



**HAUNTED DEPOT**  
 Visitors stay close to one another as they make their way through the Haunted Depot at Veterans Memorial Park in Bristol. The site will be open one last night on Thursday from 7 p.m. - 10 p.m.  
 - DAKODA BERG PHOTO

## Man found in road with head injury

by Teresa Eubanks, Journal Editor  
 A Liberty County man was transported by emergency helicopter to an area hospital after he was found lying unconscious on the road in front of his house Monday afternoon.

Just moments earlier, he had joined his son and a friend in riding a bike up a ramp they had placed in the road.

His neighbor, Capt. Wes Harsey of the Liberty County Sheriff's Office, was alerted by one of his children that something had just happened outside of their Estifanulga home on Chattahoochee Circle.

He rushed out to find Odes Holbert, 43, unresponsive with a head injury. He said Holbert's son, who is about seven, was yelling, "My dad's dead!"

As Harsey radioed for an ambulance, Holbert began having a seizure. "That indicated he had a bad head injury and I called for Life Flight," he said.

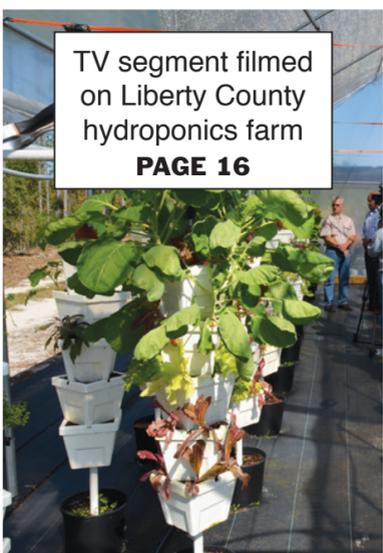
Holbert was released from the hospital around 3 a.m. the next morning, according to Harsey, and is now home recuperating.

"He suffered a concussion, got a black eye and his head is all skinned up...but he's conscious and alert," he said.

Harsey said he later learned two youngsters were riding bikes onto the ramp when Holbert came out of the house. "He had been drinking," Harsey said, explaining, "He set his beer on the back of his truck and said, 'I'll show you boys how it's done.'"

Holbert got on his son's bike, pedaled down to the end of the road and turned around. As he came back, "He was riding as fast as he could," his neighbor said. "When he hit the ramp, I guess it collapsed or slid out from under him. He flew head over the front of the bike and hit the pavement."

Staff keeps Calhoun Liberty Hospital in the pink for October  
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TV segment filmed on Liberty County hydroponics farm  
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# FINCH TRIAL STARTS

ABOVE: Floyd Parrish, who was released from custody by Sheriff Nick Finch after being brought to the jail for having a concealed weapon, testifies Tuesday at the trial now in progress at the Liberty County Courthouse. LEFT: The defendant, suspended Sheriff Nick Finch.



LEFT: Witness Lisa Smith talks with State Attorney Willie Meggs during a break in her testimony Tuesday. RIGHT: Defense attorney James Judkins questions former Liberty County Sheriff's Deputy Jody Hoagland, whose complaint against the sheriff led to his arrest.  
 - TERESA EUBANKS PHOTOS

## Jury seated Monday; trial opens Tuesday

After little more than a half day spent selecting a six member jury with two alternates on Monday, the trial of suspended Liberty County Sheriff Nick Finch got under way Tuesday morning.

Liberty County Sheriff Nick Finch was suspended from office and charged with official misconduct following an investigation over allegations that he removed an arrest record from the jail file, had a man's name taken off the arrest log and had him released from custody.

Agents with the Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE) served a search warrant the evening of Friday, May 24 that requested documents relating to the March 8 traffic stop and arrest of Floyd Eugene Parrish, 58, of Bristol.

The investigation was launched after Deputy Jody Hoagland – the arresting officer in the case – filed a complaint alleging that the sheriff removed an arrest document from the Liberty County Jail. Hoagland had charged Parrish with carrying a concealed weapon, a third degree felony.



## Two vehicles totaled in crash

The drivers involved in a crash at S.R. 20 and Turkey Creek Road in Bristol Monday escaped serious injury when both vehicles were totaled. Victoria Neil of Umatilla, FL, was traveling in a 2011 Dodge pickup when she stopped to make a left turn from SR 20 onto Turkey Creek Road around 5 p.m. She was waiting for traffic in the oncoming lane to go by when a van slammed into her from behind. The 2006 Dodge Van was driven by Donald Campbell of Panama City. Both had minor injuries. A Turkey Creek Road resident said there have been a number of accidents at that site and, in a letter on Page 3, says a turn lane is needed at that spot. DANIEL WILLIAMS PHOTO

Annual Kinard Halloween Carnival raises funds to keep fire dept. in operation  
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Hosford Fall Festival  
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# NSC advises how to keep your trick-or-treaters safe

Halloween is one of the most exciting times of the year for children, but sometimes hectic for parents and guardians. This Halloween, take a moment to consider some basic safety precautions to help make your children's Halloween a safer night of fun.

**All motorists need to be especially alert and cautious when driving on Halloween because of the high number of pedestrians walking the streets.**

- Watch for children darting out from between parked cars.
- Watch for children walking on roadways, medians and curbs.
- Enter and exit driveways and alleys carefully.
- At twilight and later in the evening, watch for children in dark clothing.
- Never use your cell phone while driving.
- Discourage teens from driving on Halloween.

here are too many hazards and distractions for inexperienced drivers.

**Most importantly, all children under the age of 12 should be accompanied by a parent or responsible adult, but before trick-or-treating, parents should:**

- Instruct your children to travel only in familiar, well-lit areas and avoid trick-or-treating alone.
- Tell your children not to eat any treats until they return home.
- Teach your children to never enter a stranger's home.
- Agree on a

specific time for your children to come home.

- Give your children flashlights with fresh batteries to help them see and for others to see them.
- Make sure your child or a responsible adult with them carries a cell phone for quick communication.
- Review all appropriate pedestrian and traffic safety rules with your children.
- Look both ways before crossing the street and use established crosswalks whenever possible.
- Walk, do not run, from house to house.
- Do not cross yards and lawns where unseen objects or the uneven terrain can present tripping hazards and never walk near lit candles or luminaries.
- Walk on sidewalks, not in the street. If there are no sidewalks, walk on the far edge of the road facing traffic.

**Children will be anxious to stuff themselves with treats, but parents need to take these necessary precautions first:**

- Insist that treats be brought home for inspection before anything is eaten, then examine all treats for choking hazards and tampering before your children eat them.
- Give children an early meal before going out to prevent them from filling up on Halloween treats or eating anything before you can inspect it.
- Only let your children eat factory-wrapped treats. Avoid homemade

treats unless you know the cook well.

- When in doubt, throw it out.

**Falls are the leading cause of injury on Halloween. When making or purchasing Halloween costumes, follow these safety precautions to ensure your children remain safe while looking great:**

- All costumes, wigs and accessories should be fire-resistant.
- If children are allowed out after dark, fasten reflective tape to their costumes and bags to make sure they are visible.
- When buying Halloween makeup, make sure it is nontoxic and always test it in a small area first. Remove all makeup before children go to bed to prevent skin and eye irritation.
- Masks can limit or block eyesight, so consider non-toxic makeup or decorative hats as safer alternatives.
- If masks are worn, they should have large eye holes and nose and mouth openings. Encourage your children to remove their masks before crossing the street.
- Children should only wear well-fitting costumes and shoes to avoid trips and falls.
- Do not allow your children to wear decorative contact lenses, as they present a risk for serious eye injury.
- Knives, swords and other accessories should be made from cardboard or flexible materials. Do not allow children to carry sharp objects.

## SHERIFF'S LOG

### CALHOUN COUNTY

**Oct. 14**  
•Stephen Lamar Howell, manufacture of meth, *CCSO*.

**Oct. 23**  
•Jamie Dawn Cook, possession of meth drug equipment, *CCSO*.  
•Kelli Lynn Pettis, possession of meth drug equipment, *CCSO*.  
•Janie Velear Hardy, child abuse, *CCSO*.

•Joseph Edward Simpson, drug sale of meth within 1,000 ft. of a school, *CCSO*.  
•Donald Alvin Chevront, domestic battery, *CCSO*.

**Oct. 24**  
•Randolph Brent Hope, no valid driver's license, *CCSO*.  
•Jennifer Lynette Beckwith, aggravated battery, tampering with a witness, *CCSO*.

•Tristan Lemel Martin, battery, tampering with a witness, *CCSO*.  
•Felicity Middlebrooks, obscene or harrasing phone calls, *BPD*.  
•Darryl Eugene Basford, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, *CCSO*.  
•Robert Paul Prescott, possession of drugs, *CCSO*.

**Oct. 25**  
•Jesse James Kaufman, VOP, *CCSO*.  
•Paul Corlett, VOP, *CCSO*.  
•William Russell Pierce, driving while license suspended or revoked (out of county warrant), *CCSO*.

**Oct. 26**  
•Diane Clark, non-support, *CCSO*.  
•Demetrius Patrick Jones, domestic battery by strangulation, assault, *BPD*.

**Oct. 28**

•Kristina Rae Johnson, criminal mischief, domestic battery, *CCSO*.

### LIBERTY COUNTY

**Oct. 22**  
•Michael French, VOP, *LCSO*.  
•Jonathan Harrison, failure to appear (battery), *LCSO*.  
•Tracy Maloy, serving weekends, *LCSO*.

**Oct. 23**  
•Steven Anderson, resisting arrest without violence to his or her person, *LCSO*.

•Jessica Lindsey, holding for Leon County, *LCSO*.  
•Jamie Cook, holding for Calhoun County, *CCSO*.  
•Janie Hardy, holding for Calhoun County, *CCSO*.  
•Kelli Pettis, holding for Calhoun County, *CCSO*.  
•Margaret Hood, sentenced to rehab, *LCSO*.

**Oct. 24**  
•Jennifer Beckwith, holding for Calhoun County, *CCSO*.  
•Felicity Middlebrooks, holding for Calhoun County, *CCSO*.  
•Michael Anderson, burglary of an occupied dwelling, disturbing school/religious/lawful assembly, breach of peace, disorderly contact, driving while licence suspended or revoked with knowledge, *LCSO*.

**Oct. 28**  
•James Ammons, unlawful possession of listed chemicals, driving while license suspended or revoked, failure to appear, *LCSO*.  
•Kristina Rae Johnson, holding for Calhoun County, *CCSO*.

**Oct. 29**  
•Marcus Kelley, holding for Franklin County, *FCSO*.

*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.

Oct. 21 through Oct. 27, 2013



#### CITATIONS ISSUED:

Accidents.....	1
Traffic Citations.....	6
Special details (business escorts, traffic details).....	129
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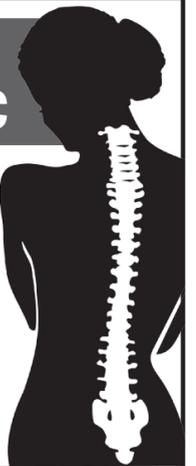
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# Community Thanksgiving dinner set for Nov. 27

We are planning to continue the Community Thanksgiving meal that has been held for several years now in Bristol.

The dinner will be Wednesday evening 5-7 p.m. (ET), Nov. 27 at Veterans Memorial Civic Center. We will provide a traditional holiday meal to be enjoyed at the Civic Center or it can be taken out for those that cannot make it to the Civic Center for some reason.

Last year we served approximately 600 meals. Entertainment is provided and you are invited to attend with your family. This is a great event and many are involved in providing this wonderful ministry.

You can sign-up to volunteer or reserve your place at the table by e-mailing us at [good2give10@gmail.com](mailto:good2give10@gmail.com). Your support and donations are greatly needed and appreciated. You may also call Roger Phillips or Cindy Whitfield at (850) 643-5400 if you have questions or comments. Transportation can be provided or meals can be delivered if needed.

We pray that God will receive the glory and that many will be blessed as this ministry continues in 2013.

## 5th annual Jingle Bell Run to be held Dec. 6

Are you looking for a fun and festive way to kick off this holiday season? Then tie on your jingle bells and join us at Blountstown Middle School for the 5th Annual Jingle Bell Run/Walk on Friday, Dec. 6 at 6 p.m. The race will begin at BMS and will wind through the hospital neighborhood.

- The cost of the race is:
- 5k - \$20;
  - 5k for students that are currently attending a Calhoun County School - \$15;
  - 5k for 3 or more members of an immediate family whose registration is turned in together - \$15 per runner;
  - 1 Mile Fun Run - \$10

The entry fee includes a long-sleeve technical tee (5k) or a t-shirt (Fun Run) and jingle bells. Proceeds will go to Blountstown Middle School. Pre-registration is strongly encouraged to ensure that you receive a shirt and jingle bells prior to the race. Registration forms are available at Blountstown Middle School or on the BMS website at [www.blountstownmiddle.org](http://www.blountstownmiddle.org). Registration forms and money are due by Wednesday, Nov. 20 to guarantee a shirt by the event.

Forms and money can be dropped off at the school office or mailed to BMS Jingle Bell Run, 17586 Main St. North, Blountstown, FL 32424. Contact Marie Castaneda at 674-8234 or 643-7453 if you have any questions.

## City of Blountstown to hold runoff election

It's election time in the City of Blountstown with a runoff set for Tuesday, Nov. 5 between David Blair and Ronnie Williams, Sr. The pair are vying for the City Council post held by Clifford Jackson who is not seeking re-election.

Early voting began Monday, Oct. 28, and

continues through Friday, Nov. 1, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Supervisor of Elections office. Please note the Elections office has moved to Room 117 on the first floor of the Calhoun County Courthouse.

Election day voting will be from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 5 at the WT. Neal Civic Center.

