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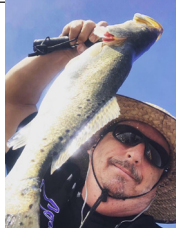
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WHAT A CATCH!

This tarpon was caught in local waters by this ace fisherman



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A quick cool down



Sevin Bullwinkle/staff photographer

The 'Teddy Bear Party', held at Lawnwood Regional Medical Center and Heart Institute on Saturday, April 27, provided children and parents the opportunity to tour the facility to help ease anxiety should they need to be admitted as patients. Each child received a bear to accompany them during their tour. In addition to rock painting, a bounce house, snacks, dancing, music and face painting, there was also the opportunity to look over a St. Lucie County firetruck, ambulance and helicopter, and talk to technicians that make them work. Here, St. Lucie Air Rescue Flight Paramedic Rob Newman saves three-year-old Anthony Dieujuste from a love bug.

FPUA updating security

Board gets results on security assessment and amends contract to include writing bid for surveillance equipment

By Donald Rodrigue
For Hometown News

FORT PIERCE – The Fort Pierce Utility Authority voted unanimously April 16 to amend its \$107,900 Security Assessment Services Contract by an additional \$37,300 for assistance in writing a bid for video surveillance equipment after hearing the results of its security assessment by the Burns & McDonnell Engineering Company.

Director of Electric and Gas Systems Paul Jakubczak told Board members his staff decided in 2018 to have the Kansas City-based consultant conduct an assessment to ensure the utility lined up with

current security regulations of the Department of Environmental Protection, the Department of Homeland Security, the North American Electric Reliability Corporation and others.

"Last year we decided to do a security assessment and checkup for Fort Pierce Utilities Authority to make sure we're in compliance with the latest standards and provide the best, safest place to work for our employees while protecting the assets of our customer/owners," he said. "It was a very comprehensive survey we worked on with our staff and these experts. We did physical inspections of all FPUA's locations, and we did a comparison with the aforementioned standards to make sure that we were compliant."

Burns & McDonnell completed the final version of its assessment report in February after meeting with all department heads and conducting site reviews of all FPUA facilities. During those visits, they examined the utility's intrusion detection sys-

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Owner gets code violation reprieve

Code Enforcement Board recommends owner of unpermitted carport seek waiver from Adjustment Board

By Donald Rodrigue
For Hometown News

FORT PIERCE – The St. Lucie County Code Enforcement Board gave a homeowner here a 90-day reprieve from sanctions on his unpermitted carport so he can attempt to seek a waiver from the Board of Adjustment of the 25-foot setback requirement.

Code Enforcement Officer Mirlande Moise presented the case to Board members May 1, saying she first noticed the unapproved structure last fall.

"I am submitting one photo dated Oct. 25, 2018, which shows the carport, one photo dated April 19, 2019 and one photo dated April 29, 2019," she said. "On my first inspection, I found the property located at 4751 San Diego Ave. in violation of Section 11.05.01 to obtain a permit for the carport. I issued a letter and gave a compliance date of Nov. 8, 2018. After getting no compliance, a certified notice to appear for the May 1, 2019 Code Enforcement Board was issued. I have had contact with the owner, who cannot get a permit because the carport does not meet setbacks."

The property owner, Ulysses Neal Sr., told the Board he erected the carport adjacent to the front door of his home to protect his disabled wife from the elements as she entered and exited their vehicle. Mr. Neal was accompanied by a couple of friends who spoke on his behalf, including Charlie Frank Matthews, the deputy secretary of the Fort Pierce Utilities Authority. Mr. Matthews

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Community calendar

FRIDAY, MAY 10

• **Coffee with the Mayor:** Join this informative update from Port St. Lucie's Mayor Greg Oravec. The mayor will join St. Lucie County Chamber of Commerce President/CEO Terissa Aronson to talk about the latest happenings in the City of Port St. Lucie. The talk will take place at City Hall, located at 121 SW Port St Lucie Boulevard in Port St. Lucie. The event is held the second Friday of every month, is free, open to both Chamber of Commerce members and non-members. Bring your questions and ideas. *For more information, call (772) 871-5225 or visit www.cityofpsl.com.*

• **Lunch and Learn: Recycling Revisted:** The Manatee Observation & Education Center, located at 480 N Indian River Drive in Fort Pierce will host Ally Berry from St Lucie County's single stream recycling center to learn all about the recycling process. This program takes place at 12 p.m. on Friday, May 10. *For more information, call (772) 429-6266 or visit www.manateeeducationcenter.org*

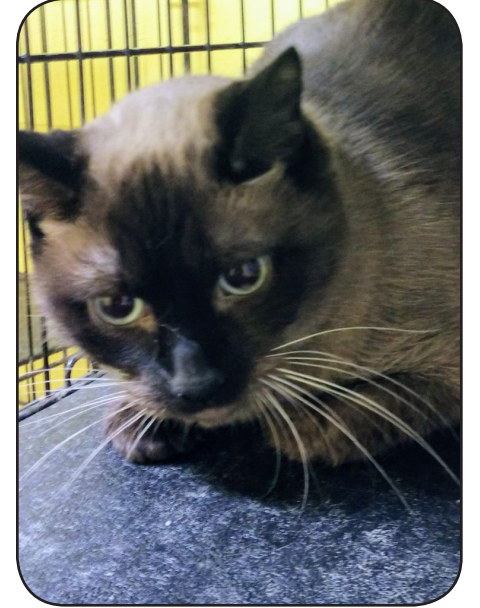
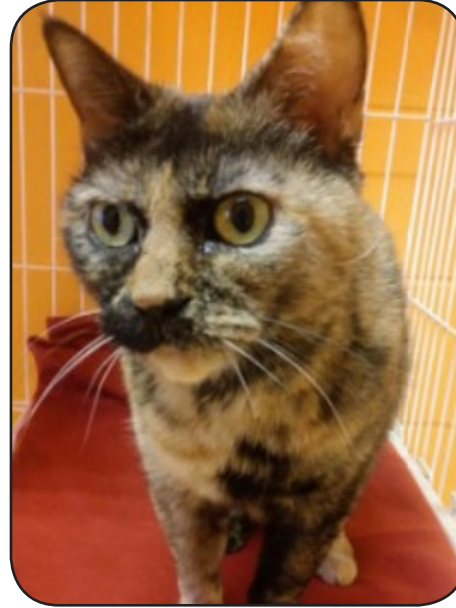
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• **Spring Festival 2019:** Master Gardener Fall Plant Sale will take place on Saturday May 11th 8 am - 2 pm at 8400 Picos Road in Fort Pierce. Plant Vendors, Horticulture Merchants, Plant Fashion Show, Taste of the Tropics and Garden Tours will be available. *For more information, call 772-462-1660 or visit www.stlucie.ifas.ufl.edu.*

• **The Osprey Trail Run:** The Osprey Trail Run offers a unique experience inside the 94-acre George LeStrange Preserve in Fort Pierce, Florida. This loop-based race takes runners around a beautiful lake, along Ten Mile Creek, and through various terrain that includes technical single track winding trails, hard packed gravel, beautiful oak lined hammocks, oxbows, hills and low lying flatlands. All proceeds from the run support the annual Earth Day festival at the Oxbow Eco-Center for environmental conservation, education and sustainability. Distances will include 8k, 25k and a Free Kids' Run. The run will take place Saturday, May 11 at 7:30 a.m. at 4911 Ralls Drive in Fort Pierce. *For more information and registration, visit www.runtheosprey.com*

• **Sgt. Stubby: An American Hero:** Morningside Branch Library, located at 2410 SE Morningside Boulevard in Port St. Lucie will pay tribute to a unique war hero as part of its Movie Matinee on Saturday, May 11 at 2 p.m. with a showing of "Sgt. Stubby: An American Hero." Featuring the voices of Logan Lerman and Gérard Depardieu, this animated feature is based on the true story of a stray dog who joins his new master on the battlefields of the First World War. For his valorous actions, Sgt. Stubby is still recognized as the most decorated dog in American history. With a running time of 84 minutes, this movie is rated PG. *For more information about Morningside Library events, call 772-337-5632 or visit www.stlucieco.gov/Library.*

• **Star Wars Day:** Join the St. Lucie Mets
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Meet Pasha (left)



I'm a nine-year-old declawed tortie who needs a special home. I'm very tolerant of other felines and I'm wonderful with people. I do, however, have asthma and I would need a steroid shot every two to three months. I don't want to spend my life away from what I want most—a loving family. My adoption fee is paid so meet me today.

Meet Kamiko (Right)

I am Siamese, if you please. I'm a mature girl who's looking for a quiet family. I'll happily watch TV with you on the couch or snuggle with you in bed. I only want to be near you and love you. My guardian angel has paid my adoption fee, so meet me and let's begin our life together.

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Residents asked to move more

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ST. LUCIE COUNTY – Join the County vs. County Challenge! St. Lucie County residents have been challenged by four other counties from across the nation to a fitness challenge, County vs County: Across the Mediterranean, to see who can log the highest average number of steps. The challenge runs May 1 to June 11, 2019. Counties taking part in the competition are Ventura County, California, McHenry

County, Illinois, Orange County, Florida, and Chester County, Pennsylvania. The race will take participants through amazing locations in the Mediterranean including through Athens, Greece and Morocco via a virtual map on a platform called, Walker Tracker. Walker Tracker, the web-based application used for the Healthy St. Lucie Billion Steps Challenge, has organized the challenge to see who will win bragging rights as the winning County.

“The Billion Steps Challenge is a physical activity campaign designed by the Healthy

St. Lucie Coalition to address adult sedentary rates in St. Lucie County. Our adult sedentary rates of 30.5%*, exceeds the state average. The national physical activity guidelines recommend that adults have at least 150 minutes of moderate physical activity every week. Join with us and I encourage residents to take advantage of this FREE 6-week challenge to move more, improve your health, and let’s just do it, win the national contest!” said Clint Sperber, Health Officer and Administrator for the Florida Department of Health in St. Lucie

County.

