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Local races slim in Primary

Election season is upon us and the Primary is next month. Several state races will be on the August 26 Primary ballot, including District 20 Representative for Democrats and Republicans; Governor and Lt. Governor candidates for both parties; Democratic candidates for Attorney General and several Circuit Court Judge races.

The only local race on the Primary ballot will be the nonpartisan School Board seat for District #4, which includes the northeastern portion of Port LaBelle.

The sample ballot will be published in the Caloosa Belle in the coming weeks.

Books closed for the August Primary on July 28 for any new registrations or party changes. However, if you are registered or have been registered, you can still change your address.

Early ballots may be cast at the following times:

- August 11 9 a.m.-7 p.m.
- August 16-17 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
- August 18-22 9 a.m.-7 p.m.
- August 23 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Early voting will take place at 25 E. Hickpochee Ave. in LaBelle or 1100 S. Olymppia St. Suite 504, Clewiston.

Voters must have a Florida Driver's License or other picture and signature ID when they present themselves to vote.

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HONORING OUR HEROS



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The Fallen Heroes ceremony once again called local residents to remember those who have sacrificed for us all. Veterans Park, a visible reflection of the honor the people of LaBelle hold for our veterans, was sparked by the deaths of two of LaBelle's own: Army Chief Warrant Officer Robert C. Hammett Jr., killed June 24, 2008, in Iraq and SSGT Chris Strickland USMC, who died the following day, June 25, in Afghanistan. See more pictures on page 7.

Tentative millage set

by Patty Brant
Caloosa Belle

Since the July 22 county commission meeting, Hendry County taxpayers have a better idea of how much they will be paying in property taxes this coming year.

County Administrator Charles Chapman explained that the board agreed to set the tentative millage rate at 8.8209 mills - 1.1 mills higher than 2013-14.

That rate will include \$101,000 to the Hendry County Sheriff's Office for four deputies for six months.

The annual millage budget hearings will be in September. The first will be in Clewiston City Hall on September 9 and the final hearing will be held in the Courthouse at LaBelle on September 23.

At either of those meetings, the tentative millage may be lowered but may not be increased.

Military training site

The board approved a special exception and variance for old HCI site, about 1,100 acres in the extreme southwestern end of Hendry, outside of Immokalee. The State of Florida is selling the property to Blue Spoon, LLC, for the purpose of putting in a large-scale classified military training facility. The owner has a similar facility in Copeland in Collier County.

Specialized training at the site will include weapons handling and firing.

The board approved the special exception for a training facility, temporary structures and "heavy recreational" use (for equipment and vehicle use). Special accommodations will be made for noise, density and buffering of the site.

Commissioner Darrell Harris

FPL strengthens power lines in 2014

JUNO BEACH, Fla. – Florida Power & Light Company (FPL) today outlined its 2014 electric system upgrades in the LaBelle area that will benefit local homes and businesses. The company has started work on strengthening and upgrading major power lines and equipment throughout its system to help communities recover faster following major storms while improving everyday reliability for customers.

2014 Work in LaBelle

This year's investment includes upgrades to a main power line serving key facilities in the LaBelle area, such as the LaBelle

City Hall and the city wastewater treatment plant. The project strengthens the electric system to better withstand major storms and allow for faster service restoration following power outages. The work includes installing stronger utility poles designed to withstand wind gusts of 130 mph or more.

Other improvements in LaBelle this year include clearing vegetation – a common cause of power outages – from 100 miles of power lines.

"FPL's 2014 plan includes more projects to strengthen the electric system than ever before,

including the LaBelle area. While severe weather is likely to result in power outages, a stronger electric system means less damage, faster service restoration and more reliable service in all weather conditions," said Manny Miranda, FPL vice president of power delivery. "This year, we're investing more than \$170 million throughout our system to strengthen the power lines and equipment that serve essential community facilities such as hospitals, fire stations, water treatment plants and other facilities that are crucial to people as they recover from a storm."

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A Long-Term Commitment

When the planned 2014 work is completed, FPL will have made the following improvements in and near LaBelle since the last major hurricane season in 2005:

- Strengthened three main power lines serving key local facilities
- Inspected 13,130 utility poles, restoring or replacing those that no longer met the company's standards for strength.
- Cleared 1,155 miles of power lines of trees and vegetation – a major cause of power outages.

Inspected 10 main power lines and equipment using the latest infrared technology, helping us address issues before they cause outages.

Since 2006, FPL has invested more than \$1.4 billion across its 35-county service area – in addition to its other ongoing system maintenance and improvement work – to

make the electric grid stronger.

Florida Power & Light Company

Florida Power & Light Company is the largest rate-regulated electric utility in Florida and serves the third-largest number of customers of any electric utility in the United States. FPL serves approximately 4.7 million customer accounts and is a leading Florida employer with approximately 8,900 employees as of year-end 2013. FPL's typical 1,000-kWh residential bill is the lowest among reporting electric utilities in Florida as of year-end 2013, and based on data available in July 2013, is about 28 percent below the national average. A clean energy leader, FPL has one of the lowest emissions profiles and one of the leading energy efficiency programs among utilities nationwide. FPL delivered better than 99.98 percent service reliability as of year-end 2013. FPL has earned the national ServiceOne Award for outstanding customer service for an unprecedented 10 consecutive years. FPL is a subsidiary of Juno Beach, Fla.-based NextEra Energy, Inc. (NYSE: NEE). For more information, visit www.FPL.com.

