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**BE SURE TO CHECK OUT NEXT WEEK'S THREE RIVERS NEWS FOR ALL OF THE FUN
DETAILS FROM THE BROWNVILLE COMMUNITY CHURCH'S DOG SHOW.
THERE WAS A BIG TURN-OUT, AND THE DOGS AND PEOPLE HAD SUCH A GOOD TIME!!**

**There will be a delicious public
Breakfast held at the
Milo Park St United
Methodist Church
- in the dining room
On Saturday, July 1st
7:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
Cost-\$5 per person**



**This will be an excellent
opportunity to meet up with
Milo Alumni friends.**

Yardsale items needed !

SOAR would like to remind everyone that they are accepting donations for their yard sale which will be held on July 8th at the American Legion Hall in Milo. All proceeds will go to support our troops.

If anyone knows or has a service member on active duty, whether stateside or abroad, by all means contact us and let us know so that we can make sure they are on our mailing list. You can leave a message for Michelle Lemik at 943-2542.

A NOTE OF THANKS FROM THE AMERICAN LEGION :

We would like to express thanks to the Patriotic people of Milo and the surrounding areas for their support of our Flag Burning ceremony which took place on June 14th. We appreciate the participation of the Cub Scout pack 104 and Boy Scout troop 100 both of Dover-Foxcroft, and the Cub Scout pack 111 and Boy Scout troop 115 of Brownville-Milo. We would also like to thank the Piscataquis Observer for their continued coverage of our efforts to bring both Pride, Patriotism, and a sense of Americanism to the community. Thank you to all for making it a successful ceremony.

Randy Kluj - Commander

THANKS FOR HELPING WITH THE PISCATAQUIS RIVER WALK

On behalf of the Brownville Town Manager, Sophie Wilson, and Bob Hamlin Pleasant River Walk (PRW) Committee Chairperson, we would like to thank the following groups and individuals for helping us with trail maintenance on Saturday May 13, 2006. They

are as follows:

Boy Scouts: Marie McSwine, Leader, Jake and Shayne McSwine, and Alex, Joey, and Zach Slagle

Kiwanis: Frank Cochran, Doug Warren

Jobs for Maine Graduates, Penquis Valley High School: Carl Wilson, Leader and Kyle Johnston, Bruce Benoit, Ashley Lancaster, Kim Herbest, Cheryl Reising, Katie Brown, and Brittany Tweedie.

All of you exhibited a "can do" attitude and enthusiasm for completing even the most menial tasks. It is always nice to have people from our area come forward when the call is sent out for help. Thanks again for a job well done !

Sincerely,

Terry Knowles and Margie Williams, members of the PRW committee



The American Legion Post 41 of Milo is proud to announce that this year's scholarship recipients in the amount of \$500.00 each are Ian Carey and Elizabeth Lemik. They each did an outstanding job on the required essay, the topic of which was "How the War on Terrorism has affected their lives" We appreciate all essays from all applicants.

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION SEBEC VILLAGE.

**Activities all Day SVCC Church Breakfast 8:00 Road Race
8:00 Parade 9:00 Canoe Race (sponsored by USCA) 10:30**

Chicken BBQ 11:00 - 2:00 Children's Activities Decorated
Bike Contest Music by: "Vintage Country" 6:30 - 9:30
Sponsored by the Sebec Village Associates. Proceeds to
benefit the Reading Room.

COMMUNITY BAND CORNER

THIS WEEK'S CONCERTS:

- Friday, June 30 @ 7:00p -Piscataquis County Courthouse, Dover-Foxcroft
- Saturday, July 1 @ 10:00a-Corinna Old Home Days Parade
- Tuesday, July 4 @ 9:00a-Sebec Fourth of July Parade

The Community Concert Band began as an adult education program 24 years ago, and continues as an all-volunteer group today. We are always looking for new members! If you have any experience playing an instrument and are interested in playing, please come to one of our concerts, or contact us! For more information, call Seth at 943-2425, or visit www.trcmaine.org/ccb

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BINGO...BINGO...BINGO!!!

THE MILO AMERICAN LEGION POST 41 HAS BINGO
EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT A MEAL IS SERVED FROM
5:00PM UNTIL 6:15 PM

BINGO STARTS AT 6:15 AND ENDS AT 9:30.

