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County Fair Magazine Inside

The Putnam County Fair Authority published their very first annual magazine for this year's, 64th Annual Agriculture Fair and Expo starts Friday, March 21 and runs until Saturday, March 29. For more information, See the PCF www.putnamfairandexpo.com.

Church Yard Sale

The First Presbyterian Church is having a yard sale Friday and Saturday, March 21 and 22 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Located on the corner of Cypress Avenue and South Prospect Street, the yard sale will include baked goods, plants, clothing, shoes, jewelry, furniture, household items, tools, appliances, electronics, computers and a large supply of books, videos and CDs. Hot dogs and drinks will be available for purchase. This is sponsored by the women of the First Presbyterian Church. All proceeds go towards the mission and work of the church.

Palatka Art League

Join the Palatka Art League on Friday, March 21 at the historic Tilghman house located at 324 River Street. Artists and crafters will be judged and awarded ribbons for their work. Refreshments will be served.

Palatka Bicycle Festival

The Palatka Bicycle Festival, Saturday, March 22 and Sunday, March 23 acts as the kickoff for Bike Florida 20: The Magical History Tour. BF20 is a week long mass tour from March 22 to March 28, beginning and ending in Palatka. For information and pricing on one, two and seven day registration, visit www.bikeflorida.org.

Garden of Eden Art Show

Lady Jane's "Garden of Eden" art show has come and gone, but her work is still on display at the Palatka Welcome Center located at 900 St John's Ave, and is open for viewing Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. until the end of March. You can call the Welcome Center at 386-328-0909 for more information. The Larimer Arts Center located at 216 Reid St in Palatka, has Wendy Beeson's art on display Monday through Friday between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. until the end of March as well. To find out more, call 386-328-8998.

St. Patrick's Dinner

Howe Memorial United Methodist Church will be hosting a "Traditional St. Patrick's Dinner" on Friday, March 21 from 5-7 p.m. Tickets are $10 and are available at the Church office, 386-698-2635 or by calling Barbara Scholl at 386-559-0013.

Street Party

Third Friday Street Party on the 300 block of St John's Ave in Palatka will be held Friday, March 21 from 6 to 10 p.m. This event will feature the smooth Jazz music of The Groove. Movie night on the courthouse lawn begins at 7 p.m. and will be showing Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2.

Cruise In

Saturday, March 22 is the Fourth Saturday Cruise-In on the 700 block of St John's Ave in Palatka. Your classic or custom car could win you $400 in cash door prizes.

Coping with Loss

Hospice of Citrus and the Nature Coast will present "Coping with the Loss of Your Pet," Thursday, March 20, at 6 p.m., at the Wings Community Education Center, located at 927 S. State Road 19, Palatka. The program will be facilitated by Vikki Miles, Ordained Pet Chaplain and former Animal Cruelty Investigator. This workshop is provided as a community service and is offered to all at no charge. A pet is a treasured friend and a member of the family whose loss is a very painful experience. Bereaved pet owners often find that their grief is not validated by other people or society in general and feel that they have no place to go to express their feelings. For additional information about "Coping with the Loss of Your Pet" or to make a reservation to attend, call Mary Rockefeller at 386-530-4600.

Rockin' 2014 Fashions

Crescent City Women's Civic Association (CCWCA) will be hosting a "Fashion/Hair Show & After Party" featuring special guest JoJo O'Neal, 94.5 radio host. The fashion show will be held Saturday March 22, from 5 to 7 p.m., and the after party will be 7 p.m. to 12 a.m., at the Crescent City Women's Civic Center, 704 Huntington Road. Tickets are $10 that includes food and beverage. If interested, please contact Lawanna at 386-559-0212 or Nakia at 407-808-5789.

Hoe Down

Welaka Woman's Club will have a Hoe Down Saturday, March 22, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. They will be serving grilled chicken, homemade potato salad, green beans, rolls, tea, and banana pudding, all of which will be prepared by the members and husbands. Come enjoy the Hoe Down with country band "The Rhode Show." The cost is a donation of $9 for advanced tickets, or $10 at the door. Tickets are available through club members, or by calling Dee Craft at 386-546-2754. You can also stop by Dee's House of Beauty and the Club House Library in Welaka. Proceeds go to the many projects and programs the GFWC Woman's Club of Welaka support.

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Headstone a Reflection of Devotion to Clay Electric

Kathy Richardson
Editor, Clay Electric Newsletter

There's an amazing headstone in the Eden Cemetery in Crescent City that perfectly highlights the person laid to rest.

Carol Compton had the headstone made for her late husband, David, because of his devotion to Clay Electric Co-Op.

David worked for the co-op for 42 years. He served as line crew foreman in the Palatka District since 1997. Compton began his career as a right-of-way laborer in 1972 before becoming a lineman in 1974. Compton passed away in September after a brief battle with cancer.

Carol said David's job at the co-op was "his number one," followed closely by his cows and his property.

Creston Mason, line foreman in the Palatka District, agreed that Compton was truly devoted to his career.

"The man loved his job for sure," Creston said. "More than anybody I know. He would rather be at work than anywhere else."

Photo Special to the Courier Journal
Headstone in Eden Cemetery is a monument to the devotion of David Compton's forty two years of service to his employer, Clay Electric.

Mason worked with Compton for about 17 years and said Compton was one to go out of his way to help others and assist co-op members in any way he could.

Jim Beeler, Palatka District manager, said Compton was dedicated throughout his years of service.

"Compton was a hard worker who had total respect from the employees he supervised," Beeler said. "He was 100 percent committed to Clay Electric's Safety Program, and totally committed to exceeding our members' expectations."

When Compton turned 60, according to Carol, he said he was going to retire, and he started telling this to his co-workers and other people. It became an annual refrain for Compton, saying he was going to retire each year and then changing his mind. Carol recalls him saying, "When you love your job as much as I do, why retire?"

Compton didn't retire until last summer when he was 65.

Carol is thrilled with the way the headstone turned out.

"He loved Clay Electric, he loved his job," Carol said. "It is a perfect tribute to him. It was him."

She said David did not know about the co-op-themed headstone and did not get to see it, but she knows he would have loved it if he had. She said they never discussed his wishes. But believes he sees it from above and is pleased.

Carol stated she has received phone calls from people who have seen the headstone and wanted to tell her how much they liked it.

When discussing the headstone with Kenny Biggs of Clayton Frank & Biggs Funeral Home, Carol was told she could have anything she wanted on it. Carol came up with the idea to incorporate David's love of his job with his devotion to his land and his appreciation of nature. Carol told the designers the trucks had to be yellow and they had to have CEC on them.

"Anyone who drives by knows who it is," Stated Carol, of David's headstone. "He was well liked. Everybody loved him."

Log Cabin Winery and Vineyard Celebrates St. Patty's Day

Right: Harri Buffalo performs classic Irish songs and hymns, for the crowd at the Log Cabin Winery's St. Patty's Day Celebration.

Right: Kellie Thropp, (owner) serves refreshments to celebration goers, with the corned beef and cabbage being a crowd favorite.

Left: Irish music, food, award winning Log Cabin wine and the shade of the oak trees made for a great St. Patty's celebration.

Left: Like the sign said it was a St. Patrick's day party zone at the Log Cabin Winery this past Saturday.

Support Education Tags

Photo Special to the Courier Journal

The Putnam County Tax Collectors office is highlighting the "Support Education" tag which sends dollars to the Putnam County school District - PCSD.

The Putnam County Tax Collector's office will be highlighting one of these specialty tags each month, as most drivers are not aware of the opportunity to support a cause or organization they care about and also the increased visibility added to the subject. There are more than 120 specialty license tags available to Florida Drivers.

The cost is usually $10 to $25 more than a regular tag. The "Support Education" tag gives $20 back to the each school district where the tag is purchased.

Register for the Catfish Run

Special to the Courier Journal

If you haven't signed up for the 5k or 10k run for the 36th Annual Catfish Festival you need to hurry up. This event is sponsored by the Putnam Family Fitness Center and all donations go to the Rotary Club of Crescent City's scholarship fund. Registration is $20 in advance and $25 the day of the race. Registration the day of the race will be from 6:30 to 7:30 a.m. There is no registration fee for kids 11 and under. The early registration cutoff date is Saturday, March 29. For more information call Bonnie at 386-649-8784 or stop by the Center located at 213 Perry Street in Pomona Park. Applications for the run can be found at www.putnamfamilyfitnesscenter.net.

The Center is also in major need of some businesses to sponsor this event. There will be cash and prizes for all the winners.

Opinion

Government Watch

City of Crescent City
City Commission Meeting, April 10, 7 p.m.
City Hall, 3 North Summit Street.
386-698-2525. www.CrescentCity-FL.com

Town Council of Welaka
Code Enforcement, April 8, 5 p.m.
Zoning Board, April 8, 5:30 p.m.
Town Council Meeting, April 8, 6:30 p.m.
Town Hall, Fourth Ave. 386-467-9800.
JJones@Welaka-FL.gov, www.Welaka-FL.gov

Town Council of Pomona Park
Beautification Committee Meeting, April 7, 5:30 p.m.
Tree Board Meeting, April 8, 5:40 p.m.
Town Council Meeting, April 8, 6 p.m.
Town Hall Council Chambers, ***1775 US Hwy 17 S.***
TownClerk@PomonaPark.com 386-649-4902
www.PomonaPark.com

Putnam County Board of County Commissioners
Next Meeting, March 25, 9 a.m.
Meets second and fourth Tuesday in the Commission chambers, 2509 Crill Ave, Suite 100, Palatka. 386-329-0205
www.Putnam-FL.com

Putnam County School Board
Next Meeting, April 7, 3:30 p.m.
Meets the first and third Tuesday in the school board meeting room, Campbell Administration Building, 200 S. Seventh St., Palatka. 386-329-0545.
www.PutnamSchools.org

Crescent City Police Department Needs Your Help

Local crime hot spots will be listed here weekly.
This week's hot spots are:
Grove Avenue
Bay Street
If you witness any criminal activity in this area, you are asked to leave a recorded message with the Crescent City Police Department Hot Tip Line by calling 386-698-3478.
As always, in any emergency situation you are asked to call 911.
To contact the Crescent City Police Department directly, call 386-698-1211.

Correction: In last week's edition March 12, 2014 of the *Putnam County Courier Journal* on this page the article titled "Groundwork For 2014 Legislature" was submitted from the Desk of John Thrasher - State Senator, District 6. We stated that Kristen Bridgesit was the author. Bridges, sent the article to the newspaper on Thrasher behalf.

The Putnam County Courier Journal welcomes your letters to the Editor. Letters should be brief and legibly written. To be published, they must include the writer's signature, printed name, phone number, and hometown.

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That's How I See It

There goes Freedom

A. Nonymous

What in the Sam Hill is going on? Outside San Jose California, at the Live Oak High School, students who wear the American Flag T-Shirt, The Constitution T-Shirt, or clothing that is red, white and blue WILL be punished, if it is done during the week of Cinco de Mayo. Yes you read that right!

The communist idiots from the 9th Circuit U.S. Court of Appeals sent a message to the Live Oak Assistant Principal, Miguel Rodriguez, that he has the right to punish anyone wearing clothing that represents the United States, or American Pride. They justify this by saying, "It might spark a riot with the Spanish community, or Mexican gang members." I watched these little snot nose brats on the news with their flags and banners that say, "Cinco de Mayo, our Independence Day." First of all, Cinco de Mayo is not the Mexican Independence Day that is September 16. Cinco de Mayo is to commemorate the Mexican Army's unlikely victory over the French forces at the Battle of Puebla on May 5.

No I am not knocking the Mexican community, in fact they are probably the hardest working group of people on this planet, but by God this is America. Why doesn't the 9th Circuit U.S. court of Appeals send Miguel Rodriguez another message saying, "This is the United States of America, anyone who chooses to riot against our American Pride will be charged with a hate crime, period! We will not punish law abiding citizens especially our youth for having pride for our great country!"

A few months ago this same group sent a similar message to this same High School refusing them the right to have an American Pride Day to honor our fallen soldiers, yet these idiots said they could have an, "International wear your country day," but again ban the wearing of American Flags on T-Shirts. This makes me sick to my stomach, so much that I want to drive there and puke in the laps of these idiots that have forgotten, "This is America. We will not back down or cower when it comes to our great nation, we will stand strong."