Residents wanting to help St. Lucie go for the win need to sign up for the Healthy St. Lucie Billion Steps Challenge at <https://healthystlucie.walkertracker.com/>. If you are currently participating in the Healthy St. Lucie Billion Steps Challenge, you are automatically enrolled as a St. Lucie County teammate for the Mediterranean Challenge.

For more information, please visit www.stluciecountyhealth.com.

Security

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tems, lighting, fencing standards, video surveillance systems and City of Fort Pierce requirements, among others. The utility has already begun implementing some of the consultant’s recommended changes.

“Some of the recommendations were fixing the barbed wire, redoing our video surveillance system, standardizing our cardkey access system, tree and vegetation management around our properties and standardizing a locking policy through FPUA facilities,” Mr. Jakubczak explained. “We’ve completed some of the upgrades to the cardkey system out at the Energy Services Center. We’re also deploying this at the admin offices on Boston and 6th; we’re working on upgrading some of our fencing and repairing our barbed wire; and we’re also looking at the possibility of obtaining some variances from the city in some of the FPRA areas they restrict the use

of barbed wire.”

In order to tackle the big-ticket item, an upgrade to the FPUA video surveillance system, Mr. Jakubczak requested the Board increase the overall Burns & McDonald contract to \$145,200 to cover the cost of the consultant’s help in writing a competitive bid request for the system.

They would work with FPUA staff and develop a scope for a RFP [request for proposal],” he said. “They’ll develop the RFP using industry standards and the previously mentioned security analysis that they just completed. They’re going to help review all the responses and make a recommendation to us of what they believe is the best fit for FPUA. They’re also going to provide implementation support for that, so they’re going to make sure that the selected vendor does what they say they’re going to do.”

Board Member Daniel DeJulio, however, wanted assurances that FPUA was getting the best deal on the consulting job as well.

“As an alternative to basically do not approve to go out to bid, would there be any

advantage to going out to bid for something like this?” he asked.

Mr. Jakubczak explained that Burns & McDonald had already conducted the site visits under its current contract and that simply amending it would most likely be less expensive than any potential consulting contracts arising from a new bidding process.

“Burns & McDonald did all the walk-throughs of all the facilities with all the FPUA personnel, so all that would have to be reproduced again,” he said, referring to any potential new consultant. “One of the things that was mentioned in the first meeting was to think like you’re a criminal and find locations that are not adequately safe for our employees and our equipment, and they did that through their process and procedures. So, we could go out [to bid], but I believe the cost is going to be more expensive than the amendment.”

Board Member Linda Hudson wanted to ensure any security upgrades would include safeguards to the city’s potable water system from potential terrorist threats.

“Is there security in here for intrusion into

the water system for somebody who wanted to do something really terrible to our water system or something like that?” she asked.

“What we’re looking at on some of those is maybe intrusion detection on doors, so when a door opens up, it automatically alerts the control room,” Mr. Jakubczak replied. “We’re looking at something similar to that in the substations. So, any location that is specified as an inherent risk is one of those where we’ll look at what the best remedy is to protect it.”

Ms. Hudson then affirmed that the new security measures would benefit the general public as well as the FPUA.

“The security is also a security for our customers, as well as our employees and our assets,” she said.

“That is correct,” Mr. Jakubczak concurred.

Mayor Hudson subsequently made the motion to approve the budget transfer request for \$37,300 and approve the first amendment to the Security Assessment Services Contract, which was seconded by Board Member Glyn-da Cavalcanti and passed unanimously.

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Hepatitis A vaccines encouraged

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ST. LUCIE COUNTY – The Health Department in St. Lucie County is urging good handwashing and vaccination to stop the spread of Hepatitis A in the community. Several Florida counties are experiencing increases in Hepatitis A among drug users, homeless persons, men who have sex with men, and other persons who have contact with infected persons. Since January 2018 there have been more than 1,500 confirmed cases of Hepatitis A statewide. The Florida Department of Health considers a community “high risk” with five or more cases of active transmission within the last 50 days within a high-risk group. To date, the Health Department has confirmed seven cases of Hepatitis A in St. Lucie County.

Vaccination is the best way to prevent Hepatitis A. The Hepatitis A vaccine is available at many health care provider’s offices, pharmacies, and the County Health Departments. The Florida Department of Health in St. Lucie



County (DOH-St. Lucie) is offering the Hepatitis A vaccine free of charge for uninsured or underinsured adults (ages 19 and older) by calling: 772-462-3800 for an appointment Monday – Friday, 8:30am – 4:30 pm at 5150 NW Milner Drive Port St Lucie. DOH-St. Lucie is also partnering and hosting several outreach events. For more information on specific dates and locations, please call 772-

462-3883.

The Department of Health continues to work collectively within our community and in doing so:

- We have distributed information to health care providers about the hepatitis A outbreak and about the importance of vaccinating patients at high risk.

- We are working closely with community stakeholders to facilitate, educate and vaccinate persons at high risk for hepatitis A, who don’t have a medical home.

- We are working in concert with the St. Lucie County jail’s, Wexford Health Services offering Hepatitis A vaccinations to inmates on a voluntary basis. All inmates entering the jail are offered screening for contagious diseases. Each inmate is provided education on different communicable diseases such as blood borne pathogens, Hepatitis A, STDs and other ailments. As part of the history and physical exam that occurs within the first 10 days of incarceration, they are offered the Hepatitis A vaccination along with other voluntary testing or vaccinations contractually

agreed upon with the health department. The services are offered, but the inmate has a right to refuse medical care.

General Information:

Hepatitis A is a vaccine-preventable liver disease. Hepatitis A is transmitted from person to person by ingesting the virus from objects, food, or drinks contaminated by small, undetected amounts of stool from an infected person. Hepatitis A can also spread from close personal contact with an infected person such as through sex or caring for someone who is ill. Most people who get hepatitis A feel sick for several weeks, but they usually recover completely and do not have lasting liver damage. In rare cases, hepatitis A can cause liver failure and death; this is more common in people older than 50 and in people with other liver diseases. Anyone experiencing symptoms of Hepatitis A should contact their healthcare provider for evaluation and testing.

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Police report

Editor's note: This is a list of arrests, not convictions, and all arrestees are presumed innocent unless or until proven guilty in a court of law.

Fort Pierce Police Department

Michael Wyche, 51, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 12 and charged with possession of cocaine, possession of marijuana under 20 grams, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Fredrick Brown, 32, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 18 and charged with driving while license suspended with knowledge (3rd or subsequent offense).

Anthony Burns, 34, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 23 and charged with tampering with/fabricating physical evidence, and possession of marijuana under 20 grams.

Larenz Sparkman, 19, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 24 and charged with possession of a controlled substance, possession of marijuana under 20 grams, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Jakeem King, 16, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 29 and charged with grand theft of a motor vehicle, fleeing/eluding law enforcement at high speed, resisting officer without violence, and resisting officer as fleeing/eluding law enforcement officer with light/siren active.

Port St. Lucie Police Department

Andy Ramdat, 20, was arrested in Port St. Lucie on April 26 and charged with carrying a concealed firearm.

Carly Piotrkiewicz, 25, was arrested in Port St. Lucie on April 26 and charged with burglary with assault or battery.

Trevor Arrington, 22, was arrested in Port St. Lucie on April 27 and charged with possession of marijuana over 20 grams.

Kyle Hazellief, 23, was arrested in Port St. Lucie on April 27 and charged with felony battery by strangulation as domestic violence.

Aben Johnson, 15, was arrested in Port St. Lucie on April 28 and charged with grand theft of a motor vehicle.

Steve Pierre, 18, was arrested in Port St. Lucie on April 29 and charged with possession of marijuana over 20 grams.

Angela Lobosco, 53, was arrested in Port St. Lucie on April 29 and charged with aggravated battery.

Robert Agri, 18, was arrested in Port St. Lucie on May 1 and charged with burglary of an unoccupied conveyance unarmed.

Daylyn Fernandez, 17, was arrested in Port St. Lucie on May 1 and charged with unlawful possession of firearm by person under 18 years of age.

Josie Heath, 39, was arrested in Port St. Lucie on May 2 and charged with driving while license suspend (3rd or subsequent offense).

Michael Fontana, 30, was arrested in Port St. Lucie on May 3 and charged with tampering with/fabricating physical evidence.

St. Lucie County Sheriff's Office

Melissa Hastings, 37, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 26 and charged with posses-

sion of a controlled substance, driving under the influence, resisting officer without violence, and escape.

Britney Wilson, 28, of Port St. Lucie, was arrested April 26 and charged with possession of cocaine, and possession of a controlled substance.

Steven Wilson, 35, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 26 and charged with possession of a controlled substance.

Evan Morris, 26, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 27 and charged with possession of a controlled substance, possession of marijuana under 20 grams, and driving under the influence.

Rodolfo Nunez, 54, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 28 and charged with driving while license suspended/revoked (subsequent offense), failure to register a motor vehicle, failure to maintain motor vehicle liability insurance, and attached tag not assigned to vehicle.

Felix Douglas, 36, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 28 and charged with possession of a controlled substance.

Antonio Papa George, 31, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 29 and charged with possession of a controlled substance, possession of marijuana under 20 grams, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Dianna Brown, 43, of Port St. Lucie, was arrested April 29 and charged with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon without intent to kill, and battery.

Alexis Jones, 19, of Port St. Lucie, was arrested April 30 and charged with battery on a law enforcement officer/firefighter/EMT.

Collin Parmelee, 18, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 30 and charged with posses-

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sion of a controlled substance.

Shirona Ward, 32, of Fort Pierce, was arrested April 30 and charged with cruelty towards child as abuse without great bodily harm.

Shannon Pittman, 32, of Fort Pierce, was arrested May 1 and charged with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon without intent to kill, burglary of an occupied conveyance unarmed, grand theft of a firearm, and child neglect without great bodily harm.

Gary Brown, 23, of Fort Pierce, was arrested May 2 and charged with possession of cocaine, resisting officer without violence, and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Larry King, 41, of Fort Pierce, was arrested May 2 and charged with possession of marijuana with intent to sell/manufacture/deliver.

Alexis Jones, 19, of Port St. Lucie, was arrested May 2 and charged with battery on a law enforcement officer/firefighter/EMT, and battery.