# Kinard Carnival



ABOVE: A menacing clown with a chainsaw gives a cart of riders a scare as they take part in Saturday's annual Kinard Halloween Carnival. LEFT: The carnival always features some elaborate cakes worth looking at even if you don't get a taste! BELOW LEFT: If you're too young to walk, your parents are going to have to get a little creative with your very first Halloween costume. Little John Franklin Daniels, grandson of carnival founder Doyle Daniels, came as a fishing lure and rested comfortably in a tackle box. See more pictures from the carnival and find out who won the costume contests on page 14.



DANIEL WILLIAMS PHOTOS



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## Turn lane needed at Turkey Creek Rd.

To the editor:

It is 5:30 p.m., Monday, Oct. 28, and yet another terrible accident has occurred at the intersection of Turkey Creek Road and Highway 20. I did not see the accident, but I heard it from well over a half mile away. When I drove to the scene, a sheriff's officer was just arriving and several motorists were assisting, so I went home. In the three years I have lived on Turkey Creek Road, accidents at the in-

tersection with Highway 20 have been a common thing. I want to ask the county to do something about this intersection. A left turn lane on Highway 20 onto Turkey Creek Road would make it a no passing zone for traffic on Highway 20. I believe that would eliminate most of the problems at this intersection. I urge the county to act before a fatality takes place.

Erik Johnson  
Bristol

**SPEAK UP!**  
WITH A LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Write: The Calhoun-Liberty Journal  
P.O. Box 536, Bristol 32321

See SPEAK UP! continued on page 15



## Staff keeps hospital in the pink for October

The staff at Calhoun-Liberty Hospital has been working diligently to decorate the halls and grounds with pink in honor of Breast Cancer Awareness month.

The halls and nurses stations have been adorned with pink decorations, including several trees at the front

entrance. These trees are for cancer survivors and family members who wish to add a ribbon in memory of someone they lost to the disease.

Pink lights have been placed into the lighting on the grounds, creating an inviting glow to greet visitors after dusk.

HOSPITAL EMPLOYEES SHOWN ABOVE INCLUDE, BACK ROW, from left: Nathan Ebersole, Rachel Arnold, Pearl Clayton, Candace Koonce, Olivia Hamm, Phillip Hill, Jeff Taylor, Diana Terry and Omar Farooq. MIDDLE ROW, from left: Latrinda Kemp, Elsie Cauley, Aimee Hanvey, Anna Layton, Cathy Cauley, Phyllis Reddick and Orville Eby. FRONT ROW, from left: Ruth Eby, Susan Walker, Alicia Kitchen, Dara Taylor, Jean Lambert, Debbie Summers and Ces Escato. JOHNNY EUBANKS PHOTO

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## Walking Program, occupational therapy, craft class and a movie Nov. Senior Citizens activities scheduled

The Liberty County Senior Citizens Association has scheduled the following events for the month of November:

**Beginning Tuesday, Nov. 5,** Liberty County Senior Citizens will be sponsoring a walking program - "Walk With Ease!" Whether you need relief from arthritis pain or just want to be active, The Arthritis Foundation Walk With Ease program can help. Unlike many other walking programs, Walk With Ease offers support, information and tools. The program will teach you how to safely make physical activity part of your everyday life. Walk With Ease has shown to: Reduce the pain and discomfort of arthritis, increase balance, strength and walking pace, build confidence to be physically active and improve overall health. The Walk With Ease Group meets for six weeks, three times per week, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Each session lasts about an hour and is designed to be fun for group-members. The leader begins with a brief discussion on a topic important to successful walking or arthritis management. After this, the group shares walking time with everyone walking at their own pace. Liberty Transit will provide transportation to the Bristol Center. Call 643-5690 for more information. Tell your friends about this so they can enjoy this walking program.

**Tuesday, Nov. 5** - A trip to the movies in Tallahassee and lunch has been scheduled. Call Liberty Transit at 643-2524 no later than 3 p.m. Friday, Nov. 1 to reserve your Transit ride.

**Wednesday, Nov. 6 at 11 a.m.** - A representative will be at the Hosford Center to discuss the Medicare Advantage Plans that are available through Capital Health. Call Liberty Transit at 643-2524 no later than 3 p.m. Friday, Nov. 1 to schedule your Transit ride.

**Thursday, Nov. 7** - This week's shopping trip is at the Bristol Piggly Wiggly. Call Liberty Transit at 643-2524 no later than 3 p.m. Monday, Nov. 4 to schedule your Transit pick up.

**Monday, Nov. 11** - The Bristol and Hosford Senior Centers and Liberty County Transit will be closed in observance of Veterans Day.

**Tuesday, Nov. 12 at 10 a.m.** - We will have a speaker from WCRx Pharmacy of Tallahassee at the Bristol Center to inform seniors of a free Pre-

scription Delivery Program for seniors who take four or more prescriptions monthly. Free glucose screenings will be available for anyone and free cholesterol screenings for anyone who joins the Prescription Delivery Program. Heidi from Gentivia will also be here for *Minute to Win It* occupational therapy games. We look forward to having you join us for the fun. Call Liberty Transit at 643-2524 no later than 3 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 7 to reserve your Transit ride. Call 643-5690 for information.

**Thursday, Nov. 14 at 10 a.m., Bristol Senior Center** - Bingo, fun and prizes with Cindy from Blountstown Health & Rehab. Call Liberty Transit at 643-2524 no later than 3 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 12 to reserve your Transit ride.

**Thursday, Nov. 14** - This week's shopping trip and lunch is in Marianna. Thanksgiving is near and this is an opportunity to purchase those items needed for Thanksgiving lunch. Call Liberty Transit at 643-2524 no later than 3 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 12 to reserve your Transit ride.

**Friday, Nov. 15** - A representative will be going door to door in Bristol to provide information about the services that are provided by and through Liberty County Senior Citizens. If you would like someone to visit you on this day, please call 643-5690 by 3 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 14.

**Monday, Nov. 18** - The Liberty County Senior Citizens Board of Directors will meet at the Bristol Senior Center. The public is welcome to attend.

**Tuesday, Nov. 19 at 10 a.m.,**

**Hosford Center** - We will have senior friendly chair exercises and the monthly Craft Class. For transportation to the Hosford Senior Center, call Liberty Transit at 643-2524 no later than 3 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 14.

**Thursday, Nov. 21 at 10 a.m.** - Bristol Center will host the monthly Craft Class. Call Liberty Transit at 643-2524 no later than 3 p.m. Monday, Nov. 18 to schedule your Transit ride.

**Thursday, Nov. 21** - Shopping and lunch is in Bristol this week. This is our last shopping trip for the month of November. You can purchase items for Thanksgiving. Call Liberty Transit at 643-2524 no later than 3 p.m. Monday, Nov. 18 to schedule your Transit ride.

**Tuesday, Nov. 26 at 11 a.m., Hosford Senior Center** - More bingo fun and prizes with Cindy From Blountstown Health & Rehab. Call Liberty Transit at 643-2524 no later than 3 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 21 to schedule your Transit ride to the Hosford Center.

**Thursday, Nov. 28 and Friday, Nov. 29** - The Bristol and Hosford Senior Centers and Liberty County Transit will be closed to enjoy the Thanksgiving Holidays. Blessings to you and your families.

We regret that Liberty County Senior Citizens is not going to be able to do a Community Thanksgiving Lunch this year because the available date for the Thanksgiving Lunch and the Senior Christmas Party at the Veterans Memorial Park Civic Center is too close together for both to be done.

Please call 643-5690 for information regarding other Community Thanksgiving meals.

## Halloween safety tips for young trick-or-treaters

On average, children are more than twice as likely to be hit by a car and killed on Halloween than on any other day of the year.

The Calhoun County Sheriff's Office offers these tips to help keep your children safe on Halloween:

- Decorate costumes and bags with reflective tape or stickers and, if possible, choose light colors.

- Have kids use glow sticks or flashlights to help them see and be seen by drivers.

- Children under the age of 12 should not be alone at night without adult supervision. If kids are mature enough to be out without supervision, they should stick to familiar areas that are well lit and trick-or-treat in groups.

- Popular trick-or-treating hours are 5:30 to 9:30 p.m. so be especially alert for kids during those hours.

For more information visit us at [www.calhounsheriff.com](http://www.calhounsheriff.com).

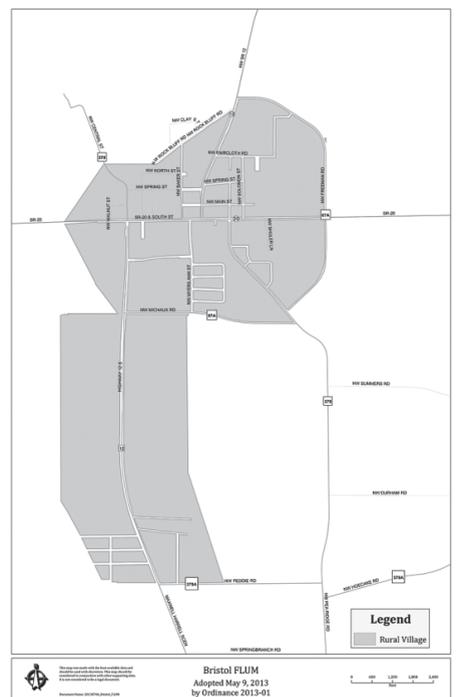
## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE USE OF LAND

BRISTOL, FLORIDA

The City Council of Bristol, Florida proposes to adopt an ordinance affecting the use of land by amending the Bristol Comprehensive Plan.

ORDINANCE NO. 2013-02

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF BRISTOL, FLORIDA, ADOPTING COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENTS, AS REQUIRED BY CHAPTER 163, FLORIDA STATUTES, DESIGNED TO UPDATE THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS ELEMENTS 5 YEAR SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS; ADOPTING THE LIBERTY SCHOOL DISTRICT FIVE YEAR PLAN; AUTHORIZING THE TRANSMITTAL OF THE AMENDMENTS TO THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.



The City of Bristol, City Council will hold a Public Hearing on the adoption of the Capital Improvements Schedule Amendments and ordinance on MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2013, at 6:30 P.M., at City Hall. A copy of said ordinances may be inspected by the public at the City Clerk's Office.

Please be advised that if a person decides to appeal any decision made with respect to any matter considered at this hearing, such person will need a record of these proceedings, and for this purpose such person 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.

### Corinth Baptist Church

invites you to join us

**Wednesday, October 30th**

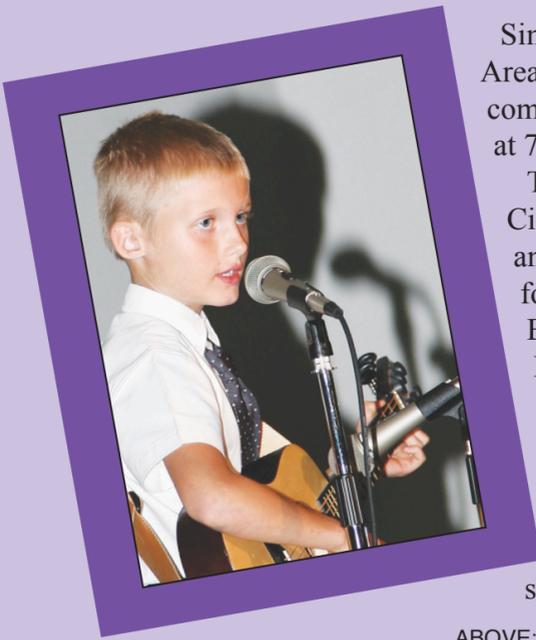
A walk through experience called "The Choice" will depict heaven and hell. A meal will be served from 6 p.m. - 7 p.m. EST in the church fellowship hall. Small groups will be escorted through the scenes beginning at 7 p.m. and continue in 10 minute intervals until 8:30 p.m. There will be no charge.

Call 379-8522 for directions. • Hope to see you there!



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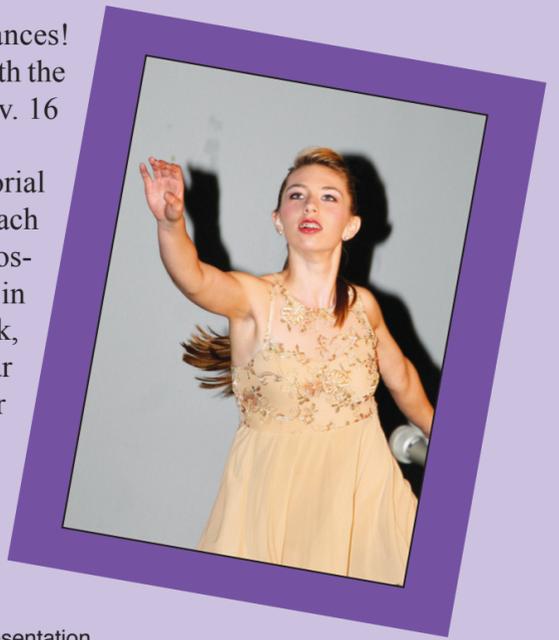
# Liberty County Arts Council presents 'Show Time' Nov. 16



Singing, dancing and musical performances! Area students will be sharing their talents with the community in Show Time on Saturday, Nov. 16 at 7 p.m. (ET).

The event will be at the Veterans Memorial Civic Center in Bristol. Tickets are \$3 each and may be purchased in advance at Hosford School and the following locations in Bristol: Buy Rite Drugs, Centennial Bank, Myrlene's Beauty Shop and W.R. Tolar School. Tickets will also be available for purchase at the door.

For more information contact Heather Cain at 508-7062 or Meiko Whitfield at 519-3425. Come out and show your support for our local youth.



ABOVE: Students performing at last year's Show Time presentation.

## Trunk or Treat at Mormon Church Thursday night

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints will hold their annual Trunk or Treat on Halloween, Thursday, Oct. 31 beginning at 6:30 p.m. (ET) in the church parking lot.

The church is located at 12605 NW Myers Ann Street in Bristol.

There will be lots of interesting trunks to visit, plenty of candy to collect, enjoyable games to play and free soup/chili to eat.

We invite all to attend and "treat" themselves to a fun evening!