If we do not teach our children this pride we are all doomed! If you don't like our ways, then go back to the land of milk and honey where you came from, or respect our culture. After all you are in a free country because of our forefathers who died for your freedom as well.

Everyone has an opinion, and this is mine. You might not agree with it, but "That's how I see it."

Letters to the Editor

Just Obey the Law

Dear Editor:

I always enjoy reading your "Opinion" letter, some I agree with and some I don't. That is why there is chocolate and vanilla ice cream.

In response to "That's How I See It" written by A. Nonymous I have a solution to his problem. Obey the law and stop for the red light! Not hard really.

If everyone obeyed the law there would not be a need for the cameras, but as you can see, there are always folks who believe they are "above the law." The cameras are there for our safety.

Thank you,
Also Anonymous

What to do with strawberries!

Cindy Hair

Don't you love fresh strawberries? They are wonderful sliced and sugared on top of cake or ice cream. How many can you eat like that? I prefer them uncooked so I searched for a beautiful way to serve them for company. The King Arthur Cookbook has a recipe that will make you proud at potluck or a family Sunday dinner. It is fresh, light, cool, beautiful and delicious. It is also simple and it looks like a masterpiece. I have modified the recipe to suit my taste and for simplicity.

Plan ahead because the tart shell must cool. After it is filled, it needs to be refrigerated at least one hour before serving. Because it includes cream cheese, be sure to keep it cold. Spoiled cream cheese will make you really sick. A tart pan is really helpful. A food processor makes short work of pastry.

Since no one seems to take home economics anymore, perhaps I should mention it is always a good idea to prepare hot soapy water with a drop of bleach and a clean dishrag to clean up with. This is a good practice every time you cook.

Strawberry Devonshire Tart

Prepare the crust in the work bowl of your food processor: 1 cup flour, 1 TBSP sugar, 6 TBSP butter, 1 egg yolk and 1 TBSP ice water. Pulse all until it adheres to itself. Press it together into a ball. Place the ball inside a quart sized zip lock and press it into a disc shape. Place it in the fridge to firm it up for 30 minutes or longer. Clean up well. Raw egg left at room temp can make you really sick too.

Remove the pastry from the baggie and place it between 2 pieces of waxed paper. Roll it out to fit your tart pan plus an inch or so. Press it into the tart pan and remove the overhang. Chill for about an hour. Preheat the oven to 375 degrees. Prick the dough with a fork and bake for 15 minutes until lightly browned. Cool on a rack.

After the tart shell is cool, make the filling. Beat 3 oz. cream cheese, 1 TBSP sugar, and 3 oz. sour cream together and spread into bottom of tart. Refrigerate while preparing the berries.

Wash and trim 1 quart of strawberries. If you have more, you can use a little bit more. I like to save the prettiest ones, cut in half to make a pleasing pattern on top of the filling. Use the imperfect berries (about 1 cup) to mash for a glaze. Mix 1 cup of sugar and 3 TBSP cornstarch in a medium saucepan. Add a TBSP of water and the mashed berries and cook over medium heat, stirring, until the mixture becomes clear. Boil gently for about 1 minute and remove from heat immediately. Stir to cool slightly. Spread the glaze over the berries in the tart shell and refrigerate for at least one hour before cutting to serve. Enjoy!

Through a Child's Eyes

Students at Middleton-Burney Elementary School, in Crescent City, were asked the following question by teacher, Tasha Newbold:

What do you know about St. Patrick's Day?

"If you don't wear green you get pinched."

Kinyatis Shelley
Kindergarten:
Mrs. Jefferies

"That St. Patrick's clovers and clothes are green."

Anahi Lugo
First Grade:
Mrs. McGuire

"That St. Patrick's Day is really awesome because we color and cut things."

Alexis Hernandez-Avila
Second Grade:
Ms. Radloff

"I know you celebrate it by going to your family's house to eat, talk, and try to find gold."

Aaliyah Galarza
Third Grade:
Mrs. Newbold

COMMUNITY

80th Surprise Party, Pomona Park Cleans Up and a New Business

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Anne's Surprise Party

Jim Kinard said he was going to have to go to church for a long time to get forgiveness for all the white lies he told trying to keep his wife Anne's 80th birthday party a secret. The party was held on Saturday, March 8 at the River Villas Clubhouse in Satsuma.

Close to 50 people attended, mostly family from out of town. Both Kinard boys were there, Jim and daughter Brittany from St. Petersburg, and Wayne and Julie with son Drew from Columbiana, Ohio. Four out of Jim's five sisters were there; Lois, June, Barbara and Pat (missing was sister Dorothy), one brother Albert, two brothers-in-law and one sister-in-law. Anne's sister Libby from Orange Park was also there to help her sister celebrate. Other nephews, nieces and relatives joined the party. Jim's sister Barbara helped him with the party. Melissa Singleton and Jan Munson catered the affair. Food was wonderful, the birthday cake was beautiful and the party was lovely.

Celebration of Life

Len Shelter had his sister and brother-in-law, as well as many other family members help him celebrate his late wife Sheila's life. Jean and Allan Anderson from Ohio joined Len with some of his local friends at Belle's Bistro for dinner one evening.

Silver Tea

Hats and gloves were the dress of the day for GFWC Crescent City Woman's Club Monday, March 10 meeting. Once a year the ladies get dressed up in their best outfits with hats and gloves and reminisce about a kinder, more peaceful world. Sam Carr and Ken Mehaffee gave a very informative and interesting program on Bartram Trails. Beautiful videos of drawings and pictures were shown. Carr said William Bartram and his book Travels was better known in Europe and other parts of the world than in Putnam County. The Bartram Trails in Putnam County was formed to reestablish the sites of William Bartram's travels in our region and to make them accessible via waterways, hiking, biking and driving routes. It was a very interesting program.

Community Meeting

A meeting involving the Lake Como Post Office survey will take place at the Community Center in Lake Como on Tuesday, March 25 at 5 p.m. Questions will be answered and information given about the times of day the post office will be open. All interested parties are encouraged to attend.

Fish Fry Moved

The Putnam County Fitness Center fundraiser fish fry at Jim and Shirley Griffin's address on Hwy 17 will be rescheduled due to the loss of one of the volunteers, Gene DeChaine, who passed away Wednesday, March 5. His memorial service will be on Saturday, March 15. Our love and prayers go to Prissy and family. The fish fry will be rescheduled for Saturday, March 22.

National Breakfast Week left to right Randy Hedstrom, Marsha Moline, Angel Duke, Helen Woodard and Mayor Joe Santa.

The Pomona Park residents who helped spruced-up Pomona Park during the Great American Cleanup Saturday, March 8.

Anne Kinard's 80th surprise birthday party, Anne, Brittany, Julie, Drew, Jim Kinard. Back row Jim Jr. and Wayne.

Congratulation

Congratulations and best wishes to Larry Harvey on his appointment to the vacant seat on the County Commissioner's Board. He and Lynda are good people. Larry will do a good job; he gives one hundred and ten percent in anything he does.

Silver Sneakers

A luncheon for Silver Sneakers members and guests will take place at the Putnam Family Fitness Center Monday, March 17 at 11:30 a.m. Charlene Judge will talk about the benefits of massage. Silver Sneakers are now meeting in building number two, which provides much more room to exercise. Sessions are held Monday through Friday from 10:15 to 11 a.m. Also a Refit Cardio Dance instructor will be giving instructions on Monday and Wednesday from 5-6 p.m. Sale will be instructing at 10 a.m. on Saturdays beginning March 22.

Pomona Park Cleans-up

On March 8 about 15 Pomona Park residents took part in the "Great American Cleanup", which began at 8 a.m. in Morgan Park and ended at 11 a.m. with a hot dog lunch for the volunteers. Keep Putnam Beautiful provides the gear needed to pick up trash around the streets and residents' yards along with three dumpsters for yard debris, tires, and furniture. Beautification chairman Joyce Svingala said the good news is that each year less trash is picked up, which means that residents are keeping the areas around their property clean.

April 5 is Market Day in Pomona Park, the same day as the Catfish Festival. The Market Day Committee hopes that Catfish visitors will come by for breakfast enroute to Crescent City.

Pomona Park is celebrating its 120th annual Founders Day on May 3, more on that later.

Happy Birthday

A motorcycle ride on the back of Eagle Biker Lee Nelson's bike was fun for Sally Schenk's 88th birthday. Sally said it was great. She and her husband and family had bikes when they were younger. Happy birthday, Sally, we hope you have many more.

Chili Cook-offs

The Presbyterian Church in Crescent City and First Baptist Church of Pomona Park both held chili cook-offs Saturday and Sunday. Winners of the Presbyterian Church cook-off were: first place Dee Goolsby, second place Chuck Lydick, and third place Pat Kehough. Judges were Peter and Becky Kaupup, Judy Thatcher, Pastor Sam McCoy and Chuck Bailey. Susan Fraizer said there were only six entrants this year. When two left, most of the pots were empty, so no one could say it was a sellout. Pomona Park's chili cook-off was a fundraiser for the youth's mission trip. Director Jennifer Ewbank and the youth served the chili.

Welcome New Business

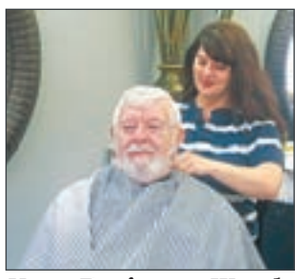
Faces, Fingers and Toes, owned by Katie Berg, has now added hair stylist to the list of newest employees. Wendy Buchan's business is in the old barber shop building. It's good to see our old buildings put to use again, and good to see the younger people coming home.

Celebration of Life included: Barbara Fisher, Len Shetler, Jean Andersen, Allan Andersen, Jan Simpson, Heather Harper, and Anne Towery.

Crescent City Woman's Club Silver Tea: Linda Myers, Carol Horner, Sam Carr, Ken Mehaffee and Barbara Mehaffey.

Chili cook-off winners at the First Presbyterian Church of Crescent City: first place Dee Goolsby, second place Chuck Lydick and third place Pat Kehough.

First Baptist Church of Pomona Park youth group at chili cook-off, leader Jennifer Ewbanks (center in dark shirt).



New Business Wendy Buchan, owner, with client Bill Foley.

Class Notes

Hope Andrews
Student Reporter

Honor Roll

Students whom made A's an B's this second nine weeks were recognized on Thursday, March 13. They were rewarded with Chicken Wings cooked by Boys II Men.

ASVAB

Some students took the ASVAB test on Friday, March 14.

Coach Quote

"A positive attitude equals a positive outcome'

-Coach Baker

Local Weather

Tue 3/18 69/53
A few morning showers. Highs in the upper 60s and lows in the low 50s.

Wed 3/19 74/52
Partly cloudy. Highs in the mid 70s and lows in the low 50s.

Thu 3/20 75/53
Partly cloudy. Highs in the mid 70s and lows in the low 50s.

Fri 3/21 75/55
Plenty of sun. Highs in the mid 70s and lows in the mid 50s.

Sat 3/22 78/58
Occasional showers possible.

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Our Town

Years Ago...

75 years ago

March 24, 1939 – Rotarians Enjoy a Musical Program - A musical program was put on at the regular weekly meeting of the Rotary Club held last Wednesday. Grafton Pyne, Robert Wood, Marjory Emmett and Mildred Dicker of Stetson College at Deland sang. The two men and Miss Emmett sang several solos, and Miss Dicker accompanied them on the piano. There were 35 present including Rotarians and guests.

50 years ago

March 19, 1964 – Local Civil Air Patrol Attends Bivouac - The North Central Florida Group XII Civil Air Patrol Bivouac was at Gold Head State Park March 14 and 15 with more than one hundred Senior and Cadet Air Patrol personnel attending. Eleven members of the Crescent City squadron were among them. Cadets received training in survival, security procedures, field maneuvers, administration and staff and leadership.

25 years ago

March 22, 1989 – Trail Riders Bringing Bikes to Catfish Hare Scramble -The quest for speed highlights much of the entertainment at the Catfish Festival, from the flying fingers of bluegrass banjoists and competitive catfish cleaners to the fleet feet of 5K footracers. This year, a speed event of the motorized kind enters the Catfish line-up – the Catfish Hare Scramblers, set for the day following the festival.

10 years ago

March 17, 2004 – Vandals Strike Central Avenue Again - Vandals have struck again on Central Avenue in Crescent City. On the night of Sunday, March 18, the perpetrators hit two area businesses, Curves and Total Interiors. One window was struck at Curves, with only two marks evident from the BB pellets. However, Total Interiors has seven new bullet marks total, three on one window facing Central Avenue and four on a window facing Summit Street.

