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Three new Altha Town Council members walk out before being sworn in Thurs.



Janice Graham takes the oath of office from Matt Fuqua after a tumultuous beginning to last week's Altha Town Council meeting. She did not seek re-election but found herself on the board once again. DOMENICK ESGRO PHOTO

by Teresa Eubanks, Journal Editor

The first meeting for the new Altha Town Council didn't go as expected Thursday when the three new council members walked out before being sworn in.

Wayne Gable, Charlotte Januse and Maria Acebo were automatically given seats on the board when a fourth candidate dropped out five days before the primary, making it unnecessary to elect council members.

The only question left to decide was whether to amend the town's charter. Voters approved the change 45-16.

According to council attorney Matt Fuqua, he updated the document following similar charters he has prepared for other towns. "All we did was take out the antiquated stuff like the mayor's court and remove things that had been outlawed when the state constitution was amended in the 1960s," he said.

Finishing the new charter took a while because he had to find legal descriptions for newly annexed property for the town. Deleting outdated information reduced the size

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After posting it for sale on Craig's List Bristol man arrested with moonshine still

by Teresa Eubanks, Journal Editor

A Bristol man who tried to sell a moonshine still on Craig's List was arrested last month after an agent from the Division of Alcoholic Beverages and Tobacco (ABT) answered his ad.

James Hamilton Sikes, 54, was charged with possession of a still after the two met in the parking lot of the Piggly Wiggly in Bristol.

Before taking him into custody, the agent got a lesson on how to assemble the equipment that Sikes told him he had made.



JAMES SIKES

ONLINE SEARCH FOR 'STILL'

The agent was browsing the online sales site when he typed "still" in the search bar and Sikes' ad popped up on Aug. 20.

The post, identified as "Moonshine Still with Thumper" displayed three photos, listed the price as \$550 and included the seller's phone number. The agent sent a text message to Sikes and asked if the still worked and if he had ever made 'shine. Sikes replied that it did work but said he had not made any moonshine.

Two days later, the agent sent another message to Sikes to discuss the cost. The agent got him to drop the price to \$400 before they agreed they had a deal.

PARKING LOT MEETING

The agent sent a text to Sikes to let him know he had arrived at the grocery store parking lot on Aug. 23. Sikes responded that he was on his way.

Sikes pulled up in his red pickup with the four-part still in the bed of the vehicle. The pieces included a silver pot with copper pipe, a keg shell with an electrical box assembly, copper piping with a gauge and a plastic bag of other parts needed in the assembly.

The men looked over the equipment as Sikes showed the agent how the still worked and how to put it together. After he acknowledged that he had built the still, he repeated his earlier claim that he had never used it.

When asked how much moonshine it would make, Sikes replied "about 10 gallons."

A few moments later, two other ABT agents joined the men at the back of the truck. Sikes was handcuffed and told he was under arrest for violating Florida Statutes by being in possession of a still. He replied that he was unaware it was illegal to have a still.

He was taken to the Liberty County Jail and released on his own recognizance on Aug. 23.



Pioneer Settlement founder Willard Smith and his wife, Linda, who has helped make his vision a reality with the Panhandle Pioneer Settlement in Blountstown are shown in front of the Yon House. DOMENICK ESGRO PHOTO

Volunteers are always needed for special events Board members & grant writer sought to help keep Pioneer Settlement going

by Teresa Eubanks, Journal Editor

Willard Smith has already done the hard part.

He's worked for years to find, move and repair old buildings - the kind of structures most people would drive past without a thought. Yet when brought together on the grounds of Blountstown's Panhandle Pioneer Settlement and lovingly restored, they become a piece of living history.

"He went to families to ask them to donate buildings and he went to the Calhoun County Commission to ask for a portion of Sam Atkins Park," explained his wife, Linda.

"It's all his vision," she said. "I tell people he birthed it and I

grew it up."

Both were still employed when they started creating the Settlement in 1989. Willard was commuting to Tallahassee each day; Linda was working in Blountstown.

After two years of organizing, they became incorporated and things started taking shape.

During a two-month period in the mid-1990s they brought seven buildings on the Settlement property after securing funds to cover the moving and restoration costs, thanks to their then grant writer Frances Price.

The Smiths have stayed busy since starting work on the Settlement in 1989. Both are

now 79 years old; their former grant writer is 85.

After nearly 30 years, it's time they had a little more help and are looking for people to preserve what they have built and keep it going.

They need three things: A grant writer, at least five board members and volunteers to continue their legacy and help guide it into the future.

THE COST OF RUNNING A NON-PROFIT MUSEUM

"Our basic expenses are \$8,000 a month," Linda said. "People can't understand how much it costs to run it."

See **THE SETTLEMENT** continued inside on page 3



Florida College System Foundation awards state colleges over \$1 million in scholarships

NAPLES - At the State Board of Education meeting held Sept. 14, Commissioner of Education Pam Stewart presented Florida College System Chancellor Madeline Pumariega with a check for \$1,032,177 to benefit first-generation students and students pursuing careers in health care.

Commissioner of Education Pam Stewart said, "These scholarships will open doors for students that otherwise might not have existed. I appreciate the Florida College System Foundation and our generous partners for helping Floridians achieve their academic and career goals."

Each year, scholarships funded by the Helios Education Foundation, Florida Blue and Bank of America focus on relieving the national nursing shortage and helping students who are the first in their family to attend college. The scholarships will help add nurses and allied health professionals that reflect Florida's diverse population while meeting critical workforce needs.

"Many Florida College System students are first in their family to attend college and more than 60 percent of students enrolled in the Florida College System are part-time students balancing life and work while pursuing their degree," said Florida College System Chancellor Madeline Pumariega. "These scholarships provided by the Florida College System Foundation, in partnership with Helios Education Foundation and Bank of America, are essential for first generation students to pursue their dreams. Florida Blue has partnered with Florida's 28 colleges to address the critical nursing and allied health workforce needs, by providing student scholarships to grow our state's talent pipeline."

"As an organization driven by our mission of help-

ing people and communities achieve better health, Florida Blue has long supported the nursing community as these dedicated professionals serve on the frontline of care for our members and the community," said Pat Geraghty CEO of Florida Blue. "We are honored to partner with the Florida College System Foundation to continue our support of scholarships across the state to increase the qualified and diverse nursing workforce in Florida."

"An investment in Florida's students is an investment in the state's future workforce," said Paul Luna, President and CEO, Helios Education Foundation. "Helios Education Foundation is proud to partner with the Florida College System Foundation to ensure more students, particularly first-generation students, experience the transformational power of education and are positioned for success in career and in life."

"The Florida College System Foundation has awarded the scholarships since 2001," said Tami Cullens, Board Chairman of the Florida College System Foundation. "These scholarships have changed lives and help students pursue their dreams, especially helping our health care students fund their education as they devote their futures to taking care of others as well as providing affordable and accessible educational experiences to first generation students."

This year, the Florida College System Foundation will award more than \$1 million in scholarship funds to Florida's 28 colleges through the state. Students may apply for scholarships through their local college foundation and/or financial aid office. Eligibility criteria are based on local college requirements.

For more information about the scholarships, visit www.floridacollegesystem.com.

THREE WALK OUT

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of the charter by about half, he said.

At the suggestion of the Supervisor of Elections Office in Blountstown, they agreed to remove the requirement that candidates must open a campaign account. That change in the town charter means voters can cast their ballots in town and candidates will no longer be required to make a bank deposit and write a check to qualify to run.

When council attorney Matt Fuqua announced it was time to swear everyone in at last week's meeting, Gable stopped the proceedings to ask "What does the word veto mean in the new charter? Can the mayor veto any action or can he just veto ordinances?"

Fuqua replied, "I think it means the mayor can veto anything."

He was then asked to guarantee in writing that the mayor could not veto anything except an ordinance. He told them he couldn't do it at that moment.

That's when the three got up and left.

Fuqua later said that if the three

had stayed and taken the oath of office and participated in the meeting, they could have recommended that he research it later and he would have.

Fuqua admits that when the three walked out, he didn't know what to do. He said he asked Altha Police Chief Jimmy Baggett to try to track down the three to confirm that they had quit, but the chief was unable to reach them.

Next, he checked the town charter which said the current council members can keep their seats if those elected are not sworn in.

He told the remaining two members - Lee Alday and Martha Glory - that they could appoint outgoing council member Janice Graham for another term if she agreed to serve. They did and she did and with that action, "they had a quorum," Fuqua said. "They have three members so they can conduct business."

James Napier, who had dropped out of the race, was still at the

meeting and was offered a seat on the board. He refused, according to Fuqua.

The board will appoint two more council members to fill the remaining seats.

Fuqua noted that his response to the question about the mayor's veto was an "off the cuff" remark and needed to be verified. That later proved to be true when he went over the charter, but he also discovered that there is an override provision. In short, council members can override the mayor's veto with a super majority vote of 4 out of 5. "The mayor has had veto power since 1902, according to the charter," he pointed out.

"I certainly didn't expect that," he said about the walkout. He added that he had thought the three new members that he was to swear in would vote to fire him that night.

Fuqua, who is a native of Altha and lives in Marianna, has represented the Altha Town Council since 1991. He also represents the cities of Grand Ridge, Cottondale, Marianna and Calhoun County.

FDC opens new mental health facility at Wakulla Annex

TALLAHASSEE - The Florida Department of Corrections announced the opening of the new Residential Continuum of Care (RCC) at Wakulla Correctional Institution Annex. This unique treatment facility is made up of specialized housing units that provide safer and more effective treatment for inmates with serious mental impairments.

Secretary Julie Jones said, "Following more than two years of support and funding from Governor Scott and the Legislature, we are proud to announce the opening

of our new Residential Continuum of Care at Wakulla Correctional. This facility is a testament to the Department's commitment to better serve inmates with severe mental illness. The housing units will not only create a safer environment for officers and fellow inmates, but they will better prepare these inmates for reintegration into the general population and communities upon release."

The RCC provides evidence-based mental health services to reduce symptom severity and improve behavioral

functioning. In addition to having an emotional support dog for inmates, the RCC features a wide range of programs including art therapy, music therapy, adult basic education and life and employability skills training. Groups and clubs include a Reader's Theater for inmates to read plays aloud, Poetry Group and Wellness Group.

The facility is made up of four dorms and houses approximately 540 inmates. Funding for the RCC and 104 additional positions to staff the specialized units was recom-

mended by the Governor and fulfilled by the Legislature in 2017.

Officers within the unit have completed the American Correctional Association's (ACA) Correctional Behavioral Health Certification (CBHC), better equipping them to securely supervise and aid in the treatment of these inmates.

As Florida's largest state agency, the Department of Corrections employs 24,000 members statewide, incarcerates approximately 96,000 inmates and supervises nearly 166,000 offenders in the community.

SHERIFF'S LOG

CALHOUN COUNTY

SEPT. 17

- Steven David Shiver, VOP, CCSO.
- Clifford C. Bramblett, convicted felon registration, CCSO.

SEPT. 16

- Charles Lester Hall, non-support of children or spouse, CCSO.

SEPT. 15

- Gerald Thomas Webb, burglary, property damage of over \$200 but less than \$1,000, VOP, CCSO.

SEPT. 14

- Carlos Montez Privitt, convicted felon registration, CCSO.
- Albert Lee Milton, public disorderly intoxication, BPD.
- Travis Dewayne Johnson, failure to appear, CCSO.
- Edward Joseph Zito, two counts of failure to appear, BPD.
- Bruce Thomas Heintzelman, failure to appear, BPD.

SEPT. 13

- Lamarris Scott Brown, operate motor vehicle without a license, VOP, CCSO.
- Amber Dawn Hurst, possession of methamphetamine, possession of narcotic equipment, CCSO.

SEPT. 12

- Monica Jane Willis, VOP, CCSO.
- Michael Jeremy Knight, sale of marijuana within 1,000 ft of place of worship, business or school, CCSO.
- Jason Paul French, contempt of court, out of county warrant, CCSO.
- Bradley Hugh Fellows, VOP, CCSO.

