

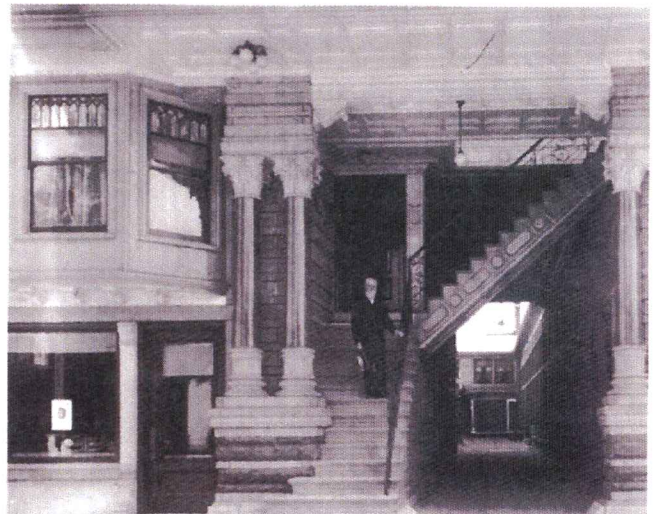
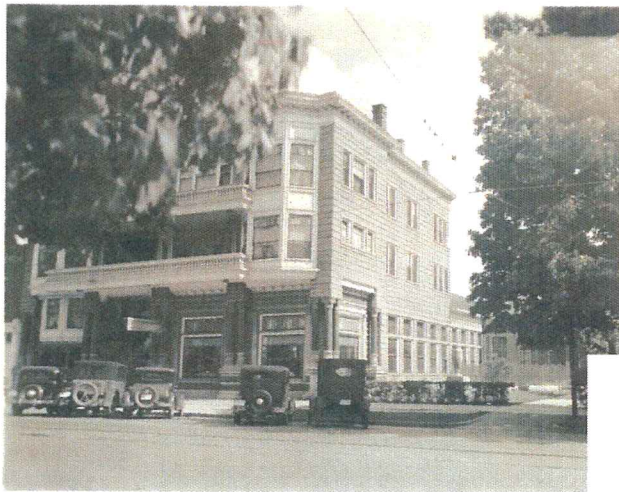


2014

Aspire Awards

Entry







MBNA's Aspire Awards were created to recognize monument builder companies that have drawn favorable attention to their companies, and in turn, to the industry through their specialized marketing and/or public relations campaigns.

All MBNA members in good standing are invited to submit entries for the 2014 MBNAspire to Success Marketing & Public Relations Contest.

Any publicity you've received during the contest year (November 1, 2013 through November 1, 2014) is eligible. This includes coverage by newspapers, magazines, television, new acquisitions, celebrated anniversaries or testimonial letters.

Up to three (3) winners will be awarded the handsome granite MBNAspire Award, a tall, polished trophy that adds elegance and interest to any member's lobby or bookshelf. Honorable mention entries will receive a certificate of merit suitable for framing. All winning entries will be featured in MBNews.

ENTRY FORM

Deadline to submit material is November 14, 2014.

2014 MBNAspire to Success Marketing and Public Relations Contest

Name: Neil Fogarty

Company Name: Dodds Monuments

Address: 123 W Main St.

City: Xenia State/Prov: OH Postal Code: 45385 Country: USA

Phone: 937-372-4408 E-mail: neil@doddsmonuments.com

- Detail your experience. Use a separate piece of paper. It can be one item or event, or multiple events, or a year-long ad campaign.
- Please attach any photographs, clippings, brochures, letters, invitations or company branded materials that relate to your entry. We need original photographs (prints or electronic), but please photocopy your clippings, letters or invitations if you need them returned as we cannot return the material. *Photos can be black and white or color.*

Events should have taken place between November 1, 2013 and November 1, 2014. Deadline for receipt of materials at MBNA Headquarters is November 14, 2014. Materials may be submitted on-line or by postal service.