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learned that the company will use local vendors during construction.

SART

The county joined the Sexual Assault Response Team of Hendry and Glades (SART), a multi agency network committed to preventing sexual assault, training of first responders, advocacy and care of assault survivors. Staff will attend quarterly meetings.

In other business

- The board extended designation as a One-Stop Operator and Direct Provider of

Workforce services to the Southwest Florida Work Force Development Board, Inc. The career centers in Clewiston and LaBelle will continue as One-Stop centers for another three years. Commissioner Janet Taylor told their representative how much she appreciates their services.

- The board approved the addition of Vivian Perez to the Tourism Development Council.

- The board also accepted the annual Edward Burns Memorial Jag grant

- NOTE: The August 12 meeting will be held at the Courthouse in LaBelle; the August 26 meeting will be at Clewiston City Hall. Meetings begin at 5 p.m.

Memorial Scholarships awarded

The Scott Tanner Memorial Scholarship was started in 2004 in memory of Scott Tanner. Scott was one of the founding directors of the LaBelle Youth Livestock and Agriculture Exhibits when it was begun in 2003. Scott was an avid sportsman who loved the outdoors and spent many hours volunteering with 4-H programs. He passed away unexpectedly in September of 2003 before getting to see the dream of a 4-H Livestock Show and Sale being held in LaBelle.

At the time of his death he was one of the leaders of the Felda Hog Hustlers 4-H Club, which he helped begin in 2001.

The first LYLAE Show and Sale was dedicated to the memory of Scott with a plaque being presented to his widow, Winn, and his three children, Nicholas, Brittney and Zachary.

The Scott Tanner Memorial Scholarship is awarded in the amount of \$1,000 to deserving Hendry County students who have participated in 4-H or FFA during their high school career.

This year a total of \$10,000 was given out. Preference may be given to applicants who are members of LaBelle Youth Livestock or who have participated in LaBelle

Youth Livestock events. The recipient may pursue any course of study and may also choose the college or university of higher choice, as well as any vocational school as long as it is an accredited institution. The applicant must have at least a 2.5 or C+ grade point average in high school or college in order to receive the award.

Applications can be picked up at the LaBelle High School guidance office or by calling Winn Tanner at 239-872-0295.

2014 Scholarship Winners Are:

Clayton Cooper - Marine Mechanics Institute

Brianna Dobbins - Edison State College (Southwestern State)

Taylor Corbitt - Florida Southern College

Braxten Ford - LaGrange College

Gary Hull - FGCU

Emily Leon - FGCU

Stephanie Pack - Florida Atlantic

Rachael Reinbott - South Florida State

Katelynn Steelman - Louisiana State University

Kindall Tindall - Southwest Florida College

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS SUGAR HILL SECTOR PLAN

Notice is hereby given that the Local Planning Agency of Hendry County (LPA) will hold a public hearing on the proposed sector plan to the Hendry County Comprehensive Plan on **August 13, 2014 at 6:00 p.m.**, at the Hendry County Courthouse, Commission Chambers, 25 E. Hickpochee Ave, LaBelle, Florida. The LPA will determine if the amendment is consistent with the Hendry County Comprehensive Plan.

The recommendations of the LPA will be made to the Hendry County Board of County Commissioners (BCC) for final consideration at a public hearing. The BCC will consider whether or not it wishes to transmit the amendment to the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity. This hearing will be held on August 26, 2014 at 5:05 p.m., at the City of Clewiston, Commission Chambers, 115 W Ventura Ave, Clewiston, Florida.

