



MANASCO



MANNING

Two escape from women's dorm of Liberty County Jail

by Teresa Eubanks, Journal Editor

Two inmates who slipped out of the Liberty County Jail women's dorm early Saturday were back in custody six hours later after the Gulf County Sheriff's Office caught up with them in Wewahitchka.

The two — Violet Manning and Calesta Manasco — were later discovered on surveillance video leaving the jail around 12:15 a.m., according to Lt. Brigham Shuler.

He said the women escaped by using medical tape to hold cardboard over the magnetic locking bolts of the jail door, a trick that prevented the system from recognizing the security breach.

Manning was due to be sentenced Monday for a previous escape and methamphetamine charges. She pleaded guilty and was ordered to serve six years after the judge sentenced her to three years on each charge to run concurrently.

Investigators are not yet sure how the two women got to Wewahitchka from Bristol.

At 5:29 p.m. on Oct. 20, Manning ran out of the Liberty County Jail where she was being processed following her arrest in Blountstown on methamphetamine charges.

She was found about 50 yards from the jail, laying on the ground by a fence. She was returned to custody within ten minutes and charged with escape.

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Hey, Santa!

Kids scrambled to catch candy as Santa rode by in Saturday's Blountstown Christmas Parade. The Jolly Old Elf was generous with the sweet treats, throwing out plenty for folks gathered along the parade route. See more scenes from the parade on Page 7.

DANIEL WILLIAMS PHOTOS



A Shrinerman walking in Saturday's Altha Christmas Parade stops to give a stuffed toy to a little girl standing along the parade route. For more photos of the Altha Parade, see page 13.

DANIEL WILLIAMS PHOTO

Three charged with making meth in Bristol rental trailer

by Teresa Eubanks, Journal Editor

Three people were arrested after investigators conducted a "knock and talk" stop at the rental trailer occupied by Loretta Swearengin in Bristol early last week.

Daniel M. Brown, 25, and Michelle Alexander, 50, were taken into custody for manufacturing methamphetamine and possession of listed chemicals after a visit by authorities on Nov. 29.

Swearengin was at the trailer several hours later when it caught fire and burned. She told firefighters she fell asleep after leaving a pot of grease on the stove.

According to the arrest report, Calhoun-Liberty Drug Task Force members Sgt. Todd Wheatley of the Liberty County Sheriff's Office and Lt. Mark Mallory of the Calhoun County Sheriff's Office went to the trailer at

noon last Tuesday. When Swearengin opened the door, the men smelled the strong odor produced by the meth cooking process.

After getting consent from Swearengin, the two searched the home. Brown and Alexander were also there.

A bag that held lye and ammonium nitrate was found in Swearengin's bedroom along with two small plastic bottles of acid. In the kitchen, a 20-ounce bottle with a bi-layer liquid was found under the sink. A look into a white trashbag revealed a reaction vessel, stripped lithium batteries, empty pseudoephedrine blister packs, an empty instant cold pack, three 20-ounce bottles that contained solvent and coffee filters with residue.

A strip of tin foil with burned residue was found in the kitchen along with cut straws and a glass dish that held a razor blade. A cut straw and tin foil strip with



DANIEL BROWN



MICHELLE ALEXANDER



LORETTA SWEARENGIN

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ARREST REPORTS

compiled by Journal Editor Teresa Eubanks

Second arrest made in Blountstown crack cocaine buy that led to battery

A second suspect has been arrested after a man who drove to the area in Blountstown known as "The Cut" to buy crack cocaine suffered a blow to the face in an apparent robbery attempt.

The victim, who was acting as a confidential source for the Blountstown Police Department, went to The Cut with \$40 in marked money while outfitted with surveillance equipment to record a drug exchange on Nov. 28.

The informant reported that he asked a black male, identified as Albert Milton, 55, of Blountstown where he could get some crack cocaine. Milton told him to "pull up and wait." After the informant



ALBERT MILTON

turned around and parked, Milton approached the driver's side of his vehicle and stated that he would have to give him something for getting the drug. He then poured two pieces of crack from a cup into the informant's hand. Before the man could hand over the money, a black male later identified as Bernard Robinson came up behind

Milton, reached through the window and violently hit the driver in the face.

"It appeared as if Milton was a distraction while the black male tried to knock the confidential source unconscious in an attempt to commit robbery," according to the event report from the Blountstown Police

Department.

The confidential source returned to the secure location, reported the attack and handed over the crack.

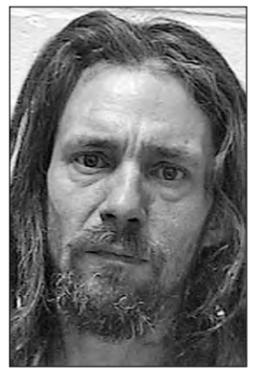
The drug transaction - which took place within 1,000 feet of a school - was recorded.

Milton was charged with delivery of a controlled substance (crack cocaine) and principal in the first degree to attempted robbery. He was arrested Dec. 1 and is being held on \$20,000 bond.

When police officers went to the scene that night, they identified Bernard Robinson as the man who hit the confidential source. After a struggle which included Robinson biting Lt. Timothy Partridge's arm, Robinson was taken into custody. He was charged with battery, resisting arrest with violence and battery on a law enforcement officer.



MELISSA TERRY



WESLEY WILLIAMS

Pine Island pair charged with making methamphetamine

A Pine Island man and a woman staying at his NE Bay Street residence are charged with manufacture of methamphetamine and possession of listed chemicals after a search by the Calhoun-Liberty Drug Task Force led to the discovery of at least three separate meth cook spots in the home, along with numerous chemicals and supplies used in the one-pot method of making the highly addictive drug.

Task Force members searched the home Nov. 21 after learning that Westley Robert Williams, 39, had made a "suspiciously large number of pseudoephedrine purchases" and had been blocked from similar purchases five times, according to the arrest report.

Williams was not taken into custody at that time due to a medical issue. He and Melissa Ann Terry, 34,

See PINE ISLAND PAIR on page 21

Man calls mother before being arrested on charge of trafficking in methamphetamine

A 37-year-old Blountstown man was charged with trafficking methamphetamine in excess of 28 grams after the Calhoun-Liberty Drug Task Force served a search warrant at his home Dec. 1.

Arrested was Charles Randolph Corbin of NW 14th Street.

When Corbin opened his door in response to an investigator's knock around 10:30 p.m. Thursday, Task Force members went inside and immediately noticed the strong odor associated with cooking

methamphetamine.

A Task Force member said he could tell that he was cooking methamphetamine and asked Corbin where it was. He pointed and said it was in the kitchen cabinet.

The reaction vessel was removed and the lid was opened to allow the gas produced by the cooking process to escape.

After handing a search warrant to Cobin, Task Force members searched the home and found the supplies needed to make methamphetamine, including empty



CHARLES CORBIN

pseudoephedrine blister packs and stripped lithium batteries. A glass dish containing four grams of methamphetamine powder

was found on the kitchen table. Suspected meth oil was taken from the reaction vessel as well as other items. The containers used were taken to be processed for fingerprints.

As his home was being searched, Corbin was allowed to call his mother and was heard telling her he was going to jail. "I did something bad. I've got a problem and I can't beat it," he told her, according to the arrest report.

He is being held on \$20,000 bond.

Dispute over spraying weed killer leads to battery charge

A 62-year-old man was charged with battery after a dispute with a neighbor allegedly got physical, according to a report from the Liberty County Sheriff's Office.

A deputy who responded to a report of a physical disturbance on Carl Bradwell Road in Hosford was met by Carl Bradwell, 55, who said Richard McDaniel struck him.

According to Bradwell, he was spraying weed killer on the easement of his property around 9 a.m. that day, Nov. 17, when McDaniel approached him. He said McDaniel was yelling at him and was angry because he had recently spread rye grass seed in the same location.

Bradwell said McDaniel hit him on the right side of his eye and cheek area with his hand. It was noted that Bradwell had what appeared to be scratches and bruising on his face.



RICHARD MCCDANIEL

McDaniel, who had no visible injuries, said they argued but denied the dispute got physical.

Trespass warnings were issued against both men.

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SHERIFF'S LOG

CALHOUN COUNTY

Nov. 29

- Patrick Milledge, *VOCP (warrant), CCSO.*
- Andrew Lee Young, *VOCP (warrant), CCSO.*
- Patricia Antoniette McRoy, *failure to appear (warrant), CCSO.*

Dec. 01

- Albert Milton, *delivery of a controlled substance (crack cocaine), principal of the first degree (armed robbery), CCSO.*
- Charles Randolph Corbin, *possession of meth, trafficking over 14 grams, CCSO.*

Dec. 02

- Roxanne Parrish, *failure to appear (times 5), CCSO.*
- Melissa Ann Terry, *manufacture of methamphetamine, possession of listed chemicals, CCSO.*
- Westley Robert Williams, *manufacture of methamphetamine, possession of listed chemicals, CCSO.*

LIBERTY COUNTY

Nov. 29

- Daniel Brown, *manufacturing meth, possession of listed chemicals, LCSO.*
- Michelle Alexander, *manufacturing meth, LCSO.*

Nov. 30

- Patricia A. McRoy, *holding for CCSO, CCSO.*
- Richard McDaniel, *battery, LCSO.*
- Russell Dalton, *failure to appear, LCSO.*

Dec. 01

- Chaston Smith, *VOCP, LCSO.*

Dec. 02

- Melissa Terry, *holding for CCSO, CCSO.*

Dec. 5

- Loretta Swearingin, *manufacturing meth, LCSO.*

Listings include name followed by charge and identification of arresting agency. The names above represent those charged. We remind our readers that all are presumed innocent until proven guilty.

Blountstown Police Dept.
Nov. 28 through Dec. 4, 2011

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CLARIFICATION:
The Melissa Phinney named in last week's front page article "Liberty juries return quick not guilty verdicts in two cases" should have been listed as Melissa Joe Finney and is not the same person as the Melissa Phinney of Fountain, who is employed by the Calhoun County School Board.

Three arrested on meth charges

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burned residue was found in a bedroom used by Alexander.

During a recorded interview with investigators, Swearingin said Brown had been cooking meth at her home. She said she and Alexander had smoked the finished meth in the trailer with Brown.

Alexander told investigators she was there on more than one occasion when Brown was making meth. She said she had been staying at Swearingin's trailer for the past two weeks and stated that she does use methamphetamine.

Brown admitted he cooked meth a couple of days earlier at the trailer. He said he couldn't remember how many times he had cooked meth there and said he was up for several days after cooking meth and using it at the trailer the previous week. He admitted that evidence taken from the scene belonged to him and said the three of them smoked the meth he had cooked.

Swearingin was not arrested that day due to her cooperation. A warrant for her arrest for manufacture of methamphetamine was later issued and she was taken into custody on Monday.



MOCK TRIAL HELD

Seventh graders from Tolar and Hosford School visited the Liberty County courtroom to observe a mock DUI trial last week. Students saw a re-enactment of a local DUI case with only the names changed.

Deputies from the sheriff's department who were questioned in the original case repeated their testimony in this trial in which Investigator Todd Wheatley took on the role of the defendant, "Tommy Novos." ABOVE: A third year law student questions Liberty County Deputy Jonathan Gentry as County Judge Ken Hosford looks on. Students also observed two first appearances and enjoyed a lunch prepared by the sheriff's office.

JOHNNY EUBANKS PHOTOS

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- Prepay your hunter's deer processing
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- Buy them lunch anytime with a gift certificate to one of our local restaurants
- Give a subscription to The Journal
- Order a Christmas cake or pastry
- Fill their tackle box or a new rod and reel
- Think fitness, embroidery, oil change, tires, lawn maintenance and car washes

By shopping locally during the holidays, you can do your part in supporting our local businesses, schools and economy into the new year.

Don't forget – Christmas Parade this Saturday at 6:30 p.m. in Bristol! Any questions, call Michael Wright 570-4502.
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Saturday, December 10
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Blacksmith class set for Dec. 17 at the Settlement

The Panhandle Pioneer Settlement will be having a Blacksmith Class on Saturday, Dec. 17, 2011 at 8 a.m. (CT).

If you enjoy hands-on experience, this is the place to be.

Come join us in the art of shaping heated iron and steel (forging) with hand tools such as hammers, tongs and chisels on an anvil.

All will enjoy this experience at the Panhandle Pioneer Settlement in Blountstown.

There are limited slots available so you must RSVP.

For more information, call 674-2777 or email: info@ppmuseum.org.