SEPT. 11

- Alexander Rene Solano, convicted felon registration, CCSO.
- April Marie Rister, two counts of failure to appear, CCSO.
- Christopher Scott Curran, violation of conditional release, CCSO.

SEPT. 8

- Joseph Keith Fowler, battery, CCSO.

LIBERTY COUNTY

SEPT. 16

- Sidney Lee Robbins, holding for Gulf, GCSO.

SEPT. 14

- Karen Helene Summerlin, serving weekends, LCSO.
- Curtis Lee Harris, serving weekends, LCSO.
- Amber Hurst, holding for Calhoun, CCSO.

SEPT. 13

- Patricia Anne Santillo, sale of Schedule III narcotic, LCSO.

SEPT. 12

- Kimberly Rhames, VOP, LCSO.
- Monica Jane Willis, holding for Calhoun, CCSO.

SEPT. 11

- Edward E. Swain, failure to appear, LCSO.
- George Simmons Jr., out of county warrant, LCSO.
- April M. Rister, holding for Calhoun, CCSO.
- Linda Carol Bice, holding for Gulf, GCSO.

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THE SETTLEMENT

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Most of the help is from volunteers but the Settlement has three paid employees including an office manager, a part-time public relations coordinator and a groundskeeper.

"Maintenance is a big expense and the cost of insurance is off the wall," she said.

"The utility costs are high, especially in the winter time when we have work campers," she explained. Work campers are volunteers who live on the settlement grounds for free in exchange for doing volunteer work at the Settlement. They have space for six campers to set up. The electric bill can go up to \$2400 a month in the cold months; otherwise, it stays around \$1600 to \$1700.

And, of course, they're feeding chickens and other animals at different times, as well as buying food and supplies for the many events they hold.

The only real income the settlement has is from annual memberships, admittance fees and building rentals for weddings, receptions and meetings. They charge \$35 a year for family memberships and \$20 for individual memberships. Other membership categories include Ancestors at \$50, Pioneers at \$100, Homesteaders at \$250 (can be paid at \$21 a month through PayPal) and Settlers at \$500 (can be paid at \$41 a month through PayPal).

They raise a small amount from sales in the Settlement store, where visitors can buy a number of unique items including knives fashioned in the blacksmith shop by Willard as well as iron hooks and other decorative items. They also have hand-crocheted dish cloths and shawls along with baby clothes and accessories as well as some children's toys.

The county commission allowed them to expand onto an adjoining piece of land where they have placed an old sharecropper's home from the Altha Community, along with a corncrib. They also grow sugar cane which is used in their syrup making demonstrations.

THE BOARD

"We have five board members now but we need a total of 10," said Linda.

Through the years many community leaders have taken a turn at the table to share ideas, make decisions and help keep things running at the Settlement.

But often, work and school schedules, health issues as well as family obligations mean many can only serve for a limited time.

When the board membership changes, it can get a little costly. The settlement is required to notify the state and must pay \$35 each time someone leaves or joins the board of directors.

What do board members do? A little bit of everything. Cindy Reese, who has helped out at the Settlement for years said board members approve purchases, plan events, promote memberships and try to find new ways to raise funds to keep the Settlement open.

She's served as the Settlement's Office Manager but had to step down due to health issues yet she still keeps a hand in and is currently training the new office manager.

She admitted "it's just been kind of chugging along lately," but she wants to see the Settlement flourish because it has so much to offer. "I want to see it grow," she said. "I love this place. I do what I can to help out."

Working at the Settlement is like "being part of a family and that's why I've stayed."

She added that she wishes that "people could just see the vision Willard has for this place."

Mavis Willis has been a board member for about a year. She sees the value of the Settlement in a world rapidly expanding through technology and information overload. "Everybody lives such a fast-paced life now and they don't realize how people used to live," she said. "It's important that we keep that alive." What

does it take to be a board member or volunteer? "You just have to care about your community and like the good feeling that you get by helping," she said. "Willard and Linda have created all this and I want to help them keep it."

BOARD MEMBERS: The most critical task for the board now is to find new fundraising projects while keeping up the many events traditionally held on the grounds year-round. The board meets the second Tuesday evening of every month at the settlement clubhouse.

VOLUNTEERS: Volunteers are needed for a number of varied tasks, which could include anything from sweeping off the porches to feeding the chickens. They might even pick up a few skills from older, experienced volunteers who make repairs, help grind cane and craft items in the blacksmith shop.

GRANT WRITER: After years of repairs, the Frink gym is in dire need of a new roof. "It's leaking and we have to have some money to get that done," Mavis said. There are other opportunities for a grant writer to apply for money to keep the settlement in operation. They just need someone with the skill and dedication to pursue funding.

EVENTS: The Settlement has provided so many special events over the years, it's easy to take it for granted.

Yes, you can go online to look up how to make a quilt, butcher a hog, craft iron into work tools and decorative items or make your own jam.

But those skills take on new meaning when you can watch those tasks done in person and talk with the volunteers - many in their 60s, 70s and 80s - as they keep traditions alive.

Some of the regular events include:

- Pioneer Day on the third Saturday in October (in conjunction with Goat Day)
- Archaeology Day in August
- Annual Quilt Show each May in the Frink Gym
- Bat Night to watch the creatures from the Settlement's Bat House come out at dusk
- Ice Cream Socials
- Peanut Boils
- Pancake Breakfasts
- Blacksmith classes
- Cane grinding demonstrations
- Guided tours by request
- Children's summer camps
- Jam making classes
- Christmas events
- Harp Singing
- Rummage Sale

If you would like to volunteer, make a donation or purchase a membership, call the Settlement Office at 674-2777.

TREASURES of the Pioneer Settlement

The Settlement's 'Safe'

At the Pioneer Settlement in the dining room of the Yon Farm house you will find this "safe". That was the pioneer word for screened cupboards used to keep leftover and cooked food "safe" until the next meal.



With no electricity and no refrigeration (not even an ice box) pioneers came up with a way to keep cooked food as cool as possible until the next meal. They built a cupboard up off the floor with screened sides and screened double doors.

This kept their cooked food cooler as air could flow over the bowls and platters and kept it "safe" from the heat, flies (no screens), mice, cats, and hungry children. Thus the name "safe".

This "safe" was built by Willis Pitts about 1925, after his parents' home had been destroyed by fire, to help furnish the replacement home being built by his father, Ben Pitts and a cousin and a neighbor Walter Pitts. The "safe" had been used by various family members over the years. With the lack of cooked food, we store dishes in it at the Pioneer Settlement.

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Merle Norman moves to 17451 Main Street North

ABOVE: Laurinda Smith Faircloth, owner of Merle Norman in Blountstown, cuts the ribbon surrounded by family, friends, city officials and associates on Friday, Sept. 14 after making their move to a new location. LEFT: After the ribbon-cutting, Jessica Todd Spears went inside to give a customer a trim.

DOMENICK ESGRO PHOTOS



Forest Service accepting Urban & Community Forestry grant applications

TALLAHASSEE - The Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services announced that the Florida Forest Service is accepting applications for the 2018 Urban and Community Forestry grant program. The program provides funding to local governments, educational institutions, Native American tribal governments and nonprofit groups for urban forestry projects within their communities.

"As we prepare to assist our neighbors already facing a potentially devastating hurricane season, I urge our cities and counties to take advantage of this grant opportunity to more actively

manage urban forests," said Florida Forest Service Director Jim Karels.

The Urban and Community Forestry grant program is part of Florida's ongoing initiative to increase and protect existing tree canopies in developed areas. The program is offered for projects implemented on public lands in all Florida counties. This year, the program will focus on promoting storm preparedness and storm recovery assistance. Qualified participants may apply for up to \$30,000 in matching grant



funds. Program participant projects include:

- Public tree inventory or assessment;
- Community storm preparedness planning;
- Storm preparedness information and education; and
- Replacement of urban canopy due to storms.

The Florida Forest Service will accept applications until Tuesday, Nov. 13. To submit a proposal or to learn more, contact your local Florida Forest Service county forester or visit the

Florida Urban and Community Forestry grant program webpage. All qualifying applications will be evaluated and ranked for approval.

The Florida Forest Service, a division of the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, manages more than one million acres of public forest land while protecting homes, forestland and natural resources from the devastating effects of wildfire on more than 26 million acres. To learn more about Florida Forest Service programs, visit www.FloridaForestService.com.

For more information visit www.FreshFromFlorida.com.



Altha Mayor Wes Johnston and Clerk Carol Finuff are presented with a \$50,000 check by Three Rivers State Park Manager Philip Spycaboer.

Altha receives \$50,000 grant to develop recreation park

ALTHA - The town of Altha received a check for a \$50,000 grant from the Department of Environmental Protection Agency Division of Recreation and Parks Florida Recreation Development Assistance Program. Three Rivers State Park Manager, Philip Spycaboer, was in attendance at their council meeting on Thursday, Sept. 13 to present the check.

The funds will be used for development of the recreation center in Altha, which will include adding a soccer field as well as more lighting.

Support conservation while having fun this National Hunting and Fishing Day

Florida has abundant outdoor recreational opportunities. The state boasts public access to a wide array of hunting, fishing, boating and wildlife viewing activities. It is the Fishing Capital of the World and has one of the largest wildlife management area systems in the country.

You can celebrate National Hunting and Fishing Day Saturday, Sept. 22 by enjoying all the state has to offer, and make a difference, as well.

"I hope many Florida residents and visitors will participate in one of the many outdoor activities that Florida has to offer in recognition of National Hunting and Fishing Day. Participating in these outdoor activities is not only fun, it also results in supporting conservation efforts," said Eric Sutton, Executive Director of the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC). The FWC encourages fellow

conservationists to show appreciation for how they got involved in hunting, fishing, boating, wildlife viewing, birding, hiking, or other outdoor recreational activities. To share a memory from the outdoors, post a picture to social media with #WhoTaughtYou.

In 1972, Congress established the fourth Saturday in September as a special day to honor hunters and anglers for their leadership in conserving America's fish, wildlife and wild places by continually participating in these outdoor sports and by ensuring that their licenses remain valid. This group is a valuable part of natural resource conservation - and you can be, too.

"Additionally, when you purchase a Florida hunting or fishing license, you play a major role in this program because the WSFR funding Florida receives depends, in part, on the number of licenses issued," Sutton said.

Fall Vegetable Garden Workshop set for Sept. 27 at Jackson Co. Extension office

Join the Jackson County Master Gardeners for an informative two-hour workshop to learn about growing fall and winter vegetables on Thursday, Sept. 27 from 6 to 8 p.m. CT in the large auditorium at Jackson County Extension Office, 2741 Penn Ave. in Marianna.

There are wide range of cool-season vegetables that grow well in this area. In North Florida, fall is the time to plant: arugula, beets, broccoli, Brussels sprouts, cabbage, carrots, cauliflower, celery, Chinese cabbage, collards, kale, lettuce, mustard greens, onions, radishes, spinach, strawberries and turnips.

Just imagine how neat would it be to feed your family holiday meals made fresh from the bounty of your own garden.

While the particulars of growing each of these different crops cannot be discussed in total, this two-hour workshop will provide some of the core principles needed for a successful garden in the cool-season. The topics will include: cool-season vegetable options, tips for success, and crop specific soil testing and fertilization.

Spring vegetable gardening has been very popular in this area for many years. But don't let your favorite garden patch, or your raised bed garden sit idly growing weeds until spring. There are some tasty vegetables that can be

planted this fall. There will be a registration fee of \$10 per person payable at the door. Snacks, handouts and other goodies will be given out to every participant.

Please contact the Jackson County Extension Service at (850) 482-9620 for more information and to reserve your place in the class.