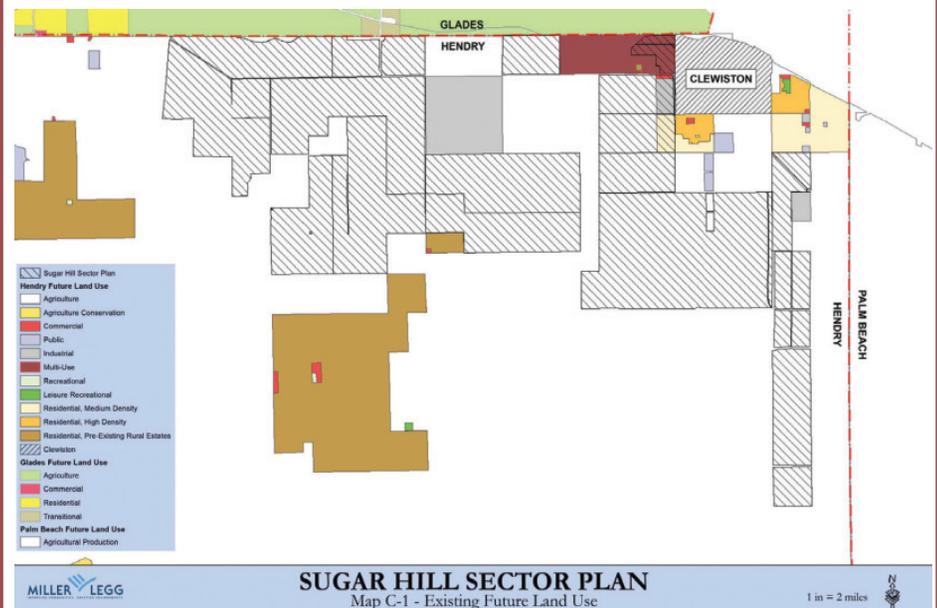
Petition Number: SEPL14-0001

Applicant: United States Sugar Corporation and Hilliard Brothers (AKA Sugar Hill), represented by Kathy Bengochea, HCI Planning & Land Development Consultants, Inc.

Project size: 43,313 acres +/-

Location: Northeast Hendry County; see attached locator map

Request: The applicant is seeking approval of a long term master development plan (sector plan) in accordance with section 163.3245, F.S.



All interested parties are invited to appear and be heard. Oral and written comments will be accepted. A copy of the proposed sector plan is available for inspection at the Hendry County Planning and Zoning Department, 640 S. Main St., LaBelle, FL between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, and at the Clerk to the Board of County Commissioners' office, 25 E. Hickpochee Ave., LaBelle, FL between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the board, agency, or commission with respect to any matter considered at such meeting or hearing, he or she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Si necesita la asistencia de un intérprete que hable español para participar en esta reunión, por favor póngase en contacto con Myra Johnson al (863) 675-5240.

Any questions pertaining to this matter should be directed to the Planning and Zoning Department, either by phone (863-675-5240), email (scatala@hendry-fla.net), U. S. mail (P. O. Box 2340, La Belle, FL 33975) or by fax (863-674-4914).

Orvell Howard, Chairman
Hendry County Local Planning Agency

Karson Turner, Chairman
Hendry County Board
of County Commissioners

Glades County officials cut ribbon for new training facility

Glades County officials held a groundbreaking ceremony for the soon-to-be construction site of the Glades County career training facility and the construction site of Glades County Emergency Operations Center. Both are located in the County's Industrial Park located on the northwest corner of the intersection of US 27 and SR 78.

Glades County Commission Chairman Donna Storter Long welcomed all and introduced special guests. State elected officials and Agency Directors were recognized for their efforts in obtaining funding from the legislature, and Chairman Storter Long especially thanked her fellow Commissioners Paul Beck and Tim Stanley and County Manager Paul Carlisle for their willingness to go to Tallahassee and their effective efforts.

Special guest Jesse Panuccio, Gov. Scott's Director of Economic Opportunity, briefly addressed the crowd on his agency's participation, eagerness, and willingness to help with the projects including development of the training center.

Senator Denise Grimsley who formerly represented Glades County in the House of Representatives, commented on her determination to help Glades County from the first visit she made here eight years ago when Health Dept. Director Pat Dobbins led her on a tour of the then decrepit facility that

housed the Health Dept; Senator Grimsley expressed her delight in helping get the new medical center just east of this construction site that was funded by state grants; she assured the guests that she will continue to serve Glades County even though we are not in her senate district.

Senator Bill Galvano addressed the crowd noting his pleasure serving Glades County as our state senator and urged us to continue contacting him when we need help.

Representative Cary Pigman spoke of his gladness in assisting the process of procuring funding for both these projects and noted that Glades County is well represented in Tallahassee.

Gina Reynolds, Executive Director of FHREDI, gave comments from Senator Negron, Chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee.

Senator Grimsley, Senator Galvano, Representative Pigman, and Senator Negron were the key players in obtaining the funding thru the legislature. Also instrumental in working with CAS Governmental Services in Tallahassee were Gina Reynolds, and Commissioners Paul Beck and Tim Stanley and County Manager Paul Carlisle.

Also recognized were other elected Glades officials in attendance including Tax Collector Gail Jones, Moore Haven

City Councilman John Ahern, Glades District School Superintendent Scott Bass, and members of the Glades County Economic Development Council.

Glades County Public Safety Director Bob Jones and Emergency Management Director Angie Colegrove were so pleased to participate in the event as they have worked for 18 years planning for this day when a new, modern, even futuristic Emergency Operations Center will commence construction. The current EOC is a small office in the courthouse. The new facility will provide room for training, electronic communications, storage for supplies needed during emergency events, as well as provide bays for fire trucks and ambulances with area for the EMS station staff. According to Bob Jones, "This facility will serve the needs of Glades County for the next 50-60 years."

Tommy Perry, President of Glades Coun-

ty Economic Development Council was pleased to attend as EDC has been involved with the training center as part of their efforts to promote development of the logistics and manufacturing site near the training center. Mr. Perry commented, "The EDC is excited to see the training center break ground as it will provide training for companies seeking a highly educated workforce as well as providing specialized training for logistics and manufacturing employees. This facility will enhance EDC'S ability to compete and lure logistics and manufacturing companies to Glades County."