Redneck Christmas parade in Scotts Ferry on Dec. 10

The fourth annual Scotts Ferry Redneck Christmas parade will be on Saturday, Dec. 10. The line up is at 4 p.m. (CT) at the Scotts Ferry Volunteer Fire Department with the parade beginning at 4:30 p.m.

Each entry is asked to bring an unwrapped child's toy. Entries are invited to the home of Robert and Diane Long after the parade for hotdogs, drinks, hot chocolate and baked goods.

In case of rain, the parade will be re-scheduled for the following afternoon, Sunday, Dec. 11, at the same time.

For more information call Diane Long at 643-8330.

Mossy Pond VFD to hold Christmas celebration Dec. 10

Mossy Pond V.F.D. will have their annual Christmas Celebration on Saturday, Dec. 10 from 1 to 5 p.m. at the firehouse.

Registration will begin at 12:30 p.m., lunch is from 1 to 3 p.m. and Santa will arrive at 3 p.m. Santa will be handing out gifts from 3:30 to 5.

Lunch will consist of ham or turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, rolls, drinks and desserts. There will also be a craft table available while waiting for Santa.

Lane restrictions on S.R. 20 in Clarksville

CHIPLEY -Traffic on State Road 20 between the Bay County line and Clarksville will encounter lane restrictions Friday, Dec. 2 to Friday, Dec. 16 from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. for milling and resurfacing. Drivers are reminded to pay attention to the speed limit when traveling through the construction area and to use caution when driving in work zones.

For more Florida Department of Transportation District Three information follow us on twitter at www.twitter.com/myfdot_nwfl.

Community Calendar

Wednesday, December 7

TODAY'S MEETINGS

- **Rotary Club**, noon, Calhoun-Liberty Hospital
- **AA**, 7 p.m., Calhoun County Old Ag Bldg. east door, in front of jail
- **Boy Scouts Troop 200**, 6:30 p.m., Mormon Church, Bristol

National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day

Thursday, December 8

TODAY'S MEETINGS

- **AA**, 7 p.m., basement of Calhoun County Courthouse
- **Liberty Commission**, 6 p.m. in Court room
- **Nettle Ridge VFD**, 7 p.m. at Fire House
- **Liberty Women's Club**, 11 a.m., Apalachee Rest.
- **Calhoun School Board**, 5 p.m. Calhoun Extension Office in Commission Board Room

BIRTHDAYS

Patricia Johnson

Friday, December 9

Tour of Homes 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. (CT)

Starts at Calhoun-Liberty Hospital lobby

BIRTHDAYS

Braydon Lee Jones

Saturday, December 10

LIBERTY COUNTY Christmas Parade 6:30 p.m.

Mossy Pond VFD Christmas Celebration 1 to 5 p.m. at the firehouse

SCOTTS FERRY 'Redneck' Christmas Parade 4:30 p.m. (CT)

Adult Dance, 8-12 p.m. at the Legion Hall in Blountstown

Sunday, December 11

The Nutcracker

3 p.m. (ET)
Veterans Memorial Civic Center in Bristol

Attend the Church of your choice this Sunday

Monday, December 12

Boy Scout Troop 206

meets at 7 p.m., Veterans Memorial Park Civic Center

Torrey Garden Club

6 p.m. (CT), Log Cabin Club House at the Pioneer Settlement

Tuesday, December 13

TODAY'S MEETINGS

- **Altha Boy Scouts**, 7 p.m., Altha Volunteer Fire Department
- **AA**, 6 p.m., Altha Community Center
- **Altha Town Council**, 6 p.m., City Hall
- **Blountstown City Council**, 6 p.m., City Council Room
- **Bristol Lions Club**, 7 p.m., Apalachee Restaurant
- **Blountstown Chapter #179 O.E.S.**, 7 p.m., Dixie Lodge in Blountstown
- **Liberty School Board**, 7 p.m., School Board Meeting Room
- **Bristol VFD**, 7 p.m., Bristol City Hall

Tour of Homes set for Dec. 9 in Calhoun and Liberty counties

Blountstown Main Street will host the 6th Annual Christmas Tour of Homes on Friday, Dec. 9, from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. (CT).

This year's Tour of Homes features four beautiful and unique houses in Calhoun and Liberty counties.

The first stop on the tour is Calhoun-Liberty Hospital where the lobby will be filled with a variety of holiday treats. Tickets can be purchased for \$10 each for adults, \$5 for students, and pre-schoolers will be free. A map to the homes will be provided, along with a ticket necklace to be worn on the tour. After picking up your tickets, tour the houses at your own pace and in any order.

Homes on the tour include the residence of Milton and Dorcas (Headings) Beachy on County Road 275 in the Abe Springs Community; the Hentz Avenue home of Mike and Carla Peacock on in Blountstown; Dresa Leonard Barfield's house on Evans Avenue in Blountstown and the Summers Road residence of Teresa Eubanks in Bristol.

Please join us for this sixth annual holiday tradition of meeting, greeting, and eating! All proceeds will go to Blountstown Main Street to benefit downtown revitalization projects.

Victorian Christmas at Landmark Park

Experience the warmth and history of the holiday season with Landmark Park's Victorian Christmas on Dec. 11 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Children can make old-fashioned ornaments and decorations to take home or hang on a cedar tree at the park. Kids will also have a chance to take a wagon ride.

A Christmas message will be delivered by a circuit riding preacher in the Headland Presbyterian Church. Holiday music will take place in the Victorian-style gazebo.

The Shelley General Store and Martin Drug Store will be open with seasonal items and unique gift ideas for sale. Syrup from Landmark Park's sugarcane fields will also be on sale.

Admission to Victorian Christmas is free for everyone. Visitors are encouraged to bring a nonperishable food item for donation to the Wiregrass United Way Food Bank. Victorian Christmas is sponsored by The Joy FM 94.3.

For more information, call Landmark Park at 334-794-3452.

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United Daughters of the Confederacy to meet in Blountstown

The United Daughters of the Confederacy (UDC) will be meeting Friday, Dec. 10 at 9:30 a.m. (CT) at the Calhoun County Library.

The group is developing a Chapter Charter for Calhoun and surrounding counties. We are welcoming anyone that is interested in becoming a member to attend this meeting. You will be receiving information on the organization and the process of becoming a member. We will be having special UDC members from neighboring UDC Chapters to help answer questions.

The United Daughters of the Confederacy is a women's heritage association dedicated to honoring the memory of those who served in the military and died in service to the Confederate States of America.

The objectives of the organization are historical, educational, benevolent, memorial and patriotic. The UDC collect and preserve the material necessary for a truthful history of the War Between the States and to protect, preserve, and mark the places made historic by Confederate valor. They also assist descendants of worthy Confederates in securing a proper education.

UDC fulfills the sacred duty of benevolence toward the survivors of the War and along with those

dependent upon them and honor the memory of those who served and those who fell in the service of the Confederate States of America.

They record the part played during the War by Southern women, including their patient endurance of hardship, their patriotic devotion during the struggle, and their untiring efforts during the post-War reconstruction of the South and cherish the ties of friendship with each others.

So many of our ancestors played an important role in the development of Southern history and especially our values. Some of these names in our area are:

Peacock, McClellan, Bailey, Tucker, Horne, Free, Griffin, Lindsey, Rollins, Atkins, Gaskin, Hansford, Traylor, Collins, McDaniel, Messer, Taylor, Armstrong, Yon, Edenfield, Mathews, Richards, Cason, Parrish, Pitts, Wood, Musgrove, Martin, Baggett, Whitfield, Whittington, Daniels, Stephens, Barfield,

Smith, Scott, Jones, Clark, Nichols, Eubanks, Leath, Lawson, Redd, Revell, Harrell, Merchant, Williams, Davis, Ayers, Beck, O'Brian, White, Stone, Tindell, Kent, Walden, Porter, Hires, Barber, Sexton, Franklin, Montford, Durham, Hardee, Johnson, Goodson, Bracewell, Forehand, Chason, Hare, Dunaway, Dyer, Shuler, Tolar, Larkins, Stoker, Dugger, Peters, Deason, Stoutamire, Flowers, Rankin, Ferrell, Kyler, Summers, Turner, Carson, Tanton, Jackson, Hosford, Brown and many more.

For more information, please call 674-1334.



Chipola College biology professor Dr. David Hilton and 14 students from Conservation Biology (BSC1059) recently hiked the 3.75 mile Garden of Eden Trail at the Apalachicola Bluffs and Ravines Preserve near Bristol. Pictured from left, are: (front) Nicole Schneider, Kaitlyn Baxley, Stephanie Smalley, Kasey Ivey, Amber Boatner, Sierra Hill, Nadine Long, (back) Jeff Pitts, Joseph Covington, Chris Holloway, Hays McKay and Timothy Davis.

Chipola students visit Apalachicola Bluffs and hike 3.75 mile Garden of Eden trail

MARIANNA—Chipola College biology professor Dr. David Hilton and 14 students from Conservation Biology (BSC1059) recently hiked the 3.75 mile Garden of Eden Trail at the Apalachicola Bluffs and Ravines Preserve near Bristol.

The students were able to observe steephead ravines, some of the rarest of freshwater habitats. Dr. Hilton says, "These unique features are the only places on earth where two rare evergreens, the Florida Torreya and Florida Yew can be found."

The trail begins in a longleaf and wire-

grass upland and ends with a spectacular view at Alum Bluff, 135 feet above the Apalachicola River. The hike is moderately difficult as hikers climb down into and then out of two of the ravines.

The 6,295 acre Bluff and Ravines preserve is owned and maintained by the Nature Conservancy. Several restoration projects are currently underway, from the re-introduction of native species to the control and removal of invasive, non-native species. The Nature Conservancy also provides land management assistance for neighboring Torreya State Park.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Liberty County School Board is proposing changes to the following policies:

2.90 Tobacco Use in District Facilities

A public hearing on these policies will be held on December 13, 2011 at the Liberty County Administrative Offices, Hwy 12 South, Bristol, FL 32321 at 6 p.m. Copies of all policies are available at the Superintendent's Office.

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8:00, 9:30, 11 am in Blountstown (850) 482-2477
11 am in Marianna

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BIRTHDAYS



BRAYDON LEE JONES

Braydon Lee Jones will celebrate his first birthday on Dec. 9. He is the son of Patrick and Monica Jones of Clarksville. His grandparents are Brad and Sharon Guilford of Clarksville, Richie and Becky Hart of Sneads and Joseph Jones of Williamsburg, VA. His great-grandparents are Frank and Mildred Guilford and Amos and Mary Sue Lee, all of Blountstown and John and Bonnie Shackelford and Bill Jones, all of Williamsburg, VA. Braydon enjoys playing outside, riding the four wheeler and watching Mickey Mouse Clubhouse.



KALEB CONYERS

Kaleb Conyers celebrated his third birthday on Dec. 1. He is the son of Grant and Jenny Conyers of Bristol. His grandparents are Donnie and Ann Conyers and Kenny and Jayne Foran, all of Bristol and John and Barbara Church of Arizona. His great-grandparents are Smitty and the late Hester Smith of Bristol and J.B. and the late Dory Holmquist of California. Kaleb enjoys playing with his trucks and horses. He also enjoys playing with his cousins and big sister, Kara.



PARKER LAMBETH

Parker Lambeth celebrated his second birthday on Nov. 27. He is the son of Leah Paquette and Joseph Lambeth. He celebrated with a carnival birthday party. Parker loves playing with big trucks as well as hanging out with his Bubba, Nash, Bryce, and his sissy, Hailey.



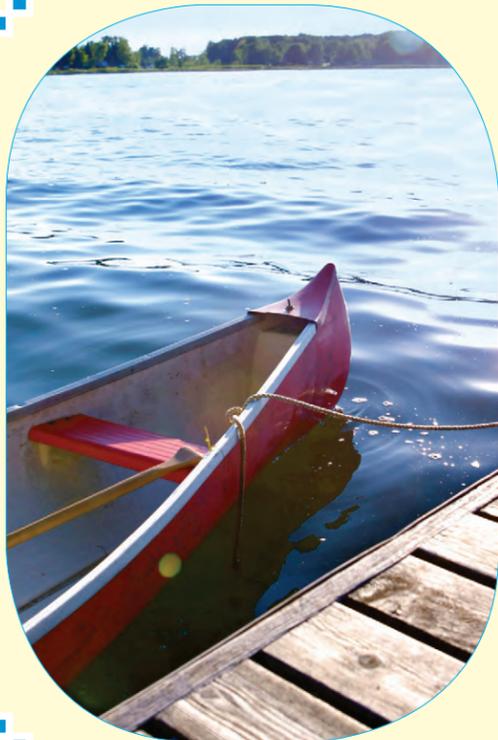
SHATERICA ZAHNAE SMITH

Shaterica Zahnae Smith celebrated her sixth birthday on Nov. 28 with a Strawberry Shortcake party. She is the daughter of Voloria McCray and Sheffield Smith. Her grandparents are Gladstone and Leola Love and Alvin Mathis, all of Bristol and Edward and Helen Jones of Blountstown. Her great-grandmother is Rosetta Baker and her Godparents are Viola Daughtrey of Hobe Sound and Fitzroy and Wanda Douglas of West Palm Beach. Shaterica enjoys going to school, singing, dancing and helping take care of her baby sister, Shanlyah.