## MEETINGS

### Wednesday, Oct. 30

• **Boy Scout Troop 200**, 6:30 p.m. (ET) at the Mormon Church in Bristol. Phone 643-2373.

### Friday, Nov. 1

• **Autism Support Group**, 6 p.m., W.T. Neal Civic Center. Phone (850) 674-9131.

### Sunday, Nov. 3

• **American Legion Post 272**, 2 p.m., Legion Hall in Blountstown. Phone (850) 237-2740.

### Monday, Nov. 4

• **Altha Girls Scout Troop #39**, 6 p.m., Altha Community Center. Phone (850) 762-2136.

• **Panhandle Creative Crafters "Bizzie Bees"**, 5-8 p.m. (CT), W.T. Neal Civic Center, Blountstown.

• **Bulldog Club**, 7 p.m., LCHS field house. Phone (850) 643-2344.

• **AA**, 6 p.m., Altha Community Center. Phone (850) 674-1363.

• **Altha Boy Scouts**, 7 p.m., Altha Fire Department. Phone (850) 762-3718.

### Tuesday, Nov. 5

• **Calhoun Commission**, 2 p.m., Ag. Bldg., Conference Room, across from Courthouse. Phone (850) 674-4545.

• **Mossy Pond VFD Auxiliary**, 6 p.m., Fire House. Phone (850) 762-1948.

• **Dixie 109 Masonic Lodge**, 7 p.m. (CT), Dixie Lodge Blountstown. Phone (850) 643-5742.

• **Mayhaw Community Action Group**, 6 p.m., St. Paul AME Church in Blountstown. Phone (850) 237-1484.

• **Liberty Chamber of Commerce**, 7 p.m., Apalachee Restaurant. Phone (850) 570-0222.

• **AA Meeting**, 7-8 p.m., Grace United Methodist Church, Hosford. Phone (850) 544-0677.

## Community Calendar

Wednesday, Oct. 30

**BIRTHDAYS**  
Derek Causseaux,  
Tom Stallworth,  
Martha Deason

**Crime Watch, Mossy Pond Community**, 6:30 p.m.  
**ANNIVERSARY**  
Merrill & Marie Detweiler

Thursday, Oct. 31

**BIRTHDAYS**  
Kaitlyn Bodiford & Danny Curry

**Fall Festival**, Blountstown Library from 5:30 - 8 p.m. ET  
**Haunted Depot** at Veterans Memorial from 7-10 p.m. ET  
**Trunk or Treat** Morman Church parking lot, starts at 6:30 p.m. ET

Friday, Nov. 1

**BIRTHDAYS**  
Patricia Gail Cauley, Joe Baggett, Gay Richards, Marilyn Clemons

**LCHS travels to Port St. Joe High**, 7:30 p.m. (ET)

Saturday, Nov. 2

**BIRTHDAYS**  
Byron Potter & Valerie Lambert

**all souls' day** november 2nd  
**Adult Dance**, 8-12 p.m. at the Legion Hall in Blountstown

Sunday, Nov. 3

**BIRTHDAYS**  
Dottie Fleck, Amanda Whitehead, Cindy Walker, Paige Tolley, Marilyn Russell

**daylight saving time ends** sunday, november 3

Monday, Nov. 4

**NATIONAL GEORGIA PECAN MONTH**

**BIRTHDAYS**  
Louis Bramblett, & Trey Gowan

Tuesday, Nov. 5

**BIRTHDAYS**  
Rachael Orama, Nancy Wilford, Blanche Traylor, Joy Nissley, Bobby Shuler

**bonfire night** november 5

## Holiday Fair Nov. 1-2 in Santa Rosa

Make plans now to come help us celebrate our 32nd anniversary of the annual Homemaker's Holiday Fair on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 1 - 2 at the Santa Rosa County Auditorium in Milton from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. During the past 31 years, the Fair has gained a reputation as a great place to find a variety of handmade gifts and decorations from local and regional crafters. A special highlight of the Fair has always been the wonderful homemade soup and sandwiches made by the talented members of the Association for Home and Community Educators (HCE) which sponsors the show.

Admission is free. Lots of door prizes will be given away.

For more information or if you have a question, call the University of Florida/IFAS-Santa Rosa County Extension, at (850) 623-3868, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. weekdays. For additional information about all of the county extension services and other articles of interest go to [www.santarosa.ifas.ufl.edu/](http://www.santarosa.ifas.ufl.edu/).

## Summers reunion Sunday at Torreya

Fall is here and the Torreya Picnic in the Park for the Summers Family is just around the corner. The Jake and Susan Summers family reunion will be held on Sunday, Nov. 3 at 1 p.m. (ET) at Torreya State Park.

Bring your favorite covered dish and footballs or frisbees for the children to play with.

We look forward to seeing everyone there.

## Boyd fundraiser planned for Friday

A fundraiser is planned for 17-year-old Tra'Varus Boyd, a cheerleader at Blountstown High School, who has been selected to perform at the world famous London New Year's Day Parade.

To help cover expenses and the final payment for his trip the family will be selling dinners on Friday, Nov. 1 at St. Mary's Church in Blountstown at 3:30 p.m.

For more information contact Debra Sue Boyd at (850) 879-9849.

## Last free train ride of this year at Veterans

Make plans to visit Veterans Memorial Railroad on Saturday, Nov. 9 from 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. (ET) for a free train ride. This will be your last chance for free train rides this year.

The park has a Railroad Caboose you can walk in, two pavilions for picnics, a walking trail, a playground, an air-conditioned depot with a train table with lots of trains for children's play.

For more information call 643-6646, 643-5491 or visit [VeteransMemorial-Railroad.org](http://VeteransMemorial-Railroad.org).

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Late Night Laughs

A RECAP OF RECENT OBSERVATIONS BY LATE NIGHT TV HOSTS.

Have you tried to log on to the Obamacare website? It's slow. It is slower than my watch during an interview with Paris Hilton. — JAY LENO

Halloween is Thursday. I love Halloween. You open the door, and there are strangers in masks. Good idea. — DAVID LETTERMAN

The Obamacare website is not the only one crashing. The NSA website went offline Friday after suspected hackers broke into it. Hey, NSA: It's not so much fun when people are sneaking into YOUR computer, is it? — JAY LENO

Over the weekend it came out that the U.S. has been listening in on German Chancellor Angela Merkel's cellphone since 2002. At this point, I feel like the only world leader our government DOESN'T listen to is President Obama. — JIMMY FALLON

The U.S. has been spying on German Chancellor Angela Merkel for more than 10 years. Merkel actually called Obama to say that eavesdropping on allies "is not acceptable." Then Obama said, "Yeah, well that's not what you said to England." — JIMMY FALLON

Today Obama was in so much trouble he called Hillary Clinton and he said, "Could you start early?" — DAVID LETTERMAN

Two American icons celebrate birthdays today. The Statue of Liberty turns 127 years old. And Bruce Jenner, who of course is also 127 years old. — CRAIG FERGUSON

The Statue of Liberty and Bruce Jenner are very different, of course. One is made of copper and steel and needs constant work done to prevent it from crumbling and cracking — and the other one's the Statue of Liberty. — CRAIG FERGUSON

According to a new report, more than 700 fake Obamacare websites have been created. Security experts say it's simple to identify the phony sites because they are easy to log on to. — JAY LENO

Kanye West went to a baseball stadium in San Francisco with Kim Kardashian, and he popped the question right there. He said to her, "Why are you famous?" — DAVID LETTERMAN

There are new reports that the NSA has been monitoring communications of 35 leaders. Germany's Angela Merkel is one of our closest allies and she is not happy about this. She called President Obama to give him an earful — and it takes a lot to get those ears full. — JIMMY KIMMEL

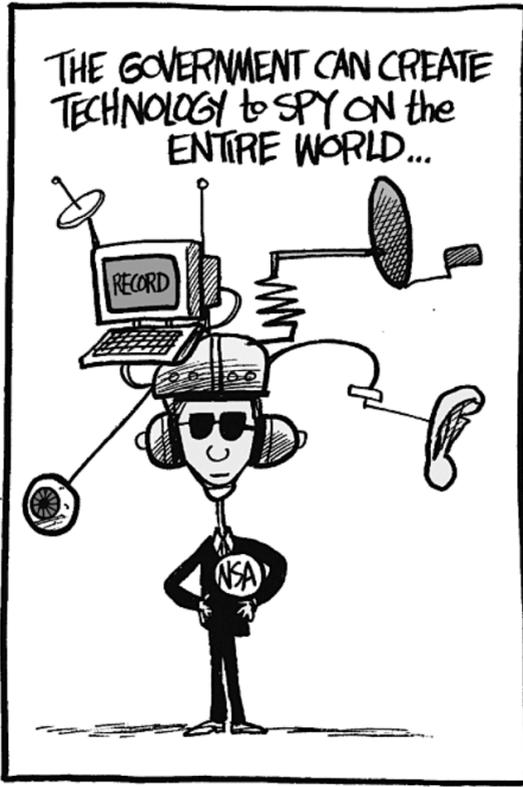
If the NSA agents are like most men they were probably only pretending to listen to what she was saying anyway. — JIMMY KIMMEL

They ought to take all of the guys who are so good at hacking into phone calls and put them to work fixing HealthCare.gov. We need to reallocate our nerds. — JIMMY KIMMEL

Obama said they've had some glitches with the Affordable Care website. I'll tell you something. If you order a pair of pants online and they send you the wrong color, that's a glitch. This is like a Carnival cruise, for God's sake! — DAVID LETTERMAN

The White House said that one of the reasons the Obamacare website has had so many problems is because it's so popular that it was overwhelmed. Really? How come Psy's "Gangnam Style" video never had any problems? He got 2.5 billion hits! — JAY LENO

Halloween is just a couple of days away. A new survey found that 10 percent of Americans actually plan on wearing a costume to work for Halloween. Because if there's anything better than getting fired on Halloween, it's getting fired by a clown. — JIMMY FALLON



THE LAWTON CHILES WAY  
Horse trading for ostrich feed with the governor

by Jim McClellan, contributing writer

It's hard to believe now, but there was a time when Florida wasn't governed by ideologues toeing a party line. It was a time when our state was more genuine and less generic, when personalities could still trump politics and candor didn't kill careers.

That time was in the 1990s, and I had the amazing good fortune to work in the administration of the late Gov. Lawton Chiles.

One of my favorite memories was the night in 1992 when a bill exempting ostrich feed from the sales tax was on Chiles' desk. As a press aide, I was working late, writing summaries of the governor's actions on legislation. Major bills were often accompanied by signing ceremonies or press conferences, so it was mostly the less significant ones left in the late-night pile.

This particular evening was notable only because everyone expected Chiles to veto the ostrich feed exemption, a poster-child for special interest influence that was sponsored by Vernon's Big Sam Mitchell.

For months, we had hammered home the message that such exemptions were eating away at Florida's tax base, taking money from schools, law enforcement, children's health and other critical needs. The press and most of the staff figured Big Sam's bill was DOA. We were just waiting on the "D" part to become official.

One other person sharing

my lonely vigil that night was Pat Riordan, then the public information director for the Board of Regents. Riordan was working on a speech for Charlie Reed, chancellor of the State University System. He wanted to highlight the measure as a shining example of what was wrong with the tax system, and the veto as a victory for Florida's schools.

Riordan called every hour or so and I dutifully trotted down to the governor's office to ask our chief of staff, Jim Krog, about the status of the bill. On a couple of those trips, I had to wait on Krog to finish making a crank call to some poor legislator (at Chiles' request), lying that the governor had inexplicably vetoed his pet local bill. After he and the governor had their laughs, Krog would end the torment, talk the lawmaker off the ledge and move on to the next victim.

Each time I asked about the ostrich feed bill Krog would only say, "He'll get to it in a little while." As that "little while" got to be about 9 p.m., Riordan finally said he was putting the item in Reed's speech and going home. "Call me if the governor changes his mind or anything," he joked.

I can't remember what time I made my last journey downstairs, but I knew there was a problem when

Krog's greeting was, "Let's talk ostrich." I laughed, but Krog was completely serious. Chiles was indeed letting the bill become law.

"How in the world are we going to explain this to the press?" I asked.

Krog didn't miss a beat. "Just say that Floridians want and deserve bigger drumsticks," he said.

I tried the line on Riordan, but it was late and he wasn't amused.

Back in the press office, we made a half-hearted effort to spin it as economic development, but the news media weren't buying it. The real reason, as everyone knew, was that Big Sam needed that bill — and Chiles needed him.

Chiles was looking at his larger priorities. He was counting on Big Sam's support for tax reform, children's issues, prisons and other difficult votes ahead. So he was willing to take the heat for helping his old friend. Sure enough, the editorial writers and columnists ripped him up pretty good.

Was it the best way to make a new law? Maybe not, but it was incredibly effective as well as highly entertaining. And despite all the changes since then, you'll never convince me that today's process is better in the least.

*I still find it hard to believe that Gov. Chiles, Big Sam Mitchell, Jim Krog and Pat Riordan have all passed away now. To me, Florida is a poorer place in their absence.*



# This Halloween, don't be spooked when looking for help from Social Security

By Jacquelyne Gonzalez  
Social Security Manager in Marianna

Don't look now, but it's Halloween! Halloween is time for kids of all ages to dress up in costumes and go trick-or-treating. But it is also a time of visiting haunted houses and watching those scary horror films. Think of the movies that frightened you the most, and they usually have an element of fear of the unknown.

Doing business online may also needlessly frighten people. When it comes to Social Security, however, there is nothing to be spooked about. We take all the fear out of doing business online.

There are a number of things you can do online at [www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov), and none of them should send so much as a shiver down your spine.

Save yourself a trip to a Social Security office and transact your business from the comfort of your home. No need to be afraid to go online; it's so easy and safe to do business at [www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov).