5 years ago

March 18, 2009 – Dangerous Fire Weather Conditions Continue throughout Florida – Two weeks ago, a winter storm system affecting the eastern Unites States funneled a cold and dry air mass into the Sunshine State that increased the wildfire threat statewide. Gusty winds combined with this dry air mass prompted Red Flag Warnings for dangerous fire weather conditions nearly statewide. A hard freeze occurred across much of north Florida while freezing temperatures extended into portions of west central Florida. Little to no rainfall occurred as part of or subsequent to this weather system, resulting in continued Red Flag Warnings for much of the state.

Compiled from the Crescent City News, Crescent City Journal, Crescent City Courier Journal, Putnam County Courier Journal and other local news sources.

Way Back When...

The following article appeared in the March 12, 1969 issue of the Courier Journal. These kinds of events were a regular part of life in Crescent City in years past.

Woman's Club Variety Show Friday Evening

The Third Annual Variety Show sponsored by the Crescent City Woman's club at 8 p.m. Friday March 14, at the Elementary School Auditorium, will open with a Flag Ceremony by Girl Scout Junior Troop 502.

Friends will want to see members of the Woman's Club who will appear as the Rockerettes in their comedy act "Then and Now"; and the skit "Thanks Awfully" by the Fun and Friendship Club in one of the highlights of the show.

Bob Newman and Marguerite Gunnin will appear in an act when he sings with his guitar and she with her accordion and the two close with a medley of musical harmony. Both of these entertainers have appeared with musical groups regularly on the stage and they will add much to the enjoyment of the evening.

Marie McCamey and James Dees will sing original songs; Keith Gornto and Chip Stockton will entertain with guitar and song; Lisa West will present a piano solo; Johnette Hall will dance; Barbara Stockton Moody will sing, representing the Junior Woman's Club; Jon Karl Knapp, John Harp and Patti Keeney will play and sing; Danny Miller will give a comic reading; Penny Dollar and Debbie Miller will play and sing; Debbie O'Conner will give an interpretation of the Lord's Prayer; and Gloria Parish will do a dance routine.

There are no reserved seats and tickets may be purchased at the door. Five door prizes will be given. There are gift certificates for $5 each at any Crescent City place of business, to be chosen by the winners. Local merchants or service people chosen will be notified and reimbursed by the Woman's Club, whose members donated this fund for the show.

MOAA and JROTC

Special to
The Courier Journal

Two Interlachen High School JROTC cadets were the honored guests at the February meeting of the St Johns River Valley Chapter, Military Officers Association of America, MOAA. LTC Ron Leggett, the school's Senior Army Instructor, accompanied Cadets Major Paul S. Ortiz and 1st Lt. Steven D. Mills.

Chapter President Ruthann Thropp opened the meeting by asking Chapter Chaplin Bill Darden to start the meeting with an invocation and to lead the members in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States. She also welcomed the chapter's newest member, Durham Searcy, LtCol USAF Retired.

Cadet Major Paul Ortiz outlined the impact that the JROTC Program had and was having upon his life. "JROTC has changed my attitudes toward life in a very positive direction. It has improved my grades, taught me leadership, people skills, and given me goals for my life, "said Ortiz. "Leadership is an integral part of the ROTC program," he said. "It has one great experience, learning to be responsible for the other individual cadets, their goals, and opportunities." Ortiz has enlisted in the United States Marine Corps, departing after graduation in July for boot camp.

Cadet 1st Lt. Steven D Mills described the ROTC program as a "Big family, improving one's grades and attitudes, teaching discipline, and leadership". You learn to think of your subordinates, to care and think of them; you learn service and responsibility, both for yourself and others." Mills stated' ROTC has changed my life."

Following an excellent luncheon at Backwoods BBQ, Interlachen, LTC Leggett briefly spoke of the goals of the JROTC program. It gives students "the tools needed for success in life. The most improved cadets are the successes." Chapter President Thropp presented the JROTC program with a financial donation from the chapter.

The next meeting will be held at the Hard Dock Restaurant, Palatka, on March 18, meeting at 11:30AM. The program will be author Bob lee, author of Putnam County's own Backwoods Lawman.

The chapter's meetings are held on the third Tuesday at noon. Meetings and membership is open to anyone who has served in the armed forces of United States as a warrant or commissioned officer.

For more information, contact Thropp at 467-2437 or Vice President Al Peterson at 467-3909.

Military News

Air Force Airman 1st Class Asa L. Gately graduated from basic military training at Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland, San Antonio, Texas.

The airman completed an intensive, eight-week program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness, and basic warfare principles and skills.

Airmen who complete basic training earn four credits toward an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Gately is the son of Anthony Gately of Hollister.

He is a 2009 graduate of Palatka High School. He earned an associate

degree in 2013 from St. Johns River State College, Palatka.

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CRESCENT CITY
Dr. John Walton Collette, Sr.

Dr. John Walton Collette, Sr., 89, of Crescent City passed away peacefully Wednesday, March 12, 2014, at Putnam Community Medical Center in Palatka.

John as born November 17, 1924, on his family farm formally called "Lakeview" in Crescent City to his parents Jessie Burton Collette and Herman Dane Collette.

John was preceded in death by his parents and siblings Ruth, Bud and Jesse as well as his first wife, Joanne Pickens Collette.

With his mother's signature and permission, John joined the Air Force at the age of 17 and flew many missions over Europe during World War II. After the war, John came back to Crescent City to work alongside his father at "Lakeview". During this time he attended Stetson University and upon graduating from Stetson he went to law school and just short a few classes of completing his law degree, John was accepted into medical school at Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia. After medical school John completed his internship in Ashville, North Carolina and residency in Jacksonville.

John began his medical practice in Deland in 1959 where he specialized in emergency medicine, emergency medical services, and family practice. John practiced in Deland until 1977 and then wanting to be closer to "Lakeview", he moved his practice to Seville and then a few years later he moved his family and medical practice to Crescent City where he continued to practice until 2012.

John is survived by his wife, Dorothy Peterson Collette of Lake Como; his son, John W. Collette, Jr. of Palatka, Daughter, Jan (Roger D.) Rasnick, and grandsons, Brian, Colin Jon, Landon of Orange, Virginia.

Visitation for Dr. Collette was from 6 – 8 p.m. Monday, March 17, 2014 at Clayton Frank & Biggs Funeral Home. Graveside services were held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, March 18, 2014 in Eden Cemetery with Father Fred Beebe officiating.

In lieu of flowers donations in Dr. Collette's memory may be made to The Children's Home Society of Northeast Florida, 3027 San Diego Road, Jacksonville, Florida 32207 or to St. Jude Children's Hospital, 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, Tennessee 38105 or to The Arc of Putnam County, 1209 Westover Drive, Palatka, Florida 32177.

Arrangements were under the careful care of Clayton Frank & Biggs Funeral Home, Crescent City, Florida.

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EAST PALATKA
Sharon Mangum Harper

Sharon Mangum Harper, of East Palatka, passed away on Sunday, March 9, 2014, at her home following an extended illness. Born in Gainesville, Sharon graduated from Palatka High School in 1960, attended St. Johns River Community College and graduated from the University of Florida in 1964. Sharon taught business education for 34 years in St. Johns County and was a member of St. James United Methodist Church in Palatka.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Wayne and Evelyn "Pat" Mangum and a grandson, Harper Dean Stever.

Sharon is survived by her husband of 48 years, J. Daniel "Danny" Harper of East Palatka, two daughters, Elizabeth Kilgore (Harold) of Longwood and Laura Stever (Dean) of Sorrento, a brother, Wayne "Buddy" Mangum (Debbie) of Palatka, grandchildren, Harold Kilgore III, Daniel S. Kilgore, Payton P. Stever, an aunt Madge Mangum, nieces and nephews including Deirdre Harper Weiss (Doug), Anna Harper, Lori Hedge (Greg), Justin Shaw, Lauren Mangum Bailey (Jeff), Lesley Mangum Reese (Todd) and Patrick Mangum (Rebecca), cousins, Suzanne Tumlin , Melissa Rust, Bob Mangum, Martha Jean Carter, Lynn Harper, Steven Mangum, Sam Mangum, Gail Frazier, Patsy Saunders, Bill Saunders, Wesley Saunders, Peggy Saunders and L.E. Mangum Jr.

Services were at 10 a.m. Wednesday, March 12, 2014 at St. James United Methodist Church with Pastor Don Hanna officiating. Burial followed at Oak Hill West Cemetery. Visitation was Tuesday at Johnson-Overturf Funeral Home in Palatka.

Flowers are gratefully accepted or memorial donations may be sent to Haven Hospice Roberts Care Center, 6400 St. Johns Ave., Palatka, FL 32177.

Memories and condolences may be expressed to the family at Sharon's Book of Memories page at www.JohnsonOverturffunerals.com.

Arrangements were under the direction of Johnson-Overturf Funeral Home in Palatka.

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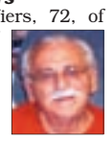
PALATKA
Charlie Francis Viers



Charlie Francis Viers, 72, of Palatka passed away Saturday, March 8, 2014, at the Putnam Community Medical Center in Palatka following an extended illness.

He was a native of Big Prater, Virginia and had been a resident of Palatka for the past 53 years, coming from Big Prater. He worked for Central States Diversified in Palatka, Duro Bag Manufacturing, Woodmen of the World Insurance Co., the former St. Johns Chevrolet in Palatka and the former Palatka Ford. When he was able he loved going to church and working in the nursery where he was "Papa" to all the kids. Those kids are all grown up now but he would talk of them and the love he had for those kids and the love those kids had for him. He had also served on the Building Committee and the Homecoming Committee at the Francis Baptist Church, where he was a member.

Preceding him in death were his parents, Jesse and Sarah Alice Viers; two infant brothers, Garnie Estel Viers and Garmon Estes Viers; two other brothers, Fred Clayton Viers and Johnny Frank Viers; a sister-in-law, Wanda Sykes; and a brother-in-law, E.C. Honaker.

Survivors include his wife of 51 years, Emagene Dampier Viers of Palatka; a daughter and son-in-law, Charlene Frances and Lloyd Shiver of Palatka; a son and daughter-in-law, Steven Douglas and Cheryl Wood Viers of Florahome; three grandchildren Steven Douglas, II, Brittany Shae Viers, and Sarah Grace Shiver; three sisters and a brother-in-law, Izetta Turner of Bristol, Virginia, Jeanette Cumbo and Jimmy Drew of San Mateo, and Marie Viers Honaker of Slate, Virginia; two brothers and sisters-in-law, Eural Fayne and Patricia Viers of Vansant, Virginia, and Thurman Elwood and Fay Viers of Church Hill, Tennessee; other sisters-in-law, Zay Powers Viers of Cedar Bluff, Virginia and Ann Coleman Viers of Atlanta, Georgia; a sister-in-law and spouse, Lola Dampier and Harold David Acree of Gainesville; a brother-in-law and spouse, Vance and Kathy Chesser Dampier of Bannerville; and numerous nieces and nephews that he loved very much.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Wednesday, March 12, 2014, at the Masters Funeral Home in Palatka with Rev. Harry Varnadoe officiating. Burial followed in Palatka Memorial Gardens. The family began receiving friends two hours prior to the service.

Memorial gifts may be sent to Francis Baptist Church, 155 County Road 309C, Palatka, FL 32177. Messages of sympathy may be expressed in his online guestbook at www.themastersfuneralhomes.com.

Masters Funeral Home of Palatka was in charge of the arrangements.

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FERNANDINA BEACH
Donna McNab Davis

Donna McNab Davis, 79, of Fernandina Beach, passed away Friday, March 7, 2014, at Quality Health in Fernandina following an extended illness. Born in Mont Clair, New Jersey to Donald McNab and Beatrice Jungerman McNab, Donna moved to numerous cities in Florida during World War II as her father was a civil engineer for the government and thus attended numerous elementary schools across the state she loved so much. She graduated from Palatka High School in 1952, then with honors from Florida State University as a Fashion and Merchandising major in 1956. She began working for Mass Brothers in St. Petersburg. On March 25, 1959, Donna married her high school sweetheart, Tom Davis, after waiting for her Navy man to serve his country and complete his degree from the University of Florida. After raising her family, Donna later returned to college and earned her BS and master's degree in elementary education from the University of North Florida. She taught for 20 years in the Putnam County School District at Moseley Elementary School both in the classroom and Reading Lab. Donna and Tom resided in Palatka from 1960-1994 and were active members of the First Presbyterian Church in Palatka where Donna served as moderator for the Presbyterian women. After retiring they moved to Crescent Beach where they lived for 19 years until recently moving to Fernandina Beach. Donna loved her Noles, the beach and most importantly her family and friends. Her family will cherish her memory and will continue perking along, as she liked to say, until we see her beautiful smile again.