Caitlin Sanders named to Dean's List

SAVANNAH, GA — Caitlin Sanders of Blountstown has been named to the Dean's List at the Savannah College of Art and Design for fall quarter 2011.

Full-time undergraduate students who earn a grade point average of 3.5 or above for the quarter receive recognition on the Dean's List.



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GRAND OPENING

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Friday, December 9

from 8 a.m. to 12 noon at the

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Door Prizes

GRAND PRIZE DRAWING

Beginning Friday, Dec. 9 register for our Grand Prize: A sandwich a week for a year to be given away January 1, 2012. With each visit drop your name in the box and you could be the winner!

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Blountstown Christmas Parade

The annual Blountstown Christmas Parade had plenty of sparkle this year as participants followed the theme "Hollywood Holiday." Drew Peacock of Altha served as Parade Grand Marshal. Judges selected winning floats in the following categories:

•**Overall Winner** – Calhoun Liberty Hospital's "Movie Stars & Movie Reels"

•**First Place** – First Baptist Church of Blountstown's "It's a Wonderful Life with Jesus"

•**Second Place** – Roman Wood & Family's "Santa's Sleigh"

•**Third Place** – Parthenon Healthcare's "Hollywood Movie Stars."

DANIEL WILLIAMS PHOTOS



The Liberty County Chamber of Commerce, in partnership with the Liberty County Sheriff's Office, IS PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE

Lights of Liberty Parade

Liberty County's Christmas Parade

Saturday, Dec. 10
at 6:30 p.m. • Line up 5 p.m.

The parade will begin at the LCHS Football field, travel north on Hwy. 12 to Hwy. 20, then Hwy. 20 to Myers Ann Street, concluding at the Football Field.

• Line up 5 p.m. • Float Judging 5:30 p.m.

• Trophies for 1st, 2nd, 3rd & Grand Prize for best overall entry and best use of lights

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Each entry **MUST** have lights as part of decoration.

For more information, please contact Michael Wright at 570-4502 or Mitch Willis at 643-1650



Late Night Laughs

A RECAP OF RECENT OBSERVATIONS
BY LATE NIGHT TV HOSTS.

The Senate is doing its first-ever Secret Santa gift exchange this year. Yeah, there's a \$10 spending limit, but they plan to go \$14 trillion over budget.
— JIMMY FALLON

I think Herman Cain is getting a little desperate. He said if his wife forgives him, he'll throw in free bread sticks, buffalo wings and a 2-liter of Pepsi.
— JAY LENO

A woman said she had an affair with Herman Cain that lasted 13 years. I don't know who the accuser is, but I think we can rule out Kim Kardashian.
— JIMMY FALLON

Herman Cain is the first Republican presidential candidate to get secret service protection. The level of protection a candidate gets depends on how well-known they are. For example, Jon Huntsman gets a 10-minute judo lesson and a plastic whistle.
— JAY LENO

Three wealthy investors who are already worth millions won the \$254 million Powerball jackpot. Yeah, in a related story, everyone's head at Occupy Wall Street just exploded.
— CONAN O'BRIEN

In a new interview, it's revealed that Mitt Romney loves chocolate milk. While Rick Perry prefers milk like his poll numbers: 2 percent.
— JIMMY FALLON

I don't know if you know the Occupy L.A. protesters have been evicted. As of this morning, according to reports, and all that was left of their campsite was trash, empty tents and the smell of urine. Then someone pointed out that was not Occupy Los Angeles, that was Gary Busey's house.
— CONAN O'BRIEN

A new study found that Gmail users have the best credit, while people with Yahoo and Hotmail accounts have the worst credit. Or as people with AOL put it, "What's credit?"
— JIMMY FALLON

How many of you are here just because you got kicked out of Occupy L.A.? The police shut down the camp, so it's time for the homeless people to go back to the public library where they belong. And at last the park can be returned to its rightful owners, crack salesmen.
— JIMMY KIMMEL

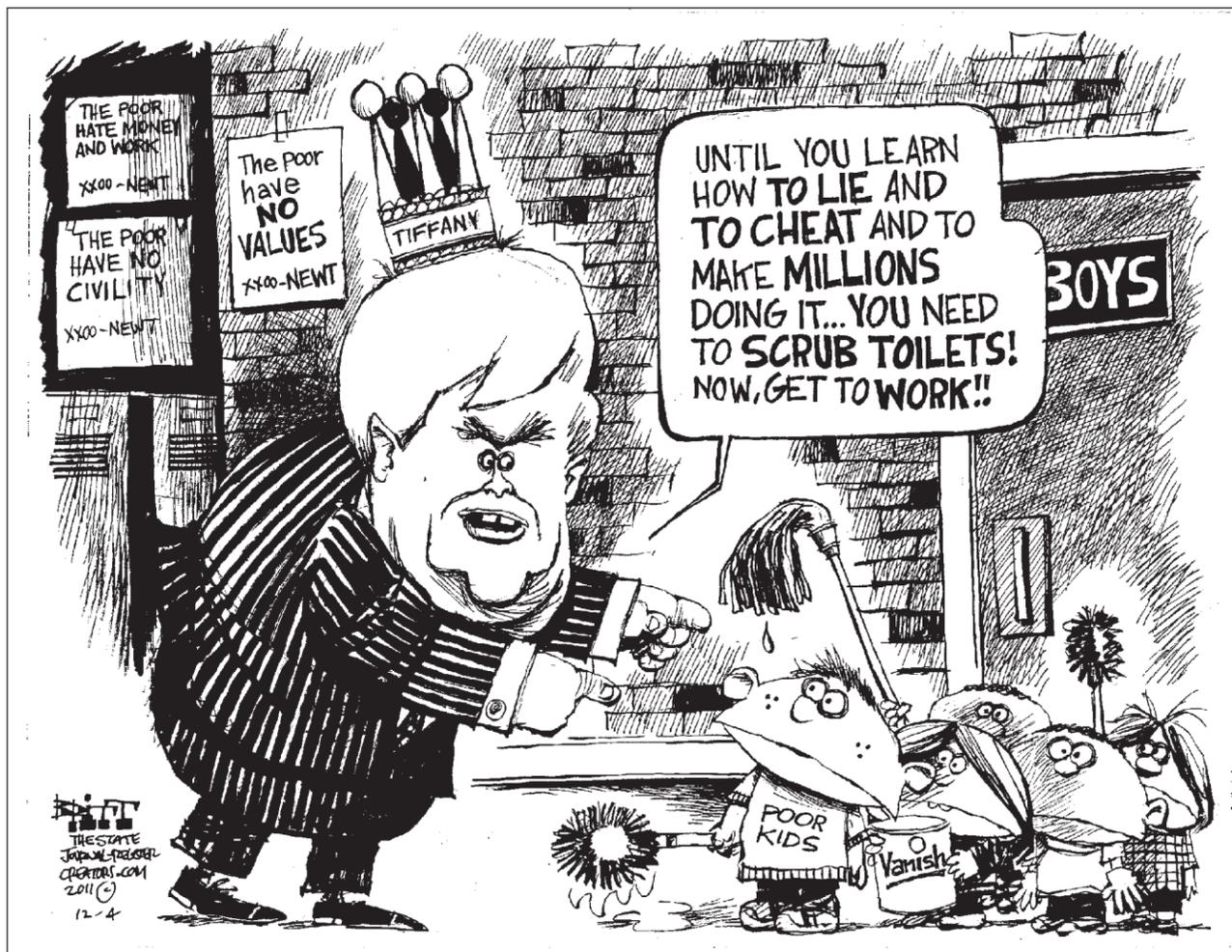
Herman Cain's latest accuser, a woman named Ginger White, said the affair with Herman Cain lasted for 13 years. She knew Herman Cain was married. Just as the other four women who accused him of sexual harassment, they knew Herman Cain was married. In fact, the only one who didn't realize Herman Cain was married was Herman Cain.
— JAY LENO

Republican candidate Rick Perry is denying rumors that his top advisers are being demoted. Yep, Perry was like, "I want to make it clear that at no point in this campaign have I had any advisers."
— JIMMY FALLON

Another woman has come forward. Herman Cain is starting to look like a black Tiger Woods.
— JIMMY KIMMEL

Brian Williams continued with the 'NBC Nightly News' while a high-pitched fire alarm went off in the studio. Yeah, he kept talking over a loud screeching sound - or as that's also known, "The View."
— JIMMY FALLON

Congress may allow Americans to start selling horse meat for human consumption. When they heard the news, McDonald's unveiled their new breakfast offering, the Sea Biscuit biscuit.
— CONAN O'BRIEN



Punitive politics showcase America's mean streak

My sharp-tongued old grandmother had a saying for most everything. When hearing about someone acting like a mule kicking out the stall, her comment would be, "Well, everyone has a mean streak, you just gotta find it."

We have found America's mean streak. No surprise here, but the mean streak is in politicians and their punitive politics and policies. At the moment, America's mean streak belongs to right-wing politicians and the extremist groups that elect them to office.

Right-wingers think that poor people are leeches on society. It's bad enough to be poor, out of work with a bleak future, but being poor in Newt (The Grinch) Gingrich's America would be even worse.

There are plenty of poor people in America. The World Hunger Education Services states that in 2010 there were 17.2 million American families without sufficient food. In 2010, there were 46.9 million Americans living in poverty. This number is up from 37.3 million in 2007. There are 40.9 million Americans without health insurance.

The US Department of Agriculture reports that 21 million students receive subsidized lunches, up from 18 million in 2006/7. Eleven states, including Florida, had four-year increases of 25 percent or more which were significant changes in a program that normally increases at the pace of population growth.

For those that pound their chest and proclaim "America's exceptionalism," they are correct. For a country like America to have this many people in poverty and without sufficient food is "exceptional."

I agree with Newt's "get a job, go to work" approach, but that's not as easily done as said. Because of the collapse of the real estate market, the majority of lost jobs are in the building and construction trades. So, what kind of job is a 50-year old carpenter or mason going to get when they go to the job fairs and employment agencies?

There is nothing wrong with the trades. There is nothing wrong with being a carpenter or mason. These people are skilled in their craft and build the houses we live in. But until the real estate market reaches equilibrium in supply and demand, there won't be jobs for the building trades.

Poor people, people on welfare, people on food stamps are all targets of people like Gingrich. Get those school kids on welfare swinging mops in the school bathrooms. Pay them a buck a day. So, in Newt's right-wing view, it's OK for poor kids to clean toilets for the rest of the kids.

Newt and his right-wing friends are quick to demagogue people receiving food stamps. No doubt that some abuse the food stamp program, but some doctors and HMOs also defraud the Medicaid/Medicare programs.

Newt says that millionaires get food stamps. If Newt knows a millionaire getting food stamps and doesn't report this fraud to the authorities, then he is aiding and abetting a criminal.

Newt says that people take trips to Hawaii on their food stamp money. I doubt that because I do know something about food stamps. A friend is on food stamps, but the "stamps" are actually a debit card. The card and his account are limited to the purchase of basic food items. To get the debit card, he fills out forms for the state agency.

Since Tea Party Republicans were elected in 2010 and now dominate the House of Representatives and about half of the state legislatures, there has been a concerted Republican effort to demonize public workers, particularly union workers.

Republican dominated state legislatures have instituted laws that suppresses the vote, particularly in areas populated by Democrat voters. State legislatures are now in the "gerrymandering" mode. Every ten years, legislative districts are redrawn with the intent to gain seats in the House of Representatives in the best interest of the political party doing the drawing.

But punitive politics and policies are not entirely the efforts of right-wingers. Senate Democrats joined Senate Republicans and voted for an amendment to the defense bill that permits the authorities to jail suspected terrorists, to include American citizens, indefinitely without due process of law. No habeas corpus, the Rule of Law doesn't apply.