Here are just a few of Social Security's

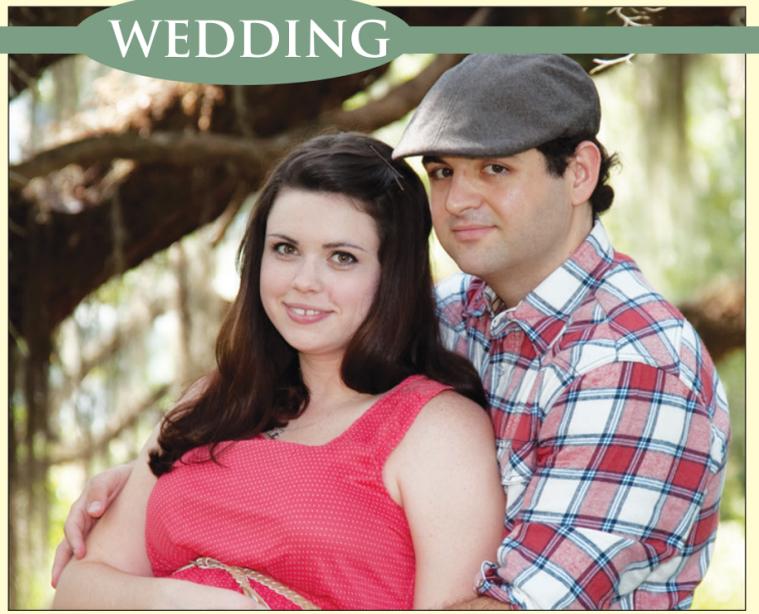
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- Change your address
- Report employee wages.

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You'll find our online services are frighteningly easy to use. Save your fears for the monsters on television or the costumed creatures knocking at your door. Don't be afraid to visit [www.socialsecurity.gov](http://www.socialsecurity.gov).

## WEDDING



### Durham, Larkins plan Bristol ceremony Nov. 9

Gordon and Melissa Durham of Bristol, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Erin Elise Durham to Mitchell Lamar Larkins, the son of Mickey and Tanice Larkins of Bristol.

County High School and attended Chippola College. He recently returned from Afghanistan after completing a 12 month contract with the Excelus Company.

The bride is a graduate of Liberty County High School and is currently employed as a substitute teacher with the Liberty County Kidstart Program.

The wedding will take place on Saturday, November 9 at 5:30 p.m. (ET) at the home of Nettie Leigh Smith in Bristol with a reception to follow at the Veterans Memorial Civic Center. Family and friends are invited to attend.

The groom is a graduate of Liberty

**First Baptist Church of Bristol**

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Sat. Nov. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. EST
Thurs. Nov. 7 <sup>th</sup>	6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. EST
Sat. Nov. 9 <sup>th</sup>	10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. EST
Sat. Nov. 16 <sup>th</sup>	9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. EST

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## Calhoun County native is honored as PTA's Outstanding Educator of the Year

Francesca Cherek Scott has been presented with the PTA's Outstanding Educator of the Year award for 2013-14.

Francesca is a 2001 graduate of Blountstown High School. She achieved her bachelor's degree in Criminology and Criminal Justice and her teaching certificate from Florida State University and her master's degree from Troy University.

She has taught school at Springfield Elementary

in Panama City as well as Anchorage, AK.

This award comes after her first year of teaching at Lowell Elementary where she teaches a combination class of 5th and 6th graders.

She is the daughter of Johannah and Ben Cherek of Mossy Pond.

Her and her husband, Aaron Scott, USAF are currently stationed in Idaho but call Anchorage, AK home. They are expecting their first child in April 2014.



## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON AN ORDINANCE CHANGING THE USE OF LAND LIBERTY COUNTY FLORIDA

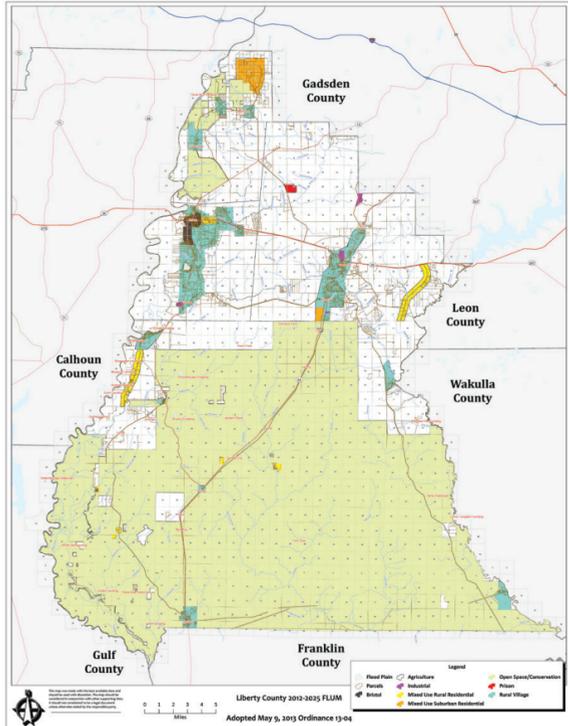
The Board of County Commissioners of Liberty County, Florida proposes to adopt an ordinance affecting the use of land by amending the Liberty County Comprehensive Plan.

### ORDINANCE NO. 2013-08

AN ORDINANCE OF LIBERTY COUNTY, FLORIDA, ADOPTING COMPREHENSIVE PLAN AMENDMENTS, AS REQUIRED BY CHAPTER 163, FLORIDA STATUTES, DESIGNED TO UPDATE THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS ELEMENTS 5-YEAR SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS; ADOPTING THE LIBERTY SCHOOL DISTRICT FIVE YEAR PLAN; AUTHORIZING THE TRANSMITTAL OF THE AMENDMENTS TO THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HERewith; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

The Liberty County Commission will hold a Public Hearing on the adoption of the Capital Improvements Schedule Amendments and ordinance on THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2013, at 6:00 P.M., in the County Courthouse. A copy of said ordinances may be inspected by the public at the Liberty County Clerk's Office.

Please be advised that if a person decides to appeal any decision made with respect to any matter considered at this hearing, such person will need a record of these proceedings, and for this purpose such person may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made.



## Van Lierop Insurance partners with Vickery - O'Bryan Agency

Van Lierop Insurance Services (VLINS) has recently expanded their customer base by partnering with the Vickery-O'Bryan Agency in Blountstown. VLINS owner Dwight Van Lierop felt that teaming up with Vickery-O'Bryan was a great next step for his company.

partnership of Van Lierop and Vickery-O'Bryan led to a complete renovation of the Vickery-O'Bryan office on Hwy. 71 North in Blountstown. Van Lierop Insurance Service staff will soon vacate their office in the Harvey's Shopping Plaza, and relocate to the larger, newly remodeled space across from Blountstown Middle School. They plan to move into their new office on Nov. 1.

Russell Vickery and Bobby O'Bryan started their agency in 1983. Vickery's daughter, Tami Vickery Martin, began working there when she was 18, and took over her father's role in the business in 1996. She has maintained that role and will continue to have a vital role in the new venture. Tami looks forward to working with her new associates.

The new venture will embrace the advances of new technology, including online quoting and an efficient management system, communications through social marketing and electronic mail, as well as support of community partnerships and initiatives.

Dwight Van Lierop began his insurance career in 1999 when he opened Blount Insurance in Blountstown. He then added Hinson Insurance Agency in Marianna in 2001, and opened the doors to a new agency, Coastal Insurance Agency in Port St. Joe in 2005. With three office locations, Van Lierop Insurance Services has built a strong foundation with customer loyalty throughout the panhandle.

Agent Dwight Van Lierop, Agent Tami Martin, and Client Managers Cathy Kelly and Brandy Gortman stand ready to serve all their customers. Van Lierop Insurance Services offers home, auto, umbrella, life, and health coverage, as well as commercial line of auto, property, general liability, workers comp, and umbrella.

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The entire Van Lierop Insurance Services team looks forward to helping provide a solid foundation, and secure solutions for all your insurance needs.

**VAN LIEROP INSURANCE SERVICES INC.**



Blountstown Police Officers fingerprint a youngster at the recent library Story Time.

## BPD offers tips to library Story Time kids on Stranger Danger

The Blountstown Public Library hosted officers from the Blountstown Police Department at Stranger Danger Story Time.

Officer Eddie Dalton spoke with the children on how to stay safe and be aware of those you don't know. He covered things ranging from home alone safety, internet safety and public safety. He also went over some safety tips for Halloween.

After his presentation the children got a tour of Officer Golden's patrol car. The children had a great time exploring the

inside of a police car. Officers Dalton and Golden then did finger printing for all the children.

The Story Time Ladies, children and parents all thank the Police Department for sharing tips on Stranger Danger with us.

We will have Dental Awareness at this week's story time on Thursday, Oct. 31 at 10 a.m.

Come join us at The Blountstown Public Library as we have a great time learning how to care for our teeth!

## Students will give piano recital at next Arts Series

The Blountstown Public Library presents the next Arts Series Event on Saturday, Nov. 16 in the Heritage Room. Instead of the regular evening program it will be held in the afternoon at 3 p.m., so mark your calendars!

The library is proud to be hosting a community piano recital featuring youth from the area and their piano teachers.

Kayla Pickron and Hope Peacock both teach and have invited some of their students to perform a

mix of pieces ranging from fun to serious. Sometimes a recital can be intimidating for young folks but this performance is intended to be more relaxing and informal.

The event is free and open to the public. A photo session of the group then cake and punch will follow the musical presentation.

## Fall Festival at the Blountstown Library Thursday

The Blountstown Public Library would like to invite you to come join us for our Fall Festival. This is for families with children Pre-K through 3rd grade. Come out and join us for fun, food, game and prizes.

The festival will be held on Thursday, Oct. 31 from 5:30 - 8 p.m. in the Library Courtyard.

We look forward to seeing you there.

## Mossy Pond Crime Watch

A Crime Watch for the Mossy Pond Community will be held on the first Tuesday of every month beginning Nov. 5 at Mossy Pond Library from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Any questions or concerns can be addressed by Deputy Sims at that time.

## Sheriff Kimbrel talks to kids about safety at Mossy Pond Story Time

Mossy Pond Public Library was thrilled to have the Calhoun County Sheriff's Office talk to the community's young children at our 'Stranger Danger' story time.

Sgt. Deputy Scheetz and Sheriff Glenn Kimbrel talked about the importance of not talking to or going with strangers. "Just say NO and run to someone you know"

was the message. Halloween safety was also discussed.

The kids got to explore the Sheriff's patrol car, and each child received a goodie bag. Parents were also given lots of helpful safety tips and brochures.

We appreciate the Sheriff's Office for their time and all they do for the county.

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## NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT ORDINANCE 2013-07

Notice is given that the Board of County Commissioners of Liberty County, Florida, proposes to adopt the following Ordinance:

**AN ORDINANCE OF LIBERTY COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING, REPEALING, AND REPLACING ORDINANCE NO. 95-02, WHICH IS CONSIDERED THE "ANIMAL CONTROL ORDINANCE"; ESTABLISHING AN ANIMAL CONTROL ORDINANCE WITHIN THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF LIBERTY COUNTY, FLORIDA; PROVIDING DEFINITIONS; PROVIDING STATUTORY AUTHORITY; PROVIDING AREAS OF ENFORCEMENT; PROVIDING FOR REQUIREMENT OF HUMANE CARE; PROVIDING FOR ANIMALS AND MOTOR VEHICLES; PROVIDING FOR RESTRAINT BY PROPERTY OWNER; PROVIDING FOR REDEMPTION FOR STRAY OR IMPOUNDED ANIMALS; PROVIDING FOR DISPOSAL OF ANIMALS; PROVIDING FOR IMPOUNDMENT AND BOARD FEES; PROVIDING FOR RABIES VACCINATION AND CONTROL PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS; PROVIDING FOR OBSTRUCTING OF ENFORCEMENT; PROVIDING FOR ALLOWING ANIMALS TO RUN AT LARGE; PROVIDING FOR PROTECTION AGAINST POTENTIAL RABIES CARRIERS; PROVIDING FOR A CLASSIFICATION FOR DANGEROUS AND AGGRESSIVE ANIMALS; AND PROVIDING FOR CLASSIFICATION, CITATION, IMPOUNDMENT, AND NOTIFICATION SHOULD A DANGEROUS OR AGGRESSIVE ANIMAL ESCAPE; PROVIDING FOR NEUTERING, TATTOOING, MUZZLING, RESTRAINING AND ENCLOSING DANGEROUS OR AGGRESSIVE ANIMALS, PROVIDING REQUIREMENTS FOR CONTAINMENT; PROVIDING FOR SIGN REGARDING DANGEROUS ANIMALS AND PROVIDING FOR TRAPPING CAGES ALLOWED TO BE PLACED ON PRIVATE PROPERTY, PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT AND SEVERANCE, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

A public hearing on the Ordinance will be held at **6:00 p.m. eastern standard time, on November 7, 2013**, 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 11th day of October, 2013.  
Liberty County, Florida  
Kathleen E. Brown, Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS/TAXPAYERS

### 2013 TAX ROLLS OPEN FOR COLLECTION

Notice is hereby given that the certified Tax Roll for the year 2013 has been delivered to the Liberty County Tax Collector, Honorable Marie G. Goodman, CFC, by the Liberty County Property Appraiser, Honorable Patricia S. Whitfield, for collection. The tax rolls (Ad-Valorem, Personal Property and Centrally Assessed Property) will be open for collection for payment November 1, 2013.

**SCHEDULE OF PAYMENTS IS AS FOLLOWS:**

- 4% Discount - November 1 thru November 30, 2013
- 3% Discount - December 1 thru December 31, 2013
- 2% Discount - January 1 thru January 31, 2014
- 1% Discount - February 1 thru February 28, 2014
- Net amount due March 1, 2014 - Penalties begin April 1, 2014

**IF PAYING IN THE OFFICE:**

If you will be making payment in the office, you will pay the discounted amount due on your statement according to the date paid. If the last day of the month falls on a weekend or holiday, we will accept that months discounted payment the next business day.