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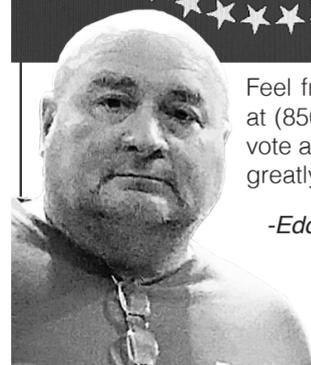
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Yaupon Blacksenna Wildflower alert

by Eleanor Dietrich,
Florida Panhandle
Wildflower Alliance

We have two species of Blacksenas that grow in our area. The species pictured here (*Seymeria cassioides*, with smooth petals) grows in damper areas and the Piedmont Blacksenas (*Seymeria pectinata*) has hairy petals and grows in drier areas. The flowers on both are yellow. The plants are bushy and can grow up to three feet tall and be covered with flowers. The plants are partially parasitic on the roots of pine trees. They are also one of the larval host plants for the Buckeye butterfly. They bloom in September and October and can be seen along the roadsides.



Florida Panhandle Wildflower Alliance
(www.facebook.com/groups/panhandlewildflowers/)

Join your community in volunteer conservation while enjoying natural beauty

DEP to host National Public Lands Day volunteer events in NW Florida

In celebration of National Public Lands Day, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection invites Florida residents and visitors to participate in volunteer events at Florida's state parks, aquatic preserves and National Estuarine Research Reserves Saturday, Sept. 22.



encourage the preservation of Florida's natural resources. National Public Lands Day events in Northwest Florida include:

- Rattlebox Removal at Three Rivers State Park in Sneads on Saturday, Sept. 22, 8:30 a.m. to noon ^{CT}
 - Trail Improvement at T.H. Stone St. Joseph Peninsula State Park in Port St. Joe on Saturday, Sept. 22, 9 a.m. to noon
 - Invasive Plant Removal at Alfred B. Maclay Gardens State Park in Tallahassee on Saturday, Sept. 22, 9 a.m. to noon
- Find a National Public Lands Day event near you.

Next Jam & Jelly Making Class at the Settlement set for Saturday, Sept. 22

The Panhandle Pioneer Settlement will be having a Jam and Jelly Making Class from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. ^{CT} on Saturday, Sept. 22.

You will learn a step-by-step beginner's recipe for a simple and fun process that will work like a charm. Come learn how your grandmother used to make jam or jelly. Share the experience with a loved one and make a lasting memory.

Space is limited, please call and make reservations. The class is \$15 with a required \$10 deposit. All supplies are provided.

To make reservations or for more information, call (850) 674-2777 or email officemanager@panhandlepioneer.us.

Writer's Guild will meet on Sept. 22

The Calhoun-Liberty Writer's Guild meets each fourth Saturday at the Blountstown Library starting at 1 p.m. ^{CT} except for posted holidays.

Are you interested in writing? Have you begun a novel, a short story, an article or a journal, but gotten stumped on creativity and haven't an inkling on how to continue? Maybe you have a few ideas or characters you'd like to work on, but no idea how to get started.

No registration required, just come and talk to other writers.

This month's program will be held Sept. 22 and includes writing something about: What's the weather outside your window doing right now?

Further information call (850) 674-5200 or (850) 762-8280 and ask for Darlene Earhart.

Southwell Family Reunion Sept. 29

The Southwell family will be having their annual reunion at the Chipola Community Church Fellowship Hall at 16555 NE Jim Godwin Rd. in Altha on Saturday, Sept. 29. We will be gathering at 10:30 a.m. ^{CT} to visit and we will eat at 12 noon. ^{CT} All family members and friends are invited to attend.

Please bring a covered dish and or a dessert. Paper products, silverware, cups and drinks will be furnished.

For more information, call (850) 674-1230.

Around 25 vendors needed for Festival

Calling all vendors!

We are looking for vendors for Blountstown Main Street's 2nd Annual 'America Fest' (Veterans Day Festival) Saturday, Nov. 10!

Sign up to be a vendor on our website at www.mainstreetblountstown.org. The deadline to register is Oct. 10.

Community Calendar

September

Wednesday, Sept. 19



September is **BABY SAFETY** Month

- Blountstown Rotary Club, noon ^{CT} at Calhoun County Senior Citizens Center
- Chip Priority meeting, 2 to 3 p.m. ^{ET} at Veterans Memorial Civic Center
- BIRTHDAYS: James Flowers, Devin Herndon & Stacy Batson

Thursday, Sept. 20

- AA meeting, 6 to 7 p.m. ^{ET} at Grace United Methodist Church in Hosford
- BIRTHDAYS: Gwen Cumbaa, Sonya Capps & Stephen Foster



Friday, Sept. 21



- LCHS VS. BHS Football, 8 p.m. ^{ET} at Liberty County High School
- BIRTHDAYS: Greg Solomon & Al Lawson

Saturday, Sept. 22

- Storytime, 10:30 a.m. ^{ET} at Hosford Library
- Writers Guild, 1 p.m. ^{CT} at Blountstown Library
- Peanut Boil, 5:30 to 8 p.m. ^{CT} at Panhandle Pioneer Settlement
- BIRTHDAYS: Sharon Austin, Melissa O'Bryan, Lucretia Porter, Erma O'Bryan, Jamie Shiver, Shaula Jerkins, Jamie Lynn Chason & Rhonda Pumphrey



Sunday, Sept. 23



- BIRTHDAYS: Vicki Woodward, Marc Tomlinson, Paul Lampkin, Amy Alderman & Jared Roberts

Monday, Sept. 24

- Calhoun Co. Industrial Development Authority, 5 p.m. ^{CT} at Calhoun Co. Airport
- Grief Support, 5 p.m. ^{CT} at Blountstown United Methodist Church
- LC Bulldog Club, 7 p.m. ^{ET} at the field house
- BIRTHDAYS: Ouida Strickland, Kathryn Rainwater, Kennedy Copeland & Dennis Cobb



Tuesday, Sept. 25



- Calhoun County Commission, 6 p.m. ^{CT} at UF/IFAS Extension Office
- Order of the Eastern Star #179, 7 p.m. ^{CT} at Dixie Lodge in Blountstown
- AA meeting, 6 to 7 p.m. ^{ET} at Grace United Methodist Church in Hosford
- Bristol Lions Club, 7 p.m. ^{ET} at Apalachee Restaurant
- BIRTHDAYS: Shatashia Deveaux, Carla Peacock, Carolyn Drew, Karen Mayo & Kansas Gowan

Register now for Calhoun Chamber's Sept. 27 'Back to Business' luncheon

After a summer break, the Calhoun County Chamber of Commerce is hosting their September "Back to Business" luncheon on Thursday, Sept. 27 at 11:45 a.m. ^{CT} at Rivertown Community Church in Blountstown.

This meeting will feature various local businesses and community organizations. Instead of one main speaker, we want to hear from our members!

Do you have:

- A program you'd like to announce
- A new location or new services offered
- New staff to introduce
- Upcoming event you want to promote?

If so, let us know! Let us know as soon as possible, so we can include you in event promos. Each speaker will have 2-4 minutes, and handouts or other giveaways are encouraged!

If you have something you'd like to share, please send us:

- Name of business or organization
- Topic/announcement
- Time requested (1-2 minutes, 5 minutes?)
- Handouts or giveaways

Deadline to be on added to the program is Thursday, Sept. 20.

The Chamber's monthly meeting is a great chance to network, make connections, get the latest on happenings in Calhoun County, and enjoy a delicious lunch!

Please register to attend no later than Monday, Sept. 24 to assist with planning. All members and non-members are invited to attend!

Skeet Shoot and Auction Sept. 29

The Board of Liberty Community Health Care, Inc. is proud to sponsor a skeet shoot and auction on Saturday, Sept. 29. Registration begins at 8 a.m. ^{ET} and the competition begins at 9 a.m. ^{ET}. It will be held at the corner of Mannie Rudd Rd and SR 20 in Hosford.

The fees are \$125 for a five person team or \$25 per person. It will cost \$5 for 10 practice shots. Come out for a little friendly competition!

The auction will be held at 11 a.m. ^{ET} Items include a shotgun, hog hunt, gift cards, merchandise, services and much more!

Lunch plates will be available at 11 a.m. ^{ET} Doobie Hayes BBQ pork sandwich box is \$5. There will also be other food, shaved ice, games and family fun!

All proceeds benefit Liberty Community Health Care, Inc. A 501c3 non-profit corporation dedicated to serving rural communities.

For more information, please contact the Hosford Clinic at (850) 379-5800 or email us at libertychc@fairpoint.net Like us and 'share' on Facebook. Updates coming soon!

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School Board holds hearing on budget, renews insurance and approves revised salary schedule at July 30 meeting

Official minutes from the July 30, 2018 regular meeting of the Liberty County School Board as recorded by the board secretary

MEETING OPENING

Chairwoman Tina Tharpe called the meeting to order at 5:05 pm. Members present were Chairwoman Tharpe, Doobie Hayes, Kyle Peddie, Roger Reddick, and James Flowers. Superintendent David Summers and J. David House, Attorney, were also present.

B. Prayer/Pledge

The prayer was offered by Peddie and the pledge was led by Reddick.

PUBLIC BUDGET HEARING

A. The hearing on the Tentative Budget was opened at 5:05 pm

B. Public Comment on budget (Limit 5 minutes)

None

C. Motion was made by Hayes, seconded by Reddick, and carried unanimously to approve setting the tentative required local effort millage rate at 3.956.

D. Motion was made by Peddie, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve setting the tentative discretionary operating millage rate at 0.748.

E. Motion was made by Reddick, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve Setting the Tentative Discretionary Local Capital Improvement Millage Rat at 1.5.

F. Motion was made by Flowers, seconded by Peddie, and carried unanimously to approve Resolution 18-1 (includes all millage rates).

G. Motion was made by Hayes, seconded by Reddick, and carried unanimously to approve adopting the Tentative Budget

H. Motion was made by Peddie, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve Resolution 18-02 (tentative Budget).

I. Motion was made by Reddick, seconded by Hayes, and carried unanimously to approve setting the final budget hearing Sept. 11, 2018, at 5:15 pm.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

LINTON DUE PROCESS HEARING

NEOLA Policy #3140

Aaron Day presided over the hearing representing the Liberty County High School. He provided documentation and gave the school's account of the incidents which resulted in Sgt. Major Linton being placed on Leave Without Pay. Linton then gave his account of the incidents.

Flowers made a motion to accept the Superintendent's recommendation to suspend Linton without pay for June, Reddick seconded the mo-

tion, and the motion carried unanimously.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Superintendent Summers stated that it had been a very busy summer and reminded those present that the Back to School Breakfast will be August 6 at 8:00 a.m. at the Civic Center.

ADDITIONS/CORRECTIONS TO THE AGENDA

- A. Add Emergency Items A-D.
- B. Delete 9 D

APPROVE THE AGENDA

Motion was made by Hayes, seconded by Peddie, and carried unanimously to approve the agenda with changes noted above.

APPROVE THE MINUTES

A. Motion was made by Hayes, seconded by Reddick, and carried unanimously to approve the minutes from the June 28, 2018, Special Board Meeting.

CONSENT ITEMS

A. Motion was made by Flowers, seconded by Hayes, and carried unanimously to approve the District Mental Health Plan for the 2018-19 SY.

B. Motion was made by Reddick, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve Creating Two Licensed Mental Health Counselor to be paid from the Mental Health Allocation Funds.

C. Motion was made by Flowers, seconded by Peddie, and carried unanimously to

D. DELETE

E. Motion was made by Hayes, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve the School Risk Assessments for Liberty County High School, W.R. Tolar K-8 School, and Hosford Elementary and Junior High School submitted by the Liberty County Sheriff's Office in accordance with the Marjorie Stoneman Douglas Public Safety act of 2018.

F. Motion was made by Peddie, seconded by Reddick, and carried unanimously to approve the District Assessment Calendar for the 2018-2019 SY.

G. Motion was made by Flowers, seconded by Reddick, and carried unanimously to approve the Liberty County Schools Code of Student Conduct & Policy Guide for 2018-2019 SY.