Fortunately, the Supreme Court will overturn this effort should it become law, but the scary part is that the law was passed in the United States Senate with bipartisan support. It's America's mean streak emphasizing punitive politics and policies.

COX'S CORNER

Jerry Cox is a retired military officer and writer with an extensive background in domestic and foreign policy issues. He lives in Okaloosa County.

LCHS Bulldogs fall to Bucks 68-40 in Dec. 2 game



ABOVE LEFT: Liberty's Chance Peterson (#10) uses a little footwork to block Bozeman's player. ABOVE RIGHT: Bulldog Jojo Durden (#13) goes up for the shot. BELOW: Liberty's Blake Baggett (#3) takes aim.



BELOW: Bulldog Daniel Deason (#12) maneuvers around a Bozeman player.



The Bozeman Bucks jumped out to a commanding lead against the Liberty County Bulldogs at Friday's game in Bristol. The visiting team scored early and played really good defense while Liberty County turned the ball over many times in their first home game of the season.

"We were able to settle down in the second half and play good basketball, but early on we dug ourselves into a deep hole a bit too hard to climb out of," said LCHS Coach Gerald Tranquille.

The Bucks ended the night with 68 points to Liberty County's 40.



Bulldog Alex Marlowe (#5) goes up for the shot.

DANIEL WILLIAMS PHOTOS

Sixty-two take part in Friday's Jingle Bell Run in Blountstown

Fifteen-year-old Blountstown High School cross-country runner Thomas Howell won the third annual Jingle Bell 5K Friday night with a time of 18.12.

Runners gathered at the middle school in Blountstown, made a loop through town and then returned to their starting point.

Howell's BHS teammates took second and third place, with Cheston Goodman running 21:51 to Will McClellan's 21:52. Mark McCarra, 41, took fourth place with a time of 22:11.

RUNNERS AND THEIR TIMES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

18:12 ~ Thomas Howell (M, 15)
 21:51 ~ Cheston Goodman (M, 18)
 21:52 ~ Will McClellan (M, 14)
 22:11 ~ Mark McCarra (M, 46)
 22:51 ~ Paul Plazarin (M, 41)
 23:21 ~ Judy Alexander (F, 50)
 23:39 ~ Jesse Langley (M, 15)
 23:46 ~ Hardy Mitchell (M, 12)
 23:49 ~ Porter Smith (M, 15)
 23:59 ~ Phillip Griffin (M, 45)
 24:01 ~ Katie Cox (F, 13)
 24:32 ~ Derek Eberly (M, 14)



24:33 ~ Joey Rabun (M, 45)
 24:53 ~ Alfonso Hernandez (M, 18)
 25:09 ~ Todd McClellan (M, 41)
 26:04 ~ Tina Smith (F, 46)
 26:11 ~ Amber Raisbeck (F, 14)
 26:37 ~ Jarrod Barfield (M, 36)
 26:43 ~ Ruth Eberly (F, 56)
 26:53 ~ Olivia Atkins (F, 14)
 27:21 ~ Sky Scott (F, 24)
 27:22 ~ Rachel Williams (F, 14)

27:24 ~ Bonnie Richards (F, 37)
 27:24 ~ Amanda Dehn (F, 32)
 27:43 ~ Sandy O'Bryan (F, 37)
 28:06 ~ Ben Hall (M, 35)
 28:25 ~ Chris Atkins (M, 49)
 28:30 ~ Maggie Sewell (F, 40)
 28:37 ~ Lindsay Beam (F, 23)
 28:52 ~ Cissy Barfield (F, 35)
 29:11 ~ Rhonda Blair (F, ?)
 29:47 ~ Melissa Bryan (F, 10)

29:58 ~ Glen Kimbrel (M, 57)
 30:06 ~ No Tag
 30:15 ~ Patricia Williams-Cauley (F, 24)
 30:50 ~ Jamey Shuler (M, 27)
 31:12 ~ Ambriah Pierre (F, 11)
 31:20 ~ Johanna Plummer (F, 30)
 31:39 ~ Jordan Griffin (M, 16)
 33:00 ~ Megan Layfield (F, 17)
 33:13 ~ John Henson (M, 37)
 33:23 ~ Jody Layfield (F, 47)
 33:37 ~ Brittany Griffin (F, 19)
 34:14 ~ Neva Miller (F, 51)
 34:23 ~ Sybil Plazarin (F, 36)
 34:24 ~ Tommy McClellan (M, 70)
 37:34 ~ Miranda Coxwell (F, 20)
 38:23 ~ Travis MacClendon (M, 72)
 39:03 ~ Traci Hall (F, 39)
 41:09 ~ Caroline Tomlinson (F, 17)
 41:13 ~ Brooke Hall (F, 31)
 42:05 ~ Jessica Whittington (F, 22)
 42:06 ~ Robbie Glawson (M, 21)
 43:29 ~ Destiny Barbato (F, 17)
 43:31 ~ Melissa Barker (F, 40)
 41:13 ~ Breeann Baz (F, 26)
 44:50 ~ Debbie Blair (F, 55)
 45:41 ~ Janet Tomlinson (F, 33)
 45:42 ~ John Marc Tomlinson (M, 34)
 49:33 ~ Julie Lollie (F, 7)
 49:42 ~ Alfreda Lollie (F, 50)
 49:46 ~ Siannah Lollie (F, 5)

SHOTGUN DRAWING

CHIPOLA COMMUNITY CHURCH — A 1100 Remington automatic 26 inch barrel shotgun has been donated to our church. You could be the next owner of this fine gun by giving a \$5 per ticket donation to the church.

The drawing for the gun will be on Sunday, Jan. 1, 2012. The winner will be notified on that day.

For information on donations or to buy tickets, please call 674-1230, 674-1307, 674-8802 or 237-1425.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

HILLCREST BAPTIST CHURCH — This Sunday, Dec. 11, at 6 p.m., Hillcrest Baptist Church will have their annual Christmas program. This

year there will be music by James Herald and Samantha Wilks. Also a special time for the children will be included with the reading of the book, *The Legend of the Candy Cane*. Our special feature will be a Chalk Drawing presentation by Clyde Roberts including music and lights. A time of food and fellowship will follow in the Fellowship Hall.

We are located 5 miles west of Shelton's Corner on CR 274.

GREENING OF THE CHURCH

CARR CHAPEL — Carr Chapel invites the public to the greening of the church on Saturday, Dec. 10 at 2 p.m. The different parts that make up the greening of the church (or hanging of the greens) come from the traditions of

NEWS FROM THE PEWS

many different countries, mostly from Europe. We will decorate the sanctuary with seasonal greenery. This is a fun holiday activity for all ages! We will start with a short time of worship with carol singing and end the day with treats for the season.

We have also started to have our annual lighting of the Advent Candles. Eva Morris and Ella Woods took part in lighting the first candle.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

BLOUNTSTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH — Blount-

stown United Methodist Church would like to invite all women to join them on Thursday, Jan. 5 at 9 a.m. as they begin a new Bible study.

"The Patriarchs: Encountering the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob" by Beth Moore. This is a 10 week in-depth study of Genesis' Chapters 12 - 50. Learn God's quest of a relationship with humans, and wonder as God's plan to bless mankind unfolds. Participants will be enthralled by the study's turns and twists, mystery and revelation and the wonder of the lead character, God. Concepts

like promise, blessing, and covenant will be explored and how they relate to a life today. Also students will study the many names of God introduced on the early pages of Scripture.

There is a fee of \$15, which is the price of the companion workbook.

Stop by the Blountstown United Methodist Church, Monday thru Friday, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. to preregister for the study and purchase your book.

For more information contact Beth Herndon at 674-8254.

NOTES OF THANKS

The family of Shirley Hinson would like to thank everyone that visited, brought food, sent a lovely card or floral piece and spoke the kindest words as any friend could say or perhaps you were not there at all and just thought of us that day. Whatever you did to console our hearts for the loss of our mother, grandmother, sister and friend, we thank you so much. Your thoughtfulness has meant so much and everything you have done is truly appreciated.

The Shirley Hinson family

The family of J.M. Farmer would like to thank you for your prayers, friendship, food and most of all your kindness shown during the time of the loss of our loved one.

The Farmer family

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I love to give food gifts for the holidays, but worry that others might think me a cheap-skate. Is there a rule of thumb?

—G. C., Meridian, MS

In these days of rush, rush, anyone who takes the time to bake cookies, or can pickles, or soak Christmas puddings has our vote for most thoughtful gift. “Give of yourself,” as the old saying goes, and that’s as close to a rule of thumb as you’re apt to get. If your skills are in the kitchen, so be it. If money is really of no issue, and you’re determined to add something more to the gift, you can always find a holiday-patterned cloth napkin to cover the plate of cookies, or search the antique shops for a pretty single spoon to go with some jams. Pretty glass jars or candy dishes or old-fashioned tins can offer a step up from the

DEC. 5, MONDAY — Moon at apogee. Animator and theme park developer Walt Disney born, 1901. Boston, Massachusetts, received 18 inches of snow, 1981.



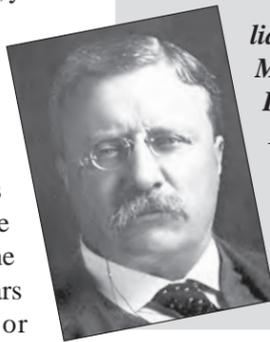
DEC. 6, TUESDAY — St. Nicholas. Conjunction of Jupiter and the Moon. Anglo-Irish Treaty signed, giving Ireland dominion status and establishing Irish Free State, 1921.

DEC. 7, WEDNESDAY — St. Ambrose. National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day. Steam locomotive used for first time in Germany, when railroad opened from Nuremberg to Furth, 1835.

DEC. 8, THURSDAY — American Federation of Labor organized, Columbus, Ohio, with Samuel Gompers as president, 1886. The opportunity of a lifetime is seldom so labeled.

DEC. 9, FRIDAY — Noah Webster established The American Minerva, New York’s first daily newspaper, 1793. Actress Felicity Huffman born, 1962.

DEC. 10, SATURDAY — St. Eulalia. Full Cold Moon. Lunar eclipse. Moon rides high. President Theodore Roosevelt won Nobel Peace Prize, 1906.



DEC. 11, SUNDAY — Third Sunday of Advent. Monument to boll weevil erected, Enterprise, Alabama, 1919. Singer Sam Cooke died, 1964.

disposable plate or simple cellophane. Baskets add a little charm to a loaf of home-baked bread. Fancy wire-edged ribbons offer an extra touch, as well, and can even hold an inexpensive ornament as a bonus gift. A pair of candles, sprig of fresh herbs, or your favorite recipe on a card offer value-added gifts, as well.

Mostly, though, we encourage you to resist the temptation to inflate your simple gifts. “Many a little makes a mickle,” as the old-timers said. If you don’t know what that means, you’re not alone!

The gist, however, is that many small things make a great one. Small gifts are often gifts of the heart, so do not underestimate them.

What is the meaning of a “dog watch” aboard ship? Is it the same as a midnight watch or ghost watch?

—D. L., Covington, KY

tion of dodge-watch, so-called because the two-hour shifts (instead of the normal four hours) were meant to disrupt, or dodge, the scheduling of watches so that the same sailors did not always sit for the same shifts.

Starting at noon and going around the clock, there would be the afternoon watch (12 noon to 4 P.M.), the first dog-watch (2 hours), the second dogwatch (2 hours), the first night-watch (8 P.M. to midnight), the middle watch (midnight to 4 A.M.), the morning watch (4 A.M. to 8 A.M.), and finally, the forenoon watch (8 A.M. to noon), making seven watches altogether.

You may have heard the phrase “between dog and wolf,” meaning the evening dusk or being betwixt and between, neither daylight nor dark.

Some call this time “the blind man’s holiday,” the thought being that a blind man can see as well as anyone during these hours.

Are some cheeses better for your health than others?

—R. P., Kokomo, ID

In choosing a cheese,

there are various factors to consider, including taste, purity, age, fat content, and suitability for your purposes.

If you happen to have lactose intolerance, any cheese is likely to upset your digestion, of course.

Many of the most commonly used cheeses, such as cheddar, Monterey Jack, Swiss, and Gouda, are called full-fat cheeses. This isn’t necessarily bad, but it means that they are made with whole milk and are apt to have between 7 and 9 grams of fat per ounce.

If you choose one of these cheeses, you may easily find yourself going over your recommended daily intake for fat. With some careful planning, however, you can balance these choices by cutting down on meats, high-fat salad dressings, or other fatty foods in that same meal.