Tasha German, 34, of Fort Pierce, was arrested May 2 and charged with felony battery (2nd or subsequent offense), and cruelty towards child as abuse without great bodily harm.

Kyle Childers, 31, of Port St. Lucie, was arrested May 2 and charged with aggravated battery with a deadly weapon.

Layton Hodges, 27, (address redacted), was arrested May 2 and charged with aggravated battery – offender knew/should have known victim is pregnant.

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Rants & Raves

Got something to say?

Email the Hometown Rants & Raves at

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The Rants and Raves section provides a chance for readers to share their thoughts with other readers. The opinions included are not those of Hometown News or its employees.

Please limit your submissions to 250 words, so that we can include more entries. Readers are asked to refrain from making slanderous or libelous statements.

Cars on sidewalks also a burden

My husband was a bike rider until a health issue caused him to stop. He agrees wholeheartedly that both bikers and walkers should share the sidewalk.

The sidewalk is a municipal property and owned from the municipality. He also has a valid concern for cars that are parked on sidewalks. He remembers trying to ride by a car that was on a sidewalk and it was very difficult. He would get on the grass and try not to upset it. I also have an issue with cars on sidewalks when I'm walking or pushing a stroller.

The municipality, I'm sure, has an ordinance against cars being parked on sidewalks. Cars parking either on or partial on sidewalks are a hazard.

Texting and driving needs steeper fines

I am glad that the Florida legislator is finally doing something to discourage texting and driving. However, a \$30 fine for the first offense is a joke. I doubt this will discourage anyone from texting and driving.

However, in my opinion, a suspended license for a month for the first offense, three months for the second, will. When I was learned to drive, I was told that if you take your eyes off the road for even two seconds you can have an accident.

If you get an important text message, simply pull the car over. If the people who text and drive don't care about themselves that's fine, but please don't take myself or my family with you.

RE: Christianity and women's rights

I would like to make a comment about the submission titled: "Christianity and women's rights".

My comment is one word: Amen.

This person makes the claim that there is no scientific evidence that the God of the Bible

ever existed and that Christianity has never helped women further their independence and instead done terrible things to them over thousands of years.

First, contrary to popular opinion, modern science has not ruled out the existence of the God of scripture. To the contrary the evidence makes it more and more clear that we are here as a result of God's special creation rather than by some chance. The Bible itself contains nothing scientifically absurd but actually anticipates some of the discoveries of modern science. The truths about God and His creation that are revealed in scripture can still stand up to the most rigorous scientific questioning. No need to be ignorant about this.

Second, Christianity recognizes the value of women, because women are made in God's image and likeness as well as men. A Biblical worldview acknowledges we must speak out against injustices concerning women. And certainly there have been injustices down through the years, shamefully in the name of Christianity by some, even though a proper understanding of Christian scripture would not support such treatment. However, apart from an accurate Biblical understanding, although sincere, may lead to chaos and hostility between both male and female.

Where are the ducks?

Is someone running a special on roast duckling, duck on the barbie or duck salad?

There used to be over 200 ducks at the park, now you do well if you count 15. Every week you could see a new bunch of babies running with their mother, now you never see any new babies at all.

Even the seven white king ducks that were there and one we called "Broken Beak" are not there.

Ducks are nasty and dirty, but you can at least feed them by hand or walk with them. I'm just wondering what happened to them.

Florida driver's are the worst

Although we are transplants from up north for three years now, we have lived all over these U.S. and have to say: Florida has the world's

Making sure she's OK



Sevin Bullwinkle/staff photographer

The 'Teddy Bear Party', held at Lawnwood Regional Medical Center and Heart Institute on Saturday, April 27, provided children and parents the opportunity to tour the facility to help ease anxiety should they need to be admitted as patients. Here, four-year-old Emma Dawson acts as the injured, tended to by three-year-old Conner Koblegard, guided by St. Lucie County Firefighter Paramedic Vince Randolph.

worse drivers.

What's the matter with you people? You sit at green lights, that have turned from red, and sit, and sit and daydream. All the cars behind you who are patiently waiting for you to move the turn, are getting upset that you are so inconsiderate. What do you do, fall asleep while waiting for the light to change? Is it so much effort to keep an eye on the red arrow and wait for your turn to move, not just sit there? Then, when you finally move, they only to let two or three cars behind you get through the light. The rest of us have to wait for the light to cycle again.

Aside from the fact there are so many more drivers here this time of year, due to all the snow birds, we full time residents are being punished for this. Why not pay attention to what is going on? Is it such an effort?

This is not the only problem here. Some drivers cut in lanes in front of other people, nearly causing wrecks and act as nothing is wrong. Perhaps they all need to go to a refresher course in driving before being permitted to drive on Florida roads.

Poor service at auto repair shop

I had my car serviced at a so called full service oil change facility on the Treasure Coast.

What a joke! Being a disabled, retired mechanic, I closely watched as the work was performed on my vehicle. While the oil was changed, my tires were not checked nor were my fluids checked and topped off.

Upon notifying the manager that I was not satisfied being charged \$46 for poor service, she insisted the work was done and even presented me a printed sheet that reflected the services we're done yet they were not.

As I sat in my car I became more dismayed at the poor service. If folks don't want to be ripped off and receive poor service on your vehicle, I would suggest you stay miles away from this short cut facility.

They will no longer receive my business, that decision comes after two years of patronizing this facility.

Pets are a responsibility, not novelty

I am truly disappointed with all of these lost animal posts that I come across everyday on social media. I find it hard to believe that a "caring" pet owner would lose their dog this frequently.

Sure, accidents happen and dogs can get out once in awhile but with the amount of dogs out there I don't think this is the case. With people struggling to pay their bills maybe they can't afford to feed their animals so they just let them go which is very heartbreaking to me. If you're not going to commit to a pet for their lifetime then why bother getting them in the first place? You hear them say "I'm moving and I can't take them", or my child is allergic; excuses, excuses. The fact is the puppy has grown up and it's no longer a novelty. Do us all a favor and don't get a pet if you're not in it or the long haul.

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'Fight Hunger. Spark Change' launched

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FORT PIERCE – Veterans. Seniors. Children. The working poor. Across the Treasure Coast, more than 86,600 people and 25,000 children struggle with hunger. To raise awareness and combat the issue, Walmart, Sam's Club, Feeding America® and Treasure Coast Food Bank are kicking off the sixth annual nationwide "Fight Hunger. Spark Change." campaign, which will run through May 20.

This year, Sam's Club shoppers can join local Walmart shoppers across the Treasure Coast to spark a big change in the lives of these people. The goal for 2019 is to reach one billion meals secured for those struggling with hunger. There are three simple ways to participate – purchase a participating item in the store or online, donate in the store, or donate on Feeding America's web-

site.

"Walmart has been a steadfast partner in the fight against hunger both nationwide and as a local partner with Treasure Coast Food Bank," said Judith Cruz, President and CEO of Treasure Coast Food Bank. "Each year, the Fight Hunger. Spark Change campaign provides an incredible boost to our efforts to provide meals to those struggling with hunger, and we're grateful to everyone who participates."

With 749 million meals achieved over the last five years, customers and members in Indian River, St. Lucie, Martin and Okeechobee, counties can help the Feeding America network secure its 1 billion cumulative meals goal in three ways. They can track the number of meals by visiting www.walmart.com/fighthunger.

For every participating product purchased at U.S. Walmart stores, Sam's Clubs or on Walmart.com during the campaign,

the supplier will donate the monetary equivalent of at least one meal (\$0.10) on behalf of a Feeding America member food bank, up to applicable limits.

• Donate money to your local Feeding America food bank at participating Sam's Club and Walmart stores in the U.S.

• Donate at feedingamerica.org/Walmart.
To kick off the campaign, Walmart made a donation of \$3 million – the equivalent of at least 30 million meals – to Feeding America and member food banks including Treasure Coast Food Bank.

There are 267 items from 18 participating suppliers. Shoppers purchasing any one of the items help secure the equivalent of one meal. Each Walmart and Sam's Club will partner with at least one Feeding America local food bank, and the 18 participating suppliers include: Bush Brothers, Campbell's, Conagra Brands, Cliff Bar, General Mills, Gold Peak Tea, Great Value, Hidden

Valley, JM Smucker, Kellogg, Kraft Heinz, McCormick, Motts, PepsiCo, Post, Uncle Ben's, Nature Nate's Honey and Unilever.

"As we go into our sixth year of the 'Fight Hunger. Spark Change.' campaign, it's exciting to approach the 1 billion mark in terms of charitable meals secured for Feeding America over the life of the program," said Kathleen McLaughlin, chief sustainability officer for Walmart. "Food insecurity continues to affect communities across the United States. Working with Feeding America, our customers, members, associates and suppliers, Walmart and Sam's Club aim to be part of the solution."

Last year, Treasure Coast Food Bank was able to provide \$61,000 meals to those struggling with hunger because of Walmart and Sam's Club's commitment to fight hunger.

To learn more about the campaign visit www.walmart.com/fighthunger.

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on May 11 at 6:30 p.m. for the annual Star Wars Night at the St. Lucie Mets field, located at 525 NW Peacock Boulevard in Port Saint Lucie. We will have Star Wars characters available for photos, and we encourage all of our fans to wear their favourite Star Wars costume or gear! And, don't forget to hang around after the game for fireworks. The Mets will be wearing specialty Star Wars jerseys,

which will be auctioned online, and all profits will benefit the Police Athletic League! To register to auction, just text "METS" to 79230, or visit qtqgo.net/qlink/mets.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15

• **Mental Health Awareness Lecture:** Suncoast Mental Health Center and Indian River State College are working together to raise awareness about the connection between physical and mental health. Join the fifth annual mental health awareness lecture

series on Wednesday, May 15 at the IRSC Kight Center for Emerging Technologies Main Campus, V Building, located at 3209 Virginia Avenue in Fort Pierce. The lecture will take place at 11 a.m. This year we are exploring the topics of animal companionship, spirituality, humor, work-life balance, and recreation and social connections as ways to boost mental health and general wellness. Learn more about mental illnesses, their occurrences here on the Treasure Coast, and what resources are available to students, staff, residents and others at this free, community-wide event. To register, visit eventbrite.com

THURSDAY, MAY 16

• **The Great Expectation Book Group:** The Great Expectation Book Group meets on the first Thursday of each month (except July) at 10 a.m. and is open to everyone. This week's book is "Pachinko" by Min Jin Lee. A limited number of Library copies of each selection are available for checkout on a first-come, first-served basis. All selections are in print

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County pools open May 25 for summer season

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ST. LUCIE COUNTY – St. Lucie County's Parks and Recreation Department is scheduled to open its three community pools for the summer, starting Saturday, May 25.