Donna was preceded in death by her parents, Donald McNab and Beatrice Jungerman McNab.

She is survived by her husband of 54 years, Thomas Davis of Fernandina Beach, a son, Donald Davis and wife Robley of Fleming Island, a daughter, Lee Davis-Clark and husband Mike of Fernandina Beach, grandchildren, Stephen, Cameron and Brandon Davis and Julia and Jessica Clark, a sister, Sandra McNab Turnbull and husband Gene, niece Laura Turnbull Clark and nephew Greg Turnbull and a cousin, Bruce McNab.

Memorial services celebrating Donna's life were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 15, 2014 at the First Presbyterian Church in Palatka with Rev. Chuck DeVane officiating. The family received guests and family at the Church from 1 p.m. until the start of the memorial service.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Haven Hospice Roberts Care Center, 6400 St. Johns Ave., Palatka, FL 32177 or to the Alzheimer's Treatment and Research Center, Ramsey Foundation, 640 Jackson Street, St. Paul, MN 55101-9021.

Memories and condolences may be expressed to the family at Donna's book of memories page at www.JohnsonOverturffunerals.com.

Arrangements were under the direction of Johnson-Overturf Funeral Home in Palatka.

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HOLLISTER
Kadence Marie Branam

Kadence Marie Branam, 8, of Hollister, passed away suddenly Thursday, March 6 2014, at Shands at Starke. Kadence was born in St. Augustine and lived all her life in Putnam County. She was a second grade student at Kelley Smith Elementary School and had attended kindergarten and first grade at the Children's Reading Center Charter School. Kadence loved to hunt, dance, draw, sing, eat chocolate kisses and swim as well as go to the beach. She adored stuffed animals, especially horses and above all, she was a "Daddy's Girl".

She was preceded in death by her great-grandparents Paul and Mary Branam.

She is survived by her mother and step-father, Katie and Nicholas Vieira of Melrose, her father and step-mother, Russ and Stacie Lea Branam of Hollister, maternal grandparents, Sandy and Ray Spofford of East Palatka, Paternal grandparents, DeLinda and Tommy Branam of Hollister, Paternal grandparents, Madonna and Orrin Cooper of Palatka, maternal grandparents, Georganna and Brent Pate of Jacksonville, and Tony Vieira and Dana Smith of Jacksonville, paternal great-grandparents, Billy and Betty Russ of Palatka, maternal great-grandparents, Alice and Lenis Hebert of Palatka, a sister Brylea Branam of Hollister, two step-sisters, Cayla Hutchinson and Cylei Hutchinson, both of Hollister, an aunt, Crystal Knighten, uncle, Brian Knighten and uncle Chuck Lashinsky, cousins, Ethan and Emma Knighten and numerous other extended family.

Services celebrating Kadence's life were held on Wednesday, March 12, 2014 at Johnson-Overturf Chapel in Palatka with Pastor Ben Tippett and Jeff Varnadoe officiating. Burial followed at Oak Hill West Cemetery.

Memories and condolences may be expressed to the family at Kadence's book of memories page at www.JohnsonOverturffunerals.com.

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EAST PALATKA
Clem Saccareccia

Clementine Wrye "Clem " Saccareccia, 75, of East Palatka passed away Thursday, March 6, 2014, at Shands of the University of Florida in Gainesville. She was born in Twin City, Georgia and had been a resident of East Palatka for the past 39 years coming from Orlando.

She was affectionately known as "Clem Sacc". She was involved with many organizations including ABWA, the Pilot Club of Palatka, since 1992, Kiwanis and Rotary. Clem was on the charter committee for the Blue Crab Festival. She served on the Putnam County Chamber of Commerce and during her tenure she had several accomplishments including: 2006 Chamber Chairman of the Board, VC Membership Services for approximately three years, service on the Chamber's Board of Directors from 1996 to 2007 and she chaired various committees including special events, membership recruitment and the Main street committee to name a few. She received several awards including the 2001 Bob Hudson Small Business of the Year Award, the Board Member of the year Award in both 2000 and 2001. She was also a member of the Putnam County Tourist Development Council from 2003 to 2012. She owned and operated Tempaco with her husband, Bob Saccareccia as well as Peabody's Restaurant and Steamboat Willies with her husband Bob and her partner, Wanda Stumbo. She was also a self-employed Accountant and Tax preparer with Wanda Stumbo in Accounting By Computer.

She enjoyed walking along the beach in St. Augustine, gardening her flowers and plants, reading and watching football every Sunday. Her favorite singer was Willie Nelson.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Saccareccia.

Survivors include two sons, Charles Lyon of Palatka and John Lyon (Tiffany Sweet) of Palatka; a daughter, Lori Nunley (Wayne McCullough) of Palatka; a brother and sister-in-law, Charles "Buddy" and Barbara Wrye; three grandchildren, Cambria Lyon, Jospeh Nunley, and Erika Nunley; and one great-grandson on the way.

Memorial services will be at 3 p.m. on Sunday, March 30, 2014 at the Putnam County Shrine Club, 116 Yelvington Rd, East Palatka, with Mary Connor officiating.

Memorial gifts may be sent to Palatka Pilot Club, P.O. 2202, Palatka, Florida 32178. Messages of sympathy may be expressed in her online guestbook at www.themastersfuneralhomes.com.

Masters Funeral Home of Palatka is in charge of the arrangements.

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INTERLACHEN
Carolyn E. Autry

Carolyn E Autry, 76, of Interlachen passed away at Haven Hospice Roberts Care Center in Palatka on Tuesday, March 4, 2014 following an extended illness. She was born in Jacksonville and had been a resident of Putnam County since 1981 residing in Florahome, George's Lake, Lake Grandin and lastly in Interlachen coming from Jacksonville.

She had worked as a pharmaceutical technician and loved to go camping. She was very active in her church, first working as a Sunday School Teacher and later by singing in the choir. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Interlachen.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Kenneth and Ethel Williams; and a step-son, William David Autry.

Survivors include her husband of 37 years, Leon K. Autry, Jr. of Interlachen; a son and daughter-in-law, Terry and Kathy McLeod of Jacksonville; two daughters and a son-in-law, Debra Lynn McLeod of Jacksonville and Brenda Kaye and Ken Autry of Wetumka, Alabama; a step-son, Paul A. Autry and his wife, Patty of West Palm Beach; eleven grandchildren; twenty-six great-grandchildren; and three cousins, Vangie Solomon, Eleanor Sears, and Nolan Brenner, all of Jacksonville.

A memorial service to celebrate her life was held at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 8, 2014 at the First Baptist Church in Interlachen with Pastor Tony Clubb, Pastor Christ White and Pastor Carlis Lott, officiating. Inurnment will follow at a later date in Arlington Park Cemetery in Jacksonville.

In lieu of flowers memorial gifts may be sent to Haven Hospice Roberts Care Center, 6400 St. Johns Avenue, Palatka, Florida 32177 or to the First Baptist Church of Interlachen building fund, 115 CR 315, Interlachen-Florid 32148

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Lent Services will be held Wednesday, March 19, March 26, April 2, and April 9, at 12:30 p.m. at Hope Lutheran Church located at 273 CR 309 in Satsuma. Pastor Joyce Gulliford will be presiding. Soup and bread will be served at 11:30 a.m. prior to the services. The public is invited. For more information, contact Pastor Gulliford at 386-649-0631.

The East Ridge Boys in concert at Beulah Baptist Church in Fruitland Friday, March 21 at 7 p.m. For information call Bob Donaldson 386-467-2872 or Email him at Mybeulahbaptistchurch@gmail.com.

First Baptist Church of Pomona Park will host "The East Ridge Boys," from Kentucky, Saturday, March 22, at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited. A love offering will be received during the concert. For more information, please contact the church at 386-649-4265.

Suwannee River Economic Council Inc. has opened a senior citizen meal site at Union Bethel A.M.E. Church, located at 200 Cedar Street in Crescent City. Must be 60 years and older to attend. The site is open at 11 a.m. Monday through Friday.

Black and White Day at St. James A.M.E. Church will host its Annual 25 Men Black and White Day at 4 p.m. March 29, at 632 Oak St., Welaka. The Reverend Willie Williams is the host pastor. The guest speaker will be Evangelist Cedric Milton of New Life Deliverance Center in Welaka. This year's theme is "Men Wait on the Lord." The public is invited to attend.

Ladies in Harmony invite you to an informal, fun sing-a-long Sunday, March 30 at 4 p.m. at Howe Memorial United Methodist Church, located at 252 S. Summit St in Crescent City. Admission is free. Finger foods and refreshments provided. The love offering will benefit the South Putnam Christian Service Center. For more information call 386-467-3313 or 386-467-2061.

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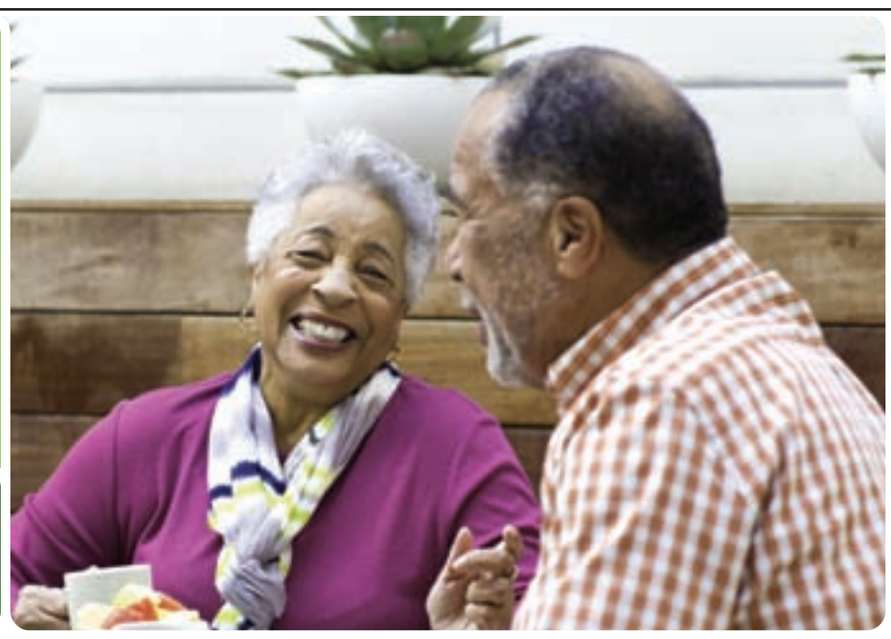

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Attack of the Easter Bunny

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If this is your first time reading my column, then you're probably thinking, "Who got attacked by an Easter Bunny," If you're a regular reader then you're probably yelling at your other half, "Honey that crazy writer got attacked by a wild rabbit." Yes I did get attacked by an Easter Bunny. There are a couple of reasons for me telling you this story, but I will get into those reasons in a minute. Over the past few months I have had people writing in, and wanting to know more about me, I even had another newspaper wanting to do an interview with me, which I turned down, so today instead of telling you about a homeless person, or someone in distress I thought I might tell you a story of my childhood. With Easter just around the corner, I thought the rabbit attacking me would be a good story for me to tell.

Now the way I was attacked is not like your normal attacking bunny rabbit, so please allow me to explain. It was during the month of March in 1966, I was 5 years old. "Good morning Sunshine, time to get up and get going. We have a big day planned today," said my mother. After eating breakfast we were out the door, and on our way to get a new outfit for Easter Sunday. After we left Sears with my new little suite, we walked down the street to the Buster Brown shoe store, where my mother purchased a new pair of penny loafers, which my mother placed two brand new pennies inside. As we left the store, there was a man sitting across the street with a box, and he was holding this cute little white bunny rabbit. On the front of the box it read, "Easter Bunnies, $2.00." After crossing the street the man told me that they were the real Easter bunny's babies, and that one day they would grow up and deliver eggs and candy to all the good little boys and girls all over the world, "They have magical powers," he said. After some intense begging I had one of the real Easter Bunnies in a box and was heading home.

