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## Celebrating ten years

The Caloosa Humane Society held an open house on Saturday, July 30, to celebrate ten years of service to the community. Forever homes were secured for 3 dogs, 4 cats and 2 rabbits with special reduced adoption fees to approved applicants. The Caloosa Humane Society, a no-kill facility, provides low-cost spay and neuter services, as well as providing care to homeless pets. The 10th anniversary celebration welcomed all area residents and their animals for a day of fun. Local businesses donated to the event, and the humane society wishes to thank The Chalkboard Deli, "D" Cake Lady, Granny Ella's Pies, Vicki's Lunchbox, Collier Spay Neuter Clinic, PetCo, Lee Conwell, Russell Epperson, Ed Lytle and all the volunteers who made the day special. Please visit the humane society at 1200 Pratt Boulevard, just off Cowboy Way. Call 863-675-0997 for more information. Left: Skylar Bell enjoys her feline friend. Right: Puppy pool power!

Submitted photos/Elleen Ferguson

## Budget tricky work

by **Patty Brant**  
Caloosa Belle

Hendry County Commissioners made short work of regular business at the August 1 meeting as they continue to focus on the business of balancing the budget.

Budget workshops were expected to continue through Wednesday.

Chief Deputy Kevin Nelson appeared Monday evening in the sheriff's stead to discuss the HCSO budget for next year.

Commissioner Tris Chapman complained that he has not seen sufficient cutbacks from Constitutional officers. Without that, he said, he sees no option but to increase taxes.

"I don't want to increase taxes," he stated, but said he could possibly vote to go to the rollback rate - the amount of taxes that would bring the same amount of income as the previous year.

Commissioner Karson Turner replied, "Even the rollback rate gives me heartburn."

For his part, Chief Deputy Nelson said Sheriff Whidden inherited the jail expansion from the previous administration with no funds to run it. The expansion requires eight corrections officers to staff it, which were approved by the commissioners. He said last budget year the HCSO absorbed the full cost of the expansion, along with

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## Farmerworkers have legal recourse

by **Patty Brant**  
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Farmworkers hundreds of miles away from home, as well as many who make their homes here, do tough work in a culture

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they are often unfamiliar with. They're bound to come into situations which require legal assistance.

For these people, Florida Rural Legal Services is the organization they can turn to for guidance.

There are only four attorneys, four paralegals and one intake person to cover the entire state and they are based in Immokalee at 106 S. Second Street. The office is open Monday 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. and Wednesday 9 a.m.-4 p.m. There are six offices in the state: Immokalee is the main office with others at Fort Pierce, West Palm Beach, Lakeland, Belle Glade and Fort Myers.

Colin Abbott is the Migrant Unit Managing Attorney. To qualify for FRLS services, he said, you must be a farmworker in this country legally.

In addition, you must be eligible for the particular program you are applying for.

A Hendry County resident for over 20 years, Paralegal/Migrant Unit Jesse Mendoza has been with FRLS for the past 12. He is proud of the concern the agency has for its clients. In fact, he said, FRLS has a very strong code - "Clients first!"

As with the other staff members, Jesse covers a lot of ground in his job, all over the state and

beyond. Still, he said he wants to make sure people know FRLS is here and is able to help with many legal issues. Jesse can be reached on his cell phone at 239-839-4066.

It is FRLS' mandate to handle wage claims, discrimination issues and problems involving public benefits like Food Stamps.

Services are available in English, Spanish and Creole.

Covering the entire state, each attorney has a heavy case load, which Mr. Abbott said is increasing as the need rises. FRLS gets some 60 new cases per month.

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# Ladies support Curves, reap healthy rewards

Curves of LaBelle has closed its doors as of July 29. Curves has been open since 2004. Debbie Lavender has had the opportunity to work with the members of Curves in the month of July and has seen the need, the dedication and the love they have for Curves.

Each lady has her own individual reason and needs for attending with extremes such as Fibromialgia and Parkinson's Disease. Curves of LaBelle had members as young as 12 and as old as 85!

Curves provides a very positive and fun environment for women to accomplish a healthier lifestyle with the modern technology of hydraulic resistance machines that work the upper and lower body and also the aerobic recovery stations, which increase cardiovascular endurance.

With a flexible schedule of as many sessions a week as you choose of as little as 30 minutes, Curves can be part of a successful choice for wellness. Curves International, Inc., is accepted by many insurance companies as part of their wellness plan package for their members, which could mean

these members are covered by their insurance plan and have either no cost or a great discount.

Here are some testimonies of a few of the many members who would like to have a Curves in LaBelle.

## Jackie Boccuzzi, age 73

Within eight weeks of joining Curves, my cholesterol went down 30 points. The results of my bone density test for osteopenia was really good. Curves also helps my arthritis, flexibility and energy level. It has been good for my overall well being mentally, too, because of the wonderful social atmosphere and special monthly luncheons with the other members.

## Mary Buono, member since 2004

In February 2004, I was diagnosed with diabetes. After going through all the emotions of denial, anger, depression and why me!, I decided to take matters into my own hands and everything do I could to keep my diabetes under control.

In June of 2004, a Curves opened in LaBelle, I was so excited I signed up the day it opened. I loved the workouts, the music

and the women who work there are very friendly and helpful. In a very short time I felt better and my doctor was very pleased with my blood sugar numbers. My (a.l.c.) went from an 8.5 to 6.0, which are excellent numbers for a diabetic. I worked out at Curves six days a week. Curves has given me the power to amaze myself with keeping up with myself, my doctor, my friends and family. I have made many new friends at Curves who are supportive and motivating. Life is good! Thank you, Curves!

In order for a new Curves to open in LaBelle there must be a new level of yearly memberships and commitment. Days and hours of operation would be 5 1/2 days Mon.-Friday 7 a.m.-7 p.m. and Saturdays 9 a.m.-noon. Yearly memberships will be available, with a small membership fee, for under \$40 monthly.

If you would like to know more about Curves or become a part of a new beginning for Curves in LaBelle, please contact Debbie at (863) 675-2919 or Belinda at (863) 675-8664.



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From left: Debbie Lavender, Jackie Boccuzzi and Mary Buono.

## Legal

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FRLS is working to do more through proactive outreach. The idea is to go out and meet the client and provide immediate help if necessary. They can also offer referrals for all types of aid. Attorneys and paralegals head out to work camps throughout the state but often focus on this area because many migrant families are living here, not just working here.

In addition to actual legal problems, outreach covers training in issues like pesticide use - hopefully using education to prevent potential human and legal issues.

FRLS is heavily involved in helping victims of human trafficking. In cases of human trafficking, they can even help undocumented workers, but only if they're farmworkers.

Unique to Florida, FRLS has ingress/egress rights to farmworker facilities, even on private property, he added. FRLS staff have the right to go in and take workers out of the field if they suspect human trafficking. If they are not admitted, attorneys can get an injunction, if necessary.

Workers also have the right to ask FRLS to come onto a farm, grove or camp, he said.

However, Mr. Abbott said they mainly have good relations with crew leaders and don't often have access problems.

FRLS has a list of all guest workers in the state, most of whom do not know their rights.