The Ravenswood Pool, 400 SW Ravenswood Lane, Port St. Lucie, will open seven days a week through Aug. 11: Monday

through Friday from 1 to 5 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Morning Lap Swimming will be held: Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 6:45 to 7:45 a.m. from June 3 to Aug. 9.

The Lakewood Park Pool, 5990 Emerson Ave., Fort Pierce, will open: Monday through Friday from 1 to 5 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday Family Swim will take place from 5 to 7 p.m. (June and July).

The Lincoln Park Pool, 1311 Avenue M, Fort Pierce, will operate Monday through Friday from 1 to 5 p.m. and Saturday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. The pool will be closed on Sundays.

Once St. Lucie County Public Schools are back in session, the pools will be open as follows from Aug. 12 – Sept. 2:

• Ravenswood Pool: Saturdays and Sundays from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m.

• Lakewood Park Pool: Saturdays and Sun-

days from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

• Lincoln Park Pool: Saturdays from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Swim lesson registration for all ages is available now online: www.stlucieco.gov/aquatics. Admission into St. Lucie County pools ranges from \$1.50 to \$2.75; children under 2 are free.

For any additional information call at 772-462-2560.

Hometown Gold!



On April 6, Bob Cseh, 83, took home first place and set a Florida record with a bench press of 200-pounds in the 80-84 year old division of the Florida Senior Games held in Mount Dora.

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and most are available in paperback. Many are also available as e-book purchases. The Kilmer Branch of the St. Lucie County Library System is located at 101 Melody Lane. For more information about this program call at 772-462-2199 or visit: www.stlucieco.gov/Library.

SATURDAY, MAY 18

• **Walk n Roll to Cure Ataxia:** The Treasure Coast Walk n Roll to Cure Ataxia will take place on Saturday, May 18 at 9 a.m. (registration at 8). The walk is sponsored by the National Ataxia Foundation. Ataxia is a rare neurological disease affecting a person's ability to walk, talk, and use fine motor skills. The walk will take participants around the lake at 10807 SW Traditional Square in Port St. Lucie. For more information, contact Lisa Cole at (772) 370-3041

or email lisacoleataxia@gmail.com

FRIDAY, MAY 24

• **"Movies in the Fort": Free Outdoor Film Series:** From January to May, parks in six neighborhoods will host FREE outdoor movies featuring today's blockbusters and classic family favorites. Movies in the Fort gives residents in all parts of the city an opportunity to engage with their neighbors and community. Fort Pierce is committed to increasing access to family-friendly cultural opportunities, and this new movie series is a perfect example of this work. The Sandlot, rated PG, Former PAL Center (903 S 21st St). All movies begin at dusk. Guests are encouraged to bring lawn chairs and/or blankets. Patrons are also welcome to bring their own picnic dinner. Visit the City's Facebook page for details about pre-show activities on select movie nights. *Movies, dates and times are subject to change, for more information visit www.CityofFortPierce.com or call Joe Sweat at (772) 467-3031.*

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Beware of new computer scams

It seems like just when you think you've got things figured out, the scammers go and change the rules!

An alarming trend lately in computer scams is the growing practice of actual 800 support numbers connecting you to people overseas intent on scamming you out of your money rather than to qualified support people who even work for the company that you are calling.

What I mean is I am seeing a lot more instances of people having problem with a product or service and then calling the 800 # for that company that is listed on their website or on their bill or whatever but instead of getting somebody that works for that company, they get someone who immediately start steering the caller into the old "Oh, your computer has been hacked and is infected with malware..." Speech.

No, it hasn't been hacked, no it isn't infected with malware and no, you don't work for XYZ company! If a call ever goes in this direction, hang up or you are about to get scammed.

One on my callers was relating to me an incident where he was having a problem



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getting his video streaming device to connect to his WiFi. Now this is one of those little things that plug into your TV – it had nothing to do with his computer whatsoever but that seemed to be lost on the guy on the other end of the phone who immediately began insisting that his computer was hacked and loaded with malware and they would need to clean it before that could continue.

It used to be a pretty good rule of thumb that if you made the call, you were safe. For instance, if you get an email "from the bank" telling you your account has a problem, you call the bank yourself – you don't deal with it over email. Calling them yourself carries a good faith assumption that the number you are calling is actually going to get you to the company you are trying to call rather than scammers. It makes it feel safer to disclose private non

public information. When a big company puts an 800 support number on their website that leads to one of these scammers it makes it that much easier to fall prey. Another trend that has been making the rounds on the internet is the "tainted link" that brings you to a fake blue screen error with a bunch of technical mumbo jumbo and an 800 number to call. The page tries to tell you your machine has suffered from a critical error or some such but the big giveaway is the 800 number – no legitimate Windows or Blue Screen Error ever ever displays a phone number!

If one day you are surfing the web, maybe checking email and suddenly your browser shows an alarming error message, you can't click out of it, you can't close it and there is a phone number to call to get it fixed, don't fall for it! If you do they will attempt to separate you from as much money as they can talk you out of.

"But what's a guy to do? You can't click out, you can't close it, the message says bad things will happen if you turn it off, so how do you get out of it when your machine gets stuck like this?"

Well first, remember the message itself is

a scam. That means you can't trust anything in the message so it's unlikely anything bad will happen if you reboot. Rebooting will shut everything down and reset everything (essentially) and that should break you out of that loop but it doesn't have to be that sloppy. You can use the task manager to "kill" the stuck window can that should break you out of the loop and allow you to regain control of the machine. To launch task manager, "right click" on the task bar at the bottom of your Windows desktop and then left click "Start Task Manager" in the little pop up window. Then, in Task Manager, find the browser window in the list of running applications, highlight it and click the "End Task" button. You can usually find the right item in the list of running applications because it will have the offending web page's name listed next to your browser's icon. Once you end the task you should see the browser window finally close and you can now reboot gracefully – with a normal shut down and restart.

Sean McCarthy fixes computers. He can be reached at 888-752-9049 or help@ComputeThisOnline.com (No Hyphens!)

Violation

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testified to Mr. Neal's positive influence on the neighborhood and said he'd also taken photographs of the carport since he believed it didn't actually violate the code because it's not permanently attached to the dwelling.

"Mr. Neal came to Fort Pierce and St. Lucie County in 1961," he said. "He's developed not only nice beautiful properties but raised a family. He's a great contributor to the community, a taxpayer and works with the youth of the community. He's probably the greatest guy in the neighborhood."

Before another friend could speak on his behalf, St. Lucie County NAACP President

George Collins, Code Enforcement Board Chairman Ralph Fogg reminded them that the discussion at hand was not an affront to Mr. Neal's character.

"This is just a situation where there's a code violation," the chairman said. "I understand what you're saying Mr. Matthews and all of that, but this is not against him; this is against an item that's on his property."

Mr. Collins emphasized that Mr. Neal had inadvertently overstepped his bounds in trying to protect his wife but believed the

latter deserved a waiver of the setback requirement.

"I understand that it is about the code violation, and I know that laws are put in place to enhance the community," he said. "My thing is, there was a reason they made that 25-foot setback during the time they made it... [but] you're talking about removing his shed, and it's only 10 feet out. So what we'd like to say is that he has a well-kept property, he's friendly and a helpful neighbor -- and I know it's not about character -- but the property is not interfering with anything at the present time, so we're asking if you will possibly consider a waiver."

When Mr. Matthews continued to insist the structure didn't violate the setbacks because it wasn't permanently attached, Chairman Fogg reminded the group that there was another basis for the Code Enforcement violation.

"Actually, we're looking for a permit -- that's the reason you're here," the latter said. "Evidently the permit was not obtained at the time that you put it up."

"I applied for a permit, but they denied me on account of I was over the boundary," Mr. Neal explained.

Mr. Matthews said the homeowner attempted to rectify the situation after the

fact but was unsuccessful.

"It was after the [violation] notice," he emphasized.

Chairman Fogg then reminded the group that the volunteer Code Enforcement Board operated primarily in an advisory capacity to the County Commission.

"We can't necessarily change the permitting rules as a Board," he explained. "We're here to advise and listen."

Board Member Ken Waters then suggested Mr. Neal might have another route to rectifying his current situation.

"I think your issue is less with this Code Board, [because] as I understand it, we're only allowed to make decisions based on law," he said. "We have no ability to make the law. There may be another path where you go to the lawmakers -- which is the Commission -- and I'd be willing as a Board member to grant you time to try and get a variance some way through commissioners to make this happen. I have a great deal of compassion where you are and am willing to give time for you to accomplish that if it were possible."

Assistant County Attorney Katherine Barbieri then clarified exactly what the next step should be. "For setback variances, there is a procedure in place, and it's the Board of Adjustment," she said. "I don't believe he's

filed an application for that, so he could file an application."

"Given this, maybe that's the path to success for you to be able to make this happen," Mr. Waters continued. "I'd be willing to grant a period of time."

Board Member Randy Murdock then offered his backing to that next move but also emphasized the potential cost to the Fort Pierce homeowner.

"I'd be willing to support Mr. Waters," he said. "I think he [Mr. Neal] does have a path through the Board of Adjustment and then a permit, and that's going to take time. And it may get more expensive than he wants to pay, but it would give him an opportunity to go that way. I would be with Mr. Waters in support of a continuation."

Chairman Fogg then encouraged Mr. Neal and his friends in their pursuit of the carport waiver.

"You've got some information from us and hopefully that would help you out," he said. "So, if we give you some time, you can go to the variance board and they can possibly handle that for you."