After arriving home I was told to put on my work cloths and gather the eggs, then to muck the horse stalls, and after that I could play with Pee Wee, that was the name I had given my new friend. I guess it was about four in the afternoon when I finally got through with my chores and was allowed to take Pee Wee outside to play. Now here is where the attack part comes in.

I took Pee Wee outside and across the yard where there was one patch of the greenest grass you have ever seen in your life, and I took Pee Wee out of the box. She

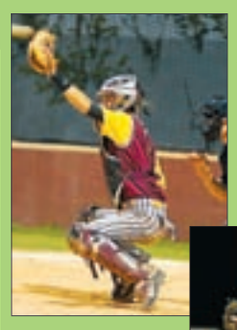
See **Bunny** on page B3

Pierson Tops the Raiders 10 - 0

Photos by Rose Delaney

Brandon Reiter (left) reaches for the tag, for the Crescent City Varsity baseball team as a Pierson player makes the slide. Jose Sanchez (above) awaits the throw as a Pierson runner reaches the base.

Above: Dillon Dunagen swings hard in the Raiders 10 to 0 loss against the Pierson Wildcats



Bradley Baker (left) grabs high to snag the throw home for the Raiders.

Dillon Dunagen (right) winding up for the pitch last Friday against Pierson Taylor.

'What's the Score'

Dudley Sargent
Sports Commentary

"March Madness" is upon us, which, coupled with the term "Bracketology" is sufficient to make most of the planet wonder if the US of A has lost its collective mind. As I recall the phrase, "March Madness" was hatched decades ago to represent or emphasize the tons of games that have to be played commencing the middle of March to determine conference champions and subsequently just what teams will go on to the playoffs to determine the National Champion. There are multiple games going on from Thursday through Sunday all over the country, making it difficult to decide which to watch during that middle week. The following Wednesday, after the brackets have been settled by a Board selected to make the hard decisions as to who will play whom, where and when, the fun starts all over again. All this comes to an end after the top two teams meet in the final game to decide who wins all the marbles. The two teams I've been watching closely (no real surprise here) are the Gators of Florida and the Blue Devils of Duke University. The Blue Devils won a couple of games in the ACC tournament making it to the finals, where, unfortunately they ran into the Cavaliers of Virginia. But I'll tell you, better to the Cavaliers than sweating through a third game against North Carolina, a team that is not on my "favorite" list. Pittsburg eliminated the Tarheels in the second round, so that was good for Duke, although the team might have preferred playing the 'Heels vs. Virginia since they matched up better against North Carolina. The Championship game exposed the principal problem that has plagued Duke from time to time, and that is having to rely on the play of freshman Jabari Parker, the MVP and top freshman of the year in the ACC, to bring them through in tough situations. Earlier in the year Coach K Stated that, "we don't have a powerhouse here" and it appears that he called the shot. Against Virginia, they met their defensive equals and then some, as the Cavs' big men were too much for the Devils, who truly lacked a dominating center, or "big man". Parker is a tough fighter under the basket and normally outfights bigger men for the ball, but he was somewhat less effective on Sunday, principally because of the Virginia defense. The Devils will be in the third seed in the Eastern Region, so the season is "not over until it's over". The Gators, on the other hand, have a dominating defense and an effective offense. What I mean Is that this team plays off the weakness of the competition and for the most part appears to do what it takes, whether it be fast breaking or half court ball. The foursome of Young, Prather, Frasier and Wilbekin are all seniors I believe match up with most any teams on the collegiate chart when it comes to playing both ways. Defense is the Gators' numero uno weapon, anchored by Patric Young, who, at 6'9" or so, and 250 lbs can hurt people down low, also has a good touch around the basket. Florida is in a tough bracket and as a result, not all people are picking them to make the final four. I will call whom I think will make it and the eventual winter at the risk of being accused of falling in line with those who do this for a living, but so be it. Michigan State is a scary team. I mean, they tore up Michigan in the finals of the Big Ten and Michigan is tough, so they make the final four, along with Louisville, Arizona and the Gators. Add Duke to the final eight with teams such as Kentucky, UCLA and Creighton; yes, Creighton. I've probably screwed up with the brackets, but that's tough…

Healthy Homemade Treats for your Fury Friend

Tammy Sanchez
Staff Writer

According to the American Pet Products Association (APPA) Americans love their pets more than ever according to how much we are spending on them. In 1994 we spent $17 Billion, in 2004 we spent $34.4 Billion and it is estimated that in 2014 we will spend $58.51 Billion. In addition 68% of American homes now have pets, up from 56% in 1988 when the survey was first conducted.

With statistics like these, it is safe to say that many of us have important furry, feathered or finned friends in our lives. What can we do to make the quality of their lives as good and as long as possible? Well, one of the best ways is to make sure that they are eating the most wholesome food that is available for them. That may mean buying the best quality food at the store that we can afford, or even making things at home for our fur babies to enjoy!

I found this recipe for homemade dog biscuits that I thought you might enjoy. It uses all natural ingredients and you could even use all organic ingredients as well.

Apple, Cheddar And Bits Homemade Dog Biscuits!

Preheat oven to 375
Ingredients:

- 1 1/2 cups of white flour (you could use all whole wheat flour if you would like)
- 1 1/2 cups of whole wheat flour
- 1 large egg
- 2 tablespoons of softened butter
- 2 tablespoons of olive oil
- 8 ounces of grated sharp cheddar (you can use whatever cheese you would like EXCEPT for BLUE CHEESE! Moldy cheeses are harmful to your dog!)
- 1 large apple peeled and grated (make sure there are not pits)
- 2 tablespoons of dried parsley …if using fresh…3 tablespoons of finely sliced parsley3 tablespoons of bacon bits…yes… our doggies can have a bit of bacon…just because we are vegetarians doesn't mean they can't indulge) I used pre-made bacon bits, but you can fry some up and break it up if you like and save a little bit of cheese bits and parsley to sprinkle on top)
- 1 cup of milk

Directions:

- Place the egg, butter and olive oil into your mixer bowl and whip together
- Add the milk and mix a bit more
- Add the flours, slowly
- Add the grated apple, cheese, parsley and bacon bits.
- Your dough should be smooth, pliable and ready to roll! If it is too dry, add a little touch of water or milk and if it is too sticky, add a little bit more flour!
- Now sprinkle some flour on your board or counter so the dough does not stick and roll out half of the dough (approximately 1/4 thick) then what I did was sprinkled a little bit more cheese…

Apple, cheddar and bits, homemade dog biscuits, yummy!

bits and parsley on top and give it a few rolls so everything sticks.

- Now it is time to cut out your shapes, large, small or medium, whatever you want for your pup or pups! I will tell you that I got over 75 1 inch stars and 1 dozen bones from the recipe, that's a nice amount of treats!
- Place them on your lightly coated baking sheet or you can use parchment to line it.
- Place them into a preheated 375-degree oven for 20 – 30 minutes. (Every oven is different) They should be golden and nicely browned on the bottom)
- Take them out, allow them to cool and now they are ready to serve up to your best friend!
- Store them in an airtight container. I like to keep them in the fridge since they are homemade and they will keep in the fridge for 2 weeks.
- You can also bag them up in little freezer bags and pop them out any time. You can keep them in the freezer for up to 6 months you don't have to be afraid to taste

See **Treats** on page B3

Golf at Live Oak

In League Scramble play at Live Oak Golf Club Friday, March 7, 10 players, 5 men and 5 women, were divided into three teams.

The winning team, with four players, posted a low score of 34. Members of the winning team were Dot Sykes, Phil Sykes, Fran Mord and Will Parker. The other team posted a 35, the following team posted a 38.

Closest to the pin with the 2nd shot on Hole #2, with 8 1/2 inches, was Don Sykes and second closest with 18 inches was Penny Stites.

In League Scramble play at Live Oak Golf Club Friday, March 13, 20 players, 11 men and 9 women, were divided into five teams.

The winning team, with four players, posted a low score of 34. Members of the winning team were Susan Blizzard, Diane Paterson, Dave Patterson and Jerry Paterson. The next closest team posted a 36, the following team posted a 38 with the last two teams posting a 38.

COUNTY LINES

The inaugural **Alumni Basketball Game**, at Crescent City Jr./Sr. High School will be Saturday, March 22, at 7 p.m. The alumni team will go against the current basketball team. The cost to play is $10, and $5 to attend the game. The event is a fundraiser to benefit the basketball team. To register to be an alumni player in the game, and for further information, contact Al Carter at 386-698-1629 or by email at a2carter@putnam-schools.org, or contact Veronica Glover 386-698-1629 or by email vglover@putnamschools.org.

G.A. Teske will visit the Melrose Public Library Friday, March 28, at 4 p.m., to discuss his fantasy novels in *The Soul Sword Chronicles series. The Gnome in the Tapestry, Racing the Moon, Links to the Past, and MoonFall are his four current novels in The Soul Sword Chronicles series.* He has also published an e-book novella,*The Last Skunk Ape: Evidence*. A novel in progress, *Growing Up Yankee in Cracker Florida*, set in Melrose of the 1960's, is planned to be completed in 2015. For more information about these novels, visit his website at www.dunnscreekfantasy.com. For more information call 352-475-1237. This is a free Putnam County Library System Program.

The Pilot Club of Palatka is offering one $750 scholarships for deserving students in the Putnam County area. Scholarship applications are available at area high schools or by calling Linda Coons at 386-328-8977. Deadline is Tuesday, April 15. Applicants must be enrolling in an area related to brain disorders.

Crescent City Moose Lodge Schedule- Wednesday, March 19: WOTM Chapter Mtg, Election of officers 6 p.m., LOOM Pool 7 p.m., Card Club 9 p.m. ~ Thursday, March 20: Bingo 10:30 a.m., LOOM Mtg 7 p.m., WOTM Pool 7 p.m. ~ Friday, March 21: Ship Captain Crew 4-7 p.m., Breaded pork chops 5-7 p.m., Karaoke by Johnny B. 7 p.m. ~ Saturday, March 22: Bar Bingo 11:30 a.m., Shuffleboard 3 p.m., Finger foods 6-8 p.m., Karaoke by Johnny B. 7 p.m. ~ Sunday, March 23: Shuffleboard 3 p.m., Jam Session 7 p.m. ~ Monday, March 24: Cribbage 2 p.m., Chicken Dinner 4:30-6 p.m. ~ Tuesday, March 25: Tacos 4:30-6:30 p.m., Karaoke by GL 6 p.m.

Hospice Presents **10 Touchstones For Grief** - Hospice of Citrus and the Nature Coast Wings Community Education presents an ongoing program, 10 Touchstones For Grief. These grief support groups meet every Monday at 4 p.m. and every Thursday at 10:30 a.m. The program will be held at the Hospice of the Nature Coast Wings Education Center located at 927 S SR 19 in Palatka. Grief is often confusing and painful for those who have lost a loved one 10 Touchstones For Grief focuses on markers through the grief experience by internationally noted author and educator Alan D. Wolfelt, PhD. Grievers will learn to rely on the touchstones to find their way to hope and healing.

The program is offered at no cost and open to the public. You may enter the group at any time, however, registration is required. Call Mary Rockefeller at 386-530-4600. For more information about Hospice services and programs, call 866-642-0962 or visit www.hospiceofcitrus.org.