He said they need to be aware that farmworkers can call his office for justice, even after they're back home in their own country, to make a complaint on some types of issues. FRLS can still help with nonpayment issues. If they have their own records - pay stubs, etc., - it can make the process much faster and easier, he said.

FRLS can co-counsel with other agen-

cies to represent clients and can also be of direct service between states. Mr. Abbott is licensed in all three Florida federal districts as well, and handles his share of cases with the entire staff. For him, that amounts to about 180 cases at any given time.

FRLS attorney Amanda Caldwell is involved in human trafficking education.

Migrant workers often also fall prey to the unlawful practice of law, such as someone representing themselves as a lawyer and providing false immigration papers, tax returns etc. Mr. Abbott is a member of the Florida Bar committee governing this area of law.

Each attorney has cards listing their cell phone numbers and hands them out to possible clients. This provides direct contact with an attorney or paralegal to farmworkers, should they need it.

Supervising Attorney Soli Mercado-Spencer is currently implementing her new Get Paid program, which tries to ensure that all farmworkers receive all the pay they're entitled to.

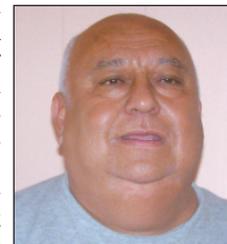
FRLS attorneys are there to make a difference with small cases, too, she said. In time, she hopes to expand the Get Paid program throughout the state.

Soli was an intern in Indiana University in its migrant worker program and found she had an affinity with farmworkers who receive low pay and no respect. She said there are really bad conditions in Indiana due to the shorter season in the Mid West. Housing is done by employers there.

She said farmworkers often don't call for help because they're afraid of losing their job. However, they have as much as two years to make a wage claim, she said.

The federal minimum wage is \$7.25 at this time, although there are different pay schedules that can be used. They may be paid hourly or get a piece rate, whichever is greater. Either way they cannot be paid in total less than minimum wage.

Soli points out that farmworkers must also be paid for time waiting to start working. For instance, if they're stuck on a bus till a field dries enough to be picked, they must be paid for the time they wait.



Jesse Mendoza



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As of last December, FRLS can collect fees from clients, which go to support the program. This practice should help cushion expected budget cuts.

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## Community Briefs

### MCA plans events

The Muse Community Association has scheduled the following events: August 13, Country Jam Session and Pot Luck Dinner, August 13 and August 27 at 6 p.m. The regular monthly meeting will be August 18 at 7 p.m. Bingo will be held on August 20 and at 6 p.m. All events are open to the public and will be held at the Muse Community Center Bldg. on Loblolly Bay Road (Hwy. 720). Come out for a fun evening and meeting your neighbors. For further information call 863-674-0467.

### National Night Out planned

Tonight, Thursday, August 4, at 7 p.m., the Hendry County Sheriff's Office Volunteers in Patrol (VIPS) will host a neighborhood ice cream social at Shell Lane off CR 78 in North LaBelle. There will be homemade ice cream, snow cones and good old fashion get-to-know-your-neighbor fun. They would like to encourage residents to come out and meet your neighbors, visit with Law Enforcement personnel and send the mes-

sage to criminals letting them know that your neighborhood is organized.

### Caregiver help at United Way House

The Dubin Alzheimer's Resource Center is pleased to offer availability of assistance and support to family caregivers in LaBelle. A social worker is available to meet with family caregivers at the United Way House in LaBelle on the first Wednesday of each month.

Free assistance offered includes an opportunity for caregivers to learn more about Alzheimer's disease and aging issues. The center's social worker works with family caregivers to develop effective coping strategies and learn how to access community resources. Informational material about memory impairment, caregiving issues and community resources is also available at no charge.

To learn more about services offered or to make an appointment to meet with the center's social worker, please contact the

Dubin Alzheimer's Resource Center at (239) 437-3007.

### ACT offers abuse counseling

Abuse Counseling and Treatment, Inc. is a non-profit agency serving victims of sexual assault and domestic violence in Hendry, Glades and Lee Counties. ACT offers individual and group counseling, safe emergency shelter, 24-hour hotline and counseling and forensic examinations for survivors of rape. For more information please call our 24-hour hotline at 1-888-956-7273.

### Sit! Stay! Heel!

Caloosa Humane Society now proudly offers six-week dog training classes on Mondays from 6:30-7:30 p.m. for \$100. We will offer basic obedience skills like sit, stay, heel, no jumping, etc. Advanced classes will be offered to the graduates of the Basic Training Classes. Separate classes for puppies and adult dogs. Proof of rabies (dogs over 4 months) and DHPPC vaccination are required to be in the program. If you don't already have the necessary vaccinations we do offer them at the shelter and can be done prior to the class for only \$20 for both. The humans must be 13 years old or older and under 18 year of age must have a parent present. Call (863) 675-0997 to book your spot as space is limited. A portion of the proceeds will go to the wonderful dogs (and cats too) at Caloosa Humane Society.

### Register for PSN shelter

Special needs shelters are facilities of last refuge for those with health and medical conditions. The Hendry County Special Needs Shelter, located at West Glades School in Muse, has auxiliary power and is capable of providing a safer refuge for individuals and their caregivers, who require health oversight.

Registration forms for Hendry County residents can be obtained from the Hendry County Health Department and the Hendry County Emergency Management Office. Should it be determined that your needs do not meet the Special Needs Shelter criteria, you will be notified of other shelters that are available in your area in which you can seek refuge.

For more information, or if you would

like to have a registration form mailed to you, contact Kelly Dyess at (863) 674-5401.

### Mini health fairs

Mini Health Fair: Goodwill Housing Thursday, August 11, 11 a.m., 1017 James Singleton Place; Ace HH# 299991018 Open to the public

Mini Health Fair: Aqua Isles Thursday, August 11, 9 a.m. 900 Aqua Isles Blvd.; Ace HH #: 299991018. Open to the public.

Mini Health Fair: LaBelle Commons Thursday, August 11, 10 a.m., 284 Bryan Ave.; Ace HH Licensed 299991018. Open to the public.

Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group Thursday, August 11 1 p.m. Oakbrook of LaBelle, 250 Broward Ave., Ace HH License #299991018. Open to the public.

Mini Health Fair: Clewiston Senior Center, Wednesday August 24, 11:30 a.m. Next to The John Boy Auditorium, Clewiston; Ace HH License #299991018. Open to the public.

Mini Health Fair: Hope Connections Moore Haven, Thursday August 17, 11:30 a.m. 691 US 27 NW Moore Haven; Ace HH License #299991018. Open to the public.

Mini Health Fair: Collingswood Apartments, Thursday August 11, 8:15 a.m. 4001 Collingswood Parkway; Ace HH License #299991018. Open to the public.

### Class of 1981 plans reunion

If you graduated from LaBelle High School in 1981 you are cordially invited to the 30-year class reunion scheduled for August 5-7 on Fort Myers Beach. More information is available on the Class of 1981 Facebook wall or by e-mail to RL Marsh at rtmars1@msn.com or by calling 239-214-4212 or 863-234-8397.

### LaBelle writers meet Aug. 11

The LaBelle Writers Group will meet Thursday, August 11, at noon in the Barron Library conference room. Anyone interested in writing is welcome.