**IF PAYING BY MAIL OR ON-LINE:**

Payments by mail must be postmarked by the due date of the discount period to be eligible for that month's discount. Mailing Address: PO BOX 400, Bristol, FL 32321 or on-line at [www.libertycountytaxcollector.com](http://www.libertycountytaxcollector.com)

Statements will be mailed to all property owners or their agents at the last known address on or before November 1, 2013. If you do not receive your tax bill notice or you have additional questions, please feel free to contact this office at (850) 643-2442 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. thru 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday or 9:00 a.m. thru 11:00 a.m. on Saturday.

Marie G. Goodman, Tax Collector, Liberty County

# When life hands you a rabbit . . .

In terms of animal decisions, it may have been the worst case of bad timing since unicorns missed the Ark.

Picture an ordinary rabbit on his evening jaunt, munching on some greenery at the edge of a clearing and watching out for hawks and owls and such.

So far, so good, right? Well, now let's suppose this clearing is actually a trailer park on the outskirts of Tallahassee, Florida – and the greenery is my brother's lawn.

If you're in any suspense at all about how this story ends, then you didn't know Bill back around 1977 or so.

At that time, he and his wife were newlyweds struggling to make ends meet. (Although Bill probably wouldn't admit they were "struggling" then. I think he describes that period more as "scratching a broke ass with both hands.")

Times were hard in general and this particular month they had to choose between gas and groceries. As a result, the dinner menu that evening included rice. Not rice and gravy. Not rice and beans. Not even rice and a rusty can of something at the bottom of the cabinet.

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Just. Plain. White. Rice. My sister-in-law, Onaleah, was prepping her two ingredients (rice and water), when Bill looked out the window and saw a much better dinner staring back at him.

Remember the rabbit? Right about then, he would have been much safer playing in rush hour traffic.

Now some of you may wonder: Was it hunting season? Was this during daylight hours? Were they outside the city limits?

Was the trailer in an isolated section of the park?

Again, if you knew Bill, you'd know that the answer to all of the above is that he didn't care, not even a little bit. At that moment, all that mattered was whether he could scrounge up a cartridge for his .22 rifle. And he did.

As my sister-in-law tells it, less than an hour passed between the pop of a rifle in her yard and a plate of bones by her sink.

Some people say that the rabbit must have come straight from heaven. If that's the case, all I can say

is that Bill sent him back before they ever knew he was gone.

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As a postscript, I should probably point out that Bill is now retired from the Tallahassee Fire Department and lives on the water on Spring Creek (with the one and only Florida Mullet Hound.) These days he's seldom hungry for more than a few minutes. But if I was a rabbit I probably still wouldn't take any chances.

Calhoun County native Jim McClellan grew up hunting, fishing and hanging out in the same Apalachicola River swamp that five generations of his family has enjoyed. He lives in Pensacola. His columns can also be found on his blog, outdoorsdownsouth.com.

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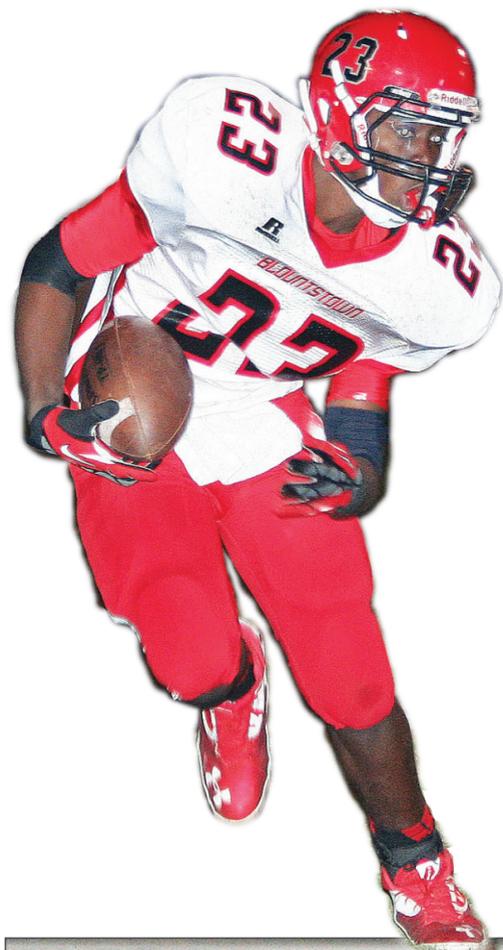
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TOP RIGHT: Ja'Vakiel Brigham (#24) slips away from a Holmes County opponent as teammate Tracy Carrillo (#56) slows down another player. ABOVE LEFT: A Blue Devil is caught in the claws of two Tigers. RIGHT: A Blue Devil attempts to disrupt a handoff between Chason Roulhac (#3) and Shontavious Peterson. BELOW: A Tiger player dives to tackle a Holmes County opponent.

# Blountstown takes care of business with 40-0 victory over Holmes County

by Michael DeVuyst, contributing writer

BONIFAY - The Blountstown Tigers left no doubt who the best team is in Class A District 3 is last Friday night in Bonifay. The BHS team put up 40 first half points and coasted to a 40-0 win. This was the Tigers' fifth shutout on the season. Blountstown has outscored their district opponents on average 38-4.

The scoring started on Blountstown's first possession. Four plays and 48 yards later, Corin Peterson crossed the goal line on a 12 yard run.

A few plays later and the Tigers had the ball again on a fumble recovery but promptly lost it back to the Blue Devils on a fumble of their own. The Tiger defense stiffened and forced a short punt and the Tigers started their next drive on the Blue Devil 32. Three plays later Hunter Jordan tossed a 24 yard pass to C. Peterson for the Tigers second TD of the night.

Holmes County's next possession

was another forced three and out. On the ensuing punt, Ja'Vakiel Brigham blocked the punt and the ball was recovered in the end zone by the Blue Devils, giving the Tigers a rare 2 point safety. The safety pushed the score to 16-0 Tigers with 2:21 left to play in the first quarter.

Blountstown received the ball right back after the free kick and drove down the field on a 6 play 28 yard drive resulting in a 25 yard field goal by Andrew Bennett pushing the score to 19-0 at the beginning of the second quarter. Bennett also connected on all 5 extra point attempts. Shon Peterson got into the scoring mix on Blountstown's next possession. S. Peterson found the right sideline for a 65 yard TD run and the 26-0 lead.

On Blountstown's next possession they found themselves pinned deep in their own territory on the 8 yard line. That did not last long. Jordan hit C. Peterson on a hitch and go route on the right sideline for 92 yards and another Tiger score. On Holmes County's next possession, Ja'Vakiel recovered a fumble and returned it 20

yards to the Blue Devil 4 yard line. On the next play, Brigham finished the job with a 4 yard TD run and the final 40-0 score.

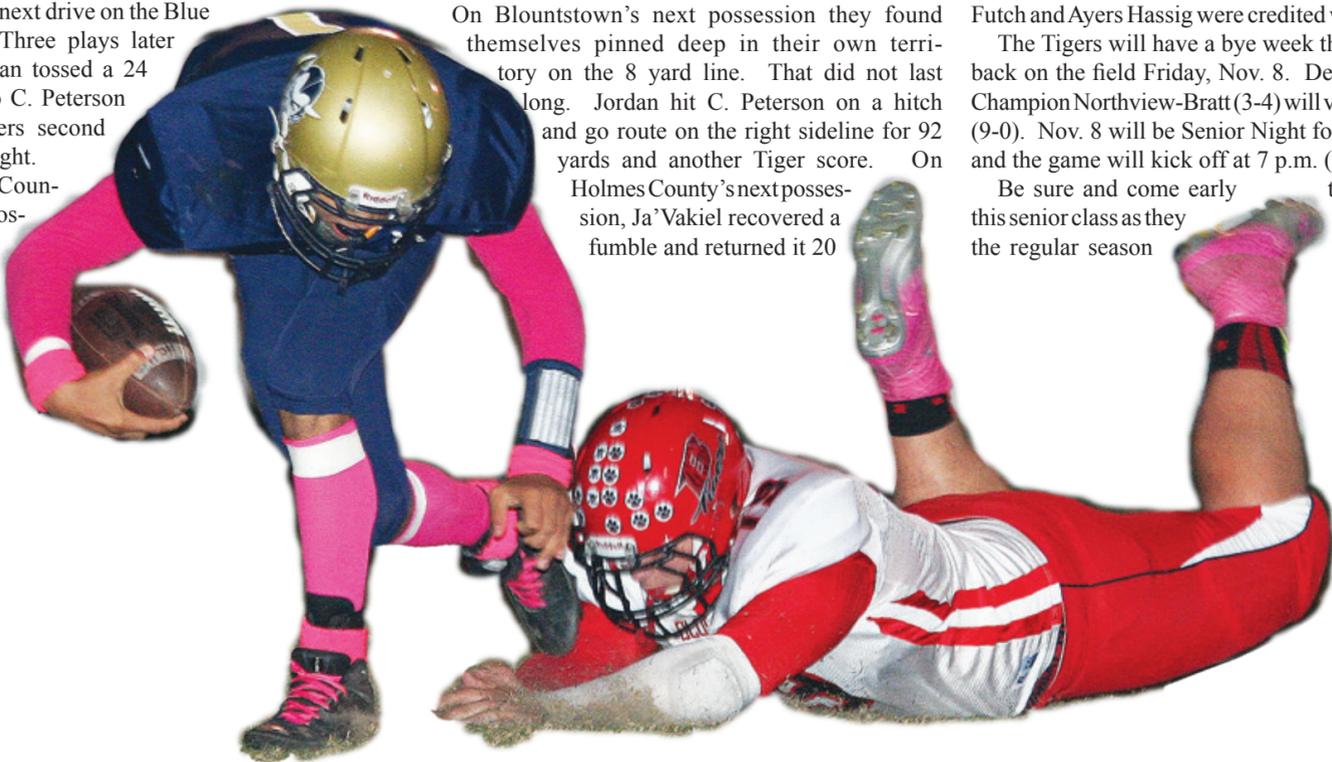
The second half began with the running clock and mostly backups playing for Blountstown. The Tigers offense only ran 27 offensive plays on the night, gaining 326 yards or 12.1 yards per play.

The Tiger defense limited the Blue Devils to 39 total yards (-6 in the first half). Tiger QB Hunter Jordan was 2-2 for 116 yards and 2 TDs. Both receptions went to Corin Peterson. Shon Peterson carried the ball twice for 69 yards. A. Mayorga contributed 46 yards rushing.

On defense the Tigers were led by Anthony Wyrick, C.J. Hiers and freshman Demetrius Thomas. Tommy Futch and Ayers Hassig were credited with 1 sack each.

The Tigers will have a bye week this week and get back on the field Friday, Nov. 8. Defending Class A Champion Northview-Bratt (3-4) will visit Blountstown (9-0). Nov. 8 will be Senior Night for the home team and the game will kick off at 7 p.m. (CT).

Be sure and come early to congratulate this senior class as they look to finish the regular season undefeated.



## Bulldogs head to Port St. Joe for district playoff

by Richard Williams, Journal sports writer

Liberty County travels to Port St. Joe Friday, Nov. 1 for a football game to decide the district championship. The game has a scheduled start time of 7:30 p.m.

The Bulldogs and Tiger Sharks go into the game with both teams having made the playoffs due to wins over Franklin County and West Gadsden. Liberty County enters the game with

a record of 7-1 overall and 2-0 in the district. Port St. Joe enters in the game with a record of 6-2 overall and 2-0 in the district.

Liberty's only loss was to undefeated Blountstown while the Tiger Sharks have losses against Chipley and Class 5A Bay High.

The winner of the contest will host a first round playoff game against the

second place team in District 3 which will be South Walton, Bozeman or Chipley. The loser of the contest will travel to Blountstown to take on the champions of District 3.

LCHS Head Coach Grant Grantham said he hopes a lot of Bulldog fans are at the game.

"Our fans have been really supportive of us this year just like years

in the past and I know it really helps our kids when they hear those fans that have traveled to watch them play," Grantham said.

Fans traveling to the game must take a detour to get to the game. Instead of the normal route down Highway 71 fans will need to travel to Clarksville and then travel south on Highway 73 to get to Port St. Joe.

## Career Fair planned Nov. 19 in Marianna for local students making new career choices

The Chipola Regional Workforce Development Board's Region 3 Career Fair will be held Wednesday, Nov. 19, 2013 at the Eastside Baptist Church, located on Highway 90 east in Marianna.

Students from Calhoun, Holmes, Jackson, Liberty and Wash-

ington counties will be attending. During the Career Fair, the students will be able to obtain information that will assist them in making career choices in a rapidly changing workplace.

Local employers and business owners are encouraged to take advan-

tage of this opportunity to share information about their businesses with the workforce of tomorrow.

The support of the local business community is vital to the success of the Career Fair and allows the students to hear firsthand what the employers are looking

for in hiring new staff. The students will be in attendance from 8 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. (CT).

If you would like further information or your business is interested in participating, please contact Alice Pendergrass at (850) 718-2270 or Kenny Griffin at (850) 633-2737.

## BHS boys are Cross Country District Champions

On Wednesday, Oct. 23, the Blountstown Varsity Boys and Girls Cross Country Teams went to Altha to compete in their district championship race. The Varsity Boys Team placed 1st out of 8 teams making them the District Champions. The Varsity Girls Team placed 3rd out of 4 teams making them 2nd runner up.

The Varsity Boys individual places and times are as follows:

- Thomas Howell - 1st (18:27);
- Tyreek Sumner- 6th (19:58);
- Jesse Langley- 9th (20:23);
- Calen Masai-12th (20:55);



- Mark Wilson- 17th (21:41);
- Alfrado Puente-19th (21:57);
- Austin Britt-30th (23:34)

The Varsity Girls individual places and times are as follows:

- Hannah Plaazrin-2nd (23:14);
- Missy Newsome-9th (25:14);
- Amber Raisbeck-11th (26:07);

- Dawn Starr-16th (27:13);
- Keirstin Mosher-15th(26:57);
- Santana Lee- 20th (29:30);
- Rachel Nandho-27th(33:18)

Both the Girls and Boys Varsity teams will be traveling to Lake City to compete in their Regional Championship race on Saturday, Nov. 2 they will be leaving Friday, Nov. 1 at 9 a.m.