If you have questions or need additional information, contact MBNA headquarters at (800) 233-4472 or via email at info@monumentbuilders.org.



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On behalf of the members of the House of Representatives of the 130th General Assembly of Ohio, we are pleased to congratulate

DODDS MONUMENTS

as it celebrates the One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary of its founding.

Since its establishment, Dodds Monuments has experienced tremendous prosperity by providing a valuable service to area residents. The company has continually demonstrated its exemplary commitment to the highest standards of service, quality workmanship, and competitive pricing, and its dedication to the best interests of the customer has been evident in all business transactions.

The noteworthy success of Dodds Monuments is attributable largely to the loyal service of its highly qualified and committed staff, as well as to the innovation and foresight of its management. Their combined efforts have earned the organization a well-deserved reputation for excellence and have distinguished it as a worthy enterprise that has contributed greatly to the area's economic well-being.

Thus, with sincere pleasure, we pay tribute to Dodds Monuments on its One Hundred Fiftieth Anniversary and wish the company all the best in the future.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert D. Hackett".

Representative Robert D. Hackett
House District 74

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William G. Batchelder".

WILLIAM G. BATCHELDER
SPEAKER
OHIO HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Dodds Monuments 150th Anniversary

Advertising Campaign

This year Dodds Monuments celebrated a milestone 150 year anniversary. The company launched a year-long ad campaign to communicate the fact that Dodds has been serving the Miami Valley and providing quality memorials, since Abraham Lincoln was President. In that campaign we produced print, television, and radio ads that ran throughout the entire Southwestern Ohio region. Dodds also incorporated a community service program called Project C.A.R.E to coincide with the anniversary as a way to give back to our community.

Dodds Monuments was established in downtown Xenia, in 1864 by Scottish immigrants George and Andrew Dodds. At the turn of the 20th century Dodds grew to be one of the largest manufacturers of memorials in the world, with locations in Chicago, New York, New Hampshire, Connecticut and Massachusetts. Dodds also owned three quarries that produced Milford Pink, Victoria White, and Stoney Creek granites. To this day, Dodds Monuments remains Greene County's oldest continuing business, and is Southwestern Ohio's oldest and largest monument company. We also take pride in our complete engraving facility and art department that is the only one in the greater Dayton area.

We approached Jim Baldrige, a popular news anchor at Dayton's WHIO-TV, to be a part of our 150th anniversary marketing and advertising campaign. Dodds Monuments was the first retail company that Mr. Baldrige ever endorsed publically. We also partnered with Black Tent productions to create commercials for our website and for use on cable TV. Our radio advertisement aired on WHIO AM/FM, the Larry Hansgen Morning Drive, and K99.1 FM.

Project C.A.R.E (Cremations Always Remembered By Entombment) was a special community service project that coincided with our 150th anniversary. This project came about when the President of Dodds Monuments, Neil Fogarty and our Springfield Memorial Counselor, Josh Walters, were discussing cremation at a breakfast meeting. Unbeknownst to Mr. Fogarty, many of the funeral homes in the Springfield area had unclaimed cremated bodies that had been sitting in their facilities for years. He knew that something needed to be done, and Project CARE was born.

Fogarty and Walters presented the idea to Stan Spitler at Ferncliff cemetery and Stan graciously donated a plot of land to place a 48 crypt columbarium where the remains were eventually placed. Dodds ran a full-page ad in the Springfield News Sun with the names of unclaimed remains provided by the funeral homes, hoping to find family members who would reclaim their loved ones. The funeral homes gave us the rest of the unclaimed cremated bodies to be respectfully laid to rest. On October 15th 2014, a ceremony was held and the 72 unclaimed bodies were entombed in the columbarium.

The Project CARE campaign drew attention to an ongoing problem for funeral homes, not only in Springfield but all over the country; just because families choose cremation does not eliminate the need for a lasting tribute and final resting place. Memorialization is an important step of the grieving process; and every human being deserves to be remembered.