Other guests included Fred Edman of Wright Construction who is the contractor for the EOC building, Gary Ritter of South Florida Water Management District who provided 90% of the material for the site work for the EOC and Hendry County Commissioner Janet Taylor.



Submitted photo

Shovels were wielded by, from left: Jesse Panuccio, Director of Florida Department of Economic Opportunity, Commissioner Tim Stanley, Commissioner Russell Echols, Rep. Cary Pigman, Commissioner Paul Beck, Sen. Denise Grimsley, Sen. Bill Galvano, Commissioner Donna Storter Long, FHREDI Exec Dir. Gina Reynolds, Commissioner Crystal Drake and County Manager Paul Carlisle.

Arrest Reports

LaBelle

Miguel Angel Aguilar, 23, was arrested July 28 and charged with possession of cocaine. Sgt. J. Woods was arresting officer.

Lucio Martinez Carranco Jr., 22, was arrested July 25 and charged with carrying a concealed weapon and possession of a controlled substance without a prescription. R. Maldonado was arresting officer.

Maximo Angelo Commodore, 26, was arrested July 24 and charged with possession of marijuana over 20 grams and possession/use of drug equipment. N. Kirk was arresting officer.

Cristian Arriolas, 16, was arrested July 23 and charged with criminal mischief over \$1,000 (two counts), burglary of an unoccupied dwelling unarmed, and burglary of a dwelling/structure over \$1,000. The arrest goes back to March 24 and 25 break ins at Community Har-

vest Worship Center and LaBelle Elementary School. V. Speak was arresting officer.

Clewiston

Toni Brown, 27, was arrested July 29 and charged with battery touch/strike and cruelty to a child - abuse without great harm. Sgt. D. Scruggs was arresting officer.

Jose DeJesus Chavez, 46, was arrested July 24 and charged with abandonment of animals and destroying, tampering with or fabricating physical evidence. C. White was arresting officer.

Oscar Guzman Jr., 24, was arrested July 27 and charged with firing a weapon/discharge firearm from a vehicle, firing a missile into a dwelling, etc. (two counts), criminal mischief \$200-\$1,000 subsequent offense and destroying, tampering or fabricating physical evidence. The arrest goes back to May 20 incident in which a man was shot in the leg and an occupied residence was struck with bullets.

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LaBelle High Schools 2014-15 Dress Code

Please be advised that the following LHS Dress Code policy will be in effect for the 2014-2015 school year at LaBelle High School. Please review this policy before shopping for school clothing.

Dress Code and Grooming Policy (2014-2015): Students and parents need to be aware of the importance of adhering to the LHS dress code policy. LHS administration reserves the right to prohibit the wearing of any article of clothing, accessory or hairstyle that is considered disruptive to the educational process. The following dress and grooming requirements are to be followed by all students:

- All students will wear their ID badge outside their clothing at all times from the time they enter the school building at the beginning of school until the end of school at 2:25 p.m.

- Backpacks/bags will not be permitted in classrooms, locker rooms, or the lunchroom during the school day. They must be placed in your locker upon arrival at school

and may be retrieved after dismissal at 2:25 p.m.

- Pants must be worn at the waist and fit appropriately. This is now covered expressly in Florida state law.

- Phones, iPods, and other electronic devices should be turned off and stowed away during the school day (from 7:30 a.m.–2:25 p.m.). These devices will be confiscated by adults in the school and sent to the discipline office. Students may pick these items up after school the first time they are confiscated. A parent must come pick up the confiscated electronic device the 2nd time it is taken, and students will receive an After School Detention. Repeated violations will result in Saturday School and/or possibly suspension.

- Safe footwear shall be worn at all times. No bedroom slippers or shower shoes shall be worn.

- Tops and blouses may be sleeveless, but must be at least three inches in width at all parts of the shoulder. Tops must not expose the midriff and may not be see-

through, backless or have cut-outs, unless a shirt that is in dress code is worn underneath. Clothing must cover the chest area to ensure that cleavage is not exposed. At no point should you be able to see a student's undergarments.

- Length of shorts, skirts, and dresses must be fingertip length or longer.

- Sunglasses, hats and any other head covering may be worn appropriately outside, before and after school. Hooded sweatshirts are allowed, but hoods are not allowed to be worn inside the building, and only outside for weather related purposes. Staff will confiscate headwear worn in buildings.

- Intentionally altered clothing or unbuttoned and ill-fitted garments are not acceptable. Ill-fitted garments include, but are not limited to, those that are too small (immodest) or too large (falling off the body).

- All clothing and accessories must be free of any promotion of drugs, alcohol, tobacco, sex, or offensive, profane, discriminatory, and/or suggestive messages.

- Clothing (including JEANS) that is torn or ripped or has holes above the knee where skin is exposed is not permitted.

- Leggings or tights must be covered with clothing that meets the dress code.