Congratulations to Coach Howell and the Cross Country Teams on an outstanding season. We wish them luck at the Regional Competition.

## BHS to host future Tiger Cheer Camp Nov. 8

BHS Cheerleaders will be hosting a Future Tiger Cheer Camp on November 8 from 3- 4:30 p.m.

Early registration by Friday, Nov. 1: Cost is \$20 which includes a red and white shaker pom and one glitter paw tattoo. This camp is for girls

ages 4-12. It will be held in the BHS Auditorium and the girls will learn two dances, two BHS chants and one cheer and will get to perform at half-time of the Friday, Nov. 8 BHS Tiger football game against

Northview at home. Late registration will be held on Friday, Nov. 8 at 2:45 p.m., and cost will be \$25. For more information, please contact Elizabeth Bennett at (850) 643-6260.

## Family breakfast and honor assembly at BES

Friday, Nov. 1 BES will host our monthly Family Breakfast. We invite all parents and grandparents to come out and eat Breakfast with us.

Also, at 1:30 p.m. the same afternoon, we will have our first Honor Assembly this year. We will honor all students in 3rd, 4th and 5th grades who made the A or A/B honor roll this first nine weeks.

## Important dates at BES

- Tuesday, Oct. 29 - Report card day
- Thursday, Oct. 31 - Early release day
- Friday, Nov. 1 - Family breakfast; Honor Assembly - 1:30 p.m., 3rd, 4th & 5th grades
- Friday, Nov. 8 - Veteran's Day Program
- Nov. 25-29 - Thanksgiving Holidays

## Veterans Day program at Blountstown Elementary

On Friday, Nov. 8 at 8:30 a.m., the 3rd grade class will honor our Veterans with a Veterans Day program. If you are a Veteran, we would like to invite you to come join us for a very moving tribute.

## BHS events this week

- \*Wednesday, Oct. 30 - FCA Huddle during both lunches
- \*Thursday, Oct. 31 - Honor roll assembly; early release day, students dismissed at 1 p.m.; haunted hayride
- \*Saturday, Nov. 2 - Cross Country Regional Competition in Gainesville

### ON THE RADIO

**Listen to Football on WPHK/WYBT this week.**

Hear Boo Morris and Jay Taylor with all the Liberty County High School game action as the Bulldogs take on Port St. Joe. in Port St. Joe immediately following Swap Shop at 10 a.m. (ET) Saturday, Nov. 2 Calhoun County is open this week. There will be no game.

Swap Shop from 9-10 a.m. ET Buy, Sell, Trade or Give Stuff Away.

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### school lunch menu

Oct. 30 - Nov. 5

## CALHOUN

**WEDNESDAY**

**BREAKFAST:** Pancakes with syrup and turkey sausage patty.  
**LUNCH:** Chili with beans and whole grain grilled cheese sandwich or chicken burger on whole grain bun or taco salad with whole grain chips with whole kernel corn and fruit.

**THURSDAY**

**BREAKFAST:** Ham biscuit and potato rounds.  
**LUNCH:** Hot dog on whole grain bun or ranch chicken wrap or chef salad with whole grain bread stick with baked potato wedges, baked beans and fruit.

**FRIDAY**

**BREAKFAST:** Waffle with syrup and turkey sausage patty.  
**LUNCH:** Tony's pizza or cheese burger on whole grain bun with garden salad with chicken and whole grain bread stick with orange glazed carrots, caesar salad and fruit.

**MONDAY**

**BREAKFAST:** Breakfast pizza with potato tots.  
**LUNCH:** Chicken sandwich or ranch chicken wrap or chef salad with whole grain bread stick with whole kernel corn, steamed broccoli and fruit.

**TUESDAY**

**BREAKFAST:** Egg and cheese biscuit with potato rounds.  
**LUNCH:** Beef taco with cheese, whole grain shell and salsa or turkey and cheese wrap or chicken salad with fruit and whole grain bread stick with lettuce and tomato, black bean salsa and fruit.

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## LIBERTY

**WEDNESDAY**

**BREAKFAST:** Scrambled eggs with sausage links and kiwi.  
**LUNCH:** Baked spaghetti or taco salad with romaine salad, green beans, peaches and whole grain garlic bread.

**THURSDAY**

**BREAKFAST:** Manager's choice.  
**LUNCH:** Roasted turkey with gravy or chef salad or manager's choice with fresh mashed potatoes, broccoli, fresh orange and whole grain roll.

**FRIDAY**

**BREAKFAST:** Blueberry mini waffles with ham and banana.  
**LUNCH:** Big Daddy Pizza (cheese or pepperoni) with romaine salad, corn and fresh apple.

**MONDAY**

**BREAKFAST:** Breakfast pizza with apple juice.  
**LUNCH:** Cheeseburger or chef salad with lettuce and tomato, sweet potato fries, veggie dippers and frozen strawberry cup.

**TUESDAY**

**BREAKFAST:** Waffles and sausage patty with grape juice.  
**LUNCH:** Cherry blossom chicken or cobb salad with fried rice, chinese veggies, glazed carrots and mandarin oranges.

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# HOSFORD FALL FESTIVAL

Onlookers were excited to see this year's Hosford Halloween Parade, lining the streets with bags waiting to be filled with candy late Saturday afternoon. Abbie Burke and her mom, Amanda, are shown here.



LEFT: Cierra Morales, who came dressed as an Indian, along with her matching doll, took first place in the costume contest in the 5- to 8-year-old category. RIGHT: Sandy Coleman shows off her cute little poodle, Gracie Coleman, to grandma Faye Duncan. Gracie won second place in the costume contest for her age group. BELOW: LCHS Homecoming Queen Kyrha Chaney. LOWER



LEFT: Mom Ashley Godwin with baby Hunter and daughter Mary. Zombies and kittens were among the many creative costumes seen at the festival. BELOW RIGHT: Tonia Cobb auctions off a coconut cake.



DOMENICK ESGRO PHOTOS

## Science Brothers show Altha students science is not magic



The Science Brothers, a non-profit program based out of the Naval Surface Warfare Center Panama City Division, visited Altha Public School and completed a variety of science demonstrations for elementary classes. The engaging demonstrations focused on electricity and chemistry. The students learned quickly that the demonstrations were not magic, and when asked, "Is it magic?" They would all shout, "No, it's Science!" The program is geared toward getting students interested in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics). The students asked many questions and the presenters were

always eager to answer anything asked. When the students were questioned about what they liked best the following were some of the responses: "I liked the foaming elephant toothpaste the best. I liked the glowing lights the best. I liked when one of the brothers played the electric guitar and it caused lightning bolts. I hope they come back. I liked when the brothers pulled pranks on each other during the show. They were awesome. The best part of the show was the barking dog. When the chemicals were mixed together and glowed like glow sticks was my favorite."

## Altha FFA assists with annual in Calhoun County Farm Bureau banquet

Altha FFA assisted with the 2013 Calhoun County Farm Bureau Banquet in September. FFA members were given the opportunity to interact with Farm Bureau members as they served plates and passed out door prizes. Altha FFA is grateful to Mr. Raymond Russell and the members of the Calhoun

County Farm Bureau for inviting them to assist with this event. FFA members taking part were: Breanna Walker, Hunter Baggett, Rena O'Bryan, Aubree Bay, Graham Bruner, Josie Hall, Rachel Williams and Carlee Barfield. Their advisors are Tyler Stoutamire and Erin Stoutamire Walker.



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Pick up an application at any of the above locations to submit a family in need for assistance.

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**'Coping with the Holidays' workshop set Nov. 7**

MARIANNA - Covenant Hospice invites community members who have suffered the loss of a loved one or would like to learn how to help those that are grieving to attend 'Coping with the Holidays' workshop.

The workshop will be held from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 7 at Covenant Hospice, located at 4215 Kelson Avenue, Suite E in Marianna.

The workshop will include many tips on how to cope during the holidays, understanding normal grief reactions, coping strategies for the holidays, ways to remember a loved one, and supporting children and adults through the holidays.

Those who attend will also receive free material and literature on coping during the holidays.

There is no charge to attend this workshop, however, registration is required. Lunch and refreshments will be served.

If you are interested in attending this very special workshop, call Riley Henderson, BSW at (850) 482-8520 by Tuesday, Nov. 5 to make a reservation.

*Celebrating its 30th Anniversary, Covenant Hospice is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to providing comprehensive, compassionate services to patients and loved ones during times of life-limiting illnesses. For more information about Covenant Hospice or to make a hospice inquiry, contact the local branch office at 575-4998 or visit [www.covenanthospice.org](http://www.covenanthospice.org).*

**OBITUARIES**

**RALPH WENDELL SHOEMAKER**

KINARD - Ralph Wendell Shoemaker, 82, of Kinard, Oak Grove Community, passed away Friday, Oct. 25, 2013 at his home. He was born on Nov. 3, 1930 and had lived in Calhoun County since 1986, coming from Port St. Joe. He was a commercial shrimper for over 40 years. He was a member of the Assembly of God faith.

He was preceded in death by one stepson, Robert Brian McLeod.

Survivors include his wife, Linda Wood Shoemaker of Kinard; one stepson, Mack McLeod and his wife, Amy of Kinard; two daughters, Brenda Shoemaker of Bay Town, TX and Kathy Connor and her husband, Bob of Ft. Worth, TX; two stepdaughters, Tina Hicks of Port St. Joe and Tammy Ward and her husband, Chris of Wewahitchka; one brother, Clark Shoemaker and his wife, Frances of Bay Town, TX; 0 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will be held on Wednesday, Oct. 30 at 6:30 p.m. (CT) at Open Arms Assembly of God Church in Kinard with Reverend Bill Mayo officiating.

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

**MARY JEAN CREAMER**

ALTHA - Mary Jean Creamer, 73, of Altha, passed away Tuesday, Oct. 15, 2013 in Blountstown. She was born on Nov. 2, 1939 in Altha, and had lived here all of her life. She was a homemaker and a member of the Altha Methodist Church where she played the piano for 17 years. She also played with the Branton Quartet for over 20 years. She was a 1957 graduate of Altha High School.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Glenn Creamer; her parents, Bill and Mary Bowden; one brother, Packwood Bowden; one granddaughter, Kelly White.

Survivors include three sons, Derrick Creamer of Altha, Keith Creamer and his wife, Athena of Panama City and Clark Creamer and his wife, Julie of Ocala; one daughter, Anne Murray of Cannonburg, PA; one brother, Billy Bowden and his wife, Bobbie Ann of Jacksonville; one sister, June Smith and her husband, Glenn of Altha; seven grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Services were held on Friday, Oct. 18 at the Altha Methodist Church with Reverend Jim Harbert, Sister Martha Hyles and Reverend Jim McIntosh officiating. Interment followed in Victory Hill Cemetery near Altha.

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

ALTA - Mary Jean Creamer, 73, of Altha, passed away Tuesday, Oct. 15, 2013 in Blountstown. She was born on Nov. 2, 1939 in Altha, and had lived here all of her life. She was a homemaker and a member of the Altha Methodist Church where she played the piano for 17 years. She also played with the Branton Quartet for over 20 years. She was a 1957 graduate of Altha High School.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Glenn Creamer; her parents, Bill and Mary Bowden; one brother, Packwood Bowden; one granddaughter, Kelly White.

Survivors include three sons, Derrick Creamer of Altha, Keith Creamer and his wife, Athena of Panama City and Clark Creamer and his wife, Julie of Ocala; one daughter, Anne Murray of Cannonburg, PA; one brother, Billy Bowden and his wife, Bobbie Ann of Jacksonville; one sister, June Smith and her husband, Glenn of Altha; seven grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

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**JACKIE WALLACE ATTAWAY**

CLARKSVILLE - Jackie Wallace Attaway, 66, of Clarksville, passed away peacefully at his home on Monday, Oct. 28, 2013, after an extended illness. He was born on July 2, 1947 in Calhoun County and had lived here all of his life. He was a 1965 graduate of Blountstown High School and a loyal Florida State Seminole Fan. He was a Correctional Officer at Liberty Correctional Institution and retired from the Florida Department of Corrections in 2009 after 20 years of service. He was a faithful and dedicated member of Traveler's Rest Free Will Baptist Church, where he served the Lord in many capacities. Some of his positions were Music Director, Church Trustee, and Advisory Board Member. He blessed the congregation with many special songs, but his favorite song to sing was "Born To Serve The Lord."

He was preceded in death by his father, Wallace Attaway.

Survivors include his wife of 41 years, Linda Melvin Attaway; two daughters, Charlotte Thompson and her husband, Michael of Panama City and Jacklyn Attaway, of Tallahassee; two grandchildren, Vanessa Thompson and Jesse Thompson, both of Panama City; his mother, Evelyn Adams Attaway of Blountstown; two sisters, Patricia Brehm and her husband, Ed of Gainesville and Judy Downum and her husband, Tres of Clarksville; several nieces, nephews and numerous other relatives and friends who were blessed to have had him in our lives.

Family will receive friends on Friday, Nov. 1 from 5 - 7 p.m. (CT) at Peavy Funeral Home Chapel.

Services will be held on Saturday, Nov. 2 at 11 a.m. at Traveler's Rest Free Will Baptist church in Clarksville with Rev. Shawn Williams officiating. Interment will follow in Traveler's Rest Cemetery.

He may be remembered with flowers, or a donation may be made to honor his memory to Covenant Hospice, 4215 Kelson Ave., Suite E, Marianna, FL 32446, or to Traveler's Rest Free Will Baptist Church Youth Fund, at 19573 NW SR 73, Clarksville, FL 32430.