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New Life Retreat **Drug and Alcohol Rehabilitation and Education** - Narconon reminds families that abuse of addictive pharmaceutical drugs is on the rise. Learn to recognize the signs of drug abuse and get your loved ones help if they are at risk. Call Narconon for a free brochure on the signs of addiction for all types of drugs. Narconon also offers free assessments and referrals at 1-800-431-1754 or DrugAbuseSolution.com

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Super Weekend in Downtown Palatka! Downtown Palatka is getting ready for a super weekend of activities! Friday, March 21st is the next monthly Third Friday Downtown Street Party. Come downtown and enjoy live music by "The Groov" playing Contemporary Jazz, "Classic Ballroom Dancing" will be there doing spotlight dances and free group lessons, there will be Tap Dancing performances, plus Sushi, hotdogs, hamburgers, kettle corn, soft drinks, beer and wine. We will have Movie Night on the Courthouse lawn with "Despicable Me 2" playing for the kids staring at 7 pm. There will also be open house at the Art Shoppe and Gallery, a members show at the Tilghman House and much more. The party is all located on the 200 - 300 blocks of St. Johns Avenue. Limited seating is available or bring your own chair. Saturday, February 22nd is the start of the Palatka Bicycle Festival. This year, in coordination with Bike Florida's Spring Magical History Tour, there will be over 850 cyclists in town to ride the trails and bike routes of Palatka and Putnam County. Saturday evening is the next monthly Downtown Cruise-in on the 700 block of St. Johns Avenue in Downtown Palatka. "St. Patricks" is the theme and there will be a prize for the person who wears the most green. There will be a beer garden and live music this month by "Weeds of Eden" playing classic. rock. The special guest this month is Scott Lagasse, Jr and his NASCAR show car and race team. If you own a classic or custom car, truck, van or motorcycle, bring it down to the show. $400 in cash prizes will be given away to registered drivers. Registration is free and you must be present to win. For more information, call 386-329-0100, ext. 333. Rediscover Downtown Palatka. March 15, Everything Chocolate at the Larimer Arts Center, 6 p.m., March 21, Third Friday Downtown Street Party at the 300 Block of St. Johns Avenue, 6-10 p.m., March 21, Movie Night - "Despicable Me 2" on the Court House Lawn, 7 p.m., March 22-23, Palatka Bicycle Festival and Bike Florida Spring Tour, Routes throughout Palatka and Putnam County for more information visit: www.bikeflorida.org to register and March 22, Downtown Cruise-in at the 700 Block of St. Johns Avenue, 5-8 p.m.

Welaka Woman's Club will have their **2nd annual Golf Tournament** Saturday, April 12. Tee off at 10:00 a.m. Rain out day April 19, at Live Oak Golf & Country Club. The cost is a $55 donation per player $45 for club members using their own cart. Golfers will receive 5 extra raffle tickets if registration is received by March 31. BBQ Dinner will be served at the Clubhouse immediately following along with all Prizes. More teams and sponsors are needed. Contact Dee Craft 386-546-2754, Clint Swartz, or Live Oak for more info.

River City Players announces auditions for their June production of **Wedding Belles** directed by Mandi Tucker. The cast features four females aged 35-52 and one female youth. Auditions will be held in the Scarlett-Hill Theatre at the Larimer Arts Center, 216 Reid Street in Palatka, on Tuesday, March 18 and Thursday, March 20 from 4-6 p.m. For more information call Elizabeth Van Rensburg at 904-377-5044. Wedding Belles by Allan Bailey and Ronnie Claire Edwards runs from June 11 to June 15 at the Scarlett-Hill Theatre at the Larimer Arts Center. River City Players most recent production was "Leading Ladies" by Ken Ludwig, which ran from March 5-9. Watch out for these plays later in 2014: Cinderella Waltz by Dan Nigro, August 13-17, and The Importance of Being Earnest by Oscar Wilde, November 5-9.

Palatka Bike Festival, Saturday, March 22, all day in Palatka. Enjoy the natural beauty of Putnam County and sites of Palatka from forests and farmland to Historic buildings and scenic riverfront. Choose from our variety of short, medium and long rides including the Historic Homes and Murals route, the Bartram Century and Metric Century routes, the Greenway and Locks route and much, much more! Don't miss the 2014 Palatka Bicycle Festival! Cycling, it's our nature! Contact: Charles Rudd at 352-455-1180.

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CELEBRATE RECOVER
at. 7:15 pm
Dunns Creek Baptist Church
386-328-8650

CRESCENT CITY TOPS
Tues. 9 am
St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
386-698-2055 or 386-698-3080

LEE CONLEE HOUSE
Victim Advocate in Crescent City
Mon. - Thurs. 8 am - 4:30 pm
386-983-4346
24 hr hotline 386-325-3141 or 800-500-1119

QUIVANNO PROBIOTICS WORKSHOP
3rd Mon. 5:30 pm
Monahan Chiropractic Medical Clinic
905 St. Johns Ave
Palatka

SENIOR FRIENDS CENTER
Mon. 11 am Yoga
Tues. 9:15 am Line Dance
Tues. 2 - 4 pm Bingo
Wed. 1 pm Game Day
Fri. 10 - 11 am Exercise
Fri. 1 - 3 pm Bingo
Butler Bldg Conf. Room
Putnam Community Medical Center
611 Zeagler Dr – Palatka
386-328-3986

STROKE SURVIVORS OF PALATKA
Mon. & Fri. Mornings
Free Exercise Classes
Ruby 386-649-0569

T'AI CHI CLASS
Tues. 6 pm
Georgetown Community Center
386-467-7204

THE EDGAR JOHNSON SENIOR CENTER
Tues. 10 am Seniors vs Crime
Wed.1:30 pm Cane Fu Lessons
Wed. 12:30 Paint Class $7 mth
Call 386-329-0469

TOPS FLORIDA #435 Welaka
Tues. 9 am
First Baptist Church of Welaka
C. R. 309 -386-467-8935

VIOLENCE INTERVENTION & PREVENTION PROGRAM
Putnam County Health Department
386-326-3200
Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Hotline
386-325-3141 or 800-326-0919
TDD Users 800-955-8771

SOCIAL

A LADIES AROUND THE LAKE MEETING
1st & 3rd Tues. 10 am
Crafts & Covered Dish Lunch
George's Lake Community Center
114 Saratoga St, Florahome

AMERICAN LEGION POST 45
Sat. All you can eat breakfast
8 am – 11 am
Cost is $6, Palatka

AMERICAN LEGION POST 293
Sun. 5:30 pm Bingo
1st Mon. 6:30 pm Dinner Meeting
3rd Mon. 6:30 pm
Bring dish or $2
Wed. 11 am – 12:30 pm Lunch
Wed. 12:30 pm Bingo
4th Sat. 6:30 pm Aux. Scholarship Dinner
Interlachen 386-684-2188

AZALEA CITY CRUISERS
Every 4th Sat. 5 p.m.
Woody's BBQ
State Rd 19 Palatka

BASS CAPITAL VFW POST 10177
3rd Thursday, 6 pm
Crescent City Woman's Club
604 N. Summit Street Crescent City

BOY SCOUTS TROOP #42 CUB SCOUTS PACK 42
Shirley Griffin - 386-649-8640

PALATKA LIONS MEETING
1st & 3rd Mon. 7PM
318 Osceola St, Palatka

PALATKA ELKS LODGE
1st & 3rd Mon. 7 pm
Wed. Dinner 6-7:30 pm
Fri. Happy Hour 6-7:30 pm
114 South 3rd St., Palatka
386-325-5295

PUTNAM COUNTY SHRINE CLUB
Wed. 6 pm Darts/Hotdogs & Hamburgers
Yelvington Rd, East Palatka
386-325-8020

PUTNAM COUNTY TEA PARTY
Tues. 7 pm
Interlachen Library
2nd & 4th Mon. 6:30 pm
American Legion off Crill Ave.

SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL
1st Tues. 2 pm
CCJSHS, Media Center
386-698-1629

SEVILLE VIA MEETING
(Village Improvement Association)
1st Thurs. - 7 p.m.
Old Elementary School on US 17

SOUTH PUTNAM WOMAN'S CLUB
3rd Mon. 6:30 pm
Culver Room
Crescent City Public Library
386-698-3556

ST. JOHN CATHOLIC CHURCH CARD PARTY
3rd Thurs. 10 pm $4 Lunch
Hwy 20 – Interlachen

SUNDAY DINNER
1st & 2nd Sun. 11:30 am
Bass Capital Shrine Club
386-467-3102

THE HEART OF PUTNAM COALITION
3rd Thurs. – 11 am
Palatka Christian Service Center
820 Reid St – Palatka
386-328-0984

US COAST GUARD AUXILIARY MEETING
3rd Thurs. 7 pm
Men & Women needed to assist w/ homeland security & boating safety
VFW Meeting Hall
SR 100 & Palm Ave
Palatka, 684-6543

US VETERANS POST 104
Mon. One Pot Meal
Tues. 6 pm Kitchen opens
7 pm Dart League
Wed. All Day Free Pool
Thurs. 5 pm Kitchen opens
6 pm Bingo
State Rd 19 – Palatka
386-328-9133

VFW POST 3349
Mon. & Wed. 10 am - 1 pm
Selling Sandwiches
Tue. 6 pm Bingo
Wed. 1 pm Veteran's Rd Tbl
2nd Fri. 6 pm Steak Night
3201 Reid St, Palatka
386-328-2863

SPORTS

INTERLACHEN BABE RUTH LEAGUE MEETINGS
3rd Thurs. – 7pm
Lions Club Interlachen

MISCELLANEOUS

BEEKEEPERS OF PUTNAM COUNTY
3rd Tues. 5:30 pm
Putnam County
Ag Center – East Palatka
Contact Mickie
684-0902 / 904-692-4238
Beekeepersofputnamcounty.org

CRESCENT CITY YACHT CLUB
At 3 Bananas
11 S Lake St, Crescent City
2nd Fri. 7pm

VENTURE CREW SCOUTING 42
Mon. 6 pm
(only when school is in session)
Howe Memorial Methodist Church
252 S. Summit St. Crescent City
386-937-8626

CREATE! ARTISTS' GUILD OF NORTH FLORIDA
4th Sat. 10:30 am
Larimer Art Center
216 Reid St. – Palatka

CRESCENT CITY MOOSE LODGE
1st Sat. Breakfast 8-11 a.m.
1st & 3rd Mon. Chicken Dinner
2nd & 4th Mon. 4:30 pm
Spaghetti Dinner
Tues. 4:30 pm Tacos & Taco Salad
Wing Wednesday 6-9 p.m.
Thurs. 10:30 am Bingo
Sat. Night Finger Foods 6-9 p.m.
Public Invited
Fri. 5 pm Dinner, 7 Music
US 17 South Crescent City
386-649-0745

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES INTERLACHEN
Weekdays 4 pm Social Room Happy Hr.
Tues. 5 pm Hamburgers
Tues. 7 pm Bingo
State Rd 20 – Interlachen
386-684-3252

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES 4355
Sat. 8 pm Band
Sun. 4 pm Karaoke
Mon. 7:30 pm Darts
Tues. & Wed. 1 pm Pinochle
Tues. & Thurs. 6:30 pm Bingo
Wed. 5 pm Tacos
Fri. 8 pm Karaoke
110 Shrine Club Rd
Lake Como

FRUITLAND PENINSULA HISTORICAL SOCIETY
3rd Tues. 7 pm
Culver Rm., Crescent City Library 386-698-1870

GIRL SCOUTS
For girls 5-11
1st & 3rd Saturday
10 am - 12 pm
St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
Call Luz 386-559-4119

HISTORIC CENTRAL ACADEMY
3rd Mon. 5:30 pm
Preservation & Community Development Inc.
Supporters Meeting Palatka

INTERLACHEN LIONS CLUB
1st & 3rd Tues. 7pm
202 Prospect Ave
Interlachen, 386-684-2188

PALATKA AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
3rd Thurs. 7 pm
Palatka Library
601 College Rd – Palatka

PALATKA DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB
Wed. 10 am Bring lunch
521 South 13th St– Palatka
386-328-0263

PALATKA ELKS LODGE 1323
1st & 3rd Mon. 7 pm Meeting
6 pm Trustees & Committee Meeting
Wed. & Fri. 6 pm Dinner
114 South Third St, Palatka
386-325-3413

PALATKA KIWANIS CLUB
Thurs. 11:45 am Lunch
Sleep Inn & Suites
SR19 & Hwy 100 Palatka

PALATKA NEW VISION LIONS CLUB
2nd & 4th Tues. Noon
Beef O'Bradys on the River
Palatka

POMONA PARK NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH
2nd Thurs. (exc. Aug. & Dec.)
200 East Main St.