H. Motion was made by Peddie, seconded by Hayes, and carried unanimously to approve the Liberty County Schools Student Progression Plan, Pre-K - Grade 12 for the 2018-2019 SY.

I. Motion was made by Reddick, seconded by Hayes, and carried unanimously to approve the use of Corporal Punishment as outlined in School Board Policy # 5630.

J. Motion was made by Flowers, seconded

by Peddie, and carried unanimously to approve changing the Sumatra Route supplement from \$9,000.00 a year to \$5,000.00.

K. Motion was made by Reddick, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve changing the Vilas Route supplement to \$5,000.00 a year.

L. Motion was made by Hayes, seconded by Reddick, and carried unanimously to approve the Personnel consent Table for July 30, 2018.

NEW HIRES/TRANSFERS

General Funds, Abbi Fletcher, 6 hr. Lunch-room Worker, Hosford, Effective 08/13/18

General Funds, Debbie Eddleman, Health Aid III, Tally Route, Effective 08/13/18

ACTION ITEMS

A. Motion was made by Reddick, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve the renewal of the contract with Capital Health Plan for employee health insurance at the quoted rates for the 2018-2019 SY.

B. Motion was made by Hayes, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve the agreement between the Liberty County School Board and the Department of Juvenile Justice for the 2018-2019 SY.

C. Motion was made by Peddie, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve the contract between the Liberty County School Board's 21st Century Program and the Liberty County Sheriff's Office for the 2018-2019 SY.

D. Motion was made by Reddick, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve the contract between the Liberty County School Board and Britt Day to provide Speech Language Pathology for up to 28 hours per week- 37 weeks per school year, at the rate of \$60.00 per hour for the 2018-2019 SY. Total Contract Cost \$62,160.00

E. Motion was made by Flowers, seconded by Peddie, and carried unanimously to approve the contract between Liberty County School Board and Janice Williams for Speech Language Pathology for up to 17 hours per week for 36 weeks at \$55.00 for the 2018-2019 SY.

F. Motion was made by Reddick, seconded by Peddie, and carried unanimously to approve the contract between the Liberty County School Board and Speech Language Pathology Assistant, Kara Bradley, SLPA, up to 38 hours per week at \$35.00 per hour for 37 weeks for the 2018-2019 SY. Total Cost of Contract \$42,180.00

G. Motion was made by Hayes, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve the Contract between Liberty County School Board and Specialized Education Associates, LLC., for Vision Services; 20 hours per week, \$60 per hour for a total of \$49,400.00 for the 2018-2019 SY.

H. Motion was made by Hayes, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve the contract between Liberty County School Board

and Myla Wahlquist for Physical Therapy for up to 12 hours a week, 36 weeks at \$65.00 per hour for the 2018-2019 SY. Total Contract Cost: \$28,080.

I. Motion was made by Peddie, seconded by Reddick, and carried unanimously to approve the contract between the Liberty County School Board and Occupational Therapy Contract Premier Therapy and Rehab, PLLC d/b/a Tessa Byler for up to 30 hours per week for 36 weeks for the 2018-2019 SY. Total Contract cost: \$59,400.

J. Motion was made by Hayes, seconded by Peddie, and carried unanimously to approve the Memorandum of Understanding between Liberty County School Board and Community Wellness Counseling and Support Services, Inc. for the 2018-2019 SY.

K. Motion was made by Reddick, seconded by Flowers, and carried unanimously to approve the contract between the Liberty County School Board and Simmons Consulting, LLC., for the 2018-2019 SY.

BOARD MEMBER ITEMS

Chairwoman Tharpe reminded everyone of the breakfast.

Peddie inquired about the status of the A/C at Tolar gym.

Flowers complimented the work done at the Tolar playground, thanked Roberts and Roberts for donating the backhoe to move dirt and stated that the mulch will be here tomorrow.

EMERGENCY ITEMS

A. Motion was made by Flowers, seconded by Peddie, and carried unanimously to approve the Revised Salary Schedule effective July 31, 2018.

B. Motion was made by Hayes, seconded by Reddick, and carried unanimously to approve the Work Base Learning Experience (WBLE) Vocational Rehabilitation contract for the 2018-19 SY.

C. Motion was made by Flowers, seconded by Reddick, and carried unanimously to approve the contract between the Liberty County School Board and the Liberty County Arts Council for the 2018-2019 SY.

D. Motion was made by Reddick, seconded by Hayes, and carried unanimously to approve paying the Liberty County Arts Council's Addendum from the 2017-2018 contract for Administrative Services in the amount of \$750.00.

ADJOURNMENT

A. Motion was made by Reddick, seconded by Hayes, and carried unanimously to adjourn the meeting at 6:34 pm.

Approved: Sept. 11, 2018

David H. Summers, Superintendent
Tina Tharpe, Board Chairwoman

City of Bristol approves CDBG Neighborhood Revitalization application and Pancare site plan at regular meeting Aug. 6

Official minutes from the Aug. 6, 2018 regular meeting of the City of Bristol as recorded by the City Clerk

Chairman Woody Stewart called this meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. with Council members Tom Clemons, John Ritter, Ellen Lewis, and Brigham Shuler present. Attorney D. Jackson Summers, Mayor Steven Cutshaw, and City Clerk Robin Hatcher were also present.

Councilwoman Lewis offered the Invocation. Fire Chief Hobby led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Councilman Shuler moved to approve the Agenda, seconded by Councilman Clemons, carried by all.

Councilman Shuler moved to approve the previous month's minutes, seconded by Councilman Ritter, approved by all.

Councilman Shuler moved to approve the monthly bills for payment, seconded by Councilman Ritter, all voted in favor.

CDBG SECOND PUBLIC HEARING

Chairman Stewart opened the CDBG 2nd Public Hearing at 6:35 p.m.

He turned the floor over to Noah Byler, P.E., Dewberry Engineers, Inc. for comments regarding the proposed 2017 CDBG Neighborhood Revitalization Application.

Following Engineer Byler's comments Chairman Stewart opened the Public Comment Period. There were no public comments. Chairman Stewart closed the public comment pe-

riod at 6:42 p.m.

Following the Council's brief discussion of the proposed 2017 CDBG Neighborhood Revitalization Project, Chairman Stewart closed the CDGB 2nd Public Hearing.

Councilman Stewart read aloud, in its entirety, proposed City of Bristol Resolution #2018-01, A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF BRISTOL, FLORIDA, CITY COUNCIL, AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT APPLICATION, FINDING THE APPLICATION CONSISTENT/NOT INCONSISTENT WITH THE LOCAL COMPREHENSIVE PLAN, COMMITTING FUNDS TO THE PROJECT, AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK TO EXECUTE CERTAIN DOCUMENTS PERTAINING TO THE GRANT, AND PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND EFFECTIVE DATE.

Councilman Clemons moved to Adopt Resolution #2018-01, to approve the CDBG NR application as prepared, to authorize proper execution of same, and to authorize Engineer Byler to submit the Application to the Department of Economic Opportunity (DEO) on behalf of the City of Bristol. Councilman Ritter seconded this motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Chairman Stewart called a Council Workshop to be held on Monday, Aug. 20, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. EST to discuss all aspects of the city's private property standards, nuisance

abatement, and code enforcement issues.

Councilman Shuler moved to make a memorial contribution of \$100.00 to the American Cancer Society in the name of former Councilman Ed "Yank" Botting who passed away on July 15, 2018, seconded by Councilman Ritter, carried by all.

In regards to an inquiry regarding whether Medical Marijuana Dispensaries are allowed in the City of Bristol, the Council agreed, by general consensus, to authorize City Planner Tony Arrant to respond to the inquiry on behalf of the City of Bristol.

SITE PLAN HEARING

At 6:55 p.m. Chairman Stewart opened a Site Plan Hearing to consider approval of a Site Plan proposing to change

the use of an existing structure located at 10611 NW SR 20, Bristol, Florida from a residential use to a commercial use, to be used as Professional Administrative Offices of Panhandle Area Community Outreach and Community Wellness Counseling & Support Services.

He turned the floor over to City Planner Tony Arrant for comments and to facilitate the hearing.

Arrant informed the Council that the proposed Site Plan is consistent with the City's Comprehensive Plan and Land Development Codes. Arrant turned the floor over to applicants Michael and Winter Collins for comments.

Following their comments, Chairman Stewart opened the Public Comment Period. There being no public comments, Chairman Stewart closed the

Public Comment Period.

The Council briefly discussed the Site Plan application. Councilman Shuler moved to approve the Site Plan submitted by Michael and Winter Collins, seconded by Councilman Clemons, carried unanimously. Chairman Stewart closed the Site Plan Hearing at 7:02 p.m.

Councilman Shuler suggested that the Council begin paying the City of Bristol Volunteer Firemen for all fires that they respond to including grass fires/ automobile fires/equipment fires/etc. in addition to structure/ dwelling fires.

Currently the city pays its volunteer firemen \$50 per fire for structure/dwelling fires only. The Council requested that Clerk Hatcher research historical data to give them an idea how much impact this would have on the City's budget.

No action was taken at this time.

Councilman Ritter requested that anticipated agenda items be distributed to Council members as the clerk receives them to allow for more research time prior to the meeting rather than waiting to email them with the Agenda Packet just days prior to the meeting. Clerk Hatcher indicated that she would be glad to comply with Ritter's request.

There being no further business, Councilman Shuler moved to adjourn, seconded by Councilwoman Lewis, all voted in favor. Meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

City Clerk: Robin M. Hatcher

Chairman: Durwood "Woody" Stewart

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McClellan, Sewell receive scholarships to attend TCC

TALLAHASSEE - has awarded scholarships to two TCC students from Calhoun and Liberty counties.



Gabriel McClellan of Blountstown has received the GTO Scholarship and Selene Sewell of Hosford has received Alfred I. Dupont Scholarship and Bank of America Dream Makers Scholarship.

BIRTHDAY

BRITTYN GRAY LONGFELLOW

Brittyn Gray Longfellow celebrated her 8th birthday on Sept. 14. She is the daughter of Joe and Meris Shuler Longfellow of Tallahassee. Her grandparents include Bob and Jamie Longfellow of Tallahassee and the late Jerry and Gail Shuler. Her great-grandparents include Lucia Campos of Hunting, WV, Frank and Francine Simpson of San Antonio, TX and Elizabeth Simpson of Huntington, WV.



Brittyn is loving second grade and enjoys playing softball on the same team as her sister and playing spies at home with her brother and sister. She was very excited to be baptized a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints on her birthday as well. She wants to be a mommy or a mermaid when she grows up.

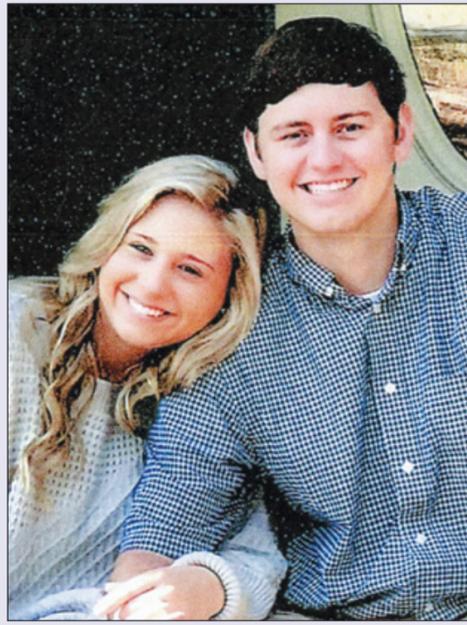
WEDDINGS

Merrifield, Purvis to exchange vows Nov. 10

Fred Merrifield and Denise Merrifield of Marianna are pleased to announce the engagement and upcoming marriage of their daughter, Mallory Merrifield to Brandon Purvis, son of Gary Wayne and Monica Purvis of Blountstown.