Sample some of LaBelle's writing talent with a \$3 purchase of some of their original works. Proceeds help support Barron Library. Find these unique booklets at the library, chamber of commerce and at the Caloosa Belle.

## BOCC

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a 20 percent increase in insurance over two years. He said Sheriff Whidden cut the command staff from eight to four, putting more officers on the street. He added that the state average is .17 officers per 1,000 population. Hendry County has .08 officers per 1,000 population.

Capt. Nelson said the only way to cut \$1 million from the HCSO budget would be to cut 20 deputy positions. He also noted that next year the SO will have to assume four officers that have been funded by the COPS grant. He added that statistics show property crimes are up, while violent crime is down.

The HCSO has also seen increases in utility bills and a 33 percent rise in fuel costs this past year.

In addition, the state will require all public safety agencies to change radio systems. Public Safety Director Randy Bengston said the best move would be to an 800 megahertz system like most of the state. However, there is an option to go with narrow

band, which will allow the continued use of VHF radios.

### Sports park assessment

The board backed up the City of LaBelle's plan to set up a uniform assessment rate for the West Hendry Rec Board. The additional funds will allow the completion of the new Sports Park and an 18-hole golf course.

### Local vendor preference

The commission continued the Local Vendor Preference Ordinance, giving additional points to local contractors bidding for county jobs, for another two years. The ordinance will be revisited August 1, 2013. Commissioner Tris Chapman said he was concerned that a lack of competition could set in after the economy rebounds. Commissioner Karson Turner agreed, adding that the goal is to increase the percentage of local subs working on construction projects.

## Arrest Reports

### Clewiston

Silver Lee Rush, 47, was arrested July 27 and charged on a warrant with larceny grand theft \$300-\$5,000. A. Lewis was arresting officer.

Jose Luis Lopez-Sepulveda, 48, was arrested July 26 and charged on a warrant with sexual offense against a child 12-15 years of age and sexual assault victim 12 years of age or older special conditions. B. Weaver was arresting officer. He is being held without bond.

Daniel Emanuel Hannam Jr., 20, was arrested July 26 and charged with battery touch/strike, burglary with assault or battery,

possession of marijuana under 20 grams and smuggling contraband into a detention facility. J. Conyers was arresting officer.

Stacy Lynn Frazier, 41, was arrested July 25 and charged with burglary of a structure, conveyance unarmed with a person inside, larceny petit theft, forgery or altering a bank bill, note, check, draft, and fraud uttering a false bank bill, note, check draft. CPD Officer Bake was arresting officer.

John Lawrence Loper Jr., 18, was arrested July 25 and charged with burglary of a structure conveyance unarmed with a person inside. CPD Officer Mallery was arresting officer.

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# Parents: Make time to listen, take time to talk

Research shows 15 minutes a day of good conversation between parents and their children can help kids be resilient and successful. The "15+" initiative provides practical guidance for parents and caregivers on how to strengthen their relationship with their children by spending at least 15 minutes of undivided time with them each day. Here are some sample questions you can use to start a conversation with your child:

Questions with \* are more challenging.

1. What would you change about your childhood/teen years? Why?
2. Would you rather be rich or famous?

Why?

3. What three things make a person popular at school/at work?
4. What makes you angry?
5. What one room in your house would you change and how?
6. What's your favorite color?
7. What do you do during lunch?
8. Have you ever laughed so hard, you couldn't breathe? What was so funny?
9. What makes you laugh?
10. Why do you like being [age]? Male/female?
11. What do you remember about your first day at school/work?
12. If you could be any animal, what would you be and why?
13. What makes you scared?
14. What's a skill you wish you had? Why?
15. What's your favorite sport? Why?
16. Can you teach me how to (fill in the blank)?
17. Would you rather be smart or nice? Why?
18. What was the best thing that happened to you today?
19. What does success mean to you?
20. Why do you think some kids/adults dress differently?
21. How important are someone's looks? Why?
22. What's the most dangerous thing you have ever done?
23. Would you rather be good looking, smart or athletic? Why?
24. What's your favorite animal?
25. What do you love about school/work?
26. What's your favorite vegetable?
27. What do you hate about school/work?
28. Where would you go if you could travel anywhere in the world?
29. What's your favorite fruit?
30. Whose life do you envy? Why?\*
31. If you could sit down with the most powerful person in the world and give that person advice, what would that be?\*
32. What do you think about marriage? Having children?\*
33. If you saw your friend steal some money, what would you do?\*
34. Would you rather be rich or happy? Explain your choice.\*
35. Are you affected by violent TV shows

and movies? How?\*

36. What one thing would you do to make the world more peaceful?\*
37. How can we stop gun-related violence?\*
38. Has anyone ever really hurt your feelings by calling you a name? How did you

respond?\*

39. What other cultures interest you? Why?\*
40. If you could write a book, what kind of book would it be?\*
41. Do you feel safe at school/work? Explain.\*

## Speak Out

### In answer to What's good for the goose . . .

I am the office administrator for POA Unit 4. First off I would like to thank all the homeowners who go above and beyond by mowing past their property lines, THANK YOU! I know this is not your responsibility but you do it any way. I am very aware of the high greenbelts. I have collated with Barron Water (who mows the ditch banks in Unit 4) and the County Office (who mows the side of the road in Unit 4) and Grow Works (who mows our greenbelts in Unit 4) so they all mow at the same time and the place looks nice. We, as well as the other two offices only budget to mow these areas 7 to 8 times a year. I know with the rainy season this is hard to cope with. I am very sorry for any inconvenience this may have caused to the homeowners. Please do not hesitate to call the office and check on the schedule date for the mowing times. (863) 675-4168. I am here for the people. And for the person who wrote in, the only way I knew your grass was to tall is because I rode by 12 days after our greenbelts were mowed on (6/26/11) and your property stuck out like a sore thumb. I am sorry I had to send you a notice. If you contact my office and leave me a contact number, I would be more than happy to give you a call on a more personal basis and discuss the issues with you. Thank You.

## Vaccinations required for school entry

### by Pat Dobbins

The first day of school is scheduled for August 22, 2011. Parents need to make sure their children have received the proper immunizations as required by law.

The Hendry and Glades County Health Departments can provide school vaccinations (free of charge) for children from infants through the age of 18.

Please be advised that there are changes to the required vaccines for school entry. The new change in the vaccination schedule requires a fourth dose of the polio vaccine within a shorter time period. This means a child should have an additional polio vaccination six months after their first dose or after they turn four years old. Studies from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) shows the vaccine works better when given on this schedule.

Students must have proof of immunization on a Department of Health form (DOH 680 form). This form has been referred to as a "blue card" because it used to be printed on blue paper, however, the DOH 680 form can be in any color.

Students entering kindergarten are required to have the following vaccinations:

- (5) DTaP (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis): If the 4th DTaP vaccine is administered on or after the fourth birthday, a 5th DTaP is not required.

- (5) Polio: If the 4th dose is administered on or after the fourth birthday, a 5th dose is not required.

- (2) MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella)
- (3) Hepatitis B
- (2) Varicella (Chickenpox)



Patricia Dobbins

Students entering 7th grade must receive a Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis) booster.