We are honored to have partnered with some talented and wonderful people for the 150th anniversary campaign. We hope that the next 150 years are just as successful as the past and that we can continue to serve the community with quality craftsmanship and demonstrated through effective advertising.



150th Anniversary Ad Campaign

WORLD

Prosecutor: 15 crew that navigated ferry held

All are accused of negligence, failing to help passengers.

By Jung-Yoon Choi and Youkyung Lee
Associated Press

SEOUL, SOUTH KOREA — All 15 people involved in navigating the South Korean ferry that sank and left more than 300 people dead or missing are now in custody after authorities on Saturday detained four more crew members, a prosecutor said.

Yang Jung-jin of the joint investigation team said two helmsman and two members of the steering crew were taken in on preliminary arrest warrants issued late Friday. Eleven other crew members, including the captain, had been formally arrested earlier.

All are accused of negligence and of failing to help passengers in need as the ferry Sewol sank April 16. The captain initially told passengers to stay in their rooms and took half an hour to issue an evacuation order, by which time the ship was tilting too severely for many people to get out.

Ten days after the sinking, 187 bodies have been recovered and 115 people are believed to be missing, though the government-wide emergency task force has said the ship's passengers list could be inaccurate. Only 174 people survived, including 22 of the 29 crew members.

The seven surviving crew members who have not been arrested or detained held non-marine jobs such as chef or steward, Yang said in a telephone interview from Mokpo, the southern city near the wreck site where prosecutors are based. A court hearing was held Saturday to determine whether formal arrest warrants will be issued against the four newly detained crew members.

Capt. Lee Joon-seok told reporters after his arrest that he withheld the evacuation order because rescuers had yet to ar-

rive and he feared for passengers' safety in the cold water. Crew members have also defended their actions.

Helmsman Oh Yong-

seok, one of those arrested Saturday, has said he and several crew members did their best to save people.

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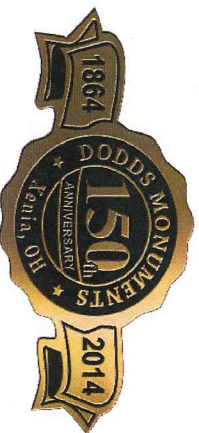
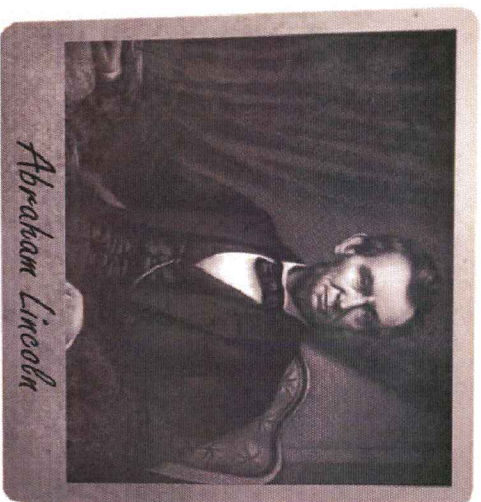
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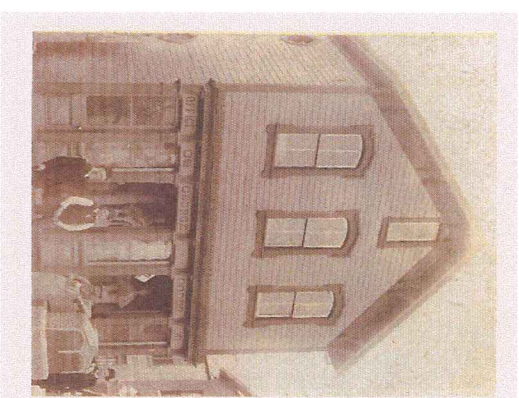
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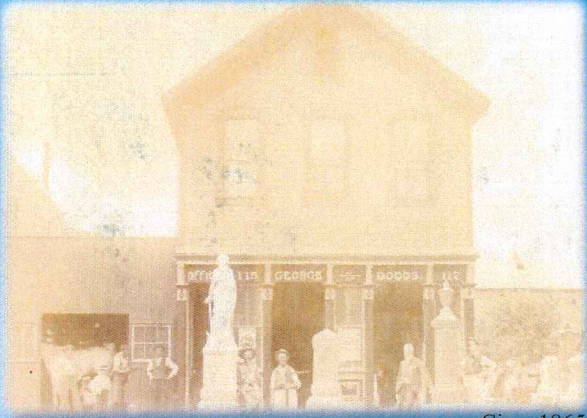
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Project C.A.R.E 2014