The Code Enforcement Board subsequently voted unanimously to table the discussion until its Aug. 7 meeting to provide Mr. Neal at least 90 days to seek his waiver.

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Horoscopes



ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20

You may feel as though you are not measuring up in other people's eyes this week, Aries. Thankfully, this is a misconception on your part. Don't be so hard on yourself.

TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21

Taurus, letting go is the approach to take in the days ahead. Retire a plan that isn't working and come up with a new way to reach your goals. A fresh perspective will benefit you.

GEMINI - May 22/June 21

Gemini, focus on all of the happy memories you have shared with those closest to you. This is a great way to make sure you don't take anyone for granted.

CANCER - June 22/July 22

Cancer, open a dialogue with someone close to you. Doing so will reveal that much is in store for your future. Tame your excitement and remember to be patient.

LEO - July 23/Aug 23

Don't sell yourself short, Leo. You have many great attributes, and when you put your mind to things, you can accomplish anything. Set some specific goals.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

Although you can't narrow down the source of your apprehension, if you keep investigating you can get to the root of the issue, Virgo. Once you get there, you will handle it.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

You have a strong network of friends and family who are willing to pitch in whenever you need them, Libra. Keep this in mind and don't hesitate to ask for assistance.

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Professional wrestling returns to Vero Beach

By Mike Winikoff

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VERO BEACH -- Professional wrestling returns to Vero Beach May 18 at noon with a new card of fan favorites from IGNITE Wrestling.

When Hometown News first profiled IGNITE owner Kim Artlip, the Vero Beach woman had only a dream, supportive friends and family, and contacts throughout the professional wrestling industry. Today, the Vero Beach-based enterprise is an internationally recognized indy wrestling company, presenting matches that are aired via Twitch, Roku, Amazon FireTV, and others worldwide.

IGNITE has been presenting events in Port St. Lucie, Fort Pierce, Vero Beach, and Okeechobee, featuring several WWE stars. Kim Artlip remains one of just a few female owner/promoters in professional wrestling.

"We have a mission to bring independent wrestling to the forefront of sports in our local area and establish Vero Beach as a pro wrestling destination," Ms. Artlip told Hometown News. "We are proud of the quality of our shows and the response from

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Out & about

FRIDAY, MAY 10

• **Time Out (For Teachers):** The Sailfish Brewing Company, located at 130 N. 2nd Street in Fort Pierce will host a "Time Out for Teachers" event on Friday, May 10 at 6 p.m. Come spend some Time Out for the final hours of Teacher's Appreciation Week with Sailfish and AIG. Teacher's, and all other St Lucie County School employees, first beer is free, courtesy of AIG, and your drinking BOGO drafts for the rest of the night! Just bring your School ID and check in at the AIG table for your free drink ticket. The event will feature live music early, and have raffles for teachers

only till 8:00 pm. Line Dancing at Sailfish Brewing Company starts at 8:00 pm as well. For more information, call (772) 577-4382 or visit www.sailfishbrewingco.com

• **Canvas Painting Class:** On Friday, May 10 at 6 p.m., Lily will be walking attendees through painting a Mason jar with sunflowers on a 12x12 stretched canvas. The painting class will take place at The Country Boutique LLC, located at 102 SW 3rd Avenue in Okeechobee. The cost of this class is \$30 + tax and includes all supplies and light refreshments. A \$10 late fee will be added when registering less than 72 hours from the date of the class. There is a limit of 6

participants for this class, so make sure you register soon before all the seats are taken.

• **DeadPhish Orchestra at Public House:** This Colorado quartet come together to fuse the earthy, folksy, bluesy sound of The Dead with the sharper around the edges, funky and aggressive style of Phish to provide the ultimate jam, the unmissable improv, the once-in-a-lifetime moment that can only be experienced live and in person. Bottom's Up Public House (Fort Pierce's very own music venue designed with acoustics mind featuring craft beer, craft cocktails, delicious wines and more) is teaming up with Cosmic See OUT, page 11

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Great collegiate golf this weekend

It's not every day that a collegiate national championship is contested right in your back yard. Usually we have to travel great distances to watch teams square off in football or basketball for the right to claim the title of college's "National Champion".

This weekend, May 9 through 12, the PGA of America is hosting the 33rd PGA WORKS Collegiate Championship at its PGA Golf Club in Port St. Lucie. This year marks the 22nd straight year that the PGA Village will host this championship. In all colleges and universities will participate in the Championship.

Thirty-three years ago, following the Jackson State University Tournament in 1986, Coach Eddie Payton of Jackson (Miss.) State University joined with Dr. John Saunder; the late Dr. Herschel Cochrane, former president of the National Negro Golf Association; Rose Elder, of the Sports Management Institute of Washington D.C.; and William (Bill) Dickey, president of the National Minority Junior Golf Association and the 1999 PGA Distinguished Service Award winner, to form the National Minority College Golf Championship.

The first Championship was contested on May 17-19, 1987, at the Highland Park Golf Course in Cleveland, under the direction of the newly formed National Minority College Golf Scholarship Fund (NMGCSF). The Championship was conceived to focus national attention on the crisis of minority college golf, to stimulate the development of golf programs at the intercollegiate level and to create a 36-hole national Championship for America's finest minority college golfers.

In 2006, the PGA of America was granted full operation and management of the Championship for the first time in its history, along with a name change to the PGA Minority Collegiate Golf Championship.

"The PGA Minority Collegiate Golf Championship is a key part of our Association's strategy to bring more people of color into the business of golf," said Joe Steranka, then PGA of America chief executive officer. "The PGA of America is excited to host this premier golf competition among minority college athletes."

The 54-hole stroke play competition will be contested on The PGA Golf Club's Wanamaker and Ryder Courses and consists of a field of nearly 135 men and women student-athletes from 26 schools, representing nearly a dozen countries.

GOLF
JAMES STAMMER



The five-person team competition is open to universities and colleges that provide education to a predominately minority student body. Predominately minority serving institutions that are classified as Historically Black Colleges and Universities, Traditional Black Colleges, Traditional Hispanic Colleges and Universities and Tribal Colleges are eligible to participate. All defending Champions receive an automatic entry. The individual division is comprised of male and female students who are African-American, Hispanic-America, Native or Alaskan American, or Asian or Pacific American.

This year the championship sees a name change to the PGA WORKS Collegiate Championship. PGA WORKS is the umbrella brand for all workforce diversification programs that are part of the PGA of America's commitment to diversity and inclusion, one of the foundational principles in the PGA of America's Long-Term Strategic Plan. PGA WORKS is an intentional effort to evolve the demographic composition of the golf industry's workforce through a variety of programmatic efforts, including leadership development, fellowships, internships, scholarships, the PGA WORKS Career Expo and PGA WORKS Collegiate Championship. PGA WORKS programs are designed to appeal to, attract and retain diverse talent who are prepared to ascend into key employment positions across all lines of business within the golf industry and specifically the PGA of America.

"As the tapestry of our country has evolved, so has our definition of inclusion, and with that we are repositioning the PGA Minority Collegiate Championship and changing the name of the event to the PGA WORKS Collegiate Championship," said Lortiz "Scooter" Clark, Manager, PGA WORKS Collegiate Championship.

Clark adds, "We are of a firm belief that this is the most culturally significant championship in collegiate golf. It is of great importance to the PGA of America, as it aligns with the ideals of diversity and inclu-

sion and allows us to connect with hundreds of student athletes from diverse backgrounds, most of whom will continue to play golf throughout their lives."

Florida is well represented in the Championship as Bethune-Cookman College (Daytona) has seen its men's and women's teams combine for 27 victories. The women will be looking to defend their title from last year and capture their eighth straight championship. The men are also hoping to defend and hoist the winning trophy for the sixth time in the last seven years. The men Wildcats were dominant last year. The men

crushed the field, winning by 57 strokes. The women held their own with a mere 27-shot victory.

The public is invited to come out, watch and cheer, all free of charge. For additional information, visit www.pgaminoritychamp.com.

James Stammer has been an avid golfer and golf enthusiast for nearly 40 years. He hosts the Thursday Night Golf Show on WSTU 1450-AM. Contact him at stammergolf@yahoo.com.



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Out

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Barley to introduce the DeadPhish Orchestra to Downtown Fort Pierce, FL! Prepare for an evening of epic jams merging the music of the grandfathers of jam The Grateful Dead & Phish! Second Breakfast will be joining to kick off the night right. This funky, groovy group will be bringing the fire and the fun to the Public House stage 8-9:30pm. Tickets are very limited. Pre-sale ticket prices are \$14, \$20 at the door. Must be 21 or over to attend. Doors open at 7:30p.m. and the Deadphish Orchestra 10 p.m. to 1 a.m. For more information, call (772) 828-6105 or visit www.facebook.com/bottomsuppublichouse.

MONDAY, MAY 13

• **Children's Services Awards Dinner:** Join Children's Services Council of St. Lucie County at our Annual Awards Dinner honoring our Outstanding Youth Scholarship winners and our area Champions for Children. The dinner will take place at River Walk Center City of Fort Pierce, located at 600 N Indian River Drive in Fort Pierce on Monday, May 13 at 6 pm. Tickets are \$25pp and include a dinner buffet, RSVP are required. For more information and registration, visit www.cscslc.org

SATURDAY, JUNE 1

• **Little Mermaid at Sunrise Theatre:** "The Little Mermaid" (Danish: Den lille havfrue) is a fairy tale written by the Danish author Hans Christian Andersen about a young mermaid who is willing to give up her

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Poisonous plants to be aware of

Hi everybody and welcome! If you look around your yard and neighborhood, you will find ornamental plants of almost every size, shape and color. What you don't know about some of these common plants can be deadly. Some parts of the ornamental plants or flowers in your yard may contain deadly poison. The most susceptible to being harmed by these plants are children and pets. One of the most toxic and common poisonous plants is the Oleander. The Oleander plant contains a deadly heart stimulant that resembles the prescription drug digitalis. If a child eats a single leaf or two from this plant it could be deadly. There have been several instances where people have died from eating meats that were roasted from a wood fire that contained Oleander twigs or branches.