The bride-elect is the maternal granddaughter of Eugene and Sue Barnes of Marianna. She is the paternal granddaughter of the late Evelyn Merrifield of Marianna and the late Eugene Merrifield of Paxton.

The future groom is the maternal grandson of William and Janice Malone of Blountstown and the



late Hewston Wilson of Atmore, AL. He is the paternal grandson of Gary Purvis and the late Susan Purvis of

Atmore, AL. Mallory is a 2014 graduate of Marianna High School, received her AA Degree from

Chipola College. She will graduate from Wallace Community College with an Associate Degree in Nursing in December 2018.

Brandon is a 2013 graduate of Blountstown High School, received his AA Degree from Chipola College and graduated from Florida State University with a Bachelor's Degree in Civil Engineering. He is employed with Dewberry Engineers of Blountstown.

The wedding will take place at Circle S Plantation in Marianna beginning at 3 p.m. on Nov. 10. Family and friends are welcome to share this special time with them.

Barrentine, O'Bryan to wed Nov. 3 in Dothan



Lynn Porter and Sandy Barrentine are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Tori Porter to Jeremy O'Bryan, son of Lisa and Darryl O'Bryan.

Tori received an Associates of Radiologic Science degree from Keiser University in 2016. She is currently working as a Radiologic Technologist for Jackson Hospital's Chipola Quick Care facility.

Jeremy received a FireFighter II and

EMT certification from Chipola College in 2014. He is currently working as a captain for Marianna Fire and Rescue.

Tori is the granddaughter of John and Helen Rudd, the late James Porter, Daisy Barrentine and the late C.B. Barrentine.

Jeremy is the grandson of Joanne and Bobby O'Bryan, Billy Ray Smith, Ed and Eleanor Ligon.

A Saturday, Nov. 3 wedding is planned at Magnolia Bay in Dothan, AL.

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Late Night Laughs

A RECAP OF RECENT OBSERVATIONS BY LATE NIGHT TV HOSTS.

An Oregon romance novelist who published an essay titled "How to Murder Your Husband" was arrested for the alleged murder of her husband. But her lawyer is more concerned about her other essay, "How to Poison Your Lawyer."

— SETH MEYERS

The FDA is said to be cracking down on teenage vaping. Vaping for those who don't know is the reason your Uber smells like pineapple turpentine whenever you get in it.

— JIMMY KIMMEL

A new study found that just 52 percent of adults said they read books, while the other 48 percent said, "Duh."

— SETH MEYERS

I heard that South Korea has stress cafes where people can go to take a break from their day, or as they are known here in America, bars.

— JIMMY FALLON

Amazon is going to sell Christmas trees this the year. Live 7-foot Christmas trees will be available this holiday season. It's not enough that Amazon's putting every store out of business, now they're going after the vacant stores' parking lots, too.

— JIMMY KIMMEL

There's a new documentary about dating apps called "Swiped." Did you guys hear about this? People thought the preview looked good, but when they showed up, it looked like a completely different movie.

— JIMMY FALLON

Playboy just announced that starting in 2019, they'll publish only four issues a year. By 2020, they're just going to send you a shovel and say, "Go dig up the issues your uncle buried in the woods."

— STEPHEN COLBERT

A man in New York bought a \$10 million winning lottery ticket while at a convenience store to buy treats for his dog. Which came as a major disappointment to his dog. "You didn't get the treats?"

— SETH MEYERS

Apple had another one of its big product unveilings. At the event, Apple launched a bunch of new products, including several new versions of the iPhone X. One of the new phones has a 6.5-inch screen and can withstand being underwater for up to 30 minutes. So it's capable of being both tremendously big and tremendously wet.

— JAMES CORDEN

According to a nationwide customer survey, Americans have named Taco Bell as the best Mexican restaurant in the U.S. Said Mexico, "OK, yeah. We're ready for the wall. Just do it. Fine. It's fine with us now."

— SETH MEYERS

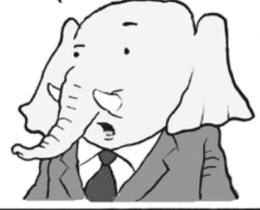
Archaeologists in South Africa have discovered what they say is the world's oldest drawing. Experts think the crude, simple drawing on a rock was created more than 70,000 years ago. And probably during the world's first extremely boring work meeting. While a bunch of starving cavemen were off fighting a saber-toothed tiger, one guy was like, "Hey is it cool if I take a personal day to hang back and work on my art?"

— JAMES CORDEN

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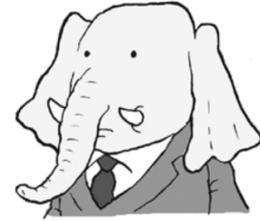
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An anti-Republican budget

WASHINGTON — Under any other president's watch, this would be big news, that the budget deficit has reached \$895 billion. Thanks to President Trump's tax cut, corporate tax revenue fell 30 percent in the last 11 months, and the need for social services remains despite the good economy.

Wages are only now starting to rise, and middle-class Americans continue to struggle. According to a new survey by the Economic Policy Institute, chief executives make 271 times more than the typical worker. In 1980, when Ronald Reagan was elected, the disparity was 42 times more.

Reagan ushered in the GOP's tax-cutting mania, reducing the top rate for high earners to 28 percent down from 70 percent, and he called it what it is: a flat tax. It crept up over the years in an effort to plug the hole Reagan created in the budget. Now that President Trump is in the White House, Republicans have abandoned all talk of a balanced budget, and politicians in both parties have given up on curbing the deficit.

Does it matter? The short answer is yes. Deficits of this size have not been seen since World War II. Spending more money than we have to fight a war is understandable and justifiable, but going into deficit spending to finance a tax cut that primarily benefits the most well-to-do Americans is unnecessary and irresponsible.

Trump is not known for thinking through the consequences of his actions. He does what feels good at the time, and jamming through a major tax cut counted as a big achievement heading into the midterm election when the party in power typically loses seats.

Ironically, the tax cut is not proving the boon on the campaign trail that Republicans expected. Voters are smart, and they realize the bulk of the

benefits went to the top of the income scale, and they're not happy about that.

What Trump is doing is anything but Republican. Republicans have championed balanced

budgets and denounced deficit spending as the cornerstone of their fiscal beliefs going back to Herbert Hoover. Hoover was wrong to refuse deficit spending to combat the Depression, but the GOP has always made fiscal responsibility a first principle.

Reagan was the first Republican to stray from the notion that deficits are bad, joking that the deficit "is big enough to take care of itself" when it rose under his leadership.

President Clinton was forced into paying attention to the deficit when Ross Perot, a billionaire Texas populist, made combatting the deficit the focus of his third-party campaign in 1992. Perot raised public awareness of the issue, and Clinton raised taxes on the highest earners from Reagan's 28 percent to 39.6 percent.

Clinton left the country with a budget surplus when he left office in 2001. His successor, George W. Bush, blew through that surplus with a big tax cut of his own and wars in Afghanistan and Iraq that were waged on credit.

Trump is not a Republican. He's not a Democrat either when it comes to the economy. He's a Trumpster, which means he acts in his own short-term interest. We now have the biggest budget deficit in more than 70 years and several presidents ago, and there should be a bipartisan effort to restrain this president.

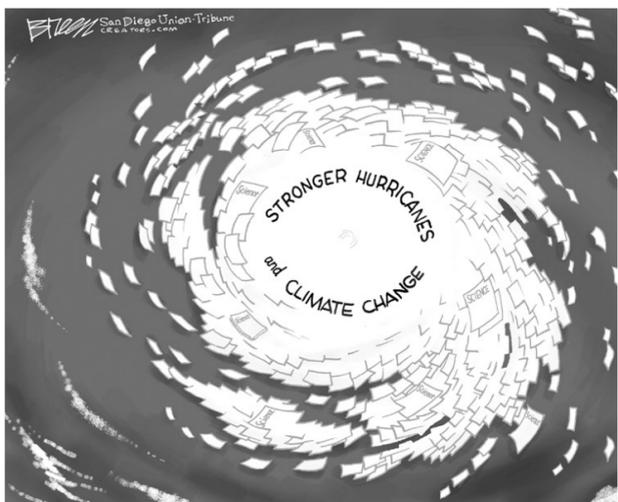
Instead, both sides are acting like there's no tomorrow, as though the day of reckoning can be put off forever. Trump will not be in office forever, but while he's there, he should be recognized as the threat that he is to the nation's fiscal health.

WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

by Douglas Cohn and Eleanor Clift



COMMENTARY



SEAN OF THE SOUTH

HEY KID • BY SEAN DIETRICH



Dear Young Me,

I hope you are well. It's been so long since I've seen you, I forgot what a kid you are. You are eighteen. And even though you don't know this, you are very, very stupid.

But that's okay. Stupidity isn't all bad. You have big ideas. I'm tempted to call them dreams. But then, they aren't dreams. Dreams are ambitious things. You aren't ambitious. You start a project, then peter out.

You've been told you're lazy, and slow, and not good at things you do. But I'm writing to say that you are good enough.

If you remember nothing else I write, please remember that last sentence.

You once had a girlfriend tell you - and in one case, even her mother told you - that you were going nowhere. You believed them.

You're watching friends get accepted into good colleges. They've set compasses for their lives. They are doing well for themselves. Everyone seems to be succeeding. Except you.

Take heart, Young Me. Your life is going to be full of surprises. You don't know it yet. You have no idea what's around the corner. None. I get excited just thinking about it.

For example: you will meet a beautiful woman who knows how to make beautiful biscuits. You will marry, and you will be beautifully poor. So, so poor. And it will only make you happier.

Let's see. What else? You'll total a few trucks. You will have back surgery. And on one occasion, you will be lost in Toledo, OH without a car.

And brace yourself for what I am about to say:

The Chicago Cubs will win a World Series.

I am dead serious about this. When this happens, you will shout at your television - even though you aren't a Cubs fan. Even though your wife is asleep in the other room.

You will meet a dog named Ellie Mae, who will change you. She will look at you and see perfection. No human will ever see this in you. Because it's not actually there. But this dog will give you the holy gift that only canines can give.

You will visit the mountain grave of your father after a lifetime of avoiding it. When you visit, you will see something incredible at the summit. Something fairy tales are made of. And it will feel like coming home. You

will touch old scars and they won't hurt.

And when you least expect it, you will become a writer.

It will be an overnight explosion in your brain. It will almost be like having a stroke - only in reverse. It will feel as though someone woke you from a nap. Your life will begin again.

It will happen when you're an adult. You will be camping in Indian Pass - of all places. Something will come over you one afternoon. You will be looking at the Gulf of Mexico. Your bloodhound will be with you.

The stars will align, and you will feel it. And you will say to yourself: "Hey, maybe I'll try writing."

It will be that simple. That same night, you will write a few hundred words and they will change the direction of your life. For good.

Now, I don't want to mislead you. Life won't be easy. For starters, not everyone will like you. And people who reject you will not feel sorry about it. Not everyone is nice. Some people are downright mean. Almost everyone is greedy.

But you will also meet magnificent people who ride this two-lane highway of life. People who have the capacity to love beyond their capacity.

And when you get older, you will feel less alone. And alive. And revitalized. And whole. And happy. And you'll realize that the souls of your late loved ones are not dead, but hang like morning mist over a peanut field.

And when you reach the end of your life, Sean, I hope you remember this humble letter. It was written on a warm September night, years too late. And during your final moments, I hope you think to yourself:

"I am so lucky. So, so lucky. I wish I could go back and do it all over again."

I envy you. You have no idea what awaits because you are, more or less, a complete bozo. I know this because I am also a complete bozo. And what a gift our ignorance is. Because if we knew what is in our future, we'd only screw it up.

Anyway, I have to go now. I love you. And one day, I promise, you will love yourself, too.

I'm not kidding about the Cubs.