- Costumes, sleepwear, or other clothing that creates a distraction is not permitted.

- Clothing, symbols, or other items deemed to be associated with gangs may not be worn, displayed or carried.

Students who violate the dress code policy the first time will be issued a warning, scan and be asked to change clothes. If students do not have an alternate set of clothing at school, they will be sent to the RTC (Responsible Thinking Classroom) to wait for a parent to bring them a change of clothes. Students who violate the dress code a second time will be issued an After School Detention and asked to change clothes. Students who violate the dress code a 3rd time will be issued an Out of School Suspension.

LHS Counselors Corner

LHS Guidance would like to thank all parents and students for a wonderful 2013-14 school year and hope that everyone has a safe and fun summer. Parents and students please mark your calendars for the upcoming events that support a successful start to the 2014-15 school year:

LHS Guidance Counselors return from summer vacation on August 1, 2014

- August 4 - 8, 2014 Senior Portraits
- August 4 - 8, Band Camp (8 a.m. - 12 p.m.) (6-9 p.m.)

- August 11 - 12, 2014 Senior Portraits
- August 14: (8 a.m.-12:00 p.m.) Freshmen Orientation

- August 14: (6-7:30 p.m.) Senior Orientation

- August 15: (8 a.m.-12 p.m.) Sophomore and Junior Cowboy Days

- August 14: (7:45 a.m.-12:00 p.m.) Freshmen Round-Up Day. Freshmen will receive schedules, I.D. Badges, and tour LHS campus. Parents may attend from 11:15 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Transportation is not provided.

- August 14: (6-730 p.m.) Senior Cowboy Night. Seniors need to attend to receive academic histories, senior calendar, and I.D.

Badges. Seniors and Parents are strongly encouraged to attend. This is the time to ask questions concerning scholarship planning, academic planning, and what to expect in your student's senior year.

August 15: Cowboy Days - sophomores and juniors will attend from 8 a.m.-12 p.m. Students will receive class schedules, I.D. badges, and meet teachers

August 15: (8 am-3 pm) Underclassmen Portraits - LHS Auditorium.

August 18: First day of school! School times are 7:30 a.m. to 2:25 p.m.

Mrs. Rhonda Kosh is the Guidance Counselor for all juniors and seniors.

Mrs. Michelle Zimmerly is the Guidance Counselor for all freshmen and sophomores.

Ms. Lisa Hegley, LHS Registrar, provides enrollment information and services to all students.

For questions or concerns, the fastest response is through email. Please email Rhonda Kosh at koshr@hendry.k12.fl.us, Michelle Zimmerly at zimmerlym@hendry.k12.fl.us, or Lisa Hegley at hegley@hendry.k12.fl.us.

McDonald's collects school items

LABELLE - McDonald's restaurants in Southwest Florida invite customers and members of the community to help collect new school supplies for local students in need. From Friday, August 1 through Sunday, August 3, customers are encouraged to stop by participating restaurants in Collier, Charlotte, Hendry, and Lee counties, as well as two restaurants in North Port (Sarasota County), and drop off supplies in the school bus-shaped boxes in the restaurant lobbies.

"As the parent of school-age children, I'm keenly aware of the need for school supplies in our area," said Steven Nisbet, Jr., who owns and operates McDonald's restaurants in LaBelle and Clewiston. "We're excited for this opportunity to give back to our community by collecting supplies to go to children most in need."

Suggested donations include notebook paper, pens, #2 pencils, crayons, glue sticks, rulers, small index cards, highlighters, notebooks and three-ring binders. In Hendry County, all supplies collected will be donated directly to the Hendry Public Schools Foundation.

"Over 80% of the students in the Hendry County School District receive free or reduced price lunch," said Gordon Swaggerty, assistant superintendent of Hendry County School District. "There are times when it may be difficult for parents to buy needed school supplies, especially if they have several children attending school. Supplies obtained during the McDonald's School Supply Drive help to ease that additional cost for parents and provide students with the supplies they need for school."

The first 150 people in each restaurant to donate a school supply will receive a "Be Our Guest" card for a free Happy Meal®. Customers now have the option to choose between Yoplait® Go-GURT® Low Fat Strawberry Yogurt or a bag of apple slices as part of their Happy Meal side choices. Made exclusively for McDonald's, Go-GURT Low Fat Strawberry Yogurt has 50 calories per labeled serving, 25 percent less sugar than the leading kids' yogurt and is made with natural flavor.

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Barron Library's Summer Program - Under the Microscope



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Library staff member Miguel Madrid talks to the children about stuff seen under a microscope.

Barron Library Summer Program Fizz! Bang! Boom! Read!

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The Computer Science session, presented by Mr. Ray Levanthal of CPR Tools, was a great lesson in communication. From the book Mr. Ray shared, 'The Berenstain Bears' Computer Trouble', we discovered that a family can spend too much time in front of computer screens, never speaking to each other anymore. As helpful as computers are, don't let them take the place of interacting with one another, especially with your children.