Dieffenbachia, which is a common tropical that many of us have in our homes, is also a highly toxic plant. All parts of this plant are poisonous. If eaten, the plant can cause intense burning and irritation of your mouth. The plant can be deadly if enough swelling occurs to block your airway. You should always wash your hands after handling this or any of the listed poisonous plants.

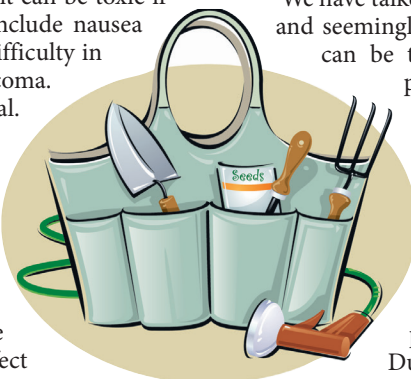
Another surprising plant is the Azalea.



GARDEN NOOK
JOE ZELENAK

All parts of the Azalea plant can be toxic if ingested. The symptoms include nausea and vomiting along with difficulty in breathing and possibly coma. The end result can be fatal. Even the berries of Jasmine plants can be toxic. They can cause digestive problems along with nervous system disorders.

The foliage from oak trees can be toxic but the effects are gradual. If foliage is ingested, it can slowly affect your kidneys. You need to ingest a substantial amount for severe poisoning to occur. Lantana, which is commonly used by many as a colorful ground cover, is another specimen that is toxic if ingested. Acute poisoning can cause hemorrhagic diarrhea and rapid heart rate.



Although this list includes some of the most common plant varieties, there are many more that could be added to this list including Milkweed, Narcissus, Daffodil, poison Oak, Puslane and Snow on the Mountain. Bear in mind that just because some of your favorite plants can be toxic if ingested, common sense and keeping these plants out of the reach of small children and pets can totally avoid tragedy.

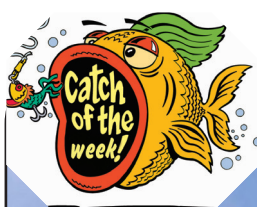
We have talked a lot about common and seemingly innocent plants that can be toxic but here is one plant that many people think is deadly poisonous but in reality, it is harmless. The plant I am referring to is the Poinsettia. The Poinsettia plant is one of the most widely produced plants in the country. During the holidays, almost every household has at least one Poinsettia adorning their décor. Fear not as today's commercially distributed varieties are not poisonous. There are some people, however, that may get a mild allergic reaction to the milky sap if it comes in contact with their skin. The

affected areas can be washed with soap and water to remove the sap if irritation develops. Poinsettia plants are not a serious risk for animals although it is always best to keep any plant out of the reach of pets if they like to chew plants.

Finally, there are also several common houseplants that can be toxic to animals and children. Probably the most common is the Philodendron. The toxic part is the leaves. If ingested, it can cause burning of the lips and mouth and can also cause contact dermatitis if the plant juice contacts the skin. Similar symptoms can occur with Pothos, Golden Pothos and Devil's Ivy.

That's all for this week and I hope you found the content informative and interesting. If you have any ideas or topics you might like me to cover, e-mail me at the address listed below and I will work on your suggestions. If you would like your question and answer to be considered for printing in the column, please let me know in your email. See you next week!

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- Type of fish
- Approximate size of fish
- Area you caught the fish
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Out

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life in the sea and her identity as a mermaid to gain a human soul. The play will be performed at the Sunrise Theatre, located at 117 S. 2nd Street in Fort Pierce on Saturday, June 1. Join us as we bring to stage this timeless tale of love, will, and sacrifice. Between two worlds, land and sea, follow the story of a mermaid princess torn between wanting to live a human life and stay in the sea to fulfill her father's wishes. She is a curious girl with an open mind to what lies beyond the waters edge. For more information, times and tickets, call (772) 461-4884 or visit www.sunrisetheatre.com

• **Low County Boil:** Hog Huggers 1st Annual Low Country Boil Fundraiser with shrimp, sausage, corn, onion, and potatoes. The event will take place at 15601 Midway Road in Fort Pierce. We'll also have BBQ chicken for all you land lovers and an assortment of sides, rolls and lots of delicious desserts, tea, and lemonade. Live and silent auctions will take place, along with 50/50 raffles. Tickets are only \$20 and can be purchased from any Hog Hugger 4H Member or Big John's Feed and Western Wear.

SATURDAY, JUNE 8

• **Walk-a-thon for Domestic Violence:** St. Lucie is hosting its 1st Annual Walk-A-Thon, in pursuit of opening a facility that will give abused victims a safe space to express their experiences; and overcome violence and crisis, through the services and resources RUFs Foundation will provide as they pursue a brighter future. The walk will take place at Sportsman Park West, located at 100-186 NW Irving Street in Port St. Lucie beginning at 8 a.m. Our goal and our passion is to put a stop to domestic and sexual abuse, and assist victims and survivors of all forms of abuse by encouraging them to come out of silence... and let their voices be heard. Registration

fees are \$20 for adults, \$10 for kids 12 & under. A free T-Shirt is available with registration. For more information, email rufsfoundation@gmail.com or visit rufsfoundation.com

SATURDAY, JUNE 8 - SUNDAY, JUNE 9

• **Lionfish Safari:** The 7th Annual Lionfish Safari is an awesome opportunity to learn more about the invasive Lionfish that are taking over our coastal waters. The event will take place at the Indian River Veterans Memorial Park, located at 600 N Indian River Drive in Fort Pierce from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Divers can participate in the competition for biggest, smallest, and most lionfish removed from the water over the weekend, and cash prizes up to \$2,000 will be awarded! Kid's Activities, Art, Awesome Bands and entertainment provided by Cosmic Barley, Vendors, Full bar provided by Bottoms Up Beverage, Food, Lionfish Tastings, etc. The scientific community will be on site taking measurements and samples so we can learn more about how to stop this predator from eating all of our native fish species. This educational event is fun for the entire family. The event will feature live lionfish, live bands, lionfish tasting, pig roast, education and family day exhibits and more. Team registrations are \$125 and \$40 for individuals. For more information, call (772) 577-4382 or visit www.sailfishbrewingco.com

FRIDAY, JUNE 14

• **4th Annual Sailfish Beer Mile:** The Treasure Coast's only Beer Mile is back as a fundraiser for the Early Learning Coalition of St. Lucie County beginning at 7 PM for the most hilarious race you will ever run (or watch!) on Friday, June 14 at Sailfish Brewing Company, located at 130 N. 2nd Street in Fort Pierce. Participants will be running a total of one mile in beautiful downtown Fort Pierce. The 4th Annual Sailfish Beer Mile is a one mile run that includes beer (or rootbeer), culminating in **See OUT, page 15**

Touring with the Townies



Allen and Nery Dicks of Sebastian, took a copy of the *Hometown News* to Santa Rosa de Copan, Honduras on March 2, 2019.

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Wrestling

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the local area.”

“We have made incredible inroads and have even larger plans for 2019, so get ready for the next level of excitement from our company. We are excited to be debuting seven new wrestlers at our upcoming show including former IMPACT star Caleb Konley,” who has held numerous championships, Ms. Artlip said.

The IGNITE Wrestling Women’s Division continues to grow as Avery Taylor makes her debut against “The Queen Of Crazy” Kilynn King. Ms. Taylor is a growing presence on the Florida pro wrestling scene.

After a two-year hiatus, Chip Day returns to singles action against Troy Hollywood. Fans may recognize Mr. Day from appearances with Wrestling Revolv-

er, WWNLive, and numerous other shows.

The May 18 show at the Walking Tree Brewery will feature Aaron Epic vs. Caleb Konley; Troy Hollywood vs. Chip Day; OAO (Snoop Strikes and Hunter Law) vs. TECH; KiLynn King vs. Avery Taylor; Jaden Newman and Sage Philips vs. Critical Mayhem; Mercenary Pitbull Romeo Quevedo vs. Gabriel “GabeZilla” Lacey. More matches will be announced.

Experience IGNITE Wrestling, the Treasure Coast’s only pro wrestling company, at Walking Tree Brewery in Vero Beach on May 18 at noon. Tickets cost \$5-30 and are available online. Family four-pack deals are also available at the door or in advance at www.IGNITEWrestling.com.

Stay up to date by following IGNITE Wrestling at www.facebook.com/IGNITEWrestling.

Scopes

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SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

Scorpio, something you have not experienced before arises in the days ahead. Try not to jump to conclusions or overreact. Take a step back and assess the situation calmly.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

Sagittarius, stay open to suggestions and welcome others’ unique perspectives. This is an effective way to stay ahead of the curve and bet yourself.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

Find a way to unwind this week, Capricorn. If that means taking a day off from work or just sleeping in on the weekend, then do so without feeling guilty.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

Some new opportunities are coming your way, Aquarius. Even though your first inclination is to pass them by, embrace the chance to try something new.

PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20

Gemini, you’re heading for a crossroads, and some decisions will have to be made. Look to Gemini for some guidance.

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Mother's Day – what Mom wants to eat

The special day, May 12, is almost here.

Mother's Day, it's the biggest restaurant day of the year when almost 92 million people eat out. Forty-seven percent of the USA will go out to dinner, 45 percent will eat lunch and around 10 percent will enjoy breakfast.

The most popular choice of the day is influenced by where folks were raised. In the south, if mom is an early riser, consider an early brunch with Mimosas. In the Southwest, maybe more of a Hispanic flavor with a meal consisting of pork and cornbread. For a coastal Mom, you might possibly enjoy seafood. If mom is a gourmet, try a nice herb-encrusted lamb rack. For dessert, remember chocolate is the number one dessert in the world, surprise, surprise!

I hope this makes your choice of restaura-



CHEF COSTA'S COOKING CORNER
COSTA MAGOULAS

rants a little easier. Of course, this does not work in my house -- my wife would rather have me cook for her. I don't blame her. I can cook anything she wants, anyway she likes it.