Immunizations will be provided at the following locations:

- Hendry County Health Department:
- Clewiston - 1100 South Olympia St. 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.
  - LaBelle - 1140 Pratt Blvd 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Additionally, The Hendry County Health Department will be available at middle schools in LaBelle and Clewiston to provide immunizations for students. (See the schedule below)

Thursday, August 18, Clewiston Middle School - Open House for parents and students - 5-7 p.m.

Friday, August 19, LaBelle Middle School - Open House for parents and 7th and 8th graders - 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

The Glades County Health Department will accept walk-ins for immunizations at their office located at 1021 Health Park Drive in Moore Haven Office hours are listed below:

- Glades County Health Department:
- Moore Haven - 1021 Health Park Drive 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays; 11:30 a.m.-8 p.m. on Wednesdays

If your child has received immunizations at a different location or in other cities or states, it is very important that you take all shot records for your child to your health department or healthcare provider. This will help to avoid delays or unnecessary duplicated immunizations.

If you decide to take your child to a private healthcare provider for their immunizations, please make your appointment soon so that your child will be ready to start school.

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- To provide a right to reply to those we write about.
- To treat people with courtesy, respect and compassion.

## FCB to host Stuff the Bus School Supply Drive

The LaBelle office of Florida Community Bank (FCB) will be holding a "Stuff the Bus" school supply drive. Throughout the month of August, FCB will be collecting donations of new, unused school supplies. All items collected will be donated to children in local elementary schools who otherwise would not have the supplies needed to start the new school year.

The suggested list of items for donation is below:

- Composition Notebooks
- Three-prong Pocket Folders
- Glue Sticks
- Frisker scissors (dull point)

- 3x5 Index Cards
- Loose-leaf Paper
- Kleenex
- Baby Wipes
- Yellow # 2 pencils
- Pink Pearl Erasers
- Crayola Crayons
- Assorted Insertable Tab Dividers
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## Inv. Louis Morales promoted to Lieutenant



Hendry County Sheriff Steve Whidden is pleased to announce the promotion of Detective Sergeant Louis Morales to the position of Criminal Investigation Lieutenant.

Lt. Morales will oversee the daily operations of the Criminal Investigation Division covering Hendry County.

His duties will include reviewing and assigning cases while handling his own case load. Lt. Morales has been a member of the Hendry County Sheriff's Office for 12 years and maintains a dual certification in both law enforcement and corrections.

"I want the community to feel confident that we are committed to serving them. We will work all cases in every possible way, exploring all leads," said Lt. Morales.

## Church Briefs

### First Christian Church plans event

First Christian Church of LaBelle welcomes Mary Lanier to our Morning Worship Service on Sunday, August 7th. "Aunt Mary", is a long-time favorite of many as she passionately brings honor and glory to God through music and testimony. Everyone is welcome. The service begins at 11:00 a.m. followed by a fellowship dinner. Hope to see you there! The church is located on the corner of Lee and Ford Streets. For more information, call 675-1366. Transportation is available.

### Gospel sing

Come to a Gospel Sing Tuesday, August 9, at 7 p.m. at LaBelle Revival Center, 3025 W. Hwy. 78.

### ICF plans celebration

The International Christian Fellowship formerly known as 1st United Pentecostal Church will be celebrating 30 years of ministry in LaBelle. The founding pastor and his wife, Rev. and Mrs. Jerry F. Dean will be ministering Sunday morning, 10:30, August

14th. A special invitation is given to all who have been a part of this local congregation throughout its existence. A dinner and fellowship will follow the morning service. For more information please call 863-675-1112.

### First Baptist Pre-School

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## Ladies conference huge success

Love was in the air last Saturday, July 16, as over 160 ladies attended a free ladies conference at the LaBelle Civic Center. Awaiting The King was the theme for the conference that featured a bridal fashion show in which ten beautiful wedding dresses were modeled by local young women. There was wonderful music, a dance performance and special speakers.

Twenty-seven churches were represented by ladies from all over Hendry County as they enjoyed refreshments and wedding cakes that were generously donated by local restaurants and bakers. Dozens of door prizes and gift certificates were given out to ladies of all ages. The civic center was decorated like a wedding reception with purple being the accent color and white roses on the center of each table. The stage, which was decorated with beautiful white lattice, was draped with royal purple satin while beautiful palm trees and numerous other plants were placed

all around the hall to provide an ambiance of a garden party.

Rev. Sherry Hanes delivered the main message about sexual purity and abstinence. Numerous young women signed a purity contract and received a sterling silver purity ring and white rose representing the promise of abstinence before marriage.

Rev. Hanes has a heart for this community and feels she has been called back to ministry here after leaving LaBelle for five years to minister in Georgia with her daughter and son-in-law, who is the Music Minister of a large church in Jessup, Ga. One of her goals is to bring people from all different walks of life together regardless of age, race or church denomination.

A huge thank you goes out to the entire community from Rev. Hanes and her executive board for your help and support to make it possible to have a successful conference here at home in LaBelle.



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Left: Local praise groups did beautiful interpretive dancing at the Waiting for the King woman's conference.

Rev. Sherry Hanes, right, delivered the main address.



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9:00 a.m. Traditional Service  
10:00 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Contemporary Service

## Obituries

### Alpha Theodore Farabee Sr.

LABELLE — Alpha Theodore Farabee Sr. (Ted) died on July 26, 2011, at Gulf Coast Medical Center in Fort Myers.

Viewing was held at the Akin-Davis Funeral Home on Saturday, July 30, 2011, from 6 to 9 p.m. A Home Going Celebration was held at the LaBelle Church of God on Sunday, July 31, 2011, at 3 p.m. Interment was in Fort Denaud Cemetery.

Ted was born Jan. 23, 1923, in Arcadia, Florida. He spent his childhood in Rainey Slough near Venus, Fla. He is one of the few left who attended the one room school house that is still standing at Rainey Slough on Farabee Rd. He later attended Labelle High School where he played football. Later he served in the U.S. Coast Guard during WWII in the Philippines and the Sea of Japan until the end of the war. At seventeen he went to electrical school in Chicago and then remained in electrical work until he retired from FPL as chief electrician after 36 ½ years, and after retirement worked at Ace Hardware on a part-time basis.

For 58 years, Ted served his Lord and his church in various positions including Sunday school superintendent, Sunday school teacher, Pastor's council, and church clerk. He was an active member of the LaBelle Church of God, and made it his personal goal to tell everyone he met about the love of Christ.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Samuel Lardner Farabee and Lula Harn Farabee; his brother, Noran C. Farabee; his sister, Lucille Farabee Clark; and his daughter, Judith Farabee Crawford.

He is survived by his wife of 67 years, Mattie Gray Farabee; his children, A. T. Farabee Jr.,

James Wesley Farabee, Thomas Wayne Farabee, and Dale Anthony Farabee; and two brothers, Wilbur A. Farabee and Jack H. Farabee. He has 20 grandchildren and 31 great-grandchildren.

At the tender age of 88 ½ years Ted has achieved his great reward. He will be sorely missed by his family and friends, but we look forward to seeing him again in the 'Sweet by and by'.

### Juanita Irene Collins, 75

LABELLE — Juanita Irene Collins, age 75, of LaBelle, passed away July 26, 2011, in Lehigh Acres.

Juanita was born Oct. 7, 1935, in Middlesboro, Ky., the daughter of the late Burl and the late Henrietta (Noe) Collins.