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

**CHRISTOPHER BONTRAGER**

NASHVILLE, TN - Christopher Bontrager, eight-month-old son of Scott and Jana Bontrager, went to be with the angels of Heaven Wednesday, Oct. 23, 2013 at Vanderbilt Children's Hospital in Nashville, TN. He brought lots of love and joy to all who knew him, even those he never met in person.

Survivors include his parents, Scott and Jana Bontrager; four siblings, Mary, Benjamin, Jolene and Sara; maternal grandparents, Greg and Pam Jones of Clarksville; paternal grandmother, Annette Bontrager of Blountstown; maternal great-grandparents, Estelle Jones of Clarksville and Mary Cathryn and Charlie Cook Bridges of Scotts Ferry; several aunts and uncles and great-aunts and uncles.

A Celebration of Life Service was held on Saturday, Oct. 26 at Southview Community Church, 1235 Moreland Dr., Kingsport, TN with Pastor Tom Legg officiating.

Memorial donations may be made to Monroe Carrell, Jr. Children's Hospital at Vanderbilt, Pediatric Cardiology ICU, Vanderbilt Gift Processing Office, PMB 407727, 2301 Vanderbilt Pl. Nashville, TN 37240-7727 or Ronald McDonald House Charities, 2144 Fairfax Ave., Nashville, TN 37212.

Carter-Trent Funeral Home downtown Kingsport was in charge of the arrangements. Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting [www.cartertrent.com](http://www.cartertrent.com).

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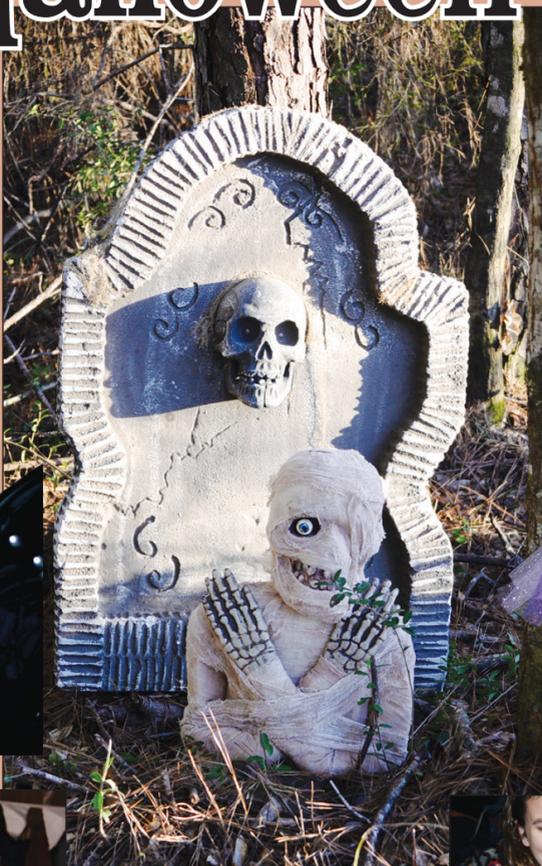
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# Kinard Halloween Carnival



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DANIEL WILLIAMS PHOTOS



## COSTUME CONTEST WINNERS

**AGES 0 - 2: FIRST PLACE** - Britain Vann and Adalynn Knowles as Thing 1 and Thing 2. They are the children of Mandy Robbins and Bernard Vann, and Misty Robbins and Derek Knowles, all of Wewahitchka.

**SECOND PLACE** - John Franklin Daniels came dressed as a fishing lure in a tackle box. He is the son of Jody and Jennifer Daniels of Kinard.

**THIRD PLACE** - Stormy Andrews was the Coppertone girl. She is the daughter of Tanya and Freddie Pitts of Kinard.

**AGES 3 - 5: FIRST PLACE** - Meliah Pope - Richter as Batgirl. She is the daughter of Justin Lee Richter, Crissa Pope and Thadeus Patterson of Panama City.

**SECOND PLACE** - Riley Anslow was a purple minion. She is the daughter of Steven and Jessica Anslow of Panama City and Wewahitchka.

**THIRD PLACE** - Sawyer Bryant came as a cowboy. He is the son of Boo Bry-

ant and Deanna Parrish of Bristol. Jackson Harsey as a clown. He is the son of Wess and Amanda Harsey of Bristol.

**AGES 6 - 8: FIRST PLACE** - Gracie Barbee was a convincing Weeping Angel. She is the daughter of Mark and Casite Barbee of Kinard.

**SECOND PLACE** - Callie Hall dressed up as Rosie the Riveter. She is the daughter of Derik and Jennifer Richter Hall of Panama City.

**THIRD PLACE** - Madison and Chason Smith dressed up together as Phil and Mrs. Kay from Duck Dynasty. They are the children of Casey and Miranda Smith of Altha.

**AGES 9 - 12: FIRST PLACE** - Christian Ward as "Fine Wine". He is the son of Chris and Tammy Ward of Wewahitchka.

**SECOND PLACE** - Justin Cessna in his Tin Man costume. He is the son of Paul and Melissa Cessna of Altha.

**THIRD PLACE** - Tripp McGill as the "Money Man". He is the son of Claude and Lynn McGill of Wewa-



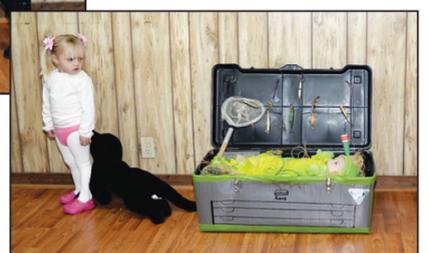
FROM LEFT: Tripp McGill (3rd Place), Justin Cessna (2nd Place) and Christian Ward (1st Place).



FROM LEFT: Madison and Chason Smith (3rd Place), Callie Hall (2nd Place) and Gracie Barbee (1st Place).



FROM LEFT: Sawyer Bryant (3rd Place), Jackson Harsey (3rd Place), Riley Anslow (2nd Place) and Meliah Pope-Richter (1st Place). RIGHT: Stormy Andrews (3rd Place) and John Franklin Daniels (2nd Place).



ABOVE RIGHT: Britain Vann and Adalynn Knowles (1st Place).



## BRIDGE WORK

Sweetwater Bridge on State Road 71 in Calhoun County is closed down as construction begins to replace the approach slabs. Traffic will be directed to detours around the closed bridge using S.R. 71, S.R. 73 and S.R. 20. The construction is expected to continue until early 2014.

JOHNNY EUBANKS PHOTOS



## NEWS FROM THE PEWS

### Church Bazaar in Wewa

On Saturday, Nov. 9, St. John's Episcopal Church of Wewahitchka will hold its annual Bazaar from 8:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. (CT).

Features include a homemade turkey and dressing dinner for only \$7; \$100 Visa gift card give away; vintage and new jewelry; and of course the yearly favorites - bake sale, craft sale and a huge yard sale!

The church is located 6 miles north of town at 4060 Hwy. 71 N.

Take a short drive down and join in loading up on all of the bargains.

## NOTE OF THANKS

We would like to thank all those who made Art Alive 2013 such a great success.

Special thanks goes to Adams Funeral Home, Dana Foster, Joshua Goodman, Horace Huggins, The Kern Family (Paul, Lori, Zachary, Emily, Andrew, Sara and Elizabeth), Liberty County UF/IFAS Staff, Rachel Manspeaker, Gary Money, Anuradha Prakash, Drew Ramsey, Roni Shuler, Coty Stoutamire, Cheryl Watt and Jeffrey L. Watt.

It took a great deal of effort and time to produce this event and we truly appreciate those who had a hand in assisting us.

Sincerely,  
The Liberty County Arts Council

## SPEAK UP!

continued from page 3

### Hungry bears are damaging state's deer population

To the editor:

In 1994, the Florida Game and Fish Commission declared that the Florida Black Bear was endangered. The commission went through channels to have the bear placed on the endangered species list. At that time, the bear population was estimated at between 1,280 and 1,290. The agency did a population estimate in 1998 indicating that there were approximately 1,500 bears in the state. The most recent survey done in 2002 showed the population to be between 2,800 and 3,000. With that kind of growth between the mid 1990s and the early 2000s, one might assume that if the growth rate remained the same, the bear population may be as many as 11,000 to 12,000 today.

Any woodsman can tell you that contact with bears has become extremely frequent. The bear has lost its fear of humans and has become more and more aggressive. In the last 10 years, 16 people have been viciously attacked by black bears and 9 have lost their lives. In the last year, 2 people in Florida have been attacked. In October 2012 in Collier County, a game warden was so aggressively attacked that he had to use his sidearm to kill the bear. Records reveal that 90 percent of black bear attacks are by males involving food. This seems to contradict the Game and Fish Commission's assertion that bears only eat berries.

Hunters can tell you that a favorite dinner of the bear is the newborn fawn, not berries. One study showed that of 21 newborn fawns, 10 of them were eaten by bears in 2 weeks. A study in Georgia revealed that out of 37 fawns that died, 18 were eaten by bears. One hunter said that a bear stole his dead deer before he could put it in his truck. The deer population in Florida is being severely damaged by the presence of the hungry black bears. In studies done in other states, it is proven that bears eat as many fawns as coyotes. Unlike the bear, coyotes are free game. They are considered a nuisance and can be killed at any time, but the bear eats more newborn fawns than coyotes.

Most states have opened seasons on black bears in order to control the population. South Carolina's population has grown to the point that the Department of National Resources has opened a season and estimates there are upwards of 1,200. Pennsylvania has a population of 18,000 where hunters harvested 4,350 last year. The state of Georgia's bear population has increased by 20 percent annually. This is in spite of the state's bear season where the limit for a hunter has been doubles and the cost of obtaining a bear license is a mere \$19. Even California has a bear season. Hunters took 1,745 bears in 2012 in that state. By contrast, Florida's Game and Fish Commission has yet to see that there is a problem here. It has been 11 years since a bear count has been done.

A bear has the best nose in the woods. It's sense of smell is 10 times greater than that of a bloodhound. This enables them to know where each and every deer is trying to hide including newborn fawns. Bears' keen sense of smell also helps them to find clutches of turkey eggs. Because these creatures are such easy prey, bears are fast depleting their food in the woods. A bear comes to town for food, not because he is lazy, but because there is nothing left in the woods to eat.

Tom Parker, Panama City

## LEGAL NOTICES

### REQUEST FOR COMMENTS

**USDA - Forest Service - Apalachicola National Forest Apalachicola Ranger District Liberty County, Florida**

**Fairpoint Communications Fiber Optic Line S.R. 65**

The Forest Service, Apalachicola National Forest, proposes to issue an amendment to Fairpoint Communications Special Use Authorization for upgrading to fiber optic line within an existing utility corridor. The project area is located along State Road (S.R.) 65 from County Road 379 to Vilas (FR 120). The placement of the line will be within the six foot mowing corridor for the normal road maintenance of S.R. 65. The Forest Service has made a preliminary determination that this proposal falls within a category of actions listed in regulations 36 CFR 220.6(e) (3) and FSH1909.15, Chapter 30, Section 32.2(3): Approval, modification, or continuation of minor special uses of NFS lands that require less than five contiguous acres of land, that are excluded from detailed documentation in an Environmental Assessment (EA) or Environmental Impact Statement (EIS), the proposal was modified to reduce impacts to known populations of *H. flava* to prevent extraordinary circumstances to preclude use of this category. The proposal is needed to upgrade existing phone lines that are deteriorating and becoming unreliable.

Comments concerning this action must be postmarked or received within 30 days

beginning the day following publication of this notice. Additional information on this proposal can be viewed at [www.fs.fed.us/nepa/project\\_list.php?forest=110805](http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/project_list.php?forest=110805). Mailed, Hand-delivered or Oral comments should be sent to: District Ranger Marcus A. Beard Attn: Centurylink S.R. 61 cable removal, Wakulla Ranger District, 57 Taff Dr., Crawfordville, FL 32327.

Electronic comments must be submitted to [comments-south-ern-florida-apalachicola@fs.fed.us](mailto:comments-south-ern-florida-apalachicola@fs.fed.us). For additional information, contact Sherry Gaston at (850) 926-3561, ext. 6511. 10-30-13

Bids will be opened and recorded by the Liberty County Board of County Commission on November 7, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. EST, Regular meeting.

**Submission Deadline Date:** November 5, 2013 at 5:00 p.m. EST.

Liberty County Board of County Commission reserves the right to waive informalities in any or all bids, and to accept the bid in their judgment that is

in the best interest of Liberty County.

**EEO Statement:** Liberty County is committed to assuring equal opportunity in the award of contracts, and therefore complies with all laws prohibiting discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, natural origin, age and sex.

10-16, 10-30

### INVITATION TO BID Liberty County

Notice is hereby given to all interested persons or firms that sealed bids will be received at the Liberty County Court House, Clerks Office, Hwy 20 W. Bristol, Florida 32321, no later than 5:00 p.m. November 5, 2013.

**Bid Name:** Sumatra water well Chain Link Fence.

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## This beetle has its own Halloween mask to scare predators



The Delta Flower Scarab Beetle is commonly seen on goldenrods. It changes into its hornet mask when threatened.

by Les Harrison,  
Wakulla County  
Extension Director

Tomorrow is Halloween and the preparations are coming to a climax for this annual event. Soon throngs of children dressed as a mob of super hero, princesses, and nightmare creatures will be ringing doorbells and knocking on doors all

over Liberty and Calhoun Counties.

The date of these festivities originated in the year 835 when All Saints Day was moved to Nov. 1. The evening of Oct. 31 served as a counterbalance of the piety of the following day.

Revelers had the dark hours to trick-or-treat, then show up in church the next day appropriately reserved and likely exhausted. Given the superstitions and beliefs of Europe in the Dark Ages, there were likely lots of thrills and chills to be had.

Modern retailers have their shelves and end-caps packed with lots of merchandise for contemporary thrill seekers. Candy, costumes and mask of every imaginable are readily available.