Your pal,
Sean Dietrich

Sean Dietrich writes about life in the American South. His columns have appeared in South Magazine, the Bitter Southerner, Thom Magazine and the Tallahassee Democrat. He shares his observations and chronicles his interaction with friends, family and strangers he meets along the way while sharing glimpses of daily life in our little corner of America. He has written several books which can be found on Amazon.com.

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BHS TIGERS



LEFT: Kentrell Lawson (#15) breaks free for an 11 yard touchdown run. BELOW: Coach Chris Jenkins signals a Tiger touchdown.



LEFT: Trent Peacock (#4) and Tavis Simpson (#5) swarm a Chief. BELOW: Alex Valdez (#11) Bradley Cheuvront (#50) bring down an opponent. RIGHT: Kentrell Lawson (#15) and Trent Peacock (#4) tackle the Northview ball carrier.



TONY SHOEMAKE PHOTOS

Blountstown gets big win over Northview 35-19

by Michael DeVuyst, Journal sports writer

BLOUNTSTOWN - The Blountstown Tigers scored early and held on late against the Northview Chiefs to secure a huge win looking forward to the end of the year playoff scenario last week.

Blountstown received the opening kickoff but a lost fumble ended their drive at the Northview 40 yard line. Northview took advantage of the gift and went on a 10 play drive scoring on an 8 yard run with 5:47 to play in the 1st quarter. The extra point was no good but the Chiefs took the early 6-0 lead. That lead did not last long.

On the next play after the kickoff, Treven Smith took a handoff to the right sideline and outraced everyone 65 yards to the endzone. James Shores tackled on one of his three extra points on the night giving the Tigers the 7-6 lead.

After a forced three and out by the Tiger defense, the Blountstown offense struck again. The Tigers found pay dirt in four plays finishing with a 44 yard TD catch by Alex Valdez from Trent Peacock. With 2:01 left in the 1st quarter the Tigers extended their lead to 14-6.

The Tiger defense came up big once again on Northview's next possession when Treven Smith intercepted a pass and returned it 34 yards down to the Northview 3 yard line.

On the next play, Abrey Johnson bulldozed his way to the paint as the Tigers took the 20-6 lead at the end of the 1st quarter.

The 2nd quarter opened up with back-to-back punts. The Chiefs would cut their deficit on their second possession midway through the second quarter. An 82 yard drive was capped off with an 18 yard TD catch and the extra point shaved the Blountstown lead to 20-13 with 5:52 to go in the half.

UP NEXT: Liberty County

As good teams do, the Tiger offense answered the Chief score with a score of their own. A failed onside kick attempt by the Chiefs gave the Tigers great field position on the Northview 47 yard line. Four plays later, Smith found the endzone again on a 24 yard TD catch from Peacock.

The Tigers took the 27-13 lead with 4:09 left in the half. Blountstown looked poised to take that lead in the half but Northview had other plans. Northview drove into Tiger territory and converted a 3rd and 18 taking the ball down to the Tiger 17 yard line with 8 seconds left in the half.

The Chiefs lined up for one last play in the half and heaved a prayer into the endzone that was answered with a 17 yard TD catch. The extra point attempt was no good but the Chiefs cut the Tiger lead to one possession at 27-19 to end the first half.

The 3rd quarter went scoreless as fatigue began to set in on both sides. The 4th quarter began with an incredible defensive stand by the home standing Tigers.

On the first play of the 4th quarter, Northview faced a 4th and 2 from the Blountstown 13 yard line. Treven Smith stuffed the run for a one yard gain and the Tiger defense thwarted the Chiefs scoring attempt. The Tigers would flip the field but fail on their own 4th down giving the ball back to the Chiefs on the Northview 37 yard line with 9:16 left in the game. Northview would cross midfield but Smith ended the threat with his second interception on the night giving the ball back to the Tigers with 6:07 left clinging onto the 27-19 lead.

Blountstown would put the nail in the coffin going on a 6 play 64 yard

drive. Big runs by Montarious Brown, Trent Peacock and Kentrell Lawson ended with a Lawson 11 yard TD run. Alex Valdez tackled on the 2 point conversion to push the final score to 35-19 with 3:32 left.

The Tiger offense was effective on the ground grinding out 330 yards on 36 carries and gaining 408 total yards on 41 plays for an amazing 10 yard per play average. Treven Smith lead the rushing attack with 128 yards on 13 carries. Lawson added 95 yards on just 5 carries. Montarious Brown chipped in 39 yards. Tiger QB Trent Peacock went 3-5 passing for 78 yards with 2

TD's to Smith and Valdez.

The Blountstown defense bent a little but did not break. Kentrell Lawson finished with 19 tackles including a sack. Linebacker Zeb Kelley was close behind with 16 tackles and Treven Smith finished with 14 tackles and 2 interceptions. Blasé O'Bryan and Montarious Brown chipped in 9 tackles apiece.

Blountstown (3-1) will make the short trip across the Apalachicola River this Friday night to take on the Liberty County Bulldogs (2-2). Liberty County beat Franklin County last week 6-0. The Bulldogs will look to avenge a 65-0 loss to the Tigers last year.

Game time this Friday, Sept. 21 in Bristol will be 7:00 p.m. CT

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SCHOOL NEWS

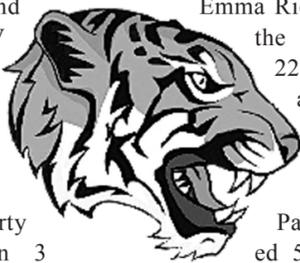
BHS NEWS THIS WEEK

BHS Varsity and JV Lady Tigers volleyball this week

The Varsity Lady Tigers went 5-0 in games this past week, getting straight set wins against Liberty County, Port St Joe, Bozeman, Chipley and Baker. JV also had an undefeated week beating Liberty County in 3 and then straight set wins over Port St Joe and Bozeman.

Destiny Tucker had 4 aces and Emma Castaneda, Megan McWaters, and Lani Pyles had 5 kills each. For Varsity against Liberty County Emma Richards led the way with 22 kills. Sarah Shuler had 7 kills and Courtney Payne added 5. Kendall Hatchett had 5 aces and Cydnee Eubanks led with 8 digs. Setter Madison Taylor ended with 33 assists.

For the week (5 matches) Emma Richards had 93 kills, Sarah Shuler had 43 kills and Courtney Payne had 19 kills. Madison Taylor ended with 152 assists. Cydnee Eubanks led in digs with 53. Cydnee Eubanks, Kendall Hatchett, and Sarah Shuler all ended with 12 aces each.



Against Liberty County, Emma Castaneda had 3 aces, Lani Pyles had 5 kills, Shelbi Dawson had 2 blocks, and Layla Bailey had 11 digs. Leading the JV against Bozeman was Megan McWaters with 5 aces, Lani Pyles with 4 kills, and Shelbi Dawson and Emma Castaneda had 1 block each.

BHS Homecoming flower girl, crown bearer sought

Nominations are being accepted for the crown bearer and flower girl for the upcoming BHS homecoming coronation. Any kindergarten student at Blountstown Elementary or Carr school is eligible.

To nominate someone, drop off the child's name, photo and phone number at the BHS front office no later than Friday, Sept. 28 by noon.

SCHOOL MENUS

Sept. 19 - Sept. 25

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WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 19
BREAKFAST: Pancakes, turkey sausage, fruit
LUNCH: Pepperoni pinwheel sandwich, Mexican pizza, peanut butter and jelly sandwich or chef salad
SIDES: Baked beans, Caesar salad, fruit

THURSDAY, SEPT. 20
BREAKFAST: Sausage biscuit, GoGurt, fruit
LUNCH: Chicken Parmesan with pasta and whole grain roll or crispy chicken sandwich, peanut butter and jelly sandwich or taco salad and tortilla chips
SIDES: Easy baked carrots, steamed broccoli, fruit

FRIDAY, SEPT. 21
BREAKFAST: French toast sticks, turkey sausage, fruit
LUNCH: Pizza, pepperoni turkey 4x6", hamburger, cheeseburger or chef salad
SIDES: Baked potato wedges, sliced tomatoes/lettuce, fresh garden salad, fruit

MONDAY, SEPT. 24
BREAKFAST: Pancake on a stick, GoGurt, fruit
LUNCH: Chicken tenderloin, ham and cheese sandwich or chef salad
SIDES: Sweet whole kernel corn or fresh crunchy baby carrots with ranch dressing

TUESDAY, SEPT. 25
BREAKFAST: Egg and cheese biscuit, potato nuggets, fruit
LUNCH: Macho nachos, BBQ chicken quesadilla, peanut butter and jelly sandwich or chicken Caesar salad
SIDES: Black beans, diced tomato and lettuce, fruit

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 19
BREAKFAST: Chicken biscuit, hash browns, choice of cereal, fresh/cupped fruit
LUNCH: Chicken strip basket or choice of pizza: cheese, 4-meat or Buffalo chicken
DAILY SPECIAL: Nachos with meat, cheese
SIDES: Lettuce and tomato, tortilla chips, salsa, taco sauce, fresh/cupped fruit or fries or tator tots

THURSDAY, SEPT. 20
BREAKFAST: Pancakes, sausage links, choice of cereal, fresh/cupped fruit
LUNCH: Chicken strip basket or choice of pizza: cheese, 4-meat or Buffalo chicken
DAILY SPECIAL: Teriyaki, General Tso or sweet and sour chicken
SIDES: Fried rice, egg roll, broccoli, fresh/cupped fruit or fries or tator tots

FRIDAY, SEPT. 21
BREAKFAST: Dutch waffle, choice of muffin, choice of yogurt, choice of cereal, fresh/cupped fruit
LUNCH: Chicken strip basket or choice of pizza: cheese, 4-meat or Buffalo chicken
DAILY SPECIAL: Burger slider
SIDES: Line salad, fries, fresh/cupped fruit

MONDAY, SEPT. 24
BREAKFAST: Ham and cheese breakfast taco, hash browns, choice of cereal, fresh cup of fruit
LUNCH: Chicken strip basket or choice of pizza: cheese, 4-meat or Buffalo chicken
DAILY SPECIAL: Corn dog
SIDES: Mac & cheese, green peas, line salad, fresh/cupped fruit or fries, tater tots

TUESDAY, SEPT. 25
BREAKFAST: French toast sticks, sausage links, choice of cereal, fresh cup of fruit
LUNCH: Chicken strip basket or choice of pizza: cheese, 4-meat or Buffalo chicken
DAILY SPECIAL: Salisbury steak
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W.R. Tolar's Bingo night & Womanless Beauty Pageant

W.R. Tolar's 8th grade will host a Bingo fundraiser Saturday, Sept. 29 from 6-9 p.m. ET in the W.R. Tolar School lunchroom. The cost for one card is \$3 or two cards for \$5.

Come play the game to support W.R. Tolar 8th grade class trip!

Are you the sexiest (wo)man

around? Do people break their neck looking when you walk by? Do you rock that dress better than Kim Kardashian? Are you poised with beauty and grace?

Enter the Womanless Beauty Pageant and prove it!

It will be held Saturday, Oct. 13 at 5 p.m. ET at Veterans Memorial Civic Center.

Deadline to enter is Friday, Oct. 12. The entry fee is \$10. Event entry fee for the public is \$5 per person.

All proceeds go to benefit the Tolar 8th grade. For more information call Sharee Bunkley at (850) 509-0747 or Mary Martina at (850) 879-6859.



LCHS BULLDOG BEAT

By Lauren Harger

Welcome back to the Bulldog Beat! In this issue, we'll be putting a spotlight on our JROTC program. Led by Captain Jason Dense, the program is being pulled in a whole new direction this school year. The competition teams are being completely revamped; practices began at the beginning of the school year and now they are starting to really get their team members set and serious for when competition arrives throughout the year.

The teams are rifle (or Marksmanship), Colguard and Raiders, the earliest event being Raiders in the fall. Team member Elena Hamm says, "I'm excited! I'm not really nervous because I'm so confident in our team!"