Or, you may choose to eat these cheeses in smaller quantities than other lower-fat choices. One benefit of some of the stronger-tasting cheeses, such as Gorgonzola, Saga, and Cotswold, is that we tend to eat them in small quantities.

Cheeses such as mozzarella and feta are naturally low in fat, with only about 6 grams per ounce. These and other cheeses such as American, Colby, cottage cheese, and cream cheese may also be available in reduced-fat, low-fat, or nonfat versions.

These categories are successively less fattening, being made with skim, low-fat, or nonfat milk products. Reduced-fat versions are required to have one-quarter less fat than the regular product, while low-fat cheeses should not exceed 3 grams of fat per ounce. If fat content is your main concern, these alternatives may suit you well.

Keep in mind, however, that the lower the fat content in the cheese, the more the texture will change.

Flavor and the melting properties of the cheese will also be affected by a reduction in the fat content.

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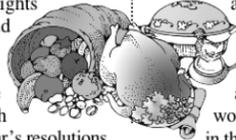
DECEMBER 11
Best day to plant belowground crops



Vows and Superstitions

Many ancient vows and superstitions involved food. At medieval feasts, a roasted peacock, with its feathers and head intact, was a common fare. Knights would put a hand onto the roasted peacock’s back and make a vow for the coming year, much like our New Year’s resolutions.

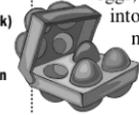
Ancient Egyptians believed that onions kept evil spirits away. Some superstitions are still alive and well today: Bobbing for apples was an activity done in Ancient Rome. Romans believed that the first person to catch an apple in their mouth would be the first to marry in the New Year.



Marlborough Pudding

- 3/4 cup unsweetened applesauce
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 3/4 cup white wine or grape juice
- 6 tablespoons (3/4 stick) butter, melted
- 4 eggs, beaten
- juice and zest of 1 lemon
- 1 cup milk
- 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg

Preheat the oven to 350°F. Grease a 1-quart baking dish. In a large bowl, combine the applesauce, sugar, wine, and butter. Stir in the eggs, lemon juice, zest, and milk. Pour into the prepared dish, sprinkle with nutmeg, and bake for about 1 hour or until firm. Serve warm with maple syrup. **MAKES 4 TO 6 SERVINGS**



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- Sinuses congested? Add a dose of horseradish to your sandwich
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PETS AND THEIR PEOPLE

Mary Beth & Babe

Mary Beth Williams began taking horseback riding lessons about five years ago. After learning the basics, she began training to barrel race. She begged her parents for a horse of her own and they finally found Babe.

Babe is an eight-year-old paint mare and is a perfect fit for Mary Beth. They practice together during the week and compete in barrel racing on the weekends. Mary Beth feeds and waters Babe along with her other three horses, Tater, Thunder and Duchess. She takes care of all the barn duties with some help from her parents and grandfather. There's a special spot in Mary Beth's heart for Babe. They make a great team and continue to work hard to win!

Mary Beth, 11, is a student at Blountstown Middle School. She is the daughter of Michael and Staci Williams of Blountstown. Her grandparents are Tommy and Mary Ann Williams of Blountstown and Hoyle and Mary Joiner of Bristol.

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Members honored at annual Saddle Club banquet

The Florida Panhandle Saddle Club held their annual year end banquet on Saturday, Oct. 29 at the W.T. Neal Civic Center. Members were awarded prizes for their accomplishments throughout the year as well as their participation and outstanding members were recognized. The FPSC awarded saddles to the high point winner in each of the age divisions.

Winners included:

Pony Division — Mikayla Laramore, first place; Lizzi Shives, second place; Autumn Mercer, third place.

Pee-Wee Division — Brooke McMillan, first place; Sierra McKenzie,

second place; Bailey Johnson, third place.

Youth Division — Leslie Clemons, first place; Chelsea Edenfield, second place; Kallie Parker, third place.

Adult Division — April Kennington, first place; Juanice Johnson, second place; Sandy Lindsey, third place.

Buckle winners for the Jackpot Barrel Series included:

First Division — Katie Moore, first place; April Kennington, second place.

Second Division — Brooke Revell, first place; Stephanie Stewart, second place

Third Division — Chelsea Eden-

field, first place; Carson Flowers, second place.

Special awards were presented to outstanding members including Russell McMillan, Lizzi Shives, Lexi Shives, Autumn Mercer, Amber Mercer and Tonya Six and Benjamin Walden was awarded the most improved rider.

Officers for the 2012 season are President Cathy Davis, Vice President Sandy O'Bryan, Secretary/Treasurer Stephanie Brogden, Board Member April Kennington and Board Member Johnnie Morris.

The FPSC meets the first Saturday of

the month February through September at the Skeet Davis Arena at Sam Atkins Park in Blountstown.

The club members would like to extend a huge thank you to all the community members and businesses that have helped make the FPSC Annual Rodeo a huge success. Without your cooperation and contributions, we would not be able to award and recognize so many of our local barrel racers and horse enthusiasts. Also, thank you to Eddie Dalton and C.W. Roberts Construction Company for always making sure the club's arena was ready for our shows by watering the pen.

Chipola Future Educators Teacher Workshop scheduled for Jan. 21

MARIANNA-The Chipola College Future Educators Club will host the fifth annual Teacher Workshop, Jan. 21, 2012. Current teachers and students interested in a career in education are invited to attend.

Future educators currently enrolled at Chipola, with the assistance of the Department of Education faculty and staff, will present hands-on activities along with samples for teachers and

education majors to use in their own classrooms.

The sessions will include presentations and strategies in Math, Science, Reading, English, ESOL and ESE. Various sessions will be held for elementary, middle, and high school teachers.

Some 21 sessions are already scheduled. A few of the topics being presented are: Using Foldables and Manipulatives, Student Engagement with Social Studies,

Cooking Through the Content Areas, Teaching Reading Components Using Picture Books, Using Holidays With the ESOL Student in Mind, Integrating Reading and Math, Technology in the Classroom, Discovering Pi, Classroom Management, Incorporating Drama into the Classroom, How to Build a Classroom Community, Accommodating All Students in the Mainstream Classroom, Science Activities for

elementary, middle school, and high school and a General Session with Center Ideas and an on-site Usborne Book Representative.

In addition to the student-led sessions, a representative from Big Ideas Learning will conduct a session for middle school math teachers. A representative from Teacher Effectiveness also will conduct a session on Classroom Management for teachers in

grades 3-6.

Registration opens at 8 a.m. in Building D on the Chipola College campus. Sessions begin at 8:15 a.m. and run through 12:30 p.m.

To ensure that sufficient materials are available, those planning to attend are asked to RSVP.

For information or to reserve a spot, contact Casey Bush at bushc@chipola.edu or (850) 526-2761, Ext. 2449.

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Altha Christmas Parade

The main road through Altha was filled with lots of colorful characters for Saturday's annual Christmas Parade. A number of area Shriners took part, scooting down the road in tiny cars while others from the group sailed through town on a large pirate ship. There were many beauty queens and lots of excited youngsters waiting to catch candy being tossed their way. And of course, Santa's presence made it official as he rode through the parade and greeted onlookers welcoming another holiday season.

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Altha FCA was 'Digging for A Cure' with volleyball fundraiser

by Lonnie Pitts

The Altha FCA sponsored a volleyball tournament on Nov. 18 that promoted cancer and disease awareness. Each class of the Altha Middle and High

School students represented a foundation that they raised money for. The 7th grade won the Middle School tournament and will be donating \$100 to the American Heart Associa-

tion. The 9th grade won the High School tournament and will be donating \$100 to the Alzheimer's Foundation of America. Other organizations that will be receiving donations on behalf of the Altha students and the Altha Fellowship of Christian Athletes include: the American Diabetes Association, the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, the St Jude's Children's Hospital, the Spina Bifida Association, and the Susan G. Komen Foundation for Breast Cancer. The students had great time raising money for these very worthy organizations!



Junior Kaylee McCalvin plays hard for the Spina Bifida Association.



Altha's seniors show support for the Susan G. Komen foundation.

Altha PTO plans spaghetti dinner sales during basketball games Thursday afternoon

by Alicia Griffin

Altha PTO will be selling spaghetti dinners on Thursday, December 8 at the concession stand during the basketball games.

Plates are \$4 and are available for dine-in or take-out.

All of the money that they make will benefit the students. It promises to be an exciting game as the Altha Wildcats will be going up against the Graceville Tigers.

The Junior Varsity game starts at 4:30 p.m. and the Varsity starts at 6 p.m.

ALTHA WILDCATS



Altha's October Kids of Character

by Nick Young

Principal Ladona Kelley proudly announces Altha School's Kids of Character for the month of October, demonstrating the character trait of Obedience.

Front row from left: Tristan King,

Autum Brooks, Parker Willis, Dylan Hornback, and Caleb Detweiler. Second row from left: Kaitlyn Kuzmanko, Kyle Skeen, Destiny Soto, and Cadence Mears. Back row: Morgan Raper, Karissa Detweiler, Madison Boggs, and Aleah Colter.

BLOUNTSTOWN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



Sea-to-See Marine Labs visits BES December 1

On Thursday, December 1, the Sea-to-See Marine Laboratory from Florida State University in Panama City, came to B.E.S. The fourth and fifth graders got to learn about marine life and actually touch and feel the marine animals. They learned about sea cucumbers, hermit crabs, stingrays, crustaceans and many other forms of sea life.



Family Breakfast held Dec. 2

On Friday, December 2, B.E.S. hosted its monthly Family Breakfast.

Parents and students were served eggs, grits, biscuits, sausage, fruit, and coffee, milk, or juice.

Dates to Remember

*Friday, December 9 the 5th Grade presents the musical "A Penguin Christmas" - 8:30 a.m. in Cafeteria

*Wednesday, December 14 - Tropicana Speech Contest set for 8:30 a.m.

*Friday, December 16 is Early Release Day and the Beginning of Christmas Holidays

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Thursday

BREAKFAST: Cheese toast, grits and ham cubes.

LUNCH: Roast turkey, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, roll, fruit cup.

Friday

BREAKFAST: French toast stick with syrup and sausage patty.

LUNCH: Cheese pizza, garden salad, fruit.

Monday

BREAKFAST: Sausage and egg biscuit and potato tots.

LUNCH: Beef fritter nuggets, rice with gravy, turnip greens, corn bread, mixed fruit.

Tuesday

BREAKFAST: Pancakes with syrup and sausage patty.

LUNCH: Chick nuggets, mashed potatoes, orange glazed carrots and fresh fruit.

**All breakfasts include a choice of assorted cereal with buttered toast whole wheat and juice*

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Wednesday

BREAKFAST: Sausage and gravy biscuit.

LUNCH: Turkey taco or BBQ pork on bun, mexicorn, mixed fruit with strawberries. (2nd & 3rd grade pizza)

Thursday

BREAKFAST: French toast sticks and ham.

LUNCH: Beef and bean chili with saltines or meatball sub, carrots and apricots.

Friday

BREAKFAST: Grilled cheese. **LUNCH:** Crispy chicken on a bun or ham chef salad, green beans, apricots. (4th grade pizza)

Monday

BREAKFAST: Breakfast burrito.

LUNCH: Cheeseburger or chicken salad wrap, tater tots, apple. (kg & 1st grade pizza).

Tuesday

BREAKFAST: Waffles and ham.

LUNCH: BBQ chicken with roll or grilled cheese, baked beans, carrots and baked apples.

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Chipola science ed students attend F.A.S.T. conference



MARIANNA—Chipola College students in the Science Education bachelor's degree program recently attended the Florida Association of Science Teachers (FAST) professional development conference in

Orlando.

Students Jessica Harrell, Rebecca Hambly, Travis Moore and Schellane Smith attended the conference along with Dr. Santine Cuccio, Chipola science education facilitator.

Educators from Florida and other states conferred, planned lessons, and networked. Students spoke with veteran teachers, scientists and conservationists; attended demonstrations and lectures on magnetism, genetics, energy, conservation, and ecology; and participated in workshops on integrating music, reading and the Florida environment into the K-12 curriculum.

Participating students stated that both their content knowledge and pedagogy were reinforced and extended to the level of application; and will transfer



Pictured from left: Travis Moore, Rebecca Hambly, Jessica Harrell and Schellane Smith.

their knowledge to the classroom.

Conference vendors provided the students with sample textbooks, instructional materials, CDs and DVDs to use in their classrooms.