Panhandle Florida has one native insect which is currently using a mask to frighten passersby. The Delta Flower Scarab Beetle (*Trigonopeltastes delta*) uses the disguise for the purpose of survival, not entertainment.

This species common name refers to the triangular pattern on the center of its back. The shape resembles the Greek letter delta. This beetle is sometimes known as the "D beetle."

The species is very active during daylight and easy to view in late summer and autumn. It is most commonly seen in and around flowers.

Delta flower scarab beetles are members of the subfamily commonly called fruit or flower chafers. The common June Bug or June Beetle is a member of this group.

There are around 4,000 species worldwide and are on every continent except Antarctica. These beetles are usually seen in their adult life stage.

This beetle begins life as a white grubs which

live underground and is capable of serious damage to plants by feeding on their roots, especially turf grasses. Turf damage becomes apparent with brown patches as the grubs continue to feed and mature during the late summer and fall.

When the grub population is high and damage severe, the grass may be rolled back like a rug. The turf roots are completely gone, destroyed by the large segmented white grubs.

These beetle grubs are a food source for a variety of birds and animals seeking an easy late-season meal. Unfortunately the predators such as crows, skunks and raccoons may further damage the lawn by digging for this favored food.

As adults they spend their days on flower blossoms, especially goldenrods in north Florida. Their diet is mainly pollen and it is where these beetles mate, but it is a dangerous environment for these brightly colored insects.

Many birds and other animals instinctively know there are many meal choices on the attractive blooms. This beetle has a unique defense in the form of a threatening mask.

When threatened, the delta flower scarab beetle turns away from the hazard. It then raises its hind legs forward, cants its body upwards emphasizing the upper shell with the delta marking.

The harmless beetle now has the appearance of a large hornets head. Even the most aggressive predators stop to evaluate their gain versus their potential pain giving the beetle time to escape.

To learn more about the delta flower scarab beetle, visit the UF/IFAS Extension website at [www.sfyl.ifas.ufl.edu](http://www.sfyl.ifas.ufl.edu) or call your local UF/IFAS Extension Office.



Bristol resident Terry Eubanks (left) is interviewed for a program to be featured on WFSU-TV. JOHNNY EUBANKS PHOTOS

## Liberty County hydroponics farm featured on TV segment

The Institute of Food and Agricultural Science in conjunction with Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University used Terry Eubanks' Liberty County hydroponics farm as the setting for a television segment on hydroponic gardening on Oct. 21.

Eubanks' set-up is similar to the one used at Epcot in Disney World.

The segment, hosted by Trevor Hylton, Extension Agent for Leon and Wakulla counties, focused on the home gardener and how he or she could use vertical towers and pots along with hydroponic nutrient solutions circulated throughout the system to grow vegetables and fruit year round.

Eubanks explained that he is currently growing plants hydroponically in his greenhouse and also in containers outside the greenhouse.

He said that anything that you can grow in the ground can be grown hydroponically which is a



cleaner method than using soil and is pesticide free.

He also shared that vegetables and fruits can be grown in this system at times ground crops will not survive. He said he has made his neighbors jealous with tomatoes and cucumbers in February and lettuces in August.

Eubanks is currently growing a variety of lettuces, kale, swiss chard, spinach, broccoli, broccoli robb, cauliflower, brussel sprouts,

basil, mint, thyme, sage, cabbage, mustard and collard greens, okra, eggplant, an assortment of peppers, arugula, bok choy, strawberries, as well as some ornamentals plants and flowers.

Liberty County Extension Agent Monica Brinkley also attended the shoot. Brinkley stated, "I am very excited to see this kind of exposure for Liberty County."

The segment will be shown on WFSU sometime next week.

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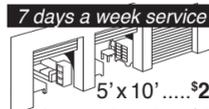
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**Lots of good used furniture** for sale at the Calhoun-Liberty Ministry Center thrift store. Come check us out. Located on SR 20 East of Blountstown. Call (850) 674-1818. UFN

**APPLIANCES**

**Refrigerator**, \$75. Call (850) 674-3264. 10-30, 11-6

**Superwave oven**, 3x, Sharp Image, \$125. Elite professional rice cooker, 10 cup, \$60. Butter churn, \$300. Call (850) 674-1367. 10-23, 10-30

**Maytag dryer**, less than 2 years old, paid \$500. Not working but could possibly be repaired or would be excellent for parts. Looks brand new. Asking \$100 OBO. Call (850) 447-0438. 10-23, 10-30

**ELECTRONICS**

**Sony HD camcorder-projector**, 220 gig hard drive, 2 batteries, tripod, case, 2 cords for computer and car, excellent condition, \$350. Ebsen workforce 610 all-in one printer with software, excellent condition, \$35. Call (850) 272-6844. 10-30, 11-6

**Nintendo DS** with charger and case used lightly, \$50. Call Trish at (850) 597-5776. 10-23, 10-30

**HP All-in-One printer, copier and scanner**. Ha ink, like new. \$30. Call (850) 447-1134. 10-23, 10-30

**iPhone 4**, brand new with charger and earphones, \$150. Call (850) 597-5776. 10-23, 10-30

**52" flat screen TV**, Samsung brand, call for more info. (850) 272-0625. 10-23, 10-30

**Available at the Calhoun - Liberty Ministry Center:** large variety of Verizon cell phone accessories at bargain prices. Located at SR 20 East in Blountstown. Call (850) 674-1818. UFN

**PETS AND SUPPLIES**

**Dogs**, 2 black labs, 12-13 weeks and 1 blue heeler, 7 months. Call (850) 491-7380 or 643-3330. 10-30, 11-6

**Kittens**, 2, free to a good home. Call (850) 643-5401. 10-23, 10-30

**Dogs free to a good home:** 2 black Chihuahuas, mixed puppy and male pug. Call (850) 762-9292. 10-23, 10-30

**HUNTING & FISHING**

**16' Bass boat**, 40 hp Suzuki motor, new seats, \$2,500 OBO. Remington 1100 shotgun in good shape. \$260 OBO. Call (850) 363-3901. 10-30, 11-6

**1986 glass stream/Starline bass and ski**, 17', 110 hp Johnson motor, trolling motor, fish finder and radio with CD player. \$1,200. Call (850) 447-3966. 10-30, 11-6

**2009 Potter Built boat**, 15 ft., with 40 hp Tohatsu motor, Minn Kota trolling motor and 2 batteries, \$7,200. Call or text (850) 591-0760. 10-30, 11-6

**Bow**, Mathews Outback, comes with some accessories. 29" draw length, 70 lb. \$350 OBO. Call or text (850) 363-9854. 10-23, 10-30

**VEHICLES**

**Cargo bed net**, for small bed truck, includes case, \$35. 25 ft. flat nylon snatch rope for truck, \$35. Call (850) 272-6844. 10-30, 11-6

**1997 Dodge 4WD king cab**, 318 engine, runs good. \$2,700. Call (850) 566-2193. 10-30, 11-6

**'94 Ford F250**, extended cab, 460 engine, new tires, in good shape, \$2,500 firm. Call (850) 557-6706. 10-30, 11-6

**2006 Kawasaki Vulcan 500 motorcycle**, less than 5,000 miles, windshield and saddle bags, in great condition. \$3,200 OBO. Call (850) 372-4244 or 272-1440, leave message if no answer. 10-30, 11-6

**2002 Conversion high top van**, in good condition, 89,000 original miles, new tires. \$5,000. Call (850) 379-3966. 10-30, 11-6

**1996 Chevy Blazer LT**, 4DR, V6, runs good, no body damage, \$3,800 OBO. Call (850) 379-3068. 10-30, 11-6

**Chevrolet dually work truck**, project truck, used to have flat bed. Runs well. Call (850) 272-0625 for more info. 10-23, 10-30

**2005 F150 extended cab**, 4 WD, \$6,000 OBO. Call (850) 408-4256. 10-23, 10-30

**CAMPERS**

**Catalina camper**, 1 BR, spacious. \$1,000 OBO. Call (850) 643-7229. 10-30, 11-6

**2000 5th wheel**, 35 ft. Citation, sleeps 8, 2 BA, shower, stove, radio, refrigerator, washer/dryer combo. Call (850) 643-8035. 10-30, 11-6

**TOOLS & HEAVY EQUIPMENT**

**24" Cut table saw**, Hitachi C10FL, \$350. Call (850) 674-1367. 10-23, 10-30

**WANTED**

**House Trailer**, call (850) 674-3264. 10-30, 11-6

**Box springs**, full size. Call (850) 762-3629. 10-30, 11-6

**LOST**

**Class ring**, BHS 2013 Herff Jones, initials KNT. Please call (850) 762-3629 if found. 10-30, 11-6

**YARD SALES**

**ALTHA**  
**Multi family yard sale**, Saturday Nov. 2, located at 16740 NE Luke Holland Rd., lots of items.

**BLOUNTSTOWN**  
**Church yard sale**, Saturday, Nov. 2, from 7 a.m till noon, Blountstown First Assembly of God, located on Hwy 20 and 13th St.. Proceeds go to Women's Missionary Fund.

**Moving sale**, Saturday Nov. 2 starting at 7 a.m. Cleaning out pantry and cupboards, lots of odds and ends, clothes, potted saigo palms. Located at 16883 NE Pear St. Call (850) 674-8767 for more info.

**Yard Sale**, Saturday Nov. 2, located at Chipola Manor apartment H-1 across from emergency room. Shoes, clothes and a variety of stuff. Call (850) 674-3033 for more info.

**Yard Sale**, Nov. 2-3 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. some items include king comforter, queen bed set, full bed set, Nintendo Game Cube games, VHS movies, Betty Boop items, kitchen items, craft materials, cosmetology items, clothes and much more. Located at 16217 SE Pear St. Call (850) 524-1372 for more info.

**BRISTOL**  
**Big yard sale**, Saturday Nov. 2 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Located at 3437 NW Torrey Park Rd.

Clean out your closets and earn a few dollars by placing your unneeded items in The Journal Classifieds! Email thejournal@fairpoint.net or call 643-3333.

**\*STARSCOPE\***  
 Week of October 30 ~ November 5, 2013

**ARIES** - Mar 21/Apr 20  
 Aries, shake things up a bit to inspire some much-needed change. Be a tourist in your own city if you cannot afford a trip. Immerse yourself in new cultures.

**TAURUS** - Apr 21/May 21  
 It is not a good week to begin new projects, Taurus. In fact, cosmic signs point to finishing up anything you have outstanding. Try to focus on financial matters as well.

**GEMINI** - May 22/June 21  
 Cooperate with others this week, Gemini. This works best when you embrace compromise. Listen to what others have to say and always keep an open mind.

**CANCER** - Jun 22/Jul 22  
 Cancer, a desire to get organized has been on your mind for quite some time. Now is the ideal time to do something about it. Start by clearing out clutter and go from there.

**LEO** - Jul 23/Aug 23  
 Enjoy a short vacation, Leo. It may be a jaunt to a weekend hideaway or something off the beaten path, but make the most of this well-deserved escape from the daily grind.

**VIRGO** - Aug 24/Sept 22  
 Virgo, you are feeling domestic this week, so enjoy putting around the house these next several days. You can catch up on decorating or renovating the home.

**LIBRA** - Sept 23/Oct 23  
 Libra, you feel a strong need to communicate with others this week. Share some truths with your loved ones, but try not to come across as if you have an agenda.

**SCORPIO** - Oct 24/Nov 22  
 Scorpio, you may have a desire to travel and seek adventure, but right now finances won't allow it. If you can keep expenses down, you may have the opportunity soon.

**SAGITTARIUS** - Nov 23/Dec 21  
 Expect to have luck on your side this week, Sagittarius. As a natural born risk-taker, all you need is a little incentive to get out and take a chance.

**CAPRICORN** - Dec 22/Jan 20  
 Keep your intentions hidden from others until you are ready for the big reveal, Capricorn. This will help make the surprise even more exciting for all those involved.

**AQUARIUS** - Jan 21/Feb 18  
 Aquarius, discussions reach a point where you want to make permanent changes to your plans. Mull things over before making any final decisions, but enjoy this exciting time.

**PISCES** - Feb 19/Mar 20  
 Personal details about your private life may become public, Pisces. How this information is handled depends on your reaction.

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Level: Intermediate

**Here's How It Works:**  
 Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

Like puzzles?  
 Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test!

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**ANSWER:**

# WALKING for a cure

A bright pink bra hanging on the railing greeted those who braved a chilly Saturday morning to walk across the Trammell Bridge as part of the activities recognizing October as Breast Cancer Awareness month. The group began on the Blountstown side and walked to Bristol as they passed a long line of colorful bras decorating the bridge.



ABOVE LEFT: Health Department Director Rachel Manspeaker sets out badges to promote the event just before the walk. ABOVE RIGHT: A t-shirt worn by one participant explained her reason for taking part: "I walk so that little girls will grow up in a world where pink ribbons are for ponytails and prom dresses." LEFT: This pooch shared a message as well, wearing a coat that exclaimed, "Save them tatas." BELOW: Area DOMENICK ESGRO PHOTOS



## Chipola AFC Scholars

The Chipola College Chapter of the Association of Florida Colleges (AFC) recently awarded nine scholarships to children and grandchildren of college employees.

Scholarship recipients are seated with their sponsors, from left: Kaitlyn Kosciw and father Dennis Kosciw, Brooke and Heather Wilson and mother Tammy Neal, Zachary Perkins and grandmother Jayne Roberts. Not pictured are: Courtney Massengill and father Rance Massengill, Ashley Pelt and mother Laurel Foran, Curtis Stephens and mother Ana Stephens, Coleton Barberree and grandmother Kim Collins, Cameron Oliver and grandfather Royce Reagan.

Since 1993, AFC has awarded over \$139,000 to more than 100 students through Chipola's AFC Scholarship Endowment. AFC members raise funds through concession sales at college sports events and with an annual silent auction.

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