Don't miss the final summer program for Elementary age children. The Hendry County Health Department will be presenting the program, Healthy Lifestyle, Food &

Exercise. There will be carnival games outside with prizes and snacks.

The 'Young Scientists' and the crew at Zac's House both made solar ovens this week, then enjoyed a gooey treat of s'mores.

August 5 Healthy Lifestyle Food & Exercise - County Health Dept.

The summer is coming to an end. If you children haven't been reading during the break from school, they should get back to it. We want them to be ready to start the new school year at the same level they left off last spring. Keep track of each book they read and turn the report into the library on or before August 4th for the chance to win a prize. The library is located at 461 North Main, LaBelle. Call 863-675-0833.



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Library staff member Steven Alsina talks to children at Zac's Friendship house.

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Under the Microscope was presented to one hundred plus participants, by Mr. Greenleaf, a science teacher at LaBelle High School. He had prepared a variety of slides for children to examine under the microscope, along with many items that were examined with magnifying glasses. Children enjoyed trying to identify pictures of items as they look under a microscope.

Next week's program will be Science of Aerodynamics, presented by Joe Timm.

Bring the kids so they can learn how to make different kinds of paper airplanes. We'll be having an airplane flying contest.

The Girl Scouts will be going to the movies! Visit them at Barron Library to sign up your daughter(s) starting at 7:15 p.m. While you're there enjoy the Disney Princess movie, Enchanted, starting at 8:15 p.m. on August 1. Enjoy popcorn and refreshments while you get to know your new troop friends. Please bring a chair or blanket to this event.

LaBelle High School currently has a photo contest going on, these photos can be seen at the library until August 16 when a winner will be chosen.

ELECTIONS OFFICE NOTICE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PUBLIC TESTING FOR THE AUGUST 26, 2014 PRIMARY ELECTION

Testing will be conducted on August 6, 2014, beginning at 2:00 p.m. at the Supervisor of Elections Office, 25 E. Hickpochee Ave., LaBelle

CANVASSING BOARD MEETINGS

The Canvassing Board will convene at the Supervisor of Elections Office located at 25 E. Hickpochee Ave., LaBelle on:
August 22, at 5:00 p.m. • August 23, at 12:00 p.m.
August 25, at 5:00 p.m. • August 26, at 5:00 p.m.
August 28, at 5:00 p.m.

for the purpose of Canvassing Absentee Ballots, Early Ballots, Provisional Ballots, and the Votes cast in the August 26th Primary Election. The Canvassing Board will also select the precinct for the Post Audit.

THE PUBLIC TESTING, CANVASSING, CERTIFICATION AND POST ELECTION AUDIT ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

EARLY VOTING

Will be August 11 - August 23 for the Primary Election at the: LaBelle Elections Office, 25 E. Hickpochee Ave. and Clewiston Elections Office, 1100 S. Olympia Street; Weekdays 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.; Weekends 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

ABSENTEE VOTING

Absentee Ballots are also available. **TO REQUEST A BALLOT BY MAIL FOR THE ELECTION CALL 863-675-5230 OR 902-3392.**

DISABLED

Anyone unable to Vote their ballot without assistance such as blind, loss of limb, or illiterate, please contact the Supervisor of Elections.

ELECTION DAY

The polls will be open from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm for voters to cast their ballot. Please bring a photo and signature ID with you to the polls.

POST AUDIT

The Canvassing Board will convene for the Post Audit on September 2, 2014 at 3:00 p.m. and September 4, 2014 at 3:00 pm.

AVISO DE LA OFICINA DE ELECCIONES LA PRESENTE SE NOTIFICA DE LAS PRUEBAS PARA EL PÚBLICO 26 de Agosto 2014 ELECCIÓN PRIMARIA

Las pruebas se conduciran el 6 de Agosto 2014, comenzando a las 2:00 pm en la Oficina de Supervisor de Elecciones, 25 E. Hickpochee Ave., LaBelle

REUNION DE LA JUNTA DE ESCRUTINIO

La Junta de Escrutinio se reunirá en la Oficina de Supervisor de Elecciones en 25 E. Hickpochee Ave, LaBelle

22 de Agosto a las 5:00 pm • 23 de Agosto a las 12:00 pm

25 de Agosto a las 5:00 pm • 26 de Agosto a las 5:00 pm

28 de Agosto a las 5:00 pm

con el propósito de sollicitacion boletas ausentes del Escrutinio, y boletas de votar temprano, boletas provisionales, y los votos emitidos en la eleccion primaria del 26 de agosto. La Junta de Escrutinio también seleccionará el precinto para la auditoria posterior.

LA PRUEBA PÚBLICA, ESCRUTINIO, CERTIFICACION Y POST ELECTORALES ESTÁN ABIERTAS AL PÚBLICO

VOTAR TEMPRANO

Será el 11 de Agosto hasta el 23 de Agosto para la Elección Primaria en la Oficina de Elecciones en LaBelle, 25 E. Hickpochee Ave. y en la oficina de Elecciones en Clewiston, 1100 S. Olympia Ave. Dias de la semana de las 9:00 am hasta las 7:00 pm, Fin de semana de las 9:00 am hasta las 5:00 pm

VOTAR AUSENTE

Las boletas ausentes están disponibles. PARA SOLICITAR UNA BOLETA AUSENTE LLAME LA OFICINA DE ELECCIONES 863-675-5230 O 863-902-3392.