Students who attended the conference will share some of the outstanding teaching strategies at the Future Educator's Club Teacher Workshop on Saturday, Jan. 21, 2012. The conference held on the Chipola campus is free to all district educators.

Jazzmatazz show choir concert moved to January

MARIANNA-The popular Chipola College Show Choir series, Jazzmatazz, has an interesting twist this year. It is called "Stadsmatazz" to honor Joan Stadskev, retiring Associate Dean of Chipola's Fine and Performing Arts Department.

The song and dance performances under the direction of Angie White and Dr. Josh Martin are scheduled for Jan. 5, 6 and 7 at 7 p.m. in the Chipola Theatre.

Originally slated for December,

Jazzmatazz has been rescheduled in part to allow more alumni to come back to campus to be a part of this historic event. Signature songs highlighting the history of the group are slated to be performed.

Dr. Daniel Powell, Associate Dean of Fine and Performing Arts, says, "Come join this 'now and then' experience as the Show Choir electrifies the stage to honor one of their founding directors: Joan Stadskev." Powell invites

everyone to enjoy the high energy group that will feature musical selections from a wide variety of styles.

Show Choir members are selected through competitive auditions and Powell indicates the talent of this year's group is exceptionally strong.

Tickets are now available from Show Choir members and through the Fine and Performing Arts Department at (850) 718-2277.

Keiser University professor visits Blountstown High School culinary students November 29

by Katie Tew

On Tuesday, Nov. 29, the culinary students at BHS were visited by a professor from Keiser University in Tallahassee. We were impressed by what he had to say. The information he shared concerning Keiser and other colleges helped us to realize the wide range of colleges available to students who were motivated and willing to work toward their goals.

The professor impressed upon us that we can take something that is ordinary and make it extraordinary. He demonstrated this by preparing a phenomenal quiche for the class. He knew how to keep us entertained as he shared with the class. The students



in our class commented on the fact that he had a cheerful, loud and clear voice that kept their attention.

The professor informed us that we could go to www.fastweb.com to find scholarships. He emphasized the

fact that there are many scholarships available.

The culinary students really enjoyed the quiche and were surprised at how easy it was to prepare. We were left with the impression that the professor really cared about us and our future and that we can do anything that we truly set our minds to.

The BHS students enjoyed having the professor share with us and would not mind seeing him again.



LCHS BULLDOG BEAT

LCHS Senior class raises over \$2,000 in drawing

The seniors of LCHS sold over \$2,000 worth of \$1 tickets for a drawing to win a gun cabinet. The winner was Michael Kilts, shown above, with the cabinet that was made and donated by Roger Reddick.

BLOUNTSTOWN HIGH CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Thursday, December 8 – Girls Basketball vs. Bozeman-Home @5:30 p.m.; Boys Basketball vs. Bozeman-Home @7 p.m.

Friday, December 9 – VICA Cookout; Girls Basketball vs. Liberty County-Away @4 p.m.; Boys Basketball vs. Liberty County-Away @5:30 p.m.

Saturday, December 10 – ACT Testing; Cheerleaders visit nursing home @ 3 p.m.

Sunday, December 11 – FCA Leadership Meeting @ 2:30 p.m.; FFA Leadership Conference (Haines City)

Monday, December 12 – Girls Basketball vs. Rutherford-Away @ 6 p.m.

Tuesday, December 13 – Girls Basketball vs. South Walton-Home @4 p.m.; Boys Basketball vs. South Walton-Home @ 5:30 p.m.

Blountstown High School Fall 2011 Semester Exam Schedule

Tuesday, December 13

First Period.....7:49-8:39
Second Period.....8:47-9:37
Break.....9:37-9:43
Third Period.....9:47-10:37
Fourth Period.....10:41-11:31
First Lunch.....11:31-12:01
Fifth Period.....11:35-12:25
Second Lunch.....12:25-12:55
Fifth Period.....12:05-12:55
Seventh Period Exam.....12:59-2:43

Wednesday, December 14

First Period For Attendance.....7:45
First Period Exam.....7:53-9:37
Break.....9:37-9:43
Third Period Exam.....9:47-11:31
First Lunch.....11:31-12:01
Fifth Period.....11:35-12:25
Second Lunch.....12:25-12:55
Fifth Period.....12:05-12:55
Sixth Period Exam.....12:59-2:43

Thursday, December 15

First Period For Attendance.....7:45
Second Period Exam.....7:53-9:37
Break.....9:37-9:43
Fourth Period Exam.....9:47-11:31
First Lunch.....11:31-12:01
Fifth Period.....11:35-12:25
Second Lunch.....12:25-12:55
Fifth Period.....12:05-12:55
Fifth Period Exam.....12:59-2:43

Friday, December 16

First Period For Attendance.....7:45
Homeroom.....7:53
Semester Exam Makeups.....7:53



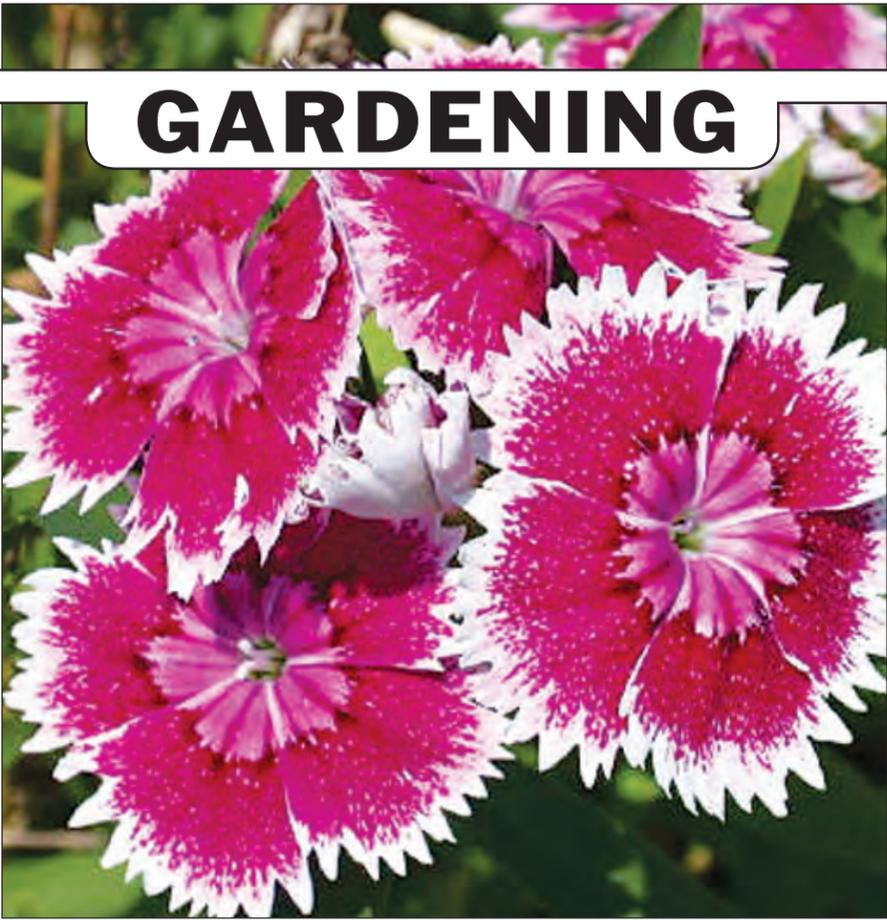
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Be in the pink by adding Dianthus to your garden

There is a proverb that states, "Tell me the facts and I'll learn. Tell me the truth and I'll believe. But tell me a story and it will live in my heart forever." I'm amazed by the number of plant stories. And, it's true; I do tend to remember the stories better than I do the facts.

This is a story about a group of plants with simple little flowers that many people call "pinks." Pinks are not called that because of their color, although many are pink colored. All pinks have a similar-looking flower. If you look closely at the edge of each petal, it looks like it has been cut with "pinking" shears—those scissors that produce a zigzag edge.

The fact is that a group of flowers known scientifically as *Dianthus* has the common name of pinks. From the carnation to the sweet William, pinks are a diverse group with new species and new hybrids being introduced annually.

D. barbatus is often called sweet William and honors William, the duke of Cumberland, who crushed an uprising by Bonnie Prince Charlie. Sweet William is a true biennial, requiring it to go through a winter before it flowers. After it flowers, the plant will die. Fortunately, it self-sows so easily that the plant seems to be a constant in the garden.

The annual pink is *D. chinensis*. The fragrant small flowers are beautiful. Because this group has little tolerance to heat, they should be used as a cool-season annual. Plants will often melt after a few hot spells in the spring.

There is now an explosion of hybrid pinks created by crossing *D. chinensis* and *D. barbatus*. These hybrids offer far better performance in the garden. Some of the new hybrids are taller-growing and have potential as cut flowers.

There are many hybrid series that include a variety of colors. For example, the Super Parfait series includes 'Raspberry Super Parfait' which is crimson with dark



by Theresa Friday,
*Horticulture
Extension Agent,
Santa Rosa County*

eyes and 'Strawberry Super Parfait' has scarlet flowers with dark eyes.

The Telstar series was chosen as a Louisiana Select plant. These delightful plants give outstanding colors in scarlet, pink, purple, salmon and purple picotee, meaning that the edge of the flower is a different color than the flower's base. In addition to their cheerful colors, they also have an enticing fragrance.

New cultivars are constantly being introduced. Some new varieties are being grown to provide some height to landscape beds. These include the new additions to the Devon Cottage series of 'Amethyst' and 'Waterloo Sunset'. Four varieties have been added to the Scent First series. These include 'Romance', 'Sugar Plum', 'Passion', and 'Devon Flavia'.

Pinks perform best in full sunlight but also do well in some filtered afternoon shade. Flowerbed soils need to be loose, well-drained and fertile. They do well at a soil pH that's slightly acid to slightly alkaline. Pinks will not tolerate wet soil conditions, so it is important to adequately prepare a landscape bed and irrigate properly.

You can plant pinks from October through February on a 10- to 12-inch spacing to achieve a full landscape effect. At planting, or shortly thereafter, broadcast an application of a slow-release fertilizer over the entire bed. Depending on plant performance, a second light application may be beneficial in early spring.

Pinks usually last well into mid- or late spring in North Florida and can even grow and bloom through the summer with limited success. Although some are perennial, it's best to treat them as an annual cool-season plant.

For more information on "Gardening with Annuals in Florida", read the online publication at www.edis.ifas.ufl.edu/mg319 or contact your local Extension Office.

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VERNA RUTH MELVIN

ALTHA — Verna Ruth Melvin, 70, of Altha passed away Monday, Dec. 5, 2011 at her home. She was born on Feb. 6, 1941 in Altha and had lived in Calhoun County all of her life. She was a homemaker and a member of Victory Hill Pentecostal Holiness Church in Altha.

She was preceded in death by her parents, John Tinsley and Edna Bauldree Bailey and brother, Michael Bailey.

Survivors include her husband of 44 years, Preston Autry Melvin; four sons, Terry Dennis Baggett and his wife, Sharon, James Edgar Baggett and his wife, Debra and William Tinsley Melvin, all of Altha and Preston Melvin, Jr. and his wife, Patricia of Ponce De Leon; one brother, John C. Bailey and his wife, Jean; two sisters, Betty Bailey and Barbara Clemons, all of Altha; five grandchildren, James Michael Baggett, Angelia Verna Baggett, Matthew Edgar Baggett, Kayla Renee Baggett and Jeremy Edgar Baggett; 10 great-grandchildren; along with several nieces and nephews and great nieces and nephews.

Services will be held Saturday, Dec. 10 at 11 a.m. (CT) at Victory Hill Pentecostal Holiness Church in Altha. Interment will follow in the Edenfield Cemetery in Altha. The family will receive friends Friday, Dec. 9 from 6 to 8 p.m. (CT) at Peavy Funeral Home.

Peavy Funeral Home in Blountstown is in charge of the arrangements.

WILLIE MERLE ESTRIDGE

TALLAHASSEE — Willie Merle Estridge, 66, of Tallahassee passed away Monday, Dec. 5, 2011 in Tallahassee. She was born April 17, 1945 to the late George W. and Willie Lee (Kemp) Estridge. She was a retired computer operator supervisor for 30 years for the Florida Department of Agriculture. She was a 1963 graduate of Wewahitchka High School.

Survivors include her son, Dallas Lynn Jones and his wife, Cyndi of Altha; a daughter, Brigitte Renee Jones of Tallahassee; a brother, Charles A. Estridge of Columbus, OH; four grandchildren, Priscilla Hunt, Morgan Jones, Dallas Lynn Jones III, and Madison Jones.