SEE YOU THERE!



Recreation Department News

By John Pokrywka

Milo Recreation Department

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Little League Round Robin

The Milo/Brownville Little League season kicked off with a tournament at Davis Field in Brownville last Saturday. All of the teams executed well and also seemed to be balanced across the diamond.

There was an excellent turnout throughout the day which started at 7:30 am and continued until 2:30 pm. The participants and fans alike displayed high energy and good sportsmanship from the first game to the last.

The round robin tourney gave the teams an opportunity to see all of the teams that will be competing in the league this summer. Good luck to all the teams this season and keep up the good attitudes and sportsmanship.

Little League News

Red Sox 6 Yankees 1 (Davis Field)

Cubs 6 Mets 3 (Davis Field)

Braves 5 Yankees 2 (Harris Field)

The Red Sox started their season with a win behind the pitching from Ryan Hibbs and Trevor Lyford in the rain-delayed opener over the Yankees.

In the second match-up of the week, the Cubs beat the Mets behind the experienced right-hander Greg Hathorn with Skylar Beard behind the plate. The Mets rallied late behind the pitching of Klay Stevens but it wasn't enough to shake the Cubs from their game.

Finally, during the last game of the week, the combination of Cody Cobb and Tyler Pelletier seemed to be too much as the Braves squeezed by the Yankees. Darren Lewis and Gage McLaughlin each pitched well but the Braves proved to be ab offensively and defensively well-rounded squad. Hunter

Lewis proved to be a crowd pleaser with an exciting effort in the 5-2 loss.

Summer Basketball Camps

Coach Hamlin and Coach Bailey are both very pleased with the turnout for the summer programs. Each mentioned that good attitudes and sportsmanship have arrived with all participants.

Coach Bailey has roughly 16 girls from grades 9-12. The team traveled to Guilford and Stearns and also hosted Stearns at the high school. Coach Bailey stated that the girls are holding their own against their opponents and are making progress each time they get together.

While Coach Bailey is focusing on the girls from 9-12, Coach Hamlin has taken the responsibility of the youngsters from grades 3-8, as well as the high school boys. The focus of the younger groups is teamwork, fundamentals, basic concepts, and most importantly, positive attitudes. This combination seems to be working as all of the kids are improving a little bit each session.

The high school boys hosted Lee and Dexter and toured the greater Millinocket area playing both Schenck and Stearns. Although the games consisted of multiple quarters rather than regulated complete games, the boys looked strong in many aspects of the competition.

With the total number of participants in summer basketball upwards of 65, both coaches have positive outlooks on the upcoming local young talent. Good luck to all the teams and keep up the hard work.

Little League Schedule

Day	Date	Teams	Location	Time
Monday	6/19	NY @ Red Sox	Davis Field, Brownville Jct.	6:00p
Tuesday	6/20	Mets @ Cubs	Davis Field, Brownville Jct.	6:00p
Thursday	6/22	Braves @ NY	Harris Field, Milo	6:00p
Monday	6/26	Red Sox @ Mets	Harris Field, Milo	6:00p
Tuesday	6/27	Cubs @ Braves	Davis Field, Brownville Jct.	6:00p
Wednesday	6/28	NY @ Mets	Harris Field, Milo	6:00p
Wednesday	6/28	Cubs @ Red Sox	Davis Field, Brownville Jct.	6:00p
Wednesday	7/5	Braves @ Mets	Harris Field, Milo	6:00p
Wednesday	7/5	NY @ Cubs	Davis Field, Brownville Jct.	6:00p

Thursday	7/6	Braves @ Red Sox	Harris Field, Milo	6:00p
Friday	7/7	Red Sox @ NY	Harris Field, Milo	6:00p
Friday	7/7	Mets @ Cubs	Davis Field, Brownville Jct.	6:00p
Tuesday	7/11	NY @ Braves	Davis Field, Brownville Jct.	6:00p
Tuesday	7/11	Mets @ Red Sox	Harris Field, Milo	6:00p
Wednesday	7/12	Braves @ Cubs	Harris Field, Milo	6:00p
Wednesday	7/12	Mets @ NY	Davis Field, Brownville Jct.	6:00p
Tuesday	7/18	Red Sox @ Cubs	Davis Field, Brownville Jct.	6:00p
Tuesday	7/18	Mets @ Braves	Harris Field, Milo	6:00p
Wednesday	7/19	Cubs @ NY	Harris Field, Milo	6:00p
Wednesday	7/19	Red Sox @ Braves	Davis Field, Brownville Jct.	6:00p