Springfield, Ohio





On behalf of Dodds Monuments, Ferncliff Cemetery, and several local Springfield Funeral Homes, we are honored to invite you to attend the Committal Ceremony for Project C.A.R.E (Cremations Always Remembered by Entombment) to be held at 1:00 PM on October 15, 2014 at Ferncliff Cemetery in Springfield, Ohio.

This ceremony will be a dedication of a columbarium that will permanently store all of the unclaimed remains that have been left at the Springfield area Funeral Homes. This event will be open to the public, but we would like to invite you to be a distinguished guest. We hope you can make it and look forward to your company.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Ferncliff Cemetery, Conroy Funeral Home, Jackson Lytle Lewis Funeral Home, Littleton and Rue Funeral Home, Porter-Qualls-Dunlap Funeral Home, Richards Raff & Dunbar Memorial Home, and Trostel, Chapman, Dunbar & Fraley Funeral Home without whom this event would not be possible.

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REMAINS THAT NEED ATTENTION.

Dodds Monuments, in partnership with Ferncliff Cemetery, and the local funeral homes listed below, is donating this columbarium to be placed on land donated by the cemetery. Together our goal is to provide a dignified resting place for all individuals. For this reason, Dodds created **Project C.A.R.E.** (Cremation Always Remembered by Entombment). Currently in Springfield there are approximately 100 unclaimed cremated bodies stored at local funeral homes, and the total continues to grow.

Ohio State Law Code 4717.27, Chapter C, Paragraph 2 states: If the family member or custodian that authorize cremation of the decedent fails to pick up the cremated remains within 60 days, the crematory facility or funeral home holding unclaimed remains may dispose of the cremated remains in a grave, crypt, or niche at any time after that period. Therefore we intend to provide a dignified resting place for these cremations as the law states. This public notice lists the names of the

unclaimed, giving their families an opportunity to claim their loved ones before the entombment date.

Funeral homes listed below offer grief counseling for you and your family. As you decide your departed loved one's final resting place, Dodds Monuments offers a variety of solutions for memorializing your loved one's cremated remains. Let us all continue the work of honoring all those who pass, with a dignified resting place.

If you are next of kin or the closest relative of one of the persons listed below and want to claim their remains, please contact the corresponding funeral home.

This will be the only public notice published. Sometime after 30 days of this notice, the Project C.A.R.E. ceremony will provide the final resting place that all people deserve.

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Terry Rogers
Harold McQuown
Jack Cox
Frank Mancini
Mammie Howard
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George Shea
Isabella Preston
Maurice Frawley
Raymond Stanford
John Rutledge
Olga Mancini
Goldie Logan
Charles Harris
Estalla Thiebeau
Betty Wiltse
Carolyn Laird
Robert Wiltse

Conroy Funeral Home

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Littleton & Rue Funeral Home

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Karen L. McCleary Howerton
Robert Johnson
Wayne R. Lambert
Ethel T. Lobaugh
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Lucille L. Phipps
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Phil Curro
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Henry Jobe
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Mamie Martin
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Marshall Estridge
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John Victor Lawrence Jr.
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Kenneth Edward Jones
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LOCAL & STATE

Protesters suspend sit-in at police station

Group vows to take Crawford demands to Statehouse, AG.

By Chris Stewart
Staff Writer

BEAVERCREEK — A student group at the Beaver Creek Police Department this week protesting the police shooting death of John Crawford III will move their fight to the Ohio Statehouse on Oct. 18.