Survivors include her children, Rocky Wayne Sutton of LaBelle, David Burl Sutton of LaBelle, Deborah Lynn Pelham of Phillips, Maine, Timothy Royce Sutton of Arcadia, Cynthia Ann Hull of Augusta, Ga., and George Michael Wombles of Lehigh Acres; 15 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were held Saturday, July 30, 2011, at Fort Denaud Cemetery in LaBelle. Interment followed in Fort Denaud Cemetery.

Arrangements by: Akin-Davis Funeral Home - LaBelle.

### Stephen J. Reynolds, 62

LABELLE — Stephen J. Reynolds, 62, died peacefully in his sleep while in his home on July 21, 2011.

Born on Aug. 20, 1948, in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., he was proudly adopted two days later by Martin E. Reynolds and Felicia Serio Reynolds and grew up and lived in Wellsville, N.Y. He graduated from Wellsville High School in 1967 and went on to attend Alfred Ag-Tech College. He was drafted into the US Army in August 1968 and served until July 1971 in Germany and attained the rank of Sergeant.

Stephen came to Florida and worked as a plumber and was later hired by Lee County where he obtained his Class A Water Treatment Operator's License. He then attended the Fort Myers Criminal Justice Academy and became a Certified Corrections Officer and worked for Hendry Correctional Institution, the Hendry County Sheriff's Office and the Moore Haven Correctional Facility. He was also an Auxiliary

Deputy for Hendry County and proud to be a member of the Dana Weekly American Legion Post #130 in LaBelle.

He is survived by his wife, Tricia K. Reynolds of LaBelle; sons, John Thomas Reynolds (Mary) of Lehigh and Nicholas Alan Reynolds (Julie) of LaBelle; sister, Ursula Reynolds Gray (Brian) of Wellsville, N.Y.; ex-wife, Janet K. Reynolds of Lehigh; several nephews and a niece; and his wife's parents, Karl and Beverly Wendorf of Port Orange, Fla.; as well as several brothers and sisters-in-law.

He was predeceased in death by his father, Martin Reynolds, in February of 1987; and his mother, Felicia Reynolds, in October 1996.

Arrangements for cremation have been made by the Akin-Davis Funeral Home of LaBelle. The family suggests that any memorials be made in the form of a contribution in Stephen's name to the charity of the donor's choice.

A memorial service will be held on Stephen's birthday, Aug. 20, 2011, at the American Legion

Post, LaBelle at 10:30 a.m. and a luncheon will follow. Please come to help celebrate his life!

### Ovie Jean Hicks, 64

LABELLE — Ovie Jean Hicks, age 64, of LaBelle, passed away Sunday, July 31, 2011, at home in LaBelle.

Ovie was born Feb. 1, 1947, in Green, Ohio. She is the daughter of the late Albert and the late Ovie (Pennington) Nunnery.

Jan spent the majority of her life working in the trucking industry and enjoyed all the time she spent getting to know her drivers.

She is survived by her three daughters, Lea Ann Burnside, Terrie M. Thompson and Amie Grant; son, David Hicks; one brother, Albert Nunnery; ten grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

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The Committee Rally is the first meeting of the year in which everyone from the community is invited. The Relay event takes a group effort to plan, and several committee positions are open this year.

The American Cancer Society Relay For Life is an overnight event that raises funds and awareness to fight cancer. Dedicated teams of friends, families and coworkers commit to keeping at least one member on the track

at all times . . . because cancer never sleeps. Relay gives us an opportunity to honor cancer survivors and to remember those who have lost their fight with the disease.

The theme for LaBelle's Relay this year is "One World, One Cure" and it should be a spectacular night with campsites being transformed into countries from around the world. Relay will begin on March 31, 2012, at the LaBelle High School. Everyone from the community is invited and with games, food and activities. It is a fun-filled night for the entire family. We look forward to seeing you Tuesday, August 23! To R.S.V.P. or with questions please call Kristi - 863-675-0424.

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door. Seats are limited and this popular show sells out quickly. To order your tickets, call our ticket hotline (863) 675-3066 or email us at firehouseculturalcenter@yahoo.com.

The Firehouse Community Theatre is located at 241 N. Bridge Street in historic downtown LaBelle. For more information on our theatre, please visit our website at www.firehouseculturalcenter.com.

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tion, the link below will take you to the theater’s Web page at www.firehouseculturalcenter.com. Season subscription forms are on the Ticketing & Membership page.

Please call the Box Office at 675-3066 for more information.

The theater is located at 241 N. Bridge Street.



Submitted photo/Addison Austin

**Daniel Baker and Novie Kohutek rehearse for their roles as Pirate King and Stowaway. Would-be pirate for the children’s play “Pirates! The Musical” to be performed at the Firehouse Community Theatre Aug. 12-14.**

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# Garcia on Power Showcase

## All-World, All-American Team

Third baseman Austin Garcia, of LaBelle High School has been identified and selected to join this year's Power Showcase All-World & All-American Baseball team and will compete in the Sixth Annual Power Showcase International High School Home Run Derby to be held at Chase Field, home of the Arizona Diamondbacks, in Phoenix, Arizona. This event will held December 27-30, 2011.

The Power Showcase seeks to celebrate one of the finest moments in sports, the Home Run, while providing a platform for the top high school power hitting prospects to demonstrate their baseball skills in a Major League Stadium. Garcia will compete with the most prolific Power Hitting prospects in the world.

Tuesday, December 27, 2011, "Scout Day" for the Babe Ruth group and light workout for the featured group will be held at the San Diego Padres Spring Training complex main stadium in Peoria, Arizona.

Participants will demonstrate the five major league tools - running, fielding, throwing, hitting for average and hitting for power, later that evening the Power Showcase will hold its official welcome dinner inside the Sheraton Hotel Downtown Phoenix.

At this dinner the 2011 All World & All-American Team will be announced and presented with their official Power Show-

case jersey.

The "Spirit of Babe Ruth" award winner will be named and the award will be presented to the recipient by Babe Ruth's Granddaughter, Linda Ruth Tosetti.

Wednesday, December 28, 2011 - Sixth Annual Power Showcase for the Babe Ruth group and "Scout Day" for the featured group will be held and broadcast live worldwide via the Power Showcase Web site.

During the Preliminary Round, the players are each given 25 outs and the chance to hit home runs with a wood or metal bat. The five participants who hit the most home runs in the Preliminary Round are dubbed finalists and advance to the Championship Round. During the Championship Round, each finalist gets 15 outs with their choice of bat - wood or metal.

The player who hits the most home runs in the Championship Round is crowned Power Showcase World Champion. The top two players from the Babe Ruth Group will advance to compete in the featured group the following day.

Thursday, December 29th, 2011 - Sixth Annual Power Showcase for the featured group and Inaugural "Power Showcase Baseball Classic" for the top 36 2013's in the world ~ 18 U.S. born and 18 International.



Caloosa Belle/Patty Brant  
Hendry-LaBelle Recreation Director Ramiro Rodriguez presents a check to Austin Garcia to help him attend various competitions as he continues to hone his baseball skills. Pictured from left: LHS Baseball Coach Ron Dunbar, Austin Garcia, Recreation Director Ramiro Rodriguez and Austin's father, Jose Garcia.