Ongoing Recreation Events:

- **Big Bear Snowmobile Club**
- **Boy Scout Troop #112**
- **Boy Scout Troop #115**
- **Co-ed Volleyball**
- **Girl Scout Troop #299**
- **Girl Scout Troop #538**
- **Girl Scout Troop #594**
- **K.I. Riders**
- **Karate Class**
- **Line Dancing**
- **Line Dancing**
- **Monday Morning Quilters**
- **On Our Weigh**
- **Post #41 Bingo**
- **Post #92 Bingo**
- **Sebec Freedom Riders**
- **Square Dancing**
- **Tae Kwon Do Class**
- **Tiny Tigers Tae Kwon Do**
- **Women's Volleyball**

Penquis Valley School Milo, Maine 4th Quarter Honor Roll

SENIORS

High Honors
Adam Ballash
Christina Gerrish
Kylie Palmer
Tyler Herbst
Christopher Hull
Matthew Ludden

Honors

Kimberly Carpenter
Jennifer Hartmann
Rene Harvey

Andrew Murray
Dawn Patten
Jeremy Perry
Mallory Pratt
Brent Smith
Jennifer Stetson

JUNIOR Honors
Ashley Anthony
Kristin Burch
Andrew DeMaris
Katherine LaMunyon
Jessica Metros
Benjamin Ogden
Brittany Tweedie

FRESHMEN Honors
Ryan Bailey
Bruce Benoit
Adam Brewer
Britney Cross
Logan Greenlaw
Erica Lyford
Stephen Morse
Kelsey Ottmann
Jonathan Spencer
Kayla Webb

EIGHTH GRADE

HONORS
Michelle Bucci
Ashley Burch
Rachel Emery
Ethan Herrell
Sara Lemik
Jesse McLaughlin
Crystal Mills
Richie Russell

SEVENTH GRADE HONORS
Carolyn Bess
Joshua Bessey
Ricky Bradeen
Tiffany Gagne
Alyssa Gray
Elizabeth MacIntire
Spencer Traylor
Shelby Weston
Sadie Zambrano

Traditions of a Milo-ite

by Kathryn Witham

The Kiwanis Auction is going to be washed out tonight, I'm afraid. Maybe not, but it's looking pretty soggy as I write this. Last night I helped Jan and George Barton run the "yard sale" portion of the auction. Strapping on big money aprons, we went about our business setting stuff out on the long tables and

dickering with the customers on prices. It was great fun! Patrons were told that they could fill a bag with books for one dollar! What a deal. If they came to us with a half a bag of books we teased them by telling them that for half a bag they needed to pay two dollars....we needed to get rid of those books!!

Puzzles were another thing that we had plenty of! Dishes were another big item. I pawed through a huge box of bedding and found some dust ruffles....brand new....never been taken out of the packaging. I also found some double and queen sized sheets that were like new. I was in heaven....my sheets at camp are so thin that you can literally shoot a pea through them...a soft pea, at that. One wash in some Tide and Downy and Clorox and those sheets will be as good as mine....actually, better than mine.

There was an intriguing dust ruffle....blue striped....real beachy looking. Someone had handmade it. I loved it! I found some other blue and white striped fabric...rich and soft feeling. I haven't a clue what the idea behind it was, but it was sewn double thickness with fringe around some edges. There was no rod pocket, so they weren't curtains....perhaps a furniture throw? The big pieces, when opened up, will cover a comforter and then some. I bought the whole works, and plan on decorating one of our bedrooms at camp in beach decor. I even found a sweet white lamp and a blue shade...bought those items, too. A glue gun and some sea shells and I'll have a real theme going.

I'm excited about my girlfriends getting to Milo in the next couple of days. Jane Henderson Bunting and her sister Joan Henderson will be arriving tomorrow, and the talking will begin. There will be a marathon of yakking and laughing at my place (or theirs) day in and out. There's never a lack of things to talk about when we get together. The twins have to get caught up on Milo news, and sometimes it takes the entire visit to do that. We also have to eat our fair share of whoopie pies and drink a pitcher or two of lemonade....all favorites of ours for years.