We really have a great relationship. I do all the cooking and food shopping, and she has a full time job, but takes care of all the painting, plumbing, household finances, children, doctor appointments, car repairs, organizing trips and, most of all, she is my buffer at dinner parties or meetings. She is

the center of attention and I don't have to make idle conversations.

Oh, did I forget to mention she also is a nice person with a kind and giving heart. We really enjoy each other's company and it doesn't matter what we do, as long as it's together. Does all this sound familiar?

Yes, Moms are special and their intense love for family is legendary, but their ability to nurture goes beyond words. From a scratched knee to a broken heart, a word from mom seems to heal all.

So what can we do on Mother's Day to honor her? Flower, candy and dinner – it's not enough. Nothing is enough! We can start by honoring her every day. Make a breakfast on Saturday morning sometimes or just say thank you when she does the laundry, or tell her how nice the meal was she cooked and stop taking the everyday



things she does for granted and let her know how much you appreciate it. You will be surprised how much she will love it.

On Mother's Day, do something personal like a hand-written note, a scrapbook of family photos, a special dinner with wine and do it yourself from your heart. That will be something she deserves and will remember forever. So, what should you cook? I will give you a couple good ideas. you decide.

Steak Au Poive

- Ingredients**
- 2 tenderloin steaks, 6 to 8 ounces each and no more than 1 1/2 inches thick
 - Kosher salt
 - 1 tablespoons whole peppercorns
 - 1 tablespoon unsalted butter
 - 1 teaspoon olive oil
 - 1 teaspoon prepared mustard
 - 1/3 cup beef stock
 - 1/3 cup brandy or bourbon
 - 1 cup heavy cream

Directions

Remove the steaks from the refrigerator for at least 30 minutes and up to 1 hour prior to cooking. Sprinkle all sides with salt.

Coarsely crush the peppercorns with a mortar and pestle, the bottom of a cast iron skillet, or using a mallet and pie pan. Spread the peppercorns evenly onto a plate. Press the fillets, on both sides, into the pepper until it coats the surface. Set aside.

In a medium skillet over medium heat, melt the butter and olive oil. As soon as the butter and oil begin to turn golden and smoke, gently place the steaks in the pan. For medium-rare, cook for 4 minutes on each side. Once done, remove the steaks cover with a plate and set aside.

Add brandy to the pan and carefully ignite the alcohol with a long match. Gently shake pan until the flames die. Return the pan to medium heat and add the cream, mustard, stock, bring the mixture to a boil and whisk until the sauce coats the back of a spoon, approximately 5 to 6 minutes. Season to taste with salt and add the steaks back to the pan, spoon the sauce over, and serve.

Chocolate Mousse

- Ingredients**
- 1 quart heavy or whipping cream
 - 14 ounces bittersweet chocolate, melted in the microwave for 20 -30 seconds

Directions

Whip the cream to soft peaks and add about 1/3 of the melted chocolate. Fold gently with a rubber spatula. Mix the remaining chocolate into the whipped cream. Mix only until combined as you will deflate the cream if you over mix. Place the mousse into decorative serving cups. Top with a cherry.

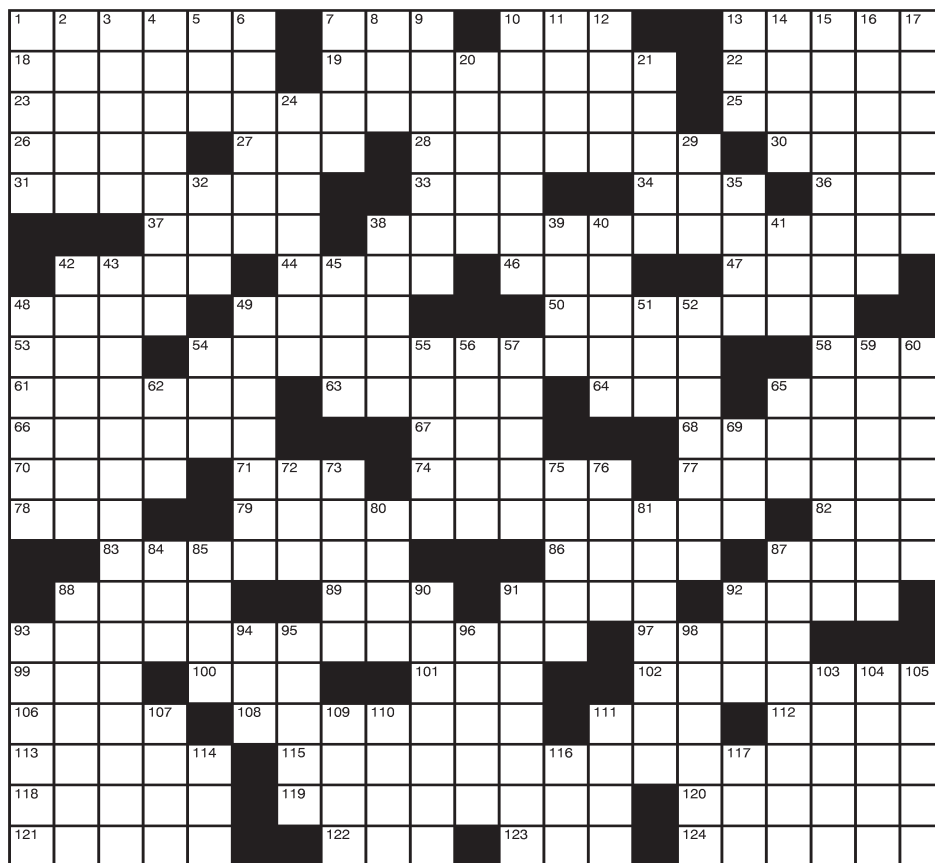
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SUNDAY, JUNE 23

- **Solstice Drum Circle:** Celebrate the beginning of Summer with local drumming enthusiasts at the Summer Solstice Drum Circle hosted by the Savannas Preserve State Park! Please feel free to bring a drum if you have one, and join in the rhythm. Or you can just come and enjoy the ambiance in this beautiful and natural Preserve. Cost is

\$5/person. No reservations required. The Savannas Preserve State Park is located at 2541 SE Walton Road in Port St Lucie. The Drum Circle is from 7 pm to 9 pm on June 23, 2019. Please do not arrive to the Education Center prior to 6:30 p.m. For more information, visit www.floridastateparks.org/parks-and-trails/savannas-preserve-state-park

SATURDAY, AUGUST 31

- **Fishing for Futures Tournament:** The 2nd Annual Fishing for Futures will take place on Saturday, August 31 at the Manatee Observation Center located at 480 N Indian River Drive in Fort Pierce. The event will be benefiting the Boys & Girls Clubs of St. Lucie County. \$12,000 of a total prize package and \$5,000 for the biggest fish will be awarded.

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NOTICE OF ACTION (TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS)
 To: Thomas Lovell, Address Unknown
YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a petition under oath has been filed by the Department of Children and Families in the above-styled court for the termination of parental rights relative to the above-named children, T.L. who was born in Cecil County, state of Maryland, on the 25th day of April, 2001; E.L. who was born in Newark County, State of Delaware, on the 25th day of July, 2003. You are commanded to be and appear before the Circuit Court in the above-styled court located at 218 South Second Street, Fort Pierce, FL 34950 on June 18, 2019 at 9:30 AM for a hearing and to show cause why said petition should not be granted. Failure to personally appear at the advisory hearing constitutes consent to the termination of parental rights of the children. If you fail to appear on the date and time specified, you may lose all legal rights as a parent to the children named in the petition attached to this notice. Be advised that you have the right to have an attorney represent you in this matter. If you cannot afford an attorney, one may be appointed for you. Witness my hand as the clerk of said court and the seal thereof, this 4 day of April, 2019. Deputy Clerk: Sherry Meehan Pubs: 4/19/2019, 4/26/2019, 5/3/2019 & 5/10/2019

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 File No.: 2019CP000534
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 The administration of the estate of William Charles Brescia, a/k/a William C. Brescia, deceased, whose date of death was March 19, 2019 is pending in the Circuit Court for St. Lucie County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 201 South Indian River Dr., 3rd Floor, Fort

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Pierce, FL 34950. The names and addresses of the Personal Representative and the Personal Representative's attorney are set forth below. All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served, must file their claims with this court ON OR BEFORE THE LATER OF THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE TIME OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ST. LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA, PROBATE DIVISION IN RE: ESTATE OF PHYLLIS JOHNSON HUME, Deceased. FILE NO. 562019CP000473
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ST. LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION IN RE: ESTATE OF FLORENCE TAYLOR HAYS, Deceased.
 File No.: 2019CP000484
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 The administration of the estate of Florence Taylor Hays, deceased, whose date of death was March 19, 2019; is pending in the Circuit Court for St. Lucie County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is P.O. Box 700, Ft. Pierce, FL 34954. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.
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 All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, must file their claims with this court WITHIN THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

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CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED. The date of first publication of this notice is May 3, 2019. Personal Representative: Mary Jane Hays 333 SW Voltair Terrace Port St. Lucie, FL 34984. Attorney for Personal Representative: Michael R. Banks, Esq. Email: mbanks@mrbankslaw.com Secondary Email: amclendon@mrbankslaw.com Florida Bar No. 84247 Michael R. Banks, P.A. 759 SW Federal Hwy., Ste 216 Stuart, FL 34944 Telephone: 772-286-8828 Fax: 772-286-1986 Pubs: 5/3/19 & 5/10/19

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ST. LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION IN RE: ESTATE OF JANICE MOORE GILLESPIE a/k/a JANICE M. GILLESPIE, Deceased. Case No. 562019CP000476
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 The administration of the estate of Janice Moore Gillespie a/k/a Janice M. Gillespie, deceased, whose date of death is February 23, 2019, File Number 562019CP000476, is pending in the Circuit Court for St. Lucie County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is P.O. Box 700, Fort Pierce, FL 34954. The name and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.
 All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.
 All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ST. LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION IN RE: ESTATE OF FLORENCE TAYLOR HAYS, Deceased.
 File No.: 2019CP000484
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 The administration of the estate of Florence Taylor Hays, deceased, whose date of death was March 19, 2019; is pending in the Circuit Court for St. Lucie County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is P.O. Box 700, Ft. Pierce, FL 34954. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.
 All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served, must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.
 All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate, must file their claims with this court WITHIN THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