A sit-in by the Ohio Student Association ended peacefully at the police department without arrests Wednesday evening. "We are not letting go of our demands. We are just taking them up to the next step of power at the Statehouse," said Darshel Kaur, one of the group's organizers.

The group occupied the station for three days beginning Monday with a demand the department fire Sean Williams, the officer who shot Crawford in the Beaver Creek Walmart Aug. 5. The group also wants criminal charges brought against 911 caller Ronald Ritchie and an overhaul of Beaver Creek Police training.

Representatives from both sides met Oct. 3 and again Wednesday. Beaver Creek Police told protesting group also wants criminal charges brought against 911 caller Ronald Ritchie and an overhaul of Beaver Creek Police training.

In a statement, Beaver Creek Police said a special Greene County grand jury last month cleared Williams of criminal charges in the case. Further, the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation Wednesday investigating any culpability



Protesters led by the Ohio Student Association block the doors of the Beaver-Creek Police Department. CHRIS STEWART/STAFF

of Ritchie, who called 911 from the store. Ritchie reported that Crawford was waving what appeared to be a rifle but was in reality a BB/pellet gun he picked up from a shelf. Police also said training standards are not set at the local level, but by the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission.

The Department of Justice now is investigating the case and Beaver Creek Police have called for an expedited review. "Both sides were very polite. We did our best to understand where the other was coming from," said Hayes, one of the three demonstrators meeting Wednesday with police representatives including Chief Dennis Evers.

"We're appreciative of the way they have handled themselves as we've occupied their space, but what we really need is justice and not simply a return to normal. And they are unwilling, though not unable, to help us," Hayes said.

The group had quietly occupied space inside the building until Wednesday afternoon, when about

25 protesters moved to block the sidewalk and front doors of the building. Law enforcement officers from multiple jurisdictions were seen staging in a garage at the rear of the building after the group moved out front after the 1 p.m. meeting.

Although the Ohio Student Association involvement in the Beaver Creek sit-in has been suspended, citizens allied with the group may continue to show up periodically at the station, Kaur said.

The group said its next action in Ohio is a protest at the Ohio Statehouse grounds across from Ohio Attorney General Mike DeWine's office on Oct. 18.

"I think Mike DeWine and his BCI have the capacity to address our demands as well," Kaur said.

The Beaver Creek Police Department turned over the Crawford investigation to the Ohio Bureau of Criminal Investigation within hours of the shooting. Kaur said a contingent of about five student association members are traveling to Ferguson, Mo., this weekend for a large national rally described as a three-day weekend of resistance. The weekend events, including a national march Saturday, are intended to draw attention to police shooting around the country, including those of Michael Brown and Crawford, who was from Fairfield.

A St. Louis County grand jury is still hearing evidence on the Ferguson case two months after Officer Darren Wilson shot the unarmed Brown on Aug. 9.

OBITUARIES

Clark County

BRAUN, Karl
CAMERON, London
CORCORAN, Christopher
HUGUELY, Jacqueline
HYLTON, William
JORDAN, Richard
SNIDER, Robert

Franklin County

SWORDS, Wendell

Madison County

WICKLINE, Thomas

BRAUN, Jr., Karl L.

Age 88, of Springfield, passed away Wednesday October 8, 2014 at Springfield Regional Medical Center. He was born May 9, 1949 in Hilliard Center, Ohio, the son of Raymond and Geneva (Meeker) Jordan. Dick was a member of Springfield Wood-

CAMERON, London J. Lyne

2 weeks old, of Springfield was born September 16, 2014 the daughter of Fredrick Cameron and Amber Fuller. London was surrounded by her loving family when the Angel took her home to Heaven on October 3, 2014. Her memory will be cherished by her parents, Fredrick and Amber; brothers, Jah-Leel Pullen, Amaron and Kameron Cameron; sister, Paris Diamond; grandparents and a host of other relatives. Visitation for London is Friday, October 10th from 12 noon until the time of the service at 1 p.m. at the Robert C. Henry Funeral Home.