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

SUDOKU SOLUTION

5	7	6	1	9	2	4	3	8
3	9	1	7	4	8	2	6	5
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7	6	8	4	2	1	3	5	9
9	1	4	5	7	3	6	8	2
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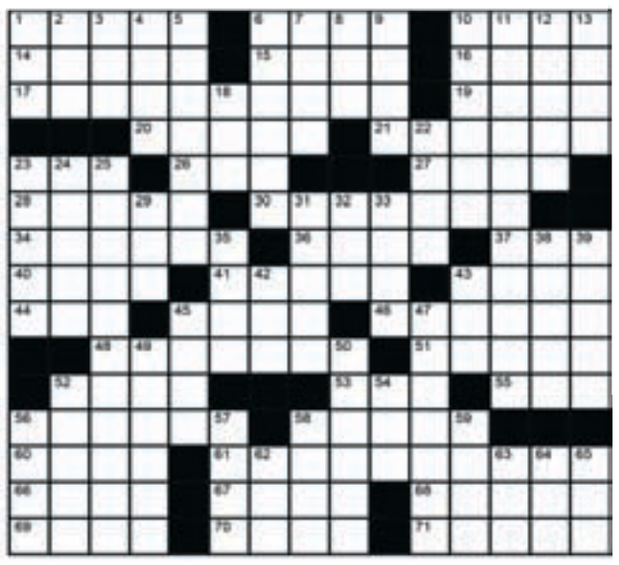
Crossword Puzzle



Across

1 Finalize the deal on your house
6 TV show set on an island
10 Eve's guy in Eden
14 How some household cleaners smell
15 One of the Great Lakes
16 Ripped
17 Houses on the market, e.g.
19 Bed size
20 Exam for future 48-Actresses
21 Embarrassing public disputes
23 Penalty caller, in football
26 Have a mortgage
27 Snakes of Egypt
28 Love, to the French
30 The ___ Stone (famed archaeological find)
34 It goes wall-to-wall in some homes
36 Christmas trees, often
37 "Uh-huh!"
40 Smooch
41 Make a logical assumption
43 Actor Sharif
44 Org. that kidnapped Patty Hearst
45 "Zip-___-Doo-Dah!"
46 "I think it's ___ say..."
48 Attorneys
51 Copenhagen residents
52 Not there
53 Ancient
55 Three, in Italy
56 Have a home
58 Blazing
60 Manning and Wallach
61 Final meeting in the house-buying process
66 Advantage
67 Follow closely
68 Was the father to
69 They cool you off in summer
70 Highfalutin'
71 Gumbo and goulash

Down

1 It saves thousands of lives yearly
2 Fib
3 ___ whim
4 Be a vendor
5 Unpleasant thing to look at, like a pile of garbage
6 Alpha, zeta, or sigma
7 "___ my father used to say..."
8 Take a chair
9 Golf pegs
10 Vouch
11 First money towards a home
12 Zodiac ram
13 Word on a public restroom door
18 Tool with teeth
22 Purring Persians, say
23 Gets the pool table ready for the next game
24 Modern message
25 You might see it in front of your dream house
29 Company with brown trucks
31 Bid
32 "Sprechen ___ Deutsch?"
33 Makes a mistake
35 Neat
38 Picky ___
39 Not poetry
42 Wedding announcement word
43 "Son ___ gun!"
45 Amazed
47 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, for the White House
49 Comes up in conversation
50 Not in a loud voice
52 ___ grudge (wouldn't forgive)
54 "___ Abner"
56 Surfing hazard
57 It is, in Spain
58 "He's ___ again!"
59 Give off
62 Body part associated with Van Gogh
63 Before
64 ___ England Patriots
65 Scores for 64-Down: abbr.

Solution is on page B2

SUDOKU

Solution is on page B2

			1		2			
3		1		4				5
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Bunny from pg. B1

loved it. Pee Wee was hopping around and eating grass like she couldn't get enough. I was so happy, then it happened, suddenly Pee Wee decided she wanted to be free, and off she went at mock speed, trying to make her escape to the nearby corn field, but she was no match for a five year old who didn't want to lose his magic rabbit. It was at this point that the attack occurred. Now when I say I was attacked, I don't mean in the usual way where the rabbit comes at you with fangs of death, No I was the first victim of a, "rabbit poo, paint ball accident." Allow me to explain. As I reached down to pick up Pee Wee I started yelling at her, "Bad rabbit, Bad Rabbit." Now I picked her up with her hind end facing me and as I was yelling at her she started blasting me with these miniature balls off poo, and to make matters worse, the paints that I had on were too big for me so the poo was going down the front of my paints and right into my boots. As I took two steps forward to walk to the house I felt this squishy sensation under my toes. I didn't know what to do so I started yelling, "Momma, I'm being attacked," and while I'm screaming to the top of my lungs, Pee Wee is steadily firing off more poo rounds into my chest and stomach area, all of which are going down my pants and into my boots.

I don't know how much Pee Wee had eaten, but let me tell you, it was a lot! After several minutes that seemed like hours my mother came running to my rescue, snatching the rabbit from my hands she started looking for bite marks, with tears in my eyes and sniffling like any five year old, I told her what had happened. Instead of getting the comfort from my mother like I expected, all I got was a hysterical laugh, as she sat me down and emptied my boots. To this day I am terrified to pick up a rabbit and with good reason, "no way will I ever be the victim of a rabbit poo paint ball fight again."

You know, I can laugh and joke around about this now but this leads me to my other point and reason for this article. Each year there are thousands of parents who buy live Easter Rabbits for their kids only to leave them caged up, forgetting all about them until one day they starve to death! The same is done with dogs and cats on birthdays and Christmas. We are on this earth to take care of it and the animals. Each year hundreds of thousands of animals are put to death because people are not responsible pet owners. Animals such as cats and dogs are only with us a short time and while they may only mean a little to you, but you mean the world to them. If you have an animal that you no longer want, please do not drop it off on the side of the road, take it to the, Humane Society of Putnam County. They are a no kill shelter. The Humane Society is not a government organization; in fact they rely on donations from local businesses and private individuals.

This weekend the Humane Society will be at the Crestwood Nursing home in Palatka from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. If you would like to donate items such as dog food, cat food, cat litter, blankets etc., you can drop donations off or make a cash donation, you can also call Cindy Wardke for more information at 386-325-1587. If you're wondering what happened to Pee Wee after she attacked me, I let her go and she roamed the farm for years and never pooed on me again. Thank you for reading my article and remember to check out our Face Book Page at www.facebook.com/putnamcountycourierjournal, we have up to the date news information and we also do the best free contest giveaways in the State. Until next week, be safe.

Trivia Night Winners

Wednesday, March 12 at 3 Bananas there were fourteen teams playing. The first place winners who received a $50 gift certificate were Phyllis & Sons. The second place team who received a $30 gift certificate was Bubbas & Floozies. The third place team who received a $20 gift certificate was Ditzy Chicks +. Carpet Baggers came in fourth and CRS Crew came in fifth. Shake & Bake won the Beer Round.

Don't delay, get a team together and play today! Trivia Night is every Wednesday at 3 Bananas, starting at 6 p.m., and new teams are always welcome.

Treats from pg. B1

them yourself! They are actually tasty!

Recipe Courtesy of thecottagemarket.com

It is so important to take care of our pets in the very best way we can, they are totally dependent upon us for their care. In coming weeks I will be featuring other pet friendly recipes and care tips that are important for all of us who have fur babies of our own.

For those of you who don't have a fur baby yet and are considering one, whether it be a dog or a cat, or even some other animal. Please consider that decision carefully; they are a full time responsibility. Even though they are only in our life for a short time, we are their whole life.

Rather than going to a pet store for a dog or a cat, PLEASE visit your local shelter or Humane Society. They have many, many loving and deserving animals just praying for a good home. Please help answer the prayer of one!!

Until next time, stay healthy!!

CLASSIFIEDS

Garage Sale

RIVER PARK BOAT CLUB and Civic Center yard sale. Fruitland. From 309 and Tennessee, follow signs to the Civic Center. Friday and Saturday 8 to 4. 3/19

Employment

DRIVERS: $5,000 Sign-On Bonus! Great Pay! Consistent Freight, Great Miles on this Regional Account. Werner Enterprises: 1-855-515-8447 3/19

Merchandise

FOR SALE: China cabinet with glass shelves and light, very good condition, asking $75. Call 386-698-2625. TFN

Real Estate For Rent

Reduced Security Deposit Amounts!!!

2 Bedroom: $250!!

3 Bedroom: $275!!

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Smith Thomas Court Apartments

849 Bay Lane
Crescent City, FL 32112

2, 3 and 4 BRs
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386-698-4300
Equal Housing Opportunity

NEW HOPE VILLAS APARTMENTS - 2BR $606/month, 3BR $666/month, 4BR $701/month. Rental assistance available for those who qualify. Call Patty at 386-749-0075. Currently running rent special. This institution is an equal opportunity provider & employer. EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY TDD PHONE1-800-955-8771 TFN

LAKEVIEW GROVE APTS. 62 or older, disabled or handicapped regardless of age, with or without children. 1 & 2 Bedroom Apartments. Central heat/air, blinds. Section 8 accepted. Rental assistance may be available for those who qualify. Call Lucretia 386-698-2513. TTD 1-800-955-8771 Equal Housing Opportunity. This institution is an equal opportunity provider & employer. TFN

OAKWOOD GROVE APTS-1, 2 & 3 Bedroom apartments. Section 8 accepted. Central heat/air, carpet, blinds, laundry on site. Call Lucretia 386-698-2513 TDD 1800-955-8771 Equal Housing Opportunity. This institution is an equal opportunity provider & employer. TFN

RENT TO OWN - Refurbished 1/1 in Quiet Adult Mobile Home Park on Lake Crescent, Boating, Fishing, Relaxing Reasonable Lot Rent. 386-698-3648 TFN

Real Estate For Sale

BEST VIEW ON THE ST. JOHNS RIVER! 3 bedrooms 2 1/2 baths. Custom built cedar sided home with large decks, dock and boat house. 100 ft. of river frontage. For more information and pictures visit www.williambartram112.com. Offered at $699,000. If interested call 706-515-5368 or email me williambartram112@gmail.com. TFN

Real Estate For Sale

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386-467-3345

CLEAR LAKE - Cleared 7+ Acres zoned AG for horses. Beautiful, peaceful, build your dream home.#682066.....$139,900

WATERFRONT Taxiway Hanger Home in Eagles Nest- 1992, 2,143 sq ft w/vaulated ceilings, 3Br/2Bath, screen porch, garage & aircraft hanger. Slopes gently to Lake Estella. #584008.....$499,000

COMMERCIAL zoned C-2 & Section of Residential zoned R-1 Vacant Land in Georgetown. Great place for new business or commercial enterprise. #655142....$49,900

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Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: CARRIER PLAT BKN P135 PT OF SE1/4 BK125 P74(EX BK187 P326)
PARCEL NUMBER 25-12-27-1270-0030-0020

Name in which assessed ROBERTS G N HEIRS OF C/O Atha Roberts.

All of said property being in the County of Putnam, State of Florida. Unless such certificate or certificates shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate or certificates will be sold to the highest bidder in the Meeting Room, located at 107 North Sixth Street, Palatka, Florida, on the 9th day of April, 2014, at 10:00 A.M.

Dated this 18th day of February, 2014

(SEAL)

TIM SMITH
CLERK, CIRCUIT COURT
PUTNAM COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: /s/ Donna Wheeler
Deputy Clerk

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Certificate Number 0387
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: CARRIER PLAT BKN P135 PT OF LOT 3 BK240 P108
PARCEL NUMBER 25-12-27-1270-0030-0070

Name in which assessed NATIONSCREDIT FINANCIAL SERVICES Corp.

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Certificate Number 1203
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: CRESCENT SHORES HEIGHTS MB5 P30 BLK 1 LOT 7
PARCEL NUMBER 02-12-27-1829-0010-0070

Name in which assessed RIVIERA LAND CORP.

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Certificate Number 1352
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: CRESCENT SHORES HEIGHTS UNIT 1 MB5 P45 VACATED BY RESOLUTION 96-151 BLK 1 TRACT 8 + N'LY 33FT OF STARDUST BLVD LYING E'LY OF LAKE SHORE DR
PARCEL NUMBER 06-13-28-1830-0000-0001

Name in which assessed RIVIERA LAND CORP.

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Certificate Number 1393
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: CRESCENT SHORES HEIGHTS UNIT 1 MB5 P45 BLK 4 TRACT 1 + THAT PORTION OF STARDUST BLVD AS VACATED BY RES 96-151 RECORDED IN OR717 P333 THAT LIES N'LY OF TRACT 1
PARCEL NUMBER 06-13-28-1830-0040-0011

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Certificate Number 1393
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: CRESCENT SHORES HEIGHTS UNIT 1 MB5 P45 BLK 4 TRACT 1 + THAT PORTION OF STARDUST BLVD AS VACATED BY RES 96-151 RECORDED IN OR717 P333 THAT LIES N'LY OF TRACT 1
PARCEL NUMBER 06-13-28-1830-0040-0011

Name in which assessed RIVIERA LAND CORP.