I consider myself so lucky that I have been able to maintain a relationship with so many of my friends from childhood. Reunions are so sweet. Our connections have become so familial...not just with my best girlfriends, but also with other classmates as well. As we lose our parents....one by one....we have realized that we are becoming more like a family of friends. We are like siblings who get along really well, and love each other....without all that family baggage. Unlike our relationships with our children, who didn't know us when we were young, these friends share a common bond with us....our own childhoods. We also share a common age. When fraternization with our kids doesn't work because of physical limitations and/or differences in interests, we've always got our friends....who share the same limitations (as well as many of the same types of interests and the same age).

Here's a recipe that I got from Emeril for **Whoopie Pies**

Cookie:

1 cup granulated sugar
1/2 cup shortening
2 large eggs
2 cups all-purpose flour
1/2 cup baking cocoa
1 1/2 tsp. baking soda
1/2 tsp. salt
1 cup buttermilk
1 tsp. pure vanilla extract

Filling:

1 1/4 cups shortening
2 large egg whites
1 Tbs. vanilla extract
1/4 cup whole milk
3 cups confectioners' sugar

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees F. Grease 2 baking sheets and set aside. To make the cookies, in a large bowl using an electric mixer, cream together the sugar and 1/2 cup of the shortening. Add eggs and mix well. Sift together the flour, cocoa, baking soda and salt. Add to the wet ingredients, alternating with the buttermilk. Add 1 tsp. of the vanilla and mix well. Drop by tablespoonfuls onto the prepared baking sheets. Bake until tester comes out clean...about 10 minutes. Remove from the oven and cool on wire racks.

To make filling, in a large bowl using an electric mixer, beat the egg whites until stiff. Add 1-1/4 cups of shortening and 1 Tbs. of vanilla and mix well. Add the milk and confectioners' sugar and beat until smooth. Lay half of the cookies flat on a work surface. Divide the filling among the cookies, spreading out to the edges. Top with the remaining cookies to form sandwiches. Store covered.

Milo Free Public Library News

By Judith Macdougall

Our summer reading program, PAWS, CLAWS, SCALES and TALES started up last week, and both Monday and Wednesday afternoons the library was a bustling place with mothers, fathers and children in abundance. What fun! Excited summer reading program members were signing up, putting their names into boxes for prizes, having their hands stamped with their choice of fun pet rubber stamps by our volunteer, Brittany, getting acquainted with the new mascots-Goldie, the yellow lab, Benny the bunny, Katie the kitten, Sandy the cocker spaniel and Froggie (my favorite). And, of course, choosing books to take home from the many new books the library has been acquiring through the spring. The children also receive tattoos, stickers, bookmarks and new theme bags in which to carry their new borrowed books home. You can sign your children up at any time, but the sooner you sign them up, the more fun they'll have this summer. We'd enjoy having your children join us this summer.

We also have a Story Time every Wednesday at 2:30. Our Story Time reader last Wednesday was Kathy Dixon-Wallace. She read to 14 children and 7 caregivers. She read several books that were related to the theme of pets in keeping with the summer reading program subject. Our Story Time is not just for summer reading program members. Any child is welcome to attend. The Story Time is held on Wednesday at 2:30 during the 8 weeks of the program. If you should have young visitors on a Wednesday who would like to attend the Story Time, by all means, bring them into the library at 2:30 for a fun time. Interested community members will be doing our reading each week.

In last week's Three Rivers News there was an extensive article on the new recreational map for southern Piscataquis County released by the AMC (Appalachian Mountain Club), the PCEDC (Piscataquis County Economic Development Council), and the University of Maine Cooperative Extension. They have generously given the library three copies which will allow patrons and summer visitors to look over the map (perhaps before buying their own copy).

On Saturday, July 22, during the 100th years celebration of Milo's Fire Department, the library will be having a BOOK SALE on the library front lawn (weather permitting). The hours will be 9:00-1:00. More about this sale later.