INCAPACITADO

Cualquier persona que no puede votar su boleta sin ayuda, como ciegos, la pérdida de una extremidad o analfabetos, dirijanse a la Supervisor de elecciones.

DIA DE LA ELECCION

Las urnas se abriran desde las 7:00 am hasta 7:00 pm para que los votantes a emitir su boleta. Por favor traiga su identificacion con su retrato y firma para las urnas

AUDITORIA POSTERIOR

La Junta de Escrutinio se reunirá para la auditoria posterior el dia 2 de septiembre a las 3:00 pm y 4 de septiembre de 2014 a las 3:00 pm.

Brenda Hoots
Supervisor of Elections
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Tourism to South Florida National Parks boosts the economy and creates jobs

A new National Park Service report shows that over two and a half million visitors to the national parks in South Florida, spent \$206 million last year in surrounding communities. That spending supported over 2,700 jobs in South Florida. The report shows numbers specific to Big Cypress National Preserve included a total of 1,007,789 visitors that spent an estimated \$75,954,700 in South Florida communities and created approximately 997 jobs.

"This report shows that park areas are an important part of our lives in the South Florida. They provide open space for people to enjoy and help to build a strong economy," said Superintendent Pedro Ramos.

The new report shows that national parks are significant drivers in the economy, returning ten dollars for every one that is invested in the National Park Service. Parks are the primary economic engines of many gateway communities. Visitors come to the parks from all over the world to experience the amazing scenery, natural resources, history and wildlife that the parks provide. Nearby communities provide visitors with

services that support thousands of mostly local jobs. Additional jobs are provided by building, educational and natural resource related projects that take place in parks and utilize local companies.

"South Florida's national park areas improve the quality of life for everyone in South Florida by creating jobs, protecting the environment and providing opportunities for people to get outdoors and enjoy nature," said Don Finefrock, Executive Director of the South Florida National Parks Trust, a nonprofit partner that supports all four parks through fundraising and community outreach.

According to the national economic analysis, most visitor spending was for lodging, followed by food and beverages, fuel, admissions, souvenirs and other expenses. The largest job categories supported by visitor spending were for restaurants and lodging. The report shows nearly \$15 billion of direct spending by 274 million visitors in communities within 60 miles of a national park. This spending supported more than 237,000 jobs nationally, with most of them

found in gateway communities. The spending had a cumulative benefit to the national economy of nearly \$27 billion.

Combined 2013 report figures include those for Biscayne, Everglades and Dry Tortugas National Parks, and Big Cypress National Preserve. The total for the four parks is up slightly from the previous year. This is while visitor spending was down by 1 percent nationally.

To learn more about national parks in Florida and how the National Park Service works with Florida communities to help preserve local history, conserve the environment, and provide outdoor recreation, go to www.nps.gov/florida. To download the report on visitor spending at individual parks and by state, visit <http://www.nature.nps.gov/socialscience/economics.cfm>. For more information about Big Cypress National Preserve, please visit the preserve website at www.nps.gov/bicy, or follow the park on Facebook at www.facebook.com/BigCypressNPS.

Church Briefs

Worship at Muse Oak Grove Holiness Church

Come worship the Lord with Muse Oak Grove Holiness Church. Sunday morning services 11 a.m.; Sunday School for children and worship service for adults; Sunday evening 6 p.m. praise and worship service, nursery available. Wednesday night 7 p.m. children's crafts, snacks for all. Bible study for adults. Come take an active part of the church if you sing, preach, have a ministry.

Pastor Jerome Sears and congregation invite you you to be a part and enjoy services with them.

The church is at the top of Summeralls Road. From LaBelle Hwy. 29 north to Whidden Road left, then right at four way; SR 726 Loblolly Road follow approximately six miles to the church 239-728-3580 or 863-517-1122.

Obituaries

Stanley Gene Wooten, 64

LABELLE — Stanley Gene Wooten passed away July 28, 2014 in LaBelle.

He was born Aug. 10, 1949 in Arcadia to the late Raymond R. and the late Lillian R. (Brown) Wooten. Gene owned and operated Wooten's Everglades Airboat Tours for many years. He also raised many different animals native to Florida, including several Florida panthers.

He is survived by his loving wife, Iris Lynn (Harris) Wooten; daughter, Shelley Lynn Wooten-Gericke; grandchildren, Tyler Gene Wooten, Gena Lynn Wooten, Autumn Hope Gericke; and brother, Richard Wooten.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his brother, Raymond Willard Wooten.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, Aug. 1, 2014 at Eastside Baptist Church, LaBelle with Pastor Jeremy Howell officiating. Visitation will be Friday, 1 hour prior to service at Eastside Baptist Church, LaBelle, FL. Interment will be at 3:00 pm in Joshua Creek Cemetery, Arcadia.