## Sports Shorts

### LHS Football lock-in

A lock-in has been scheduled for the LaBelle High School football players from Thursday, August 4 at 7:30 p.m. to Saturday, August 6 at noon. The lock-in will be at the LHS Gym and is open to incoming ninth grade football players and all returning players. Please bring, bedding, towels, personal toiletries and clothes. For more information call Coach Jordan Odaffer at 863-674-4120.

### Join Airboat and buggy club

The newly formed Airboat and Buggy Conservation Club of SW Florida had its first meeting June 23 at the Lee County Fair Grounds in North Fort Myers.

Thirty-one new members attended, including new board of officers:

President: Randy Hodges; Vice President:

Matt Tharpe; Treasurer: Gary Clark; Secretary: Chris Hodges and Board Members: Mike Cristman, Derek Hamm, Shannon Vieths, Steve O'Bannon and Glenn Fichtter.

The primary goals of the club will be promoting responsible usage of lands and waterways, opening access to areas that have been closed to the public while advocating hunter/vessel safety and making a positive impact in our communities working with other charitable organizations.

The geographical area covered by the club includes Lee, Charlotte, Hendry, Glades and Collier counties. Anyone who is interested in encouraged to attend. The meetings have been scheduled for the second Tuesday of the month. Getting involved and making a commitment to be the preservation of our lands and waterways will make a difference for generations to come. For more information call Randy Hodges at 239-872-0772.

## Kids and bugs at library

The conference room at Barron Library became a science laboratory for a short time on Tuesday, as a team from Southwest Florida Research and Education Center in Immokalee, under the direction of Dr. Jones, taught the children about insects.

Pan traps were set out around the library property on Monday afternoon in preparation for the Tuesday event. A few young library patrons volunteered to help Dr. Jones and her assistant Dr. Monzo, place approximately 40 multi-colored bowls filled with a liquid solution under plants and trees to collect insects. The bowls were all collected Tuesday morning and children helped determine which color bowl attracts more insects.

Dr. Monzo also presented a slide show of different insects and spoke about their

characteristics. The children were quite entertained by a Click Bug that was randomly brought in on a piece of moss. Each child left with a magnifying glass to inspect any insects they may find.

The library is grateful for the willingness of Dr. Jones and her team to participate in the summer program.

The schedule for the rest of the summer program follows:

Aug. 9 - Making Ice Cream and Other 4-H Projects, Kathy Singleton

Aug. 16 - What I did This Summer, Brenda Goodwin & Local Writers

Aug. 20 - Child ID Program, Free Masons Mark your calendars so you don't miss any of these fun events.

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#### At previous events:

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Another person had a pocket watch collection that sold for \$4,600.00, with one of the watches making up \$375.00 of the \$4,600.00 total.

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of stones and metals, rings, bracelets,  
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Above: Refinery representatives will be on hand through Saturday to purchase all gold, silver and platinum items, as well as coins. Public welcome!

#### DOZENS CASH IN YESTERDAY WITH JEWELRY, RAILROAD WATCHES AND GUITARS. AN ESTIMATED \$200,000 IN LEHIGH ACRES.

**By David Morgan**  
STAFF WRITER

The first days of the 5 day reclamation drive in **Lehigh Acres** were a hit with those looking to sell their gold and silver coins. An estimated 55 people left the event with over \$200 from old class rings, wedding bands, herringbones and gold teeth. Coins dated 1965 and earlier were bringing big premiums as well. Silver dollars, halves and quarters arrived in large quantities. Lots of gold coins were also brought in.

On the other side of the room were representatives from the International Buyers Association. They were purchasing all types of guitars, large currency bills

dated before 1923, military items and pocket watches. One watch was purchased by a collector in Montana for \$835.00. There were piles of sterling silver items like old silverware sets and tea pots. Company officials reported spending over \$90,000 the first day of the event, alone. Brian Eades, with the Ohio Valley, said, "We have had an overwhelming turnout this first day, and we expect to get more busy every day this week." The event continues today and runs through Saturday. It is free and the public is encouraged to attend.

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**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS Florida Department of Transportation Project**  
Bids will be received by the District One Office until 2:00 P.M. on Thursday, August 18, 2011, for the following Proposals:  
E1K37- A Certification of Qualification is not required for I-4 Roadside Mowing & Litter Removal. Budget Estimate: \$360,000.00  
E1K38- A Certification of Qualification is not required for North Polk County Roadside Mowing & Litter Removal in Polk County. Budget Estimate: \$530,000.00  
E1K39- A Certification of Qualification is not required for South Polk County Roadside Mowing & Litter Removal. Budget Estimate: \$330,000.00  
E1K40- A Certification of Qualification is not required for Storm Water Pond Mowing & Litter Removal in Polk County. Budget Estimate: \$52,802.00  
Complete letting advertisement information for this project is available on our website at <http://www.dot.state.fl.us/contractsadministration/district1/> or by calling (863) 519-2559.  
393103 CN/CB 7/28;8/4/2011

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**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT PURSUANT TO A WRIT OF EXECUTION heretofore issued out of the County Court, Miami-Dade County, Florida, Case Number: 11-1705-05 on May 9th, 2011 in the matter of First Union National Bank of Florida as plaintiff, and Eirleyds R. Zaballa a/k/a Eirleydays Zaballa and Diego Rodriguez a/k/a Diego R. Rodriguez as defendant(s), I Steve Whidden, as Sheriff of Hendry County, Florida, have levied upon all the right, title and interest of the defendant(s), to-wit:  
2005 MAZDA 6, vehicle identification number:1YVFF80C05M36642, title number: 92588406 issued 07/19/2007.  
and on August 18, 2011, at 11:00am, or as soon thereafter as circumstances permit, I will offer the above described property for sale at public outcry and sell the same, subject to ALL prior liens, if any, to the highest and best bidder for CASH IN HAND, plus Florida State Sales Tax, if applicable; the proceeds to be applied as far as may be to the payment of costs and satisfaction of the above described execution. The above described property may be viewed up to 30 minutes prior to the scheduled sale time by contacting Lt. Andy Lewis at the Hendry County Sheriff's Office. IN accordance with American with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation to participate in this proceeding shall contact the individual or agency sending notice not later than seven days prior to the proceeding at the address given on notice. Telephone (904) 257-6097; 1-9-800-955-87671 (+TDD) or 1-800-955-8770 (V), via Florida Relay Service.  
Steve Whidden As Sheriff  
Of Hendry County, Florida  
By: Lt. Andy Lewis  
392454 CN 7/21,28;8/4,11/2011

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT John & Ilene Klasfeld Co Tr, the holders of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:  
CERT. NO. YEAR DESCRIPTION WHICH ASSESSED  
3231 2007 4104329-07022150020 Luis Fernando Correa  
Lot 2, Block 2215 of Port LaBelle Unit 7, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 116, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.  
Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.  
All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.  
Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of August, 2011, which is the 25th day of August, 2011.  
Dated this 13th day of July, 2011.  
Barbara S. Butler  
Clerk of Circuit Court  
Hendry County, Florida  
392553 CN 7/21,28;8/4,11/2011