The JROTC program

is also doing their part to get more involved in school activities- they are currently planning on starting up a spirit team to help pump up the fans and support the Fighting Bulldawgs at our home games. They plan on running flags spelling out "D-A-W-G-S" every time we get a touchdown and doing their best to scream loud for our team.

The boys would sincerely ap-

preciate your support this Thursday night as the JV teams plays against Wewa, as well as this Friday as Varsity takes on the Blountstown Tigers! Here at the school, we've been keeping spirits high for these games by participating in a spirit week- Monday was camo day, Tuesday was sunglasses day, today is pajama day, tomorrow is hat day and Friday is Garnet and Gold day.

'Dealing with social media' presentation in Hosford School lunchroom Sept. 24

Liberty County schools will be having a presentation of "Dealing with social media" on Monday, Sept. 24 from 5-6 p.m. ET in the Hosford School Lunchroom. The presenters will be Sheriff Eddie Joe White, Sgt. Chad Smith, SRD Program Supervisor, who is liaison between LCSO and Liberty County Schools, Darrell Johnson,

School Safety Coordinator and Robert Ramer, School Resource Deputy.

Topics presented will be cyber bullying, online threats, privacy issues, monitoring apps and how parents can be more involved.

All Hosford, W.R. Tolar and LCHS students and parents are invited to attend.

ALTHA SCHOOL

'Smooches in September' raises \$432

By Chloe Taylor

We would like to thank everyone who participated in the fundraiser "Smooches in September." Our FFA chapter was able to raise \$432 dollars! The money was raised to help our officers attend the Officer Leadership Training Conference.

Specials thanks to our administration and SRO Randy McCroan for being such good sports. Even though Officer McCroan "won" the contest, they all were willing to



kiss the pig to the delight of our students and staff.

Also a special thanks to Lazy Acres Farm for providing one lucky pig!



ABOVE: Members of the Southeastern Dog Hunters Association and Boys & Girls Club of Tabula Rasa at the 2nd Annual Trash Cleanup Day.

Southeastern Dog Hunters partner with Boys & Girls Club Apalachicola National Forest trash cleanup day held Sept. 8

The Southeastern Dog Hunters Association partnered with the Boys & Girls Club of Tabula Rasa on Sept. 8 as 76 individuals gathered together to host the 2nd Annual Apalachicola National Forest Trash

Cleanup. At 6 a.m. participants met at Forest Road 105 for doughnuts and a meeting, and then quickly dispersed with trash bags in hand. Five hours later, the volunteers came back together to dispose

of their findings. A dump trailer and the beds of several pickup trucks were needed to carry away the trash. Thank you to all of the selfless volunteers who gave up their Saturday to ensure the cleanliness

of our beautiful National Forest. A huge shout out goes to the Southeastern Dog Hunters Association and for their partnership with the Boys & Girls Club of Tabula Rasa to lead this project.

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OBITUARIES

CLINTON ROSS HILL

BRISTOL - Clinton Ross Hill, 67, of Bristol, passed away Tuesday morning, Sept. 11, 2018, due to complications from prostate cancer.

He was born Nov. 8, 1950 at Fort Benning, GA to Clinton and Louise Hill. He was a graduate of Liberty County High School's Class of 1968. He had been a resident of Montezuma, GA for more than 30 years, working in the timber business before retiring and returning to Bristol the last 10 years. He was an avid golfer and faithful member of Bristol United Methodist Church.

Survivors include two brothers, Robert and Rusty Hill, both of Bristol; a sister, Crista Darby of Brandon; three nephews, Clint Hill of Panama City, Mark Shuler of Tallahassee and Gary Shuler of Blountstown; as well as two nieces, Carmen Sussman of Tallahassee and Ashley Crowley of Tallahassee.

His family would like to thank the community for all the kind words, visits and various expressions of love and support. We would especially like to thank the congregations of Lake Mystic Baptist Church and Bristol United Methodist Church for providing facilities and lunch for the family following the service on Friday.

Charles McClellan Funeral Home in Quincy was in charge of the arrangements.

LAURA ELIZABETH ALDAY BARNES

ALTHA - Laura Elizabeth Alday Barnes, 69, of Altha, passed from this life Tuesday, Sept. 11, 2018 at Blountstown Health and Rehabilitation Center. She had resided there for three years in her struggle to overcome a traumatic brain injury. The family sincerely thanks the nurses and staff for their kindness and attentiveness to Libby during this time.

She had a heart of gold and demonstrated her compassion by helping many in need. She was kind, generous, and gave freely of her time, attention, and love. She dedicated her life to loving and raising children whether they were born to her or not. She loved cooking and canning and spending time with her family.

She had three daughters with her first husband, Bill Grant (aka Shane Hancock) and later in life adopted two more daughters with her late husband, Herman Barnes.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Thomas Manning Alday and Annie Bell Ayers Alday and her brother, Joel Marshall Alday.

Survivors include her daughters, Anna Johnson of Belleville, WV, Shawn Grant Williams of Clarksville, Heather Watkins Lee of Lewiston, ID, Brittany Barnes and Tiffany Williams, both of Marianna; brothers, Lowell "Buster" Alday of Blountstown, Larry Alday and his wife, Sharon of Bon Aire, GA, Lynn Alday and wife, Pat of Youngstown and Lee Allen Alday and his wife, Diana of Altha; sisters, June Alday King and her husband, Joe of Blountstown and Joan Alday Watkins and her husband, Dennis of Lewiston, ID; 11 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and numerous cousins, nieces, nephews, family and friends.

As one of God's children, His gain is our loss and she will be missed until we meet again in Heaven.

Family will receive friends one hour prior to service time at the church.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, Sept. 22 at 3 p.m. CT at Poplar Head Baptist Church in Clarksville.

Lifesong Funerals and Cremations of Quincy is in charge of the arrangements.



KENDALL LEE BROWN

SCOTTS FERRY - Kendall Lee Brown, 58, of Scotts Ferry, passed away Thursday, Sept. 13, 2018 at his home.

He was born on May 21, 1960 in Tallahassee to Auburn Lee Brown and Shirley Aplin Brown and had lived in Calhoun County since 1969, coming from Wakulla County. He was an avid hunter and fisherman and truly loved the outdoors. He worked on a dredge boat and was a truck driver working with Higdon Grocery Company. He was a member of the Scotts Ferry Volunteer Fire Department and loved Blountstown and FSU Football. He truly loved all his family. He was a member of Abe Spring Pentecostal Holiness Church.

He was preceded in death by his father, Auburn Lee Brown.

Survivors include his wife, Sybil Mullins Brown of Scotts Ferry; his mother, Shirley Brown of Scotts Ferry; special daughter, Corinda Norris of Blountstown; three brothers, Rocky Lee Brown of Scotts Ferry, Greg Lee Brown and his wife, Margie of Wakulla and Lee Lee Brown and his wife, Renee of Blountstown; one sister, Sherryl Norris and her husband, Tony of Blountstown; a sister-in-law, Janice Goodwin and her husband, Dennis of Blountstown; a brother-in-law, Darrel Mullins and his wife, Desree of Blountstown; nieces and nephews, Amber, Bradley, Cierra, Seth, Hannah, Jeremy, Scotty and Blake; 10 great-nieces and nephews; and his mother-in-law, Elma Mullins of Blountstown.

Memorial services were held Tuesday, Sept. 18 at 6 p.m. CT at Peavy Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Michael Morris officiating. Memorialization will be by cremation.

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

WILLIAM ACEY "MINNER" ABBOT, JR.

BLOUNTSTOWN - William Acey "Minner" Abbott, Jr., 54, of Blountstown, passed away Monday, Sept. 10, 2018. He was born in Blountstown, Feb. 4, 1964 to William Acey Abbott, Sr. and JoAnne Abbott.

He was preceded in death by his father, William Acey Abbott, Sr. and a brother, Gerald Abbott.

Survivors include his mother, JoAnne Abbott of Blountstown; his son, Acey Dwayne Abbott of Altha; and three sisters, Virginia Laware and her husband, Phillip "Shag" of Blountstown, Patricia Elkins McCrone and Curt Battle of Blountstown and Toni Corlett of Blountstown; several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews; several great-nieces and nephews; two great-great-nieces; and his former wife, Cathy Abbott.

A memorial service will be held at Adams Funeral Home Saturday, Sept. 22 at 2 p.m. CT

In lieu of flowers, please make contributions to Covenant Hospice, 4215 Kelson Avenue Suite E, Marianna, FL 32446.

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

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 Last known address of:
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You are hereby notified that your eligibility to vote is in question. You are required to contact the Supervisor of Elections, in Bristol, Florida, no later than thirty (30) days after the date of this publishing. Failure to respond will result in a determination of ineligibility by the Supervisor and your name will be removed from the statewide voter registration system.

Published one time in the Calhoun-Liberty Journal

Gina McDowell
 Liberty County Supervisor of Elections
 P.O. Box 597
 Bristol, FL 32321
 Dated: September 19, 2018

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR LIBERTY COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION

CASE NO.: 2018 CP 000008

IN RE: ESTATE OF MARY ELLEN BOWEN Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS OR DEMANDS AGAINST THE ABOVE ESTATE:

The administration of the estate of Mary Ellen Bowen, deceased, File Number 2018 CP 000008, is pending in the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Liberty County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 10818 NW SR 20, Bristol, Florida 32321, (850) 643-2215. The names and addresses of the personal representative and that personal representative's attorney is set forth below.

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE NOTIFIED THAT:

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against the decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is served within three months after the date of the first publication of this notice must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THE LATER OF THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and persons having claims against the estate of the decedent must file their claims with this Court WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AND DEMANDS NOT SO FILED WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

The date of the first publication of this notice is **Wednesday, Sept. 19, 2018**.
 Attorney for Personal Representative
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 Crestview, Florida 32536
 Telephone: (850) 683-3940
 Facsimile: (850) 689-8630
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 Secondary Email: assistant.ryanmynard@yahoo.com
 Florida Bar No.: 0150185

Personal Representative
 James H. Guy
 6153 Garden City Road
 Crestview, Florida 32536

FLORIDA PACE FUNDING AGENCY NOTICE OF INTENT TO USE UNIFORM METHOD OF COLLECTING NON-AD VALOREM ASSESSMENTS

The Board of Directors (the "Board") of the Florida PACE Funding Agency, a public body corporate and politic (the "Agency"), hereby provides notice, pursuant to Sections 163.08(2), (3) and (4) and 197.3632(3)(a), Florida Statutes, of its intent to use the uniform method of collecting non-ad valorem assessments for more than one year to be levied within the area encompassed by the boundaries of every county in Florida, or any of the municipalities therein, subscribing to or served by the Agency's statewide provision of funding and financing to construct or pay for energy conservation and efficiency improvements, renewable energy improvements and wind resistance improvements in accordance with Section 163.08, Florida Statutes (collectively, the "Qualifying Improvements"). By law and resolution of the Agency, a property owner may apply to the Agency for funding and financing of a Qualifying Improvement. The non-ad valorem assessments contemplated by this notice are voluntary and are only imposed by the Agency with the prior written consent authorized by or on behalf of affected property owners who determine to obtain financing for Qualifying Improvements from the Agency. The Agency is authorized by law to fund and finance Qualifying Improvements and is required to annually collect repayment by non-ad valorem assessments. The Board will consider the adoption of a resolution electing to use the uniform method of collecting such assessments as authorized by Section 197.3632, Florida Statutes, at a public hearing to be held at 1:00 p.m. on October 30, 2018, at the River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization Executive Conference Room, 2570 W International Speedway Boulevard, Suite 100, Daytona Beach, Florida. Such resolution will state the need for the levy and will contain a legal description of the boundaries of the real property that may be subject to the levy - which is the entirety of the State of Florida. Copies of the proposed form of resolution are on file at the office of Counterpointe Energy Solutions (FL) LLC, Third Party Administrator for the Florida PACE Funding Agency, 2600 Maitland Center Parkway, Suite 163, Maitland, Florida 32751, email: gov@counterpointe.com. All interested persons are invited to present oral comments at the public hearing and/or submit written comments to the Board at the above address. Written comments should be received by the Agency on or before October 29, 2018. Any persons desiring to present oral comments should appear at the public hearing.