CORCORAN, Christopher J.

49, died unexpectedly October 8, 2014 in Springfield. He was born December 26, 1964 in Springfield, Ohio to Eugene and Leona M. (DeFugh) Corcoran. Chris was formerly a machinist for the fitted Corp. for 20 years. He was an avid sports fan and enjoyed fishing in his favorite music. Survivors include four brothers and spouses, Robert (Karl) Corcoran, Thomas (Linda) Corcoran, David (Eve) Corcoran and Steven Corcoran; his fiancé, Lisa Quisenberry; his children, Amanda Haer (Hazel and Isaac) and Matt Quisenberry; and numerous nieces and nephews. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in St. Raphael Church with family receiving Honorary 90 minutes prior to the church. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery. Arrangements are being handled by the CONROY FUNERAL HOME.

SNIDER, Robert B.

91, of Springfield, OH, died October 4, 2014 in Springfield. He was born December 8, 1922 in Springfield, OH to Harrison and Susie (Thacker) Snider. He married Ruth Leona in 1947 and was a beloved husband until her death in 1996. Bob retired in 1976 as a Springfield Firefighter with the City of Springfield after 27 years of service. He was a member of St. Raphael Catholic Church, Retired Firefighters Association and was a World War II U. S. Navy Veteran. Survivors include three children, Robert A., Mary Ellen and Richard B. (Patricia) all of Springfield; and a granddaughter, Theresa of Los Angeles, CA. The family would like to express their appreciation to the staff of Springfield Manor and Community Mercy Hospice. Friends may call in the CONROY FUNERAL HOME from 4 to 6 p.m. Friday with the Firefighters Turnout at 6:45 p.m. Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in the funeral home with Deacon Norm Horstman officiating. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Springfield Fire Division or Community Mercy Hospice.

HUGUELY, Jacqueline "Peanut"

52, of Springfield passed away Tuesday, October 7, 2014. She was born July 6, 1952 in Springfield a daughter of Jesse L. Davis, Sr. and Ruth Walls. She leaves to cherish her memory her daughters, Nicole Hugueuly and Natasha Akram (Amin), sons, Jeremiah L. Hugueuly and Nathan Hugueuly, one sister, two brothers and a host of other loving relatives and friends. She was preceded in death by her father; daughter, Jacqueline Hugueuly and a grandson, Jeremiah L. Hugueuly, Jr. Funeral services will be held Saturday, October 11, 2014 at 10 AM in the House of Prayer Church with visitation at 9 AM until the time of service. Arrangements by the Robert C. Henry Funeral Home.

HYLTON, William H. "Bill"

91, of Springfield, died on Thursday, October 9, 2014. Arrangements are pending. www.littletonfuneral.com

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VISUAL ARTS

PROJECT WOMAN'S DIVA NIGHT OUT: Oct. 16, 6 p.m. at Bushnell Building, 14 E. Main St., Springfield, 409-374-1326, www.springfieldartsouncil.org

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T.A. VAN AUWER: Oct. 15, 6 to 9 p.m., through Oct. 17 at Simon Kenton Inn, 4690 Urbana Road, Springfield, Ohio. Cover: 937-631-7703.

MISCELLANEOUS

KETERING BANJO SOCIETY: Oct. 11, 7:30 a.m. at Clifton Opera House, 5 Clay St., Clifton, \$7 donation. All ages. 937-342-2175 or 937-767-1767, www.williejeffclifton.com

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COMEDY

TOMMY ROCK: Oct. 10, 7:30 to 10 p.m., through Oct. 12 at Dayton Funnybone, 88 Plum St., Beaver Creek, \$15-\$112 and older. 937-429-5233, www.funnybone.com/Venues/Dayton/

COMMUNITY

ART IN THE ATRIUM PRESENTS: COLOR IMPRESSIONS & IMPRESSIONS BY A. JOSEPH BARRISISM: Oct. 10, 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., through Oct. 27 at Glen Helen Traslade Museum, 505 Cory St., Yellow Springs, 937-769-1902.