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Denton, II LLC, the holders of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:  
CERT. NO. YEAR DESCRIPTION WHICH ASSESSED  
990 2007 1134432-A0000270000 Leon Sacco and Corina Sacco  
The South one-half of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 13, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Also known as Tract 5632, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.  
Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.  
All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.  
Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday in the month of August, 2011, which is the 18th day of August, 2011.  
Dated this 6th day of July, 2011.  
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CERT. NO. YEAR DESCRIPTION WHICH ASSESSED  
3188 2007 4104329-06023460120 Travis Daniels  
Lot 12, Block 2346, Port LaBelle Unit 6, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 110, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.  
Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.  
All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.  
Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of August, 2011, which is the 25th day of August, 2011.  
Dated this 13th day of July, 2011.  
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392556 CN 7/21,28;8/4,11/2011

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**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Verona A, LLC, the holders of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:  
CERT. NO. YEAR DESCRIPTION WHICH ASSESSED  
1429 2007 1224432-01000780140 Gary Scott Miller  
Lot 14, Block 78, Montura Ranch Estates, First Subdivision, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 37, 38 and 39, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.  
Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.  
All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.  
Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of August, 2011, which is the 25th day of August, 2011.  
Dated this 20th day of July, 2011.  
Barbara S. Butler  
Clerk of Circuit Court  
Hendry County, Florida  
392538 CN 7/21,28;8/4,11/2011

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**  
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CERT. NO. YEAR DESCRIPTION WHICH ASSESSED  
3181 2007 4104329-06023430100 Lloyd W. Huelcoim  
Lot 10, Block 2343, Port LaBelle Unit 6, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 109, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.  
Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.  
All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.  
Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of August, 2011, which is the 25th day of August, 2011.  
Dated this 13th day of July, 2011.  
Barbara S. Butler  
Clerk of Circuit Court  
Hendry County, Florida  
392547 CN 7/21,28;8/4,11/2011

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**  
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CERT. NO. YEAR DESCRIPTION WHICH ASSESSED  
3167 2007 4104329-06023370190 Deanos Full Service Inc  
Lot 19, Block 2337, Port LaBelle Unit 6, a subdivision according to the plat thereof Recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 109, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.  
Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.  
All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.  
Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Second Thursday in the month of August, 2011, which is the 11th day of August, 2011.  
Dated this 29th day of June, 2011.  
Barbara S. Butler  
Clerk of Circuit Court  
Hendry County, Florida  
391630 CN 7/14,21,28/2011

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CERT. NO. YEAR DESCRIPTION WHICH ASSESSED  
3518 2007 4104329-09023250150 Deanos Full Service Inc  
Lot 15, Block 2325, Port LaBelle Unit 9, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 144, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.  
Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.  
All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.  
Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fourth Thursday in the month of August, 2011, which is the 25th day of August, 2011.  
Dated this 13th day of July, 2011.  
Barbara S. Butler  
Clerk of Circuit Court  
Hendry County, Florida  
392551 CN 7/21,28;8/4,11/2011

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**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Ella III LLC, the holders of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:  
CERT. NO. YEAR DESCRIPTION WHICH ASSESSED  
1482 2007 1244432-A0000840000 Leon and Corina Sacco  
The North one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of Section 24, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 5283, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.  
Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.  
All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.  
Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Second Thursday in the month of September, 2011, which is the 8th day of September, 2011.  
Dated this 27th day of July, 2011.  
Barbara S. Butler  
Clerk of Circuit Court  
Hendry County, Florida  
393862 CGS 8/4,11,18,25/2011

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Verona A LLC, the holders of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:  
CERT. NO. YEAR DESCRIPTION WHICH ASSESSED  
1356 2007 1224432-01000520130 Cecelia Braunstein  
Lot 13, Block 52, Montura Ranch Estates, First Subdivision, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, Pages 37, 38, and 39, public Records of Hendry County, Florida.  
Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.  
All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.  
Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Second Thursday in the month of September, 2011, which is the 8th day of September, 2011.  
Dated this 27th day of July, 2011.  
Barbara S. Butler  
Clerk of Circuit Court  
Hendry County, Florida  
393866 CGS 8/4,11,18,25/2011

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Denton II LLC, the holders of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:  
CERT. NO. YEAR DESCRIPTION WHICH ASSESSED  
3621 2007 4104329-10023750470 Herman E. Scott  
Lot 47, Block 2375, Port LaBelle Unit 10, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 4, Page 17, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.  
Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record.  
All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.  
Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday in the month of August, 2011, which is the 18th day of August, 2011.  
Dated this 6th day of July, 2011.  
Barbara S. Butler  
Clerk of Circuit Court  
Hendry County, Florida  
391864 CN 7/14,21,28 & 8/4/2011

**Public Notice**

**NOTICE OF WORKSHOP**  
The Board of Supervisors of the Port LaBelle Community Development District has scheduled a budget workshop for August 11, 2011 at 5:30 PM at the District office located at 3293 Dellwood Terrace, Port LaBelle. The public is invited to attend this meeting.  
Jennifer L. Derleth Chairman  
394003 CB/CGS 8/4/11

**Public Notice**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
CHANCE'S TOWING & RECOVERY, LLC. WILL SELL THE FOLLOWING VEHICLES BY AUCTION @ 340 N. INDUSTRIAL LOOP, LABELLE, FL. 33935 ON THE FOLLOWING DATES DUE TO NON PAYMENT FOR TOWING AND STORAGE CHARGES. PURSUANT TO SUB SECTION 713.78 OF THE FLORIDA STATUTE, CHANCE'S TOWING & RECOVERY, LLC. RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ACCEPT OR REJECT ANY AND/OR ALL BIDS.  
08/17/2011 @ 8:00AM  
2004 FORD  
VIN #1FMPU18184L94911  
07/17/2011 @ 8:00AM  
1994 CHEV  
VIN #1GDCD1428Z179209  
893597 CB/CGS 8/4/11

**Public Notice**

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 20TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA CIVIL DIVISION CASE NO. 26-2010-CA-000747**  
FORECLOSURE ADVISORS, LLC Plaintiff,  
vs.  
VICTOR HIEBER, SR.; KATHY A. HIEBER; FORECLOSURE ADVISORS, LLC; FIRST HORIZON HOME LOAN CORPORATION P/K/A CARL I. BROWN AND COMPANY; UNKNOWN PERSONS IN POSSESSION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY; Defendants.

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to a Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated July 21, 2011, and entered in Case No. 262010-CA-000747, of the Circuit Court of the 20th Judicial Circuit in and for HENDRY County, Florida, FORECLOSURE ADVISORS, LLC is Plaintiff and VICTOR HIEBER, SR.; KATHY A. HIEBER; UNKNOWN PERSONS IN POSSESSION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY; FORECLOSURE ADVISORS, LLC; FIRST HORIZON HOME LOAN CORPORATION F/K/A CARL I. BROWN AND COMPANY; are defendants. I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at 2ND FLOOR HALLWAY, IN FRONT OF OFFICE OF CLERK OF COURTS, ADMINISTRATION BLDG., HENDRY CO. COURTHOUSE, AT 25 EAST HICK-POCHEE, LABELLE IN HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA, at 11:00 a.m., on the 24th day of August, 2011, the following described property as set forth in said Final Judgment, to wit:

**LOTS 232, 233 AND 234, KELL MILL TERRACE SUBDIVISION, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK I, PAGE 11, IN THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF GLADES COUNTY, FLORIDA, LYING AND BEING IN HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA.**  
TOGETHER WITH 1981 PEAC MOBILE HOME IDENTIFICATION NUMBER COS-GART011206A, & B, TITLE NUMBER 19020113 AND 19020114

A person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the sale, shall file a claim with 60 days after the sale. Dated this 22nd day of July, 2011.