Library Summer Hours
Mon.-Weds.-Fri.---2:00-8:00
Telephone 943-2612

Penquis CAP Announces Family Friendly Business Award Winner

BANGOR- Penquis CAP recognizes that businesses can play a large role in assisting employees with the conflicting demands of work and home by becoming a family friendly business. Looking beyond the benefits traditionally provided to

the workforce, business can identify the needs of working families and the available resources, ensuring that quality childcare, elder care and health care are available, and involving employees in the creation of workplace policies and programs.

Penquis CAP is proud to honor two such businesses with the 2006 Family Friendly Business Award. Small company winner, Carroll Russell Trucking Company of Orneville and large company winner, Down East Enterprise of Camden, both were nominated by employees and judged on criteria such as health benefits and wellness programs, work time flexibility and professional development, as well as retirement plans and reimbursement accounts.

BRAND NEW AT MAYO REGIONAL HOSPITAL

A daughter, Kailey Elizabeth McLaughlin, to Mara Clawson and Louis McLaughlin of Milo on June 11, 2006. Wt. 7 pounds 12 ounces.

Hilda Lankist Celebrates with a Surprise 90th Birthday Party



Hilda Lankist was honored at a surprise birthday party at the May meeting of the Guilford Historical Society. Hilda is the Scrapbook Chairwoman for the Historical Society and is in charge of collecting news items for the files of the Society. Hilda was born in Guilford on May 19th, 1916, the daughter of Lynwood and Helen Priest. Many Happy Returns to Hilda!

CURIOSITY SHOPS: ROSE CONSIGNMENTS AND SECOND THOUGHTS

invite you to celebrate Independence Day by accepting patriotic gifts available June 30th through July 3rd. We will be closed on the holiday but will return to regular hours on July 5th.

And remember; Milo Fire Department's 100th Anniversary celebration later in July by purchasing a decorative glass bell. The proceeds will be given to

the fire department to help make their 100th spectacular.

Our Curiosity Shops are located at 5 Elm Street in Milo and are open 9 - 5, Monday through Saturday.

GRAMMIE'S WEATHER JUNE/JULY 1977

26-Rain.

27-M cloudy am sunny pm-80° at 2 pm.

28-Sunny.

29-Cloudy Rain.

30-P sunny windy am, Sunny windy pm.

1-P sunny showers clearing.

2-Fog sunny windy.

LAGRANGE - A. Adelaide Blowers, 83, wife of Wallace E. Blowers, died peacefully June 20, 2006, at a Bangor hospital. She was born Jan. 3, 1923, in Brewer, the daughter of Bruce and Dorothy (Stone) Mott. She was a member of the Aldworth Chapter No. 39 OES, and had recently joined the Joseph P. Chaisson Post No. 41 American Legion Auxiliary. She was a devoted homemaker and especially enjoyed having her family come to visit her. A special pleasure was watching her grandchildren and great-grandchildren playing in the pool. Adelaide is survived by her beloved husband of 30 years, Wallace Blowers of LaGrange; her children, Phyllis Randall and husband, Mac, of Bradford, Barbara Turner of LaGrange, Loretta Reed and husband, Tom, of Moultonboro, N.H., Karen Lambert and husband, Frank, of Corinth, Kathy Herbest and husband, Mickey, of Milo; her stepchildren, Mike Blowers and friend, Ida, of LaGrange, Marnell Wheeler and husband, John, of Florida, Randy Blowers and wife, Michelle, of California; her brothers and sisters, Dorothy Wood of Georgia, Florence Milton and husband, Ensley, and Marge Walls, all of Delaware, Bob Mott and wife, Priscilla, of Ellsworth, Charlotte Page and husband, Gary, of Jay, Marilyn "Macy" King of Winn, Alden Mott and wife, Betty, of South Carolina; 15 grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren. She will also be missed by many nieces and nephews, including a special niece, Carol King of Hampden; and long time friends, Myla Treadwell of Glenburn and Rhoda Stanley of LaGrange. She was predeceased by her first husband, William T. Long Jr.; a brother, Herbert Mott; a son, John Long; a grandson, Harold Turner Jr.; and a granddaughter, April D. Randall. Graveside funeral services will be conducted 1 p.m. Saturday, June 24, at the family lot in Hillcrest Cemetery, LaGrange, with Pastor Maria Guereca officiating. Those who wish may make memorial contributions to the LaGrange Veterans Memorial Fund, care of United Kingfield Bank, P.O. Box 188, Milo, ME 04463. Arrangements are in the care of the Lary Funeral Home, Milo.