COMMUNITY

ANTIOCH ASTRONOMERS CLUB MEETING: Oct. 14, 6 p.m. at Glen Helen Traslade Museum, 505 Cory St., Yellow Springs, 937-769-1902.

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6LEN HELEN RAPTOR CENTER OPEN HOUSE: Oct. 19, 2 to 4 p.m. at Glen Helen Raptor Center, 1075 Ohio 342, Yellow Springs, 937-767-7648.

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Press Release

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Unclaimed Remains Have Final Resting Place

Springfield comes together to honor those cremations left behind

Springfield, October 5, 2014: Dodds Monuments, Ferncliff Cemetery and several local Springfield Funeral Homes have come together to provide a final resting place for over 80 unclaimed cremated remains from the Springfield area. These decedents have gone unclaimed for an extended period of time, and now fall to the funeral homes to provide a proper burial or entombment. Under Ohio law Revised Code, section 4717.24, these cremated bodies are to be laid to rest, and it is the responsibility of the funeral home to provide this service any time after 60 days of cremation.

Ferncliff Cemetery has graciously donated a plot of land for a granite columbarium that Dodds Monuments will be providing at no charge. The names of those decedents who have not been claimed will be engraved on the granite niche covers of the columbarium. These names were published in the Springfield News Sun in August of this year, providing an opportunity for any remaining relatives to collect the unclaimed cremated bodies.

There will be a committal ceremony on October 15, 2014 at 1:00 pm and is open to the public. Dodds Monuments has given this special event the name Project C.A.R.E. (Cremations Always Remembered by Entombment) and is hoping to expand on this endeavor to other areas of the Miami Valley and Southwest Ohio. Dodds Monuments would like to thank Ferncliff Cemetery, Trostel, Chapman, Dunbar & Fraley, Conroy, Littleton and Rue, Richards Raff and Dunbar, Jackson Lytle Lewis and Porter-Qualls-Dunlap Funeral Homes for their participation and the community of Springfield for their support.

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Josh Walters, left, and Neil Fogarty both of Dodds Monuments, look over a granite columbarium that Dodds donated so that 72 unclaimed cremains from the Springfield area could have a proper final resting place. Ferncliff Cemetery donated the plot of land where the columbarium is located. Jeff Guerini/Staff

By [Katie Wedell](#)

Staff Writer

SPRINGFIELD — The cremated remains of 72 individuals were laid to rest Wednesday during a committal ceremony at Ferncliff Cemetery, part of a project to honor those who have never been claimed from local funeral homes.

The unclaimed remains now have a final resting place in a columbarium, a small structure with multiple vaults, at the southern end of the cemetery.

"These people were relatives, friends and neighbors," said Neil Fogarty, president of Dodds Monuments.

The idea for Project C.A.R.E (Cremations Always Remembered by Entombment) came when multiple funeral home owners in Springfield realized they all had a number of unclaimed cremains in their care, Fogarty said.

Ohio law states that cremated bodies are to be laid to rest, and it is the responsibility of the funeral home to provide this service if remains haven't been claimed after 60 days.

The individuals honored Wednesday had been left in the care of multiple Springfield area funeral homes including Conroy; Jackson, Lytle & Lewis; Littleton & Rue; Porter-Qualls-Dunlap; Richards, Raff & Dunbar; and Trostel, Chapman, Dunbar & Fraley.

Dodds donated the granite columbarium, which includes some empty niches for any other unclaimed remains in need of a resting place in the future.

Ferncliff donated the space for the columbarium and Superintendent Stan Spitler read the names of the individuals aloud before a small group of onlookers, which included Mayor Warren Copeland and City Commissioner Joyce Chilton.

"For one reason or another, they have been forgotten," Pastor Orbie Estep, of Grace Missionary Baptist Church said before leading a short prayer. "We don't know their history ... but today we remember."

Cremating and committing unclaimed bodies in this way is a good solution, Fogarty said, because unlike internment it is easy to move the remains in the future if a family member comes forward to claim them.

