Community Roundup: Countryside Manor celebrates building renovations

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The Sandusky County Chamber Ambassadors with city and county officials helped to celebrate the renovations at Countryside Manor. (*Photo: Submitted*)

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FREMONT - Rachel Wynkoop, interim director of the Chamber of Commerce of Sandusky County, along with chamber ambassadors, city and county officials and the community helped celebrate the grand opening of the newly renovated Countryside Manor.

Jacob Stern, CEO of Countryside Manor, took ownership in August 2018. In November 2018, renovations began on the rehabilitation and nursing facility on Ohio 6, just off U.S. 20, north of Fremont. All three floors of the building received a face-lift with new paint, furniture and layout of care wings.

The third floor now features a sunroom for long-term residents and their visitors.

"We get to carry on the tradition with the efforts and investments they've made in this community with this building," said Sandusky County Commissioner Scott Miller.

After the ribbon-cutting ceremony, staff at Countryside Manor led tours of the building.

More information about Countryside Manor, and the services they provide, can be found at <u>countrysidemanorhc.com</u> or 419-334-2602.

Ross to honor 3 in Music Hall of Fame Gala

FREMONT - The Fremont Ross Music Hall of Fame Gala will 7:30 p.m. Oct. 19 at Anjulina's Banquet Hall, 2270 Hayes Ave.

This year's honorees are Thomas Ziebold, Class of 1965; Jack Rinehart, Class of 1966; and Thea (Grendahl) Christou, Class of 1973.

The meet and greet starts at 5:30 p.m., dinner is served at 6:30 p.m., and the program begins at 7:30 p.m.

This event is sponsored by Fremont Ross Music Alumni Foundation. Proceeds help provide scholarships to Fremont Ross graduates who were part of the music department and plan to continue their music involvement in college. The Class of 2019 scholarship winner was Sierra Tatum.

Gala tickets are \$30, with reservations and payment due Oct. 8. There will be a cash bar, hatbox drawing and silent auction. For ticket information or to make a silent auction donation, contact Jan or Karen Sorg at 332-3040.

Ross band alumni sought for Homecoming Parade

FREMONT - Fremont Ross Marching Little Giants alumni are invited to participate in the Homecoming parade, pregame and halftime performance with this year's band. Music rehearsal is 7 p.m. Oct. 17 at the high school band room; meet up is at 4:30 p.m. Oct. 18 at the high school practice field to learn the marching routine. Alumni can also join the parade to Don Paul Stadium.

Those who would like music alumni T-shirts to wear at Homecoming should order them by Oct. 8.

For additional details about alumni night, or to request a T-shirt order form, email the organization at fromalumni@gmail.com. Fremont Ross Music Alumni Foundation also can be found on Facebook and Instagram under screen name @fromalum.

Youths may apply for CMP scholarships

PORT CLINTON - The Civilian Marksmanship Program (CMP) is set to reward commendable student-athletes for the 2020-2021 school year in their future endeavors through its annual scholarship program. The CMP offers \$1,000 one-year scholarships

based on merit and rifle or pistol marksmanship participation to current high school seniors only.

Since 2005, CMP has awarded over \$1 million in scholarship prizes. Last year, the CMP awarded nearly \$160,000 in scholarship money. Winning recipients came from a mix of JROTC schools, 4-H groups and other shooting clubs.

To be considered, applicants must turn in a list of past and present rifle or pistol competition history, awards, involvements and future expectations for the sport. Proof of participation, including match bulletins, photos or CMP Competition Tracker printouts (for example), must be presented in order to be considered for the scholarship. Applications without this will be discarded.

Those interested must also provide academic information such as grade point average of 3.0 or above, test scores and a list of extracurricular activities. Additionally, an official transcript must be provided, along with a letter explaining why the applicant is applying and what future plans the money will fund. A nomination/recommendation letter from a coach or instructor is also required.

The deadline for application submission is March 20, 2020.