BARBARA S. BUTLER  
As Clerk of said Court  
BY: /S/ J. Bevis  
As Deputy Clerk  
This notice is provided pursuant to Administrative Order No. 2,006-05. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to provisions of certain assistance. Please contact the Court Administrator at 25 East Hickpochee, LaBelle, FL 33935, Phone No. (941) 335- 2299 within 2 working days of your receipt of this notice or pleading; if you are hearing impaired, call 1-800-955-8771 (TDD); if you are voice impaired, call 1-800-955-8770 (V) (Via Florida Relay Services).  
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Telefacsimile: (954) 382-5380  
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Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes
Denton II LLC, the holders of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

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Ilene Klasfeld d/b/a TCPA Properties, the holders of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes
Ella III LLC, the holders of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon.

REQUEST FOR BIDS
SALE OF RESIDENTIAL EXCESS PROPERTY,
HENRY COUNTY, FLORIDA
BID NUMBER: 2011-24
OPENING DATE AND TIME: September 8, 2011 @ 2:00 P.M.

Public Notice

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR HENRY COUNTY, FLORIDA, CIVIL ACTION CASE NO.: 10000840CA
AURORA LOAN SERVICES, LLC, Plaintiff vs. MICHELLE ANN WILLIAMS, et al Defendant(s)
NOTICE OF SALE

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Dated: July 22, 2011.
Henry County Clerk of Court CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT BY: /s/ J. Bevis

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Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes
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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
3-YEAR LEASE OF AIRGLADES INDUSTRIAL BUILDING
CLEWISTON, FLORIDA
RFP NUMBER: 2011-27
OPENING DATE AND TIME: AUGUST 11, 2011 @ 2:00 P.M.

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# LHS Counselor Corner

LHS Guidance Counselor's, Beth Lutkenhaus and Rhonda Kosh, would like to remind LHS parents and students of the following events designed to ensure a successful start to the 2011-12 school year:

- LHS Guidance Counselors return from summer vacation on August 1, 2011
- August 10, 11 and 17, 2011: 8 a.m. – 3 p.m. Senior Portraits
- August 16: 7 p.m. – 8 p.m. Cowboy Under Classmen Informational Night (Grades 9-11th)
- August 18: 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Senior Cowboy Day. Seniors will receive schedules, take Senior Portraits and I.Ds
- August 18: 7 p.m. – 8 p.m. Senior Cowboy Informational Night. Seniors need to attend to receive Academic Histories, Senior Calendar, and Other Important Senior Information.
- August 19: Cowboy Days – Freshmen 8 a.m. – 11 a.m, Sophomores and juniors 1 p.m. – 3 p.m. Students will receive class schedules and Student I.Ds.

• August 19: 7:30 a.m. – 3 p.m. Blood Drive, sponsored by the LHS' Allied Health Academy. For every pint donated, 3 lives are saved!

• August 19: (8 a.m.-3 p.m. Underclassmen Portraits– LHS Auditorium.

• August 20: (9 a.m. – 12 p.m. Guidance will be open for parent and student questions.

• August 22: First day of school!

Rhonda Kosh will provide guidance services for LHS students with the last names A – K. Beth Lutkenhaus will provide guidance services for LHS students with the last names L – Z. Lisa Hegley, LHS Registrar, provides enrollment information and services to all students.

For questions or concerns, the fastest response is through email. Please email Beth Lutkenhaus (L-Z counselor) at lutkenhausb@hendry.k12.fl.us, Rhonda Kosh (A-K counselor) at koshr@hendry.k12.fl.us, or hegleyym@hendry.k12.fl.us.

## School Briefs

### LMS open houses

Come to LaBelle Middle School's Open House. 6th Grade will attend Thursday, Aug. 18, from 1-3 p.m.; 7th and 8th grade students will attend Friday, Aug. 19, from 1-3 p.m. Parents and students report to the cafeteria and go to their child's grade level information station to receive their student's schedule. There will be tables in the cafeteria to retrieve busing information, lunches. The health department will give out the required 7th grade shot. We look forward to seeing you!

### It's time for school physicals

Hendry Regional Medical Center is all set to provide physicals for the children in the community. Summer is still in full swing, but the first day of school will be here before you know it. If you haven't already scheduled an appointment for your child's school or sports physical, now is the time to do it – don't wait! Often, school physical examinations are the only times throughout the year that children visit a medical facility. We suggest using the yearly school physical as an opportunity to build and add to a child's complete medical history. This can help ensure that the youngster's progress and development over time are monitored and that potential emerging problems are detected. Don't get caught up in the last minute rush, schedule physicals for your school-aged children today. Call the Convenient Care Center in LaBelle (863-675-2356).

### Breakfast at school

Hendry County Schools offer breakfast at no charge to all of their students, every school day. Breakfast times may vary from school to school, so check with your child's school office for the time. Breakfast is the most important meal and needs to be a part of your child's educational day. The National School Breakfast Program was enacted

to ensure that school children are being served a nutritious breakfast daily. Studies have proven that higher academic and social achievement occur when breakfast is consumed. Make sure that your child starts off his day right with breakfast at Hendry County Schools.

#### Public Notice

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR  
GLADES COUNTY, FLORIDA  
PROBATE DIVISION  
File No. 2011-CP-16  
Division: PROBATE

IN RE: ESTATE OF  
SYLVIA R. BIGBEE  
Deceased.

#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Sylvia R. Bigbee, deceased, whose date of death was May 7, 2011, is pending in the Circuit Court for Glades County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is PO Box 10, Moore Haven, FL 33471. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.

The date of first publication of this notice is August 4, 2011.

Personal Representative:  
Jimmy Reed Campbell  
2735 SW 2nd Ter  
Cape Coral, Florida 33991  
Attorney for Personal Representative:  
Ralph Elver  
Attorney for Jimmy Reed Campbell  
Florida Bar Number: 215848  
P.O. Drawer 2280  
LaBelle, FL 33975  
Telephone: (863) 675-5800  
Fax: (863) 675-4998  
393825 CGS 8/4,11/2011

#### Public Notice

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR  
HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA  
PROBATE DIVISION  
File No. 2011-058-CP

IN RE: ESTATE OF  
ARMANDE M. DEVARNEY  
Deceased.

#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of Armande M. Devarney, deceased, whose date of death was February 4, 2011, is pending in the Circuit Court for Hendry County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is PO Box 1760, LaBelle, FL 33975. The names and addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.

All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.

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ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE WILL BE FOREVER BARRED.

The date of first publication of this notice is July 28, 2011.

Personal Representative:  
Arthur J. Devarney  
63 Francis Street  
Leominster, Massachusetts 01453  
Attorney for Personal Representative:  
Ralph Elver  
Attorney for Arthur J. Devarney  
Florida Bar Number: 215848  
P.O. Drawer 2280  
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