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Certificate Number 1203
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: CRESCENT SHORES HEIGHTS MB5 P30 BLK 1 LOT 7
PARCEL NUMBER 02-12-27-1829-0010-0070

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Certificate Number 8709
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: C A MERWINS S/D MB2 P20 BLK 2 LOTS 6 + 7
PARCEL NUMBER 05-10-27-5770-0020-0070

Name in which assessed MARQUIS FINANCIAL GROUP INC.

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Certificate Number 1398
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: CRESCENT SHORES HEIGHTS UNIT 1 MB5 P45 BLK 4 TRACT 10
PARCEL NUMBER 07-13-28-1830-0040-0101

Name in which assessed RIVIERA LAND CORP.

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Certificate Number 1967
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: GANAS S/D BK233 P284 BLK B LOTS 6 7 8 17 18 19 & PT OF ADJ CLOSED VERNAL AV OR889 P1156
PARCEL NUMBER 10-10-26-2870-0020-0060

Name in which assessed CARL CHILDRENS TRUST (THE) C/O Yupayao Carl+r Mitchell Trsts.

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Certificate Number 2864
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: INTERLACHEN LAKES ESTS UNIT 7 MB4 P117 BLK 13 LOTS 6 7 + 8
PARCEL NUMBER 16-10-24-4066-0130-0060

Name in which assessed G + G PROPERTY INVESTMENTS LLC.

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Certificate Number 9241
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: DICKS MAP OF PALATKA MB2 P46 BLK 34 LOT 2 (EX THE E'LY 10FT OR435 P1703)
PARCEL NUMBER 42-10-27-6850-0340-0020

Name in which assessed COLEMAN ME + SHIELDS D + DALLAS C.

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Certificate Number A856
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: PLANTATION PINES II WHISPERING PINES SEC MB5 P80 LOT 49
PARCEL NUMBER 05-13-27-7225-0000-0490

Name in which assessed VERONA V LLC.

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Certificate Number D323
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: SUNNIHITES MB3 P30 BLK 2 LOTS 8 9 10
PARCEL NUMBER 14-10-26-8850-0020-0080

Name in which assessed MOORE ARKLE D + ROBBIETTA.

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Certificate Number F414
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: PT OF S1/2 OF NE1/4 OF SW1/4 OF NE1/4 BK183 P102
PARCEL NUMBER 13-09-27-0000-0060-0010

Name in which assessed NEW HOPE FREEWILL BAPTIST C/O Christ Temple Of God Inc.

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Certificate Number G811
Year of Issuance 2010

Description of Property: PT OF SE 1/4 OF SW 1/4 OR 267 P 357 (LOT 6 + PT OF LOT 5) (EX OR564 P1639)
PARCEL NUMBER 02-11-23-0000-0182-0050

Name in which assessed IVIE TARA.

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Certificate Number 00266
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: BECKS S/D OF HUSSONS ADD MB2 P22 BLK 2 N1/2 OF LOTS 14 15
PARCEL NUMBER 12-10-26-0520-0020-0140

Name in which assessed BARBER NADINE BARBARA.

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Certificate Number 13417
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: ROWTONS S/D MB1 P109 PT OF LOT 6 OR253 P51 (EX OR268 P426 RD)
PARCEL NUMBER 14-10-26-8070-0060-0080

Name in which assessed JONES WILLA MARIE.

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Certificate Number 14719
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: ST JOHNS RIVERSIDE ESTATES MARINA SECTION MB5 P6 BLK 12 LOT 6 (MAP SHEET 31/43A) + ST JOHNS RIVERSIDE ESTATES HOOT OWL RIDGE 1ST ADD MB5 P18-B BLK 6 BOAT SLIP #172 OR309 P937
PARCEL NUMBER 43-10-27-8251-0120-0060

Name in which assessed PICKARD E L + MARIE G.

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Certificate Number 15065
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: STAR LAKE FOREST UNIT 3 MB6 P6 LOT 49 (MAP SHEET 19E)
PARCEL NUMBER 19-11-23-8802-0000-0490

Name in which assessed SIMPSON WILFRED KEENE.

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Certificate Number 16038
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: WELAKA VILLAGE UNIT 1 MB6 P83 LOT 55
PARCEL NUMBER 03-12-26-9240-0000-0550

Name in which assessed SHAKUR DANNY + JERRY SHAKUR.

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Certificate Number 16043
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: WELAKA VILLAGE UNIT 1 MB6 P83 LOT 61
PARCEL NUMBER 03-12-26-9240-0000-0610

Name in which assessed SHAKUR DANNY + JERRY SHAKUR.

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Certificate Number 16636
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: LOTS 3 + 4 (EX BK221 P357 OR22 P414 OR32 P367 OR105 PP186 + 187 OR262 P5 OR367 P1752 OR341 P1976 OR377 P1381 OR378 P392 OR379 P408 OR395 P477 OR529 PP 838 840 842 1604)(ALSO EX THAT PT OF S1/2 OF SE1/4 LYING SOUTH OF TINSLEY RD AS DESCRIB ED IN OR516 P1601) (EX OR766 P770)
PARCEL NUMBER 24-08-24-0000-0050-0000

Name in which assessed TINSLEY DOROTHY J.

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Certificate Number 17208
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: PT OF S1/2 OF GOVT LOT 10 BK218 P91(EX OR493 P623 OR955 P1820)
PARCEL NUMBER 34-09-24-0000-0060-0000

Name in which assessed HENLEY WILLIAM C.

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Certificate Number 17278
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: PT OF NE1/4 OF SE1/4 OR583 P543 (LOT 1-18)
PARCEL NUMBER 18-09-26-0000-0020-0031

Name in which assessed GLISSON LAWANNA.

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Certificate Number 17471
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: PT OF GOVT LOT 7 OR1231 P1654
PARCEL NUMBER 16-09-27-0000-0020-0050

Name in which assessed ALLEN JACK W + BETTY L H/W.

All of said property being in the County of Putnam, State of Florida. Unless such certificate or certificates shall be redeemed according to law the property described in such certificate or certificates will be sold to the highest bidder in the Meeting Room, located at 107 North Sixth Street, Palatka, Florida, on the 9th day of April, 2014, at 10:00 A.M.

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Certificate Number 17711
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: PT OF SE1/4 OF SW1/4 OR469 P628 (BLK A LOT 5)
PARCEL NUMBER 15-10-23-0000-0031-0050

Name in which assessed ADDERLY WELLINGTON + DAVID.

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Certificate Number 17753
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: PT OF GOVT LOT 3 OR446 P153 (PARCEL 30)
PARCEL NUMBER 16-10-23-0000-0051-0300

Name in which assessed KENNEDY VIRGINIA ROBBINS.

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Certificate Number 17779
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: PT OF GOVT LOT 7 OR1231 P1654
PARCEL NUMBER 16-09-27-0000-0020-0050

Name in which assessed ALLEN JACK W + BETTY L H/W.

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Certificate Number 18080
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: PT OF NW1/4 OF SW1/4 OR470 P1033 (LOT 8 LAKE MIRROR FOREST UNREC)
PARCEL NUMBER 11-10-24-0000-0150-0080

Name in which assessed TORRES JOSEPH L + MONICA H/W.

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Certificate Number 18152
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: PT OF NE1/4 OF NW1/4 OR645 P85 (LOTS 15A + 16A)
PARCEL NUMBER 24-10-24-0000-0030-0151

Name in which assessed NEW YORK ADVISORY GROUP INC.

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Certificate Number 18323
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: PT OF NE 1/4 OF NW 1/4 OR 50 P 639, OR 52 P 22
PARCEL NUMBER 01-10-26-0000-0382-0000

Name in which assessed MOSLEY CLEMMIE.

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Certificate Number 18480
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: PT OF W1/2 OF SE1/4 BK71 P370 BK69 P552 BK102 P414 (EX OR274 P179 OR295 P553 OR324 P599 OR328 P1897 OR333 P1981 OR340 P1796 OR341 P131 OR342 P299 OR350 P213 OR353 P1265 OR355 P255 OR359 PP729 752 OR361P975 OR377 P471 OR382 P955 OR386 P1130 OR391 P1621 OR408 P1261 OR409 P1504 OR428 P1656 OR447 P1500 OR460 P695 OR461 P1607 OR476 P448 OR520 P20 OR556 P1082) (SUBJECT TO FPL ESMT BK237 P229)
PARCEL NUMBER 14-10-26-0000-0810-0000

Name in which assessed BROTHERS WILLIAM E + KATHLEEN J H/W.

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Certificate Number 18490
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: 14-10-26 PT OF NW 1/4 OF SW 1/4 OR 190 P 435
PARCEL NUMBER 14-10-26-0000-0992-0000

Name in which assessed KITE LINDA GAIL.

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Certificate Number 18779
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: W1/2 OF W1/2 OF W1/2 OF E1/2 OF NE1/4 OF SE1/4(EX OR566 P1604 OR831 P1826)
PARCEL NUMBER 05-10-27-0000-0600-0000

Name in which assessed ATKINS JOHN L HEIRS OF.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that TC TAMPA 1 LLC the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number and year of issuance, the description of the property, and the names in which it was assessed are as follows:

Certificate Number 18844
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: PT OF GOVT LOT 10 OR273 P60 (MAP SHEET 21/39D/48A)
PARCEL NUMBER 21-10-27-0000-0780-0050

Name in which assessed WOLFE MIKEAL H + JANE E H/W.

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Certificate Number 18849
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property:
PT OF GOVT LOT 10 E OF RIVER BK18 P1 BKJ P583(EX OR659 P461 OR672 P677) (MAP SHEET 21/39D/48A)
PARCEL NUMBER 21-10-27-0000-0890-0000

Name in which assessed MAXWELL CALVIN L + RACHEL G H/W.

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Certificate Number 19056
Year of Issuance 2011

Description of Property: PT OF GOVT LOT 22 OR334 P1418 OR357 P573 LOTS 602 603 604 605 NWF BREAM LAKE (MAP SHEET 6W)
PARCEL NUMBER 06-11-23-0000-0220-0370

Name in which assessed HOFFNER CURT E SR+MARLETTE H/W ETAL C/O Curt+marlette+dorothy Hoffner.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

PRECISION TOWING & RECOVERY, LLC gives Notice of Foreclosure of Lien and intent to sell these vehicles on April 4, 2014, 10:00 am at 3816 REID ST PALATKA, FL 32177-2525, pursuant to subsection 713.78 of the Florida Statutes. PRECISION TOWING & RECOVERY, LLC reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.

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CRESCENT CITY TOWING gives Notice of Foreclosure of Lien and intent to sell these vehicles on April 9, 2014, 10:00 am at 2620 HWY 17 S. CRESCENT CITY, FL 32112, pursuant to subsection 713.78 of the Florida Statutes. CRESCENT CITY TOWING reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Town of Pomona Park Town Council will conduct a public hearing in the Town Hall Council Chambers, located at 1775 Highway 17 South, Pomona Park, Florida, on Tuesday, March 25, 2014 at 9:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard. At the hearing, the Council will consider adopting a Resolution titled as follows:

RESOLUTION 2014-6

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF POMONA PARK, PUTNAM COUNTY, FLORIDA, ADOPTING AN AMENDED BUDGET FOR THE TOWN OF POMONA PARK, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING OCTOBER 1, 2013 AND ENDING S E P - TEMBER 30, 2014; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

If the Town Council acts on this request at this meeting, then a public hearing will then be held by the Town Council on Tuesday, April 8, 2014, at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard. This hearing will also be held in the Town Hall Council Chambers, located at 1775 Highway 17 South, Pomona Park, Florida.

A copy of the proposed resolution is available for review in the office of Town Clerk located at 1775 Highway 17 S, Pomona Park, Florida during normal business hours. You may also contact staff at (386) 649-4902 for further information.

All interested persons wishing to speak on behalf of or in opposition to this request will be heard at the above stated place and time. Persons with disabilities requiring accommodations in order to participate should contact Cindy Hair at 386-649-4902 at least 24 hours in advance to request such accommodations.

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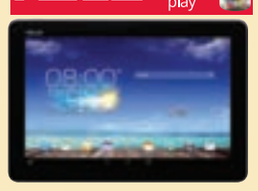

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