week and hope their energy remains high. "Who knows", said Trooper Gonzalez, "maybe one day they'll be returning to Buckeye Girls State to work on staff."

TUES. FLAG CEREMONY

The Flag Was Raised By
Ohio State Highway Patrol

Emcee
Emily Topp, Deal City,
Nickoson County

Pledge
Mackenzie Eicher, Day City,
Nickoson County

National Anthem
Sophie Lewis, Hayes City,
Nickoson County

Reading
Kelsey Gallaher, Flowers City,
Nickoson County

Auxiliary Moment
Misty Cushing, Hayes City,
Nickoson County

Thought
Marissa Carlone, Hobart City,
Nickoson County

Congratulations to DEAL CITY, Tuesday's Contest winner!

TUESDAY'S CONTEST ANSWERS

1. John Eisenmann; 2. 1902; 3. The burgee; 4. It is in memory of President William McKinley;
5. Ohio was the 17th state in the Union; 6. Ohio produces the most tomato juice in the U.S.
7. 1803; 8. Dayton; 9. Wapakoneta; 10. New Concord

WEDNESDAY'S CONTEST

1. What constitutional amendment gave women the right to vote?
2. What year was the amendment passed?
3. Who was the first presidential wife to have a college degree?
4. Which presidential first lady was known for planting Washington DC's legendary cherry trees?

WEDNESDAY'S QUESTION OF THE DAY

What makes an American?

- "Somebody with pride, who isn't afraid to go after their dream." – Adaleine Jackson, Taft City
- "Loyalty, dedication, and the spirit that you're proud to be an American and you want to help and/or defend your country." – Samantha Davis, Cook City
- "Anyone who is willing to fight for their rights. Anyone who believes in democracy and that all people should be treated equally." – Erin Gorrell, Taft City
- "Hard work, patriotism, and dedication." – Briana Sinn, Deal City
- "A hard working citizen that is dedicated to their country and they're willing to give back because their country has done so much for them." – Amanda Wise, Deal City



AU BOOKSTORE

The AU bookstore is open for business. Check out the BGS keepsakes as well as Ashland University items.



**Congratulations
to Zeller City,
Tuesday's Ideal City!**