KEVIN LAWRENCE WITHAM WELLINGTON, Kan. - Kevin I. Witham, 49, of Wellington, Kan. died June 19, 2006, at Wesley Medical Center in Wichita, Kan. after a brief illness. He was born May 2, 1957, to Lawrence E. and Shirley S. (Watkins) Witham in Dover-Foxcroft. He was a precision parts finisher for Raytheon Aircraft Company in Wichita, Kan. He worked for more than 28 years in the aircraft industry and was very dedicated to his trade. Kevin loved spending time with his family and friends. He is survived by his mother, Shirley Witham of Wellington, Kan.; father, Larry and his wife, Brenda Witham, of Sebec; son, Zach and his wife, Kylie Witham, of Olathe, Kan.; daughter, Casey Witham of Wellington, Kan.; his twin sister, Karen Imsdahl; sister, Gayla and husband, John Baker; brother, Gary and his wife, Jennifer Witham, all of Wellington, Kan.; three grandsons, Tristan, Trace and Gavin, and numerous nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins. He is also survived by his stepsister, Tammy Campbell of Bangor; and a very special nephew and best friend, Jerry Bowen of Texas. He was predeceased by his grandparents, Alfred and Mildred Witham of Milo; Albert and Lena Watkins of Kansas; his uncle, Chester Witham; and cousin, James Witham of Brownville. Funeral services for Kevin will be 10:30 a.m. Thursday, June 22, in the chapel of Day Funeral Home, Wellington, Kan. with pastor J. R. McElhannon

of First Assembly of God Church, Wellington, Kan. officiating. In lieu of flowers, a memorial has been established in his name and loving memory with the Pulmonary Fibrosis Foundation, 1332 North Halstead, Suite 201, Chicago, IL 60622. Arrangements by Day Funeral Home and Crematory, 1030 Mission Rd., Wellington, Kan. To share a memory or to leave condolences, please visit www.dayfuneralhome.info

LAWRENCE G. BOOBAR MEDFORD - Lawrence G. Boobar, 78, husband of the late Virginia B. (Decker) Boobar, died June 19, 2006, in Medford. He was born Aug. 19, 1927, in Medford, the son of Daniel R. and Arlene (Heal) Boobar. A U.S. Army veteran, he had worked as a woodsman for most of his life. He was a bus driver for 13 years, worked for the B & A Railroad, was a caretaker for the Medford Housing Corporation and was a millwright and sawyer. A highly respected member of his community, he was a member of the Cold Brook Grange and a former sexton and fire warden for the town of Medford. He was a devoted family man who enjoyed fourwheeling, hunting and fishing and who will be remembered for his bean hole beans. Lawrence was predeceased by a son, Larry. He is survived by four sons, Timothy and wife, Debra, of Medford, Raymond and wife, Bonnie, of Bangor, Jeff and wife, Laura, of Medford, Mark and wife, Christine, of Medford; a daughter, Marie Drinkwater and husband, Arthur, of Medford; two brothers, Waverly Boobar and wife, Renie, of Howland, Ronald Boobar of Ebeemee; two sisters, Ivolene Clapp of Maxfield and Marsha Boobar of Orono. He leaves eight beloved grandchildren, Angel, Amanda, Larry, Janis, Sarah, Daniel, Jared and Levi; five treasured great-grandchildren, Darren, Dylan, LJ, Paige and Gabrielle. Graveside memorial services will be conducted 2 p.m. Friday, June 23, 2006, at the family lot in Medford Center Cemetery, with his son, Raymond Boobar officiating. Those who wish may make memorial contributions to the Lawrence and Virginia Boobar Scholarship Fund, care of Maine Savings Bank, P.O. Box 447, Milo, ME 04463. Arrangements are in the care of the Lary Funeral Home, Milo.

Brownville Days Craft Vendors
The Brownville Days Committee
will be renting vendor spaces on
Railroad Avenue on Saturday,
August 19th beginning at 9am.
Spaces are \$10 each. You must
provide your own table, and no
electricity is available. ONLY food
vendors from Brownville will be
allowed. Craft Vendors may be
from any town. NO Flea market
or yard sale tables allowed!

Contact Kathy White at
207.965.2561 to register by
August 12th!