5020 Notice to Creditors

OF THE NINETEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR ST. LUCIE COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION IN RE: ESTATE OF STEPHEN EDWARD MARTIN, Deceased. File No. 2019CP0514
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 The administration of the estate of Stephen Edward Martin, deceased, whose date of death was March 25, 2019, is pending in the Circuit Court for St. Lucie County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is P.O. Box 700, Fort Pierce, Florida 34954. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.
 All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE (3) MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.
 All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED. The date of the first publication of this notice is May 10, 2019. Personal Representative: Natalie Martin-Young, 1009 Gopher Ridge Road, Ft. Pierce, FL 34982
 Attorneys for Personal Representative: Roy T. Mildner, Esquire, Florida Bar No.: 559148, Mildner & Associates, PA, 423 Delaware Ave., Fort Pierce, Florida 34950 Tel: 772-464-8008, Fax: 772-464-8233 Pubs: 5/10/19 & 5/17/19

5060 Notice of Sale

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE
 ABC TOWING OF PORT ST. LUCIE, LLC gives Notice of Foreclosure of Lien and intent to sell this vehicle on 5/23/2019 & 5/26/2019 @ 9:00 am at 1337 SW BILTMORE ST. PORT ST. LUCIE, 34983, pursuant to subsection 713.78 of the Florida Statutes. ABC TOWING OF PORT ST. LUCIE, LLC reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.
 Sale Date: 5/23/2019
 2002 TOYOTA 1NXBR12E42Z630155
 Sale Date: 5/26/2019
 2004 CADILLAC 1GYEK63NX4R121012
 Pub: 5/10/2019

5060 Notice of Sale

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE
 NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE: AUTO RESCUE INC. gives Notice of Foreclosure of Lien and intent to sell these vehicles on 05/26/2019, 10:00 am at 325 DIXIELAND DR. FORT PIERCE, FL 34982-6679, pursuant to subsection 713.78 of the Florida Statutes. AUTO RESCUE INC. reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids.
 2000 DODGE 2B7KB31Z3YK101609
 1996 MERCURY 2MELM7569TX607672
 1997 VOLKSWAGEN 3VWBA81E2VM803408
 2003 TOYOTA 4T3ZF19C43U551170
 2005 SUZUKI JS1RL41C752106272
 2005 SUZUKI JS1RL41C752106272
 2014 Zhejiang Xingyue Vehicle L4SPAELJ3E2005394
 Pub: 5/10/2019

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE
 To satisfy the owner's storage lien, PS Orange Co. Inc. will sell at public lien sale on May 28, 2019, the personal property in the below-listed units, which may include but are not limited to: household and personal items, office and other equipment. The public sale of these items will begin at 11:30 AM and continue until all units are sold. 20216 5221 Okeechobee Road, Fort Pierce, FL 34947 (772) 212-0264
 Unit # Name
 110 - Willis, Almus
 121 - Wright, Jazmin
 127 - Johnson, Aaron
 141 - Thorpe, Denise
 142 - Mcbee, Bernard
 145 - Paul, Shirley
 149 - Newman, Christina
 161 - Vaughn, Jessica
 168 - Clark, LeQuinton
 174B - Spigelmoeyer, Eric
 184 - Muniz, Dawn
 194 - Owens, Tiffany
 196 - Eckless, Jewel
 207 - Vincent, Roselanda
 222 - Fage, Paul
 230 - Banks, Pamela
 231 - Johnson, Tyrone
 237 - Simons, Jamie
 24 - Borteniuk, Bryan
 26 - Highman, Ebony
 298 - Reed, James
 311 - Bailey, Lori
 39 - Francois, Jeanine
 400 - Harrell, Lashonda
 402 - Patterson, Kecil
 406 - Amoh-Konadu, Kwaku
 426 - Plasencia, Alexandra
 438 - Walker, Falicia
 464 - Cuny, Jonathon
 472 - Morgan, Erna
 493 - James, Terrance
 5 - Williams, Arletha
 503 - Ghee, Alicia
 516 - Wesley, Jennie
 540 - Moore, Katarsha
 60 - Tingle, Preston
 70 - Santana, Ana
 75 - Polidoro, Michael
 8 - Helms, Porsche
 91 - Jesus, Roberto
 95 - Johnson, Sylvia
 Public sale terms, rules, and regulations will be made available prior to the sale. All sales are subject to cancellation. We reserve the right to refuse any bid. Payment must be in cash or credit card-no checks. Buyers must secure the units with their own personal locks. To claim tax-exempt status, original RESALE certificates for each space purchased is required. By PS Orangeco, Inc., 701 Western Avenue, Glendale, CA 91201. (818) 244-8080. Pubs: 5/10/19 & 5/17/19

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 Unit # Name
 A005 - Rilatt, Adam
 A016 - Rhoads, John
 A028 - Rhoads, Charles
 B034 - Cooper, Deloris
 B042 - Rzepski Jr., Jeffrey
 B052 - Harris, Tammy
 B059 - Flaherty, Randi
 C522 - Sesson, James
 D514 - Francois, Patrick
 G118 - Robinson, Cypriana
 G127 - Davis, Cassina
 G143 - Ghent, Angel
 G145 - Harrison, Kasie
 G175 - Garcia Hernandez, Marcos
 G178 - Brown, Andrew
 H186 - Crews, Simone
 H201 - Moore, Bruno
 H211 - Scott, Jacqueline
 H229 - Nickerson, Dale
 H236 - French, Angel
 H244 - Gibson, Charisma
 H252 - Rhoads, Charles
 I257 - Hernandez, Rashawna
 I280 - Works, Arlene
 I282 - Stottler, Bob
 I296 - Camp, Nicole
 I305 - Winters, Justine
 I307 - Monds, Mary
 I314 - Louisejune, Karry
 J321 - Lexine, Elia
 J334 - Bankston, Mark
 J335 - Martin, Wanda
 J342 - Osterfeld, Amanda
 J359 - Giovengo, Melissa
 J370 - Encarnacion, Alexander
 K412 - Lewis, Kanneashay
 K421 - Monds, Mary
 K427 - Bowen, Carl
 K435 - Antill, Patricia
 K442 - Tumblyn, Sterling
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 Unit # Name
 B005 - Reynolds, Jacqueline
 B006 - Kalidonis, Kevin
 B017 - Worthington, Bob
 B030 - Hendershot, Joshua
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B032 - Concepcion, Luz
 C102 - Allen, Charisse
 C105 - Carr, Colleen
 C110 - Williams, Bob
 C116 - Juarez, Carlos
 C121 - Lee-kin, Desmond
 C131 - Olsen, John
 C133 - Peraza, Charity
 C173 - Miller, Jared
 C177 - Mcdonald, Dahlia
 C183 - Potter, Debi
 C223 - Mulet, Jesus
 C226 - Rivera, Luis
 C227 - Reagan, Kendra
 D307 - Ortiz, Joseph
 D346 - Washington, Jermar
 E400 - Deluca, Salvatore
 E403 - McKenzie, Darla
 E415 - Everett, Leonard
 E418 - Reaves, Ricky
 E425 - Gonzalez, Lala
 F501 - Turdo, John
 F510 - Reaves, Sharon
 F515 - Burford, Amber
 F517 - Williams, Tamara
 F526 - Almeida, Jose
 F538 - Barrett, Felicia
 F540 - Smith, David
 F549 - Johnson, Kristen
 F554 - Foster, Kyle
 F603 - Vazquez, Miguel
 G730 - Kyles, Debbie
 G733 - Case, Matthew
 G744 - Barajas, Javier
 G787B - Taylor, Diane
 G802 - Sepulveda, Jose
 G809 - Williams, Ricki
 G819 - Channer, Priscilla
 G830 - Grindle, Vincent
 G831 - Roman, Alberto
 G847 - Wolfe Carson, Ashley
 G850 - Wood, Latonya
 G868B - Hinds, Rashanda
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Public Notice is hereby given that the Tri County Automotive & Towing will sell at Public Auction, pursuant to Florida Statutes section 713.78. Tri County reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids. To be held at Tri County Automotive at 3345 Okeechobee Rd, Ft. Pierce, FL 34947, 8:00 AM the following:
 Auction Date: 05-23-2019
 2004 HONDA VIN# 5FNRL189X4B084360
 Auction Date: 05-27-2019
 2017 APOLLO VIN# L08YGGJ1H1000645
 Auction Date: 05-28-2019
 2003 NISSAN VIN# 1N4AL11D13C197921
 2002 MITSUBISHI VIN# 6MMAP67P42T016022
 Auction Date: 05-29-2019
 2007 SATURN VIN# 1G8AL55F17Z103188
 2015 TOYOTA VIN# 4T1BF1FK6F9J36305
 Auction Date: 05-31-2019
 2003 DODGE VIN# 1B3ES56C03D235947
 Auction Date: 06-03-2019
 2016 TOYOTA VIN# 4T1BF1FK7G5U28767
 2009 MERCURY VIN# 3MEHMOHA1AR604872
 Auction Date: 06-04-2019
 1996 DODGE VIN# 3B7HC13Z5TG164113
 2008 CHRYSLER VIN# 1C3LC66K88N224863
 Auction Date: 06-05-2019
 2004 JEEP VIN# 1J4GX48S44C201504
 Auction Date: 06-14-2019
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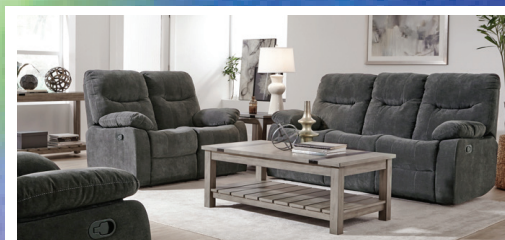
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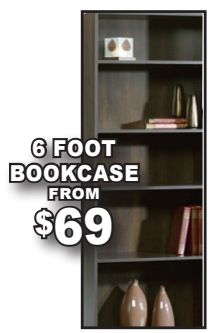
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