In the event any person decides to appeal any decision by the Board with respect to any matter relating to the consideration of the resolution at the referenced public hearing, a record of the proceeding may be needed and in such an event, such person may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the public hearing is made, which record includes the

testimony and evidence on which the appeal is to be based.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 and Section 286.26, Florida Statutes, persons with disabilities needing special accommodation to participate in such public hearing should contact the River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization at (386) 226-0422 at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to the date of the public hearing.

By Order of the Board of Directors of Florida PACE Funding Agency on August 14, 2018

PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE AIR PERMIT

Florida Department of Environmental Protection Northwest District Permitting Program Draft Air Construction Permit No. 0770007-025-AC
 Rex Lumber, Bristol, LLC, Bristol Lumber Mill Liberty County, Florida

Applicant: The applicant for this project is Rex Lumber, Bristol, LLC. The applicant's authorized representative and mailing address is: Mr. Kenny Sparks, General Manager, Rex Lumber, Bristol, Florida, Highway 12 South, Bristol, Florida 32321.

Facility Location: Rex Lumber, Bristol, LLC operates the existing Bristol Lumber Mill, which is located in Liberty County on Highway 12 South in Bristol, Florida.

Project: This project authorizes Rex Lumber to replace the cyclone on the bark/sawdust silo with a new cyclone of equivalent design, replace the two cyclones on the shavings silo with one new cyclone, replace the cyclone on the shavings bin with a new cyclone, and add a new cyclone at the planer mill to service new vacuum clean-up points within the planer mill. Facility-wide emissions and product throughput are not changed by this project.

Permitting Authority: Applications for air construction permits are subject to review in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 403, Florida Statutes (F.S.) and Chapters 62-4, 62-210 and 62-212 of the Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.). The proposed project is not exempt from air permitting requirements and an air permit is required to perform the proposed work. The Permitting Authority responsible for making a permit determination for this project is the Northwest District Office. The Permitting Authority's physical and mailing address is: 160 W Government Street, Suite 308, Pensacola, Florida 32502-5740. The Permitting Authority's telephone number is 850.595.8300.

Project File: A complete project file is available for public inspection during the normal business hours of 8:00

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

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

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

Petitions: A person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed permitting decision may petition for an administrative hearing in accordance with Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S. Petitions filed by any persons other than those entitled to written notice under Section 120.60(3), F.S., must be filed within 14 days of publication of the Public Notice or receipt of a written notice, whichever occurs first. Under Section 120.60(3), F.S., however, any person who asked the Permitting Authority for notice of agency action may file a petition within 14 days of receipt of that notice, regardless of the date of publication. A petitioner shall mail a copy of the petition to the applicant at the address indicated above, at the time of filing. A petition for administrative hearing must contain the information set forth below and must be filed (received) with the Agency

Clerk in the Office of General Counsel, 3900 Commonwealth Boulevard, MS 35, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000, Agency_Clerk@dep.state.fl.us, before the deadline. The failure of any person to file a petition within the appropriate time period shall constitute a waiver of that person's right to request an administrative determination (hearing) under Sections 120.569 and 120.57, F.S., or to intervene in this proceeding and participate as a party to it. Any subsequent intervention (in a proceeding initiated by another party) will be only at the approval of the presiding officer upon the filing of a motion in compliance with Rule 28-106.205, F.A.C.

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

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

Mediation: Mediation is not available in this proceeding.

LCHS BULLDOGS



TOP FROM LEFT: The Bulldogs take the field. Crisanto Rangel (#7) makes a reception over a Seahawk defender. ABOVE FROM LEFT: Anson Johnson (#51) tries to break free from his Franklin County opponents. Eli Shiver (#16) and Thomas Allen (#88) tackle a Seahawk.

DANIEL WILLIAMS PHOTOS



ABOVE: Alex Garcia (#2) leaps onto the back of a Seahawk. FAR LEFT: Lucas Barber (#42) makes tackles a Seahawk. LEFT: Brady Peddie (#12) leaps over a Franklin County defender as more close in.

Liberty County Bulldogs shut out Franklin County 6-0

by Jackson Summers, Contributing writer

The Liberty County Bulldogs were eager to get back on the field last Friday and get rid of the bad taste that lingered from a loss to the Cottondale Hornets, made especially unpalatable by the fact that the Dawgs had controlled almost the entire game until the Hornets completed their only pass of the game for a touchdown to steal the victory. Thankfully, the Dawgs were finally at home after four straight weeks on the road. Giving LCHS some extra incentive was the opponent, the Franklin County Seahawks, who had beaten the Dawgs in a preseason matchup a month ago in Eastpoint.

The Dawgs kicked off to the visiting Seahawks and, just like the last three weeks, the defense set the tone by coming up with a sack from Alex Garcia (#2), a tackle for loss by Crisanto Rangel (#7), a pass deflection at the line of scrimmage by Lucas Barber (#42), and a teeth-rattling tackle for no gain from Caleb Peddie (#70). After the Seahawk punt, the Bulldog defense had to quickly head back out onto the field after LCHS threw an interception on their second play from scrimmage. Thankfully for the home fans the Dawgs forced a punt, one of Franklin County's ten punts on the night. Unfortunately, the Bulldogs could not manage to get anything going offensively, as virtually the entire first half was played between the opposing teams' 35 yard lines with scoring opportunities few and far between. The halftime score would be 0-0.

In the second half, however, the field position game started to tilt in the Bulldogs' favor. Of the Dawgs' 7 second half possessions, 4 of them started in Franklin County territory, and one started at the LCHS 45 yard line.

Turnovers continued to plague the Dawgs, as the Seahawks managed to grab another interception and recovered two LCHS fumbles to keep themselves in the game. Despite the adversity, the Bulldog defense responded every time they were called on, amassing 8 sacks and 7 tackles of loss or no gain.

With 7:10 in the 4th quarter, LCHS took over at the Seahawk 24 yard line, their best position of the night. After a false start and delay of game penalty, the Dawgs were staring down a third and 22 when Peddie dropped back to pass. Peddie sent one up for grabs towards Rangel, who was locked in single coverage with the Seahawk defender. Rangel out-leaped the defender, kept his feet, and raced into the end zone to give the Dawgs their first lead of the night. After the missed point after attempt, LCHS led 6-0 with 5:06 left.

As they had all game, the Bulldog defense slammed the door shut on the Franklin County comeback bid with interceptions by Rangel and Eli Shiver (#16).

After the final seconds ticked off the clock, LCHS had improved to 2-2 on the season and recorded their first shutout.

Things look to be falling into place for the Dawgs, and the timing could not be any better, as LCHS plays host to the perennial cross-river rival Blountstown Tigers this Friday, Sept. 21, with kickoff scheduled for 8 p.m. ET

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Sept. 19 - Sept. 25, 2018

ARIES – Mar 21/Apr 20

Aries, things that may have confounded you in the past will be much clearer this week. Someone comes into your life and will explain what you need to know.

TAURUS – Apr 21/May 21

Conversations with friends the next few days prove to be a great mood-lifter, Taurus. Things in your life will continue in a positive direction for some time afterwards.

GEMINI – May 22/June 21

Gemini, even though work life and home life are separate, there are some instances when they might overlap. Use this time wisely to build deep relationships.

CANCER – June 22/July 22

You have a trustworthy circle of friends, Cancer. If the going gets a little tricky this week, call upon the people who just can't wait to support you.

LEO – July 23/Aug 23

Let supervisors know just how much you have been contributing at work and how it has been beneficial to their bottom line. This can be the doorway to a pay increase, Leo.

VIRGO – Aug 24/Sept 22

Virgo, do not feel like you have to change much about yourself to fit the mold others have created. It is okay to be unique and be proud of your differences.

LIBRA – Sept 23/Oct 23

You are naturally trusting of others, Libra. But keep a small amount of skepticism going so that no one takes advantage of you. Once you vet friends, keep them close.

SCORPIO – Oct 24/Nov 22

Spending too much time worrying about what others are doing or what they think of you is not productive, Scorpio. Focus on what makes you happy and don't worry about others.

SAGITTARIUS – Nov 23/Dec 21

You may have taken on too much, Sagittarius, and now you think you can't get it all accomplished. It may take a few long nights, but your initial goal is still attainable.

CAPRICORN – Dec 22/Jan 20

It is okay to seek perfection, Capricorn, but not when others are helping out. Be grateful of all they have to offer, even if you may need to fix something along the way.

AQUARIUS – Jan 21/Feb 18

Aquarius, you must follow through when you say you are going to do something this week. If not, others may associate you with empty promises, and that reputation is not easily remedied.

PISCES – Feb 19/Mar 20

This is a good weekend for kicking back and relaxing, Pisces. If you feel like hosting, open your home to some guests for even more fun.

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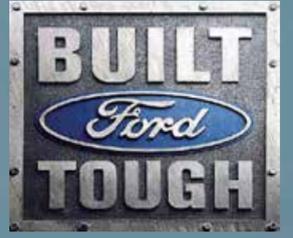
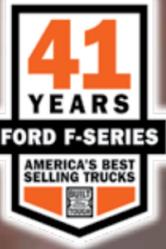
MABLE BURKE

HOSFORD - Mable Burke, 83 of Hosford passed away Tuesday, Sept. 11 in Hosford. She was born Aug. 20, 1935 to the late Lark and Stella Sewell. She was a homemaker, a beloved mother, and treasured grandmother.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Conley Burke; her siblings, Myrtle Pitts, R.D. Sewell, A.L. Sewell, Albert Sewell, Ruby White, Clarence Sewell, Hilton Sewell and Curtis Sewell.

Survivors include her daughter, Connie Dowdy and her husband, Robert; her granddaughter, Ashley and grandson, Rob; and many nieces and nephews.

A graveside service was held in Hosford Cemetery, Saturday, Sept. 15. Adams Funeral Home in Blountstown was in charge of the arrangements.



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<p>2015 FORD EXPLORER XLT Leather, Sport Pkg., 32K Miles Stock # 3722 was \$28,995 NOW \$25,495</p>	<p>2017 DODGE GRAND CARAVAN Leather, Nice Stock # P3744 was \$20,995 NOW \$18,995</p>	<p>2015 FORD EXPEDITION PLATINUM Nav, Leather, Roof, Loaded, Only 35K Miles Stock # 18286A was \$40,995 NOW \$38,995</p>	<p>2015 KIA SOUL Only 26K Miles Stock # R3739 was \$14,995 NOW \$13,995</p>
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<p>2015 NISSAN VERSA SV Power Pkg., Auto Trans, 68K Miles Stock # P3738 was \$11,995 NOW \$9,995</p>	<p>2016 FORD F150 CREW CAB PLATINUM 4x4, Loaded, 70K Miles Stock # 18223A was \$40,495 NOW \$37,995</p>	<p>2015 FORD F250 CREW CAB XL 4x4, 95K Miles Stock # 19102A was \$25,995 NOW \$23,995</p>	<p>2015 FORD FOCUS SE Power Pkg., Alloy Wheels, 31K Miles Stock # R3737 was \$15,995 NOW \$13,995</p>
<p>2016 FORD FUSION SE Sport Pkg., NICE! 35K Miles Stock # P3738 was \$18,995 Now \$16,995</p>	<p>2013 FORD EXPEDITION LIMITED Leather, Moonroof, Nav, 97K Miles Stock # R3736A was \$24,995 NOW \$22,995</p>	<p>2016 FORD F150 4X4 STANDARD CAB 5.0, V8, Alloys, Only 12K Miles Stock # 18348A was \$29,995 NOW \$26,795</p>	<p>2014 FORD F250 CREW CAB PLATINUM 4x4, Diesel, 6" Lift, Custom Wheels and Tires Stock # 18298B was \$46,995 NOW \$44,995</p>

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