Services will be held Thursday, Dec. 8 at 10:30 a.m. in the Chapel of Adams Funeral Home with Reverend Charles Pettis officiating. Interment will follow in Kemp Cemetery in Wewahitchka. The family will receive friends from 9 to 10:30 a.m., Thursday, Dec. 8 at the funeral home.

Adams Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements. Online condolences may be made at adamsfh.com.

DANNY J. HAYES

BRISTOL — Danny J. Hayes, 52, of Bristol passed away Saturday, Dec. 3, 2011 in Blountstown. He was born in Quincy on Jan. 11, 1959 to the late Calvin Coolidge and Betty J. (Dowdy) Hayes.

He was a driver for C. W. Roberts for 25 years and for the Liberty County Road Department for the past six years. He attended Bristol First Christian Church.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Louise Hayes Lewis and a nephew, Robert "Scooter" Lewis.

Survivors include his son, Timothy McCormick of Bristol; two daughters, Shelly Poole and her husband, Jason of Blountstown and Kelly Cunningham and her husband, Mark of Colquitt, GA; two brothers, Doobie Hayes and his wife, Kathy of Bristol, and Bubba Hayes

of Marianna; one sister, Jo Ann Hayes of Bristol; 11 grandchildren; several nieces and nephews and other extended family.

Services were held Tuesday, Dec. 6 at Bristol First Christian Church with Reverend Alan McManus officiating. Interment followed in Telogia Baptist Church Cemetery.

Adams Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

Online condolences may be made at adamsfh.com.



CHIPOLA STUDENT ART ON DISPLAY — Original works by Chipola College art students is now on display in the Art Gallery of the Violet McLendon Building. Here, Chipola student Katelyn Bush is pictured with one of her creations. All art and craft work was created by students of Chipola art instructors Chuck Carbia and Kelly Boehmer.

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RICHARD GRANT FISHER



TALLAHASSEE — Richard Grant Fisher, 87, passed away Wednesday, Nov. 30, 2011 in Tallahassee. He was born October 26, 1924 in Harrisburg, PA to the late Grant and Minnie (Detwiler) Fisher.

He was a retired teamster truck driver. He served in the U. S. Army during World War II and was a member of the American Legion.

Survivors include one son, Richard Fisher of Rego Park, NY and a granddaughter, Christina DeFini.

A memorial service will be held at a later date in New York. Memorization will be by cremation.

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2012 Prescribed Fire Season to begin soon on Apalachicola National Forest

TALLAHASSEE – Local residents and forest visitors may see some smoke in the air in the near future when the U.S. Forest Service starts its prescribed fire season for 2012. Approximately 100,000 acres in the Apalachicola National Forest are planned for prescribed fire to help prevent wildfires and promote a healthy forest.

Plants and animals native to the longleaf pine habitats in the Apalachicola National Forest depend on natural fire cycles, which are mimicked through the use of prescribed fires to balance habitat and food sources. Prescribed burning is also one of the most effective land management tools used in preventing the outbreak and spread of wildfires.

Pre-planned prescribed burns are carefully analyzed and conducted under specific weather conditions. Specific calendar dates for burn activities are fluid because only when conditions are right can prescribed burns achieve desired results.

According to Steve Parrish, U.S. Forest Service fire management officer for the Apalachicola National Forest, "The decision to do a prescribed fire is

made very close to the actual burn time and dependent on having exactly the right weather conditions. Factors such as temperature, relative humidity, wind speed, how the smoke will disperse and rainfall patterns are also taken into consideration."

Drivers and residents are reminded of the possibility of unexpected shifting winds that could increase the risk of smoke on the road during prescribed burns. Always proceed with caution and please remember to reduce speed and turn headlights on if visibility is affected by smoky conditions.

The National Forests in Florida is among those leading the nation in prescribed fire. Prescribed burning is conducted every three to five years in which approximately 100,000–175,000 acres of national forest lands are burned annually in the Ocala, Osceola and Apalachicola National Forests.

If you have questions regarding the prescribed fire burning season, contact the Apalachicola National Forest Wakulla Ranger District Office at (850) 926-3561.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Regarding Resolution Proposing Alleyway and Road Closures in Town of West Hosford

Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of Liberty County, Florida, will have a public hearing regarding a Resolution for the proposed closure of the alleyways, a portion of road, and right of ways described as follows:

The alleyways and right of ways that are located in the middle of Block 15, Block 16, Block 17, and Block 18 in the Town of West Hosford, as identified in the Town of West Hosford Plat Book A, Page 19, Liberty County, Florida.

That certain unopened section of alleyway/road and right of way referred to as Graves Street, which is located between Block 17 and Block 18 that intersects into Moore Street, in the Town of West Hosford, as identified in the Town of West Hosford Plat Book A, Page 19, Liberty County, Florida,

That portion of Moore Street where Moore Street and Graves Street intersects to Shuler Street in the Town of West Hosford, as identified in the Town of West Hosford Plat Book A, Page 19, Liberty County, Florida.

A public hearing on the proposed closure will be held at 6:00 p.m. eastern standard time, on December 8, 2011, at the Liberty County Courthouse, Highway 20, Bristol, FL 32321.

All interested persons are invited to attend. A copy of the proposed Ordinance may be reviewed at the Board of County Commissioners Office in the Liberty County Courthouse. In accordance with the American with Disabilities Act, persons needing special accommodation or an interpreter to participate in this proceeding should contact the County Commissioner's Office at (850) 643-5404 at least seven days prior to the date of the hearing. Persons are advised that if they decide to appeal any decisions made at this hearing, they will need a record of the proceedings, and for such purposes, they may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Dated this 2nd day of December, 2011.

Liberty County, FL, Robert Hill, Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners



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BIG BEND YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUE BANQUET

The Big Bend Youth Soccer League's (BBYSL) Banquet was held on Dec. 1 at the W.T. Neal Civic Center in Blountstown. The BBYSL joined up with Liberty County Recreational Manager Richie Smith and added Liberty County youth as well as Calhoun County to the league. There were 190 kids playing in the league this year. The league has 4 age divisions (4-6, 7-8, 9-11 and 12-16). Everyone got participation trophies and a few were nominated by their coaches and team mem-

bers to receive special awards or certificates such as Most Valuable Player or Most Improved Player. ABOVE: Coach Mandy Pickron gives first year player Braylon Strickland an award for Most Valuable Player. BELOW, FROM LEFT: Coach April Ammons congratulates her daughter Abbie Syfrett on her participation plaque. Kamryn Parrish tells Lani Pyles and her sister all about her soccer season. Cayden Esgro enjoys a big slice of pizza.

SHARON AUSTIN PHOTOS



Amber Chambers and Aiden Wells were happy to show off the participation trophies they received at last week's banquet.



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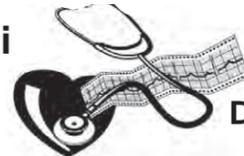
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55" Phillips TV, high definition, projected back, \$300. Call 674-4029. 11-30, 12-7

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YARD SALES

ALTHA Multi-family yard sale, Saturday, Dec. 10, from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., located at Shelton Park, 1/4 mile S of Hwy. 274. Lots of children's clothes, books, arts and crafts and miscellaneous items. Phone 762-5414.

BLOUNTSTOWN Yard sale, Saturday, Dec. 10, beginning at 7 a.m., 17854 Charlie Johns St. Apt. H1, women's leather jacket size 1X, jewelry, Avon items, purses, chest of drawers, pots and pans, dresses. Phone 674-3033.

Yard sale on Saturday, Dec. 10 at the end of Pine Street at Elsie's Beauty Shop. Clothing, books, dishes, toys, furniture, jewelry, beauty supplies and other miscellaneous items. Items available no earlier than 9 a.m. Phone 674-8376.

Church yard sale, Saturday, Dec. 10, from 8 a.m. to noon at Blountstown Church of God, one block off Hwy. 20 and one block west of Sam Atkins Rd. Lots of toys, Rain

Forest Jumperoo, baby swing, pack and play playpen, baby walker, clothes all sizes, odds and ends, handmade hair bows, heat transfer t-shirt. Phone 674-9081.

Indoor yard sale, Friday, Dec. 9 from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 10 from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Chipola Community Church off Hwy. 71 on Jim Godwin Rd. Will have a variety of items including dining table, t.v., glassware, chairs, antique piano, whatnots, clothes of all sizes and many free clothes and other items. There will also be shelled pecans, hot chocolate and cold drinks. Phone 674-1230 or 674-8802.

Yard sale, Saturday, Dec. 10 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., 10422 NW West 1st St. in Neal Subdivision, toys, bunkbeds with full size mattress, clothes and miscellaneous items. Phone 643-2327.

Yard sale, Saturday, Dec. 10, from 7 a.m. to noon, Dr. Edewaard's parking lot on Main St., toddler girls and boys clothes, toddler bed, household items, hunting items. Phone 447-4803.

BRISTOL

Yard Sale, Saturday, Dec. 10, from 8 a.m. to noon, located at 11287 NW S.R. 20. Baby girls' clothes, women's and plus size clothes, Christmas decorations, odds and ends, cookware, dishes, etc. All items in excellent condition. Phone 643-2298.

STARSCOPE

Week of Dec. 11 ~ Dec. 17

ARIES - Mar 21/Apr 20

Aries, this week you'll need to operate under the "use-it-or-lose-it" way of thinking. Don't sit on any resources, including your time. Get active and be productive.

TAURUS - Apr 21/May 21

You may need to call in a few favors from friends, Taurus. There is a hurdle you need to get over and it likely will not get done alone. Pisces could be the person you seek.

GEMINI - May 22/June 21

Gemini, sometimes others simply don't understand you, and deep down inside you may just like it that way. You continue to bring an air of mystery to the week.

CANCER - June 22/July 22

Cancer, it will take some time, but you will finally be able to convince someone to heed your advice. It will take all of your persuasive power to do so.

LEO - July 23/Aug 23

Leo, avoid letting your guard down after something falls in your favor. You will need to redouble your efforts to make sure things keep going swimmingly.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22

Virgo, it's wise to open your eyes a little wider and see where things are going right or wrong for you. Making the same choices over and over won't lead to progress.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23

FAMOUS BIRTHDAYS

DECEMBER 11
Jermaine Jackson, Singer (57)

DECEMBER 12
Mayim Bialik, Actress (36)

DECEMBER 13
Steve Buscemi, Actor (54)

DECEMBER 17
Duff Goldman, Chef (37)

Libra, a change of scenery could help bring a new perspective to something that has been on your mind. Get out of town for a few days and enjoy the respite.

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22

Scorpio, it's time to put that creative energy to good use. Now could be the time to spearhead a project that has your name written all over it. Start drawing up ideas.

SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21

Sagittarius, there are plenty of ways to enjoy a wonderful birthday celebration, but the most ideal could simply be surrounding yourself with family and friends this week.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20

Take a cue from someone close that less is more when you're caught in the middle of a squabble, Capricorn. Keep your opinions to yourself for the time being.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18

Aquarius, there may be a few bumps along the way, but this week figures to be peaceful and relaxing. Plus, your financial situation is steadily improving.

PISCES - Feb 19/Mar 20

Pisces, use your cache of energy to plow through projects at work and free up some time for fun for the weekend into next week.

PINE ISLAND PAIR

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were arrested Dec. 2. She was later transferred to the women's dorm of the Liberty County Jail.

Terry was putting trash in an outside container by the road when Task Force members arrived at the home around 7:30 p.m. last month. A Dollar General shopping bag with an empty pack of lithium batteries and a lightbulb that had been converted into a meth pipe was later found in the garbage can.

Task Force members spoke with Williams and told him they had a tip that he was making methamphetamine.

Williams said he "messed around" with meth

a month or two ago, and had been around it two weeks ago. He said he was "thinking about" trying to cook meth but stated that he had not done it yet.

During a search of the home, ingredients and supplies needed to make meth were found, including rubbing alcohol, cold pill blister packs, drain opener, Coleman fuel, lighter fluid, used coffee filters containing a white residue, numerous containers with clear liquids and a glass jar with a hose attached to the top. Those items and more were found in four rooms, including the kitchen, the bathroom, the living room and a toolroom. Burned pieces of tinfoil with suspected meth residue were found throughout the residence as well as in Terry's purse, which was in the living room.

Terry admitted to the Task Force that she assisted Williams in making meth by crushing pseudoephedrine pills.

They are being held on \$30,000 bond each.