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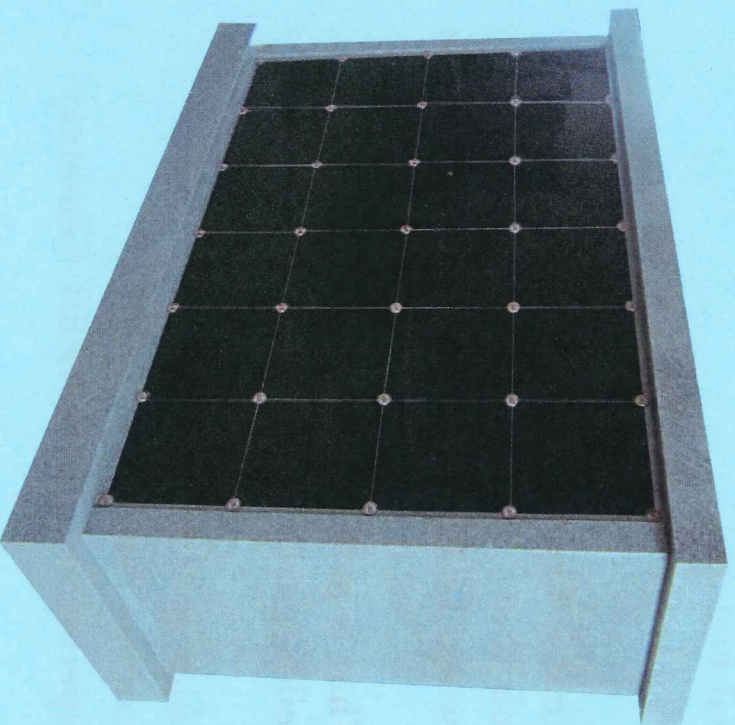
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Project C.A.R.E
Comittal Ceremony

~Order of Ceremony~

~Those Being Honored~

Gathering	Janice Brewer	Mammie Howard	Isabella Preston
Opening Remarks	Anthony Brown	Jimmie Hughes	Catherine Redmond
Neil Fogarty	Frank Christian	Barbara Hull-Nyitray	Alice Mae Reel
President, Dodds Monuments	Gregory Chute	Kirk Jennings	Cecil Richards
What is Cremation?	Lucy Clark	Henry Jobe	Dashaun Robinson
Rob Rue	Elma Clarke	Robert Johnson	Terry Rogers
Owner, Littleton & Rue Funeral Home	William Collins	Kenneth Jones	John Rutledge
What is project Care?	Jack Cox	Marlene Kingery	George Shea
Neil Fogarty	Gayle Farrell	Carolyn Laird	Helen Shelton
Reading of the Names	Louis Ferryman	John Lawrence, Jr.	Kathy Smalley
Stan Spitler	Emil Flick	Ethel Lobaugh	Kate Snipes
Superintendent, Ferncliff Cemetery	Ben Folbrath	Goldie Logan	Raymond Standford
Committal	Maurice Frawley	Alice Maclean	Diza Stief
Rev. Orbie Estep, Jr.	Janet Freer	Frank Mancini	Estalla Thiebeau
Dismissal and Thank you	Lillian Frye	Olga Mancini	Deo Umbenhauer
Neil Fogarty	Snyder Garland, Jr.	Mamie Martin	John Vanderpool
	Wallace Gassaway	Joseph Maxwell	Brandi Jean VanHoose
	Elizabeth Goodwin	Jess McDaniel	William Willis
	Anna Ruth Gray	Harold McQuown	Betty Wiltse
	Infant Green	Margaret Mercer	Robert Wiltse
	Wilbert Green	Nancy Monson	Robert Wiltse
	John Hadley	Yusef Muhammad	Mary Wiseman
	George Hall	Robert Nordlund	Alice Wright
	Charles Harris	Anna Marie Ogle	
	Dennis Hoffman	Lucille Phipps	