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Successful red drum management prompts FWC to up bag limit

Recreational anglers targeting red drum in northern Florida can soon take home more of the popular fish, thanks to a change approved by the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC).

The decision came during the first day of the two-day November Commission meeting in Key Largo.

The changes take effect Feb. 1, 2012, and include the following:

- Create three management areas



for red drum (the northwest, the northeast and the south) instead of one statewide management area;

- Increase the number of red drum that a recreational fisherman can take per day in the northeast and northwest regions of the state from one to two red drum;
- Establish a statewide vessel limit of eight red drum;
- Limit the number of red drum that can be transported on land to six red drum per person.

These rule changes are the result of a successful management strategy that began in 1989, when the species was considered severely overfished.

"This is our version of having a listed protected species and being able to take it off that list. This is a success story," said Commissioner Brian Yablonski about the increased recreational fishing opportunity. "If ever there was a moment to give back, this is it."

A 2009-10 red drum stock assessment completed by the Florida Fish and Wildlife Research Institute showed that red drum escapement rates (the proportion of fish surviving

through age 4 relative to the number that would have survived to that age if there were no fishery) have been consistently above the FWC's 40-percent management goal in the northern regions of the state.

Other recreational red drum rules will remain the same, including a slot limit of 18 to 27 inches and a one-red-drum bag limit in the southern part of the state.

To learn more about red drum recreational fishing visit MyFWC.com/Fishing and click on "Saltwater Fishing" and then "Recreational Regulations."

PUBLIC AND LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE FOR BID

THE CALHOUN LIBERTY EMPLOYEES CREDIT UNION WILL BE ACCEPTING SEALED BIDS ON THE FOLLOWING:

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two axles, self contained
weight, 6,009, one slide
NADA Retail Value:
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ONLY REASONABLE BIDS WILL BE ACCEPTED.

The credit union reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Last day to submit bid is Dec. 9, 2011. 11-30, 12-7

PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE AIR PERMIT

Florida Department of Environmental Protection
Air Resource Section,
Northwest District Office
Draft Title V Air
Construction Permit

Project No. 0770010-013-AC
Georgia-Pacific
Wood Products LLC,
Hosford OSB
Liberty County, Florida

Applicant: The applicant for this project is Georgia-Pacific Wood Products LLC. The applicant's responsible official and mailing address are: Mr. Johnnie Temples, Plant Manager, Georgia-Pacific Wood Products LLC, Hosford OSB, Post Office Box 322, Hosford, Florida 32334.

Facility Location: Georgia-Pacific Wood Products LLC operates the existing Hosford Oriented Strand Board (OSB) facility, which is located in Liberty County at 12995 State Road 65, Hosford, Florida.

Project: The applicant proposes to modify the equipment used to form the mat which is subsequently pressed to form the Oriented Strand Board. The applicant also proposes to install advanced process control software to allow for more efficient control of process parameters within the drying process. No physical changes to drying process equipment will result from the software installation.

Permitting Authority: Applications for air construction permits are subject to review in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 403, Florida Statutes (F.S.) and Chapters 62-4, 62-210 and 62-212 of the Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). The proposed project is not exempt from air permitting requirements and an air permit is required to perform the proposed work. The Permitting Authority responsible for making a permit determination for this project is the Department of Environmental Protection's Air Resource Section in the Northwest District Office. The Permitting Authority's physical and mailing address is: 160 W. Government Street, Suite 308, Pensacola, Florida 32502-5740. The Permitting Authority's telephone number is 850/595-8300.

Project File: A complete project file is available for public inspection during the normal business hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday (except legal holidays), at the physical address indicated above for the Permitting Authority. The complete project file includes the Draft Permit, the Technical Evaluation and Preliminary Determination, the application and information submitted by the applicant (exclusive of confidential records under Section 403.111, F.S.). Interested persons may contact the Permitting Authority's project engineer for additional information at the address and phone number listed above. In addition, electronic copies of these documents are available on the following web site: www.dep.state.fl.us/air/emission/apds/default.asp.

Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit: The Permitting Authority gives notice of its intent to issue an air construction permit to the applicant for the project described above. The applicant has provided reasonable assurance that operation of proposed equipment will not adversely impact air quality and that the project will comply with all appropriate provisions of Chapters 62-4, 62-204, 62-210, 62-212, 62-213, 62-296 and 62-297, F.A.C. The Permitting Authority will issue a Final Permit in accordance with the conditions of the proposed Draft Permit unless a timely petition for an administrative hearing is filed under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S., or unless public comment received in accordance with this notice results in a different decision or a significant change of terms or conditions.

Comments: The Permitting

Authority will accept written comments concerning the proposed Draft Permit for a period of 14 days from the date of publication of this Public Notice. Written comments must be received by the Permitting Authority by close of business (5:00 p.m.) on or before the end of the 14-day period. If written comments received result in a significant change to the Draft Permit, the Permitting Authority shall revise the Draft Permit and require, if applicable, another Public Notice. All comments filed will be made available for public inspection.

Petitions: A person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed permitting decision may petition for an administrative hearing in accordance with Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S. The petition must contain the information set forth below and must be filed with (received by) the Department's Agency Clerk in the Office of General Counsel of the Department of Environmental Protection at 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, Mail Station #35, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000 (Telephone: 850/245-2241). Petitions filed by any persons other than those entitled to written notice under Section 120.60(3), F.S., must be filed within 14 days of publication of this Public Notice or receipt of a written notice, whichever occurs first. Under Section 120.60(3), F.S., however, any person who asked the Permitting Authority for notice of agency action may file a petition within 14 days of receipt of that notice, regardless of the date of publication. A petitioner shall mail a copy of the petition to the applicant at the address indicated above, at the time of filing. The failure of any person to file a petition within the appropriate time period shall constitute a waiver of that person's right to request an administrative determination (hearing) under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S., or to intervene in this proceeding and participate as a party to it. Any subsequent intervention (in a proceeding initiated by another party) will be only at the approval of the presiding officer upon the filing of a motion in compliance with Rule 28-106.205, F.A.C.

A petition that disputes the material facts on which the Permitting Authority's action is based must contain the following information: (a) The name and address of each agency affected and each agency's file or identification number, if known; (b) The name, address and telephone number of the

petitioner; the name address and telephone number of the petitioner's representative, if any, which shall be the address for service purposes during the course of the proceeding; and an explanation of how the petitioner's substantial rights will be affected by the agency determination; (c) A statement of when and how the petitioner received notice of the agency action or proposed decision; (d) A statement of all disputed issues of material fact. If there are none, the petition must so state; (e) A concise statement of the ultimate facts alleged, including the specific facts the petitioner contends warrant reversal or modification of the agency's proposed action; (f) A statement of the specific rules or statutes the petitioner contends require reversal or modification of the agency's proposed action including an explanation of how the alleged facts relate to the specific rules or statutes; and, (g) A statement of the relief sought by the petitioner, stating precisely the action the petitioner wishes the agency to take with respect to the agency's proposed action. A petition that does not dispute the material facts upon which the Permitting Authority's action is based shall state that no such facts are in dispute and otherwise shall contain the same information as set forth above, as required by Rule 28-106.301, F.A.C.

Because the administrative hearing process is designed to

formulate final agency action, the filing of a petition means that the Permitting Authority's final action may be different from the position taken by it in this Public Notice of Intent to Issue Air Permit. Persons whose substantial interests will be affected by any such final decision of the Permitting Authority on the application have the right to petition to become a party to the proceeding, in accordance with the requirements set forth above.

Mediation: Mediation is not available for this proceeding. 12-7-11

NOTICE OF DECISION

USDA Forest Service
Apalachicola National
Forest Apalachicola and
Wakulla Ranger Districts
Bay, Calhoun, Franklin, Leon,
Liberty, & Wakulla Counties,
Florida

Apalachicola's Five-Year Prescribed Burn

On November 29, 2011, District Ranger Marcus Beard decided to select Alternative 2 of the Environmental Assessment (EA) for the Apalachicola's 5-Year Prescribed Burn, Fiscal Years (FY) 2012 - 2017. This alternative involves applying prescribed burns by means of aerial or ground ignition at varied intervals at any given burn unit

to restore natural processes. When compared to the other alternative, Alternative 2 best meets the purpose and need to maintain and improve wildlife habitat; aid in the restoration of native vegetation; and reduce the threat that wildfires pose on the forest, adjacent lands and property, and the safety of wildland firefighters. The chosen alternative will implement the direction of the 1999 Revised Land and Resource Management Plan (LRMP) for the National Forests in Florida, and help move the Apalachicola National Forest towards the desired future conditions and the forestwide management goals and objectives as described in that plan. This decision will be reflected in the Burn Plan, a document used for implementation on the ground. Alternative 2 meets all requirements under applicable laws, regulations, and policies. The associated Environmental Assessment, Decision Notice, and FONSI are available on the National Forests in Florida webpage at www.fs.fed.us/nepa/project_list.php?forest=110805 or upon request.

This decision is not subject to appeal pursuant to 36 CFR 215.12 (e)(1). Implementation of this decision may occur immediately.

For further information regarding this project, contact Chandra Roberts at (850) 926-3561. 12-7-11

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December's traditions include holiday hunting

There's finally a chill and certain festiveness in the air as most of us try to take time off from work to enjoy spending quality time with family and friends and reflect on the passing year. Children will be out of school on winter break soon, and while the holiday season is upon us, so are several traditional hunting opportunities.

The second phase of waterfowl and coot season comes in statewide Dec. 10 and runs through Jan. 29. In addition to the usual hunting license and permit requirements, duck hunters also must have a Florida waterfowl permit (\$5) and a federal duck stamp (\$15).

The daily bag limit on ducks is six, but you need to know your ducks before you pull the trigger, because there are different daily limits for each species. For instance, within the six-bird limit there may be only one black duck, one mottled duck, one fulvous whistling-duck and one canvasback.

Only two of your six-bird limit may be pintails, redheads or scaup, and

three may be wood ducks. And you may have no more than four scoters and four mallards (of which only two may be female) in

your bag. All other species of ducks can be taken up to the six-bird limit, except harlequin ducks.

The daily limit on coots is 15, and there's a five-bird limit on mergansers, only two of which may be hooded.

When hunting waterfowl, hunters may use only non-toxic shotgun shells. Only iron (steel), bismuth-tin and various tungsten-alloys are permissible.

For something different, try woodcock hunting. Woodcock season runs Dec. 18 - Jan. 31. Woodcocks are excellent game birds because they hold well for pointing bird dogs and provide a challenging shot when flushed. The daily bag limit is three.

The third phase of mourning and

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white-winged dove season opens Dec. 10 and runs through Jan. 8. The daily bag limit is 15 birds.

From November on, shooting hours for all migratory birds are one-half hour before sunrise to sunset. However, you must get a no-cost migratory bird permit where you purchase your hunting license before you hunt any of these birds.

The only firearm you can use to hunt migratory game birds is a shotgun, no larger than 10-gauge. Shotguns must be plugged to a three-shell capacity (magazine and chamber combined). Bows also are legal.

Retrievers and bird dogs can be useful in hunting migratory game birds. Artificial decoys and manual or mouth-operated bird calls also are legal and essential gear for duck hunters.

You may hunt migratory game birds over an agricultural field if the crop was planted by regular agricultural methods. However, don't even think about "sweetening" the field by scattering agricultural products over it - or anywhere near it - or you could wind up in serious trouble. It doesn't matter if you aren't the one who scattered the bait. If you knew or should've known that such bait was present, you're accountable under

federal law.

Some other things you can't do while hunting migratory game birds include using rifles, pistols, crossbows, traps, snares, nets, sinkboxes, swivel guns, punt guns, battery guns, machine guns, fish hooks, poisons, drugs, explosive substances, live decoys and recorded bird calls, sounds or electrically amplified bird-call imitations. It is also against the law to shoot from a moving automobile or boat and herd or drive birds with vehicles or vessels.

Bobcat and otter hunting season is Dec. 1 - March 1, and there's no daily bag or season limit on either species.

Like foxes, bobcats may be chased year-round with dogs, but possessing firearms during the closed season, between March 2 and Nov. 30, is prohibited. On a few wildlife management areas, bobcats and otters may not be taken, so please consult the specific area brochure before you hunt.

Whether upland bird hunting with friends and family, shooting ducks on the pond with your favorite lab or taking that big cat as he slips up behind an unsuspecting fawn, December has the hunting opportunities you're looking for.

Here's wishing you happy holidays and a successful hunting season. If you can, remember to introduce someone new to our great sport.

As always, have fun, hunt safely and ethically, and we'll see you in the woods!

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