Arrangements by Akin-Davis Funeral Home - LaBelle.

LaBelle early childhood education center relocates

LABELLE, Fla. (July 23, 2014) — Children's Garden of LaBelle has moved to 88 South Main Street with more room for children from age 1 through 8. The early education center, one of six operated by Child Care of Southwest Florida, also is enrolling children for its free voluntary prekindergarten program.

"The new Children's Garden of LaBelle, less than a mile from our former location, is more convenient with easier access for parents and staff," said Child Care of Southwest Florida Executive Director Beth Lobdell. "More importantly, we have more room, the building provides better use of space, and our outdoor play area is larger with additional play structures."

The center is nationally accredited, maintains low teacher/child ratios and uses the Creative Curriculum program with lesson plans individualized for each student. Highly trained teachers facilitate learning, through play, to build early literacy, language, math and science skills and encourage children to be independent thinkers. Strong partnerships with parents help children to benefit from the best early-learning experience and prepare them for success in kindergarten and beyond. Tuition includes nutritious meals and snacks, served family style to promote independence and social skills.

Tuition ranges from \$112 weekly for school-age children to \$161.10 for toddlers.



Submitted photo

Front row from left: Child Care of Southwest Florida Director of Operations Nancy Coker, LaBelle Mayor David Lyons, Child Care of Southwest Florida Executive Director Beth Lobdell, with scissors. President Bryan Beer and Executive Secretary Carmen Corbitt with the Greater LaBelle Chamber of Commerce, Children's Garden of LaBelle Center Director Sonya Flores and Child Care of Southwest Florida Education Specialist Deb McCarthy.

Part-time rates and scholarships are available. Call Center Director Sonya Flores at 863-675-3311 for more information, registration or tours.

Child Care of Southwest Florida has six accredited early education centers in Lee and Hendry counties. The staff is dedicated to the premise that kindergarten is too late,

based on research that shows that high-quality early childhood education reduces dropout rates, teen pregnancy and arrests. A United Way agency established in 1967, Child Care of Southwest Florida provides scholarships for low-income children through ongoing fundraising efforts. Visit www.ccswnl.org to learn more.

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Honoring our Heros

ABOVE: American Legion Post 130 Commander Matt Kindermann noted that the Fallen Heroes ceremony brings people together as comrades, neighbors, friends and families to honor our heroes and rejoice in the freedom they earned for us.

TOP LEFT: Another family present for the brick placing ceremony was there for Master Sgt. Louis Kencesny USA WWII and family friend Toby Lee Prescott. Glenn Whidden, there to honor his grandfather, said Sgt. Kencesny was a “very good man.”

BOTTOM LEFT: The Hammett family was on hand this year to honor his brother, CWO Hammett, and also to place a memorial brick for their father and grandfather, John Hammett who recently passed away. The elder Hammett was an Army veteran who had served in Viet Nam. The younger Hammett was on hand with his wife, Malinda, and their sons: Nolen, Ben, Charlie and Parker, each with special memories of their loved ones.

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Baseball across the Pond

Baseball has always been a part of Ronnie and Alton Burton's lives. From LaBelle Little League "Cardinals" to LaBelle High School "Cowboys" to Southeastern University "Fire," baseball has definitely impacted these 19-year-old twins in a positive way. This summer they were given an opportunity to play baseball with the "Hull Scorpions AAA Club" in Hull, England. While there, they helped conduct training sessions at the schools to encourage students to get involved with baseball. Barry Marshall, their coach in England, is working with his staff to increase the popularity of baseball in the area and hoping to see a resurgence of this sport in the local communities. The Burton boys will be returning to college this fall and continue to play baseball for Southeastern University Coaches Jason Beck and Brian Reves. "Go Fire!"

White reelected President of FACIU

At the 33rd Annual Florida Agricultural Crimes Intelligence Unit Sergeant Charles White of the Hendry County Sheriff's Office Agricultural Crimes Unit was reelected to serve a second term as President of FACIU.

White has been a member of FACIU for over 25 years and is very appreciative of the support he's received from the unit members, law enforcement agencies and the agricultural communities.

White said, "It's that kind of community involvement and member loyalty that has made FACIU the outstanding unit that it is today. Again, thank you for allowing me to serve as President for the Florida Agricultural Crimes Intelligence Unit. It has been an honor."

At the 2014 Annual Training Seminar in Crystal River, Florida, there were 57 members in attendance, representing the following agencies: Ben Hill Griffin, Inc, Brevard County SO, Charlotte County SO, Coffee County SO-Alabama, Collier County SO, Columbia County SO, Deseret Cattle & Citrus, DeSoto County SO, Flagler County SO, Glades County SO, Hardee County SO, Hendry County SO, Highlands County SO, Hernando County SO, Indian River County SO, Lake County SO, Levy County SO, Okeechobee County SO, Orange County SO, Osceola County SO, Palm Beach County SO, Sarasota County SO, Seminole Tribe PD, Seminole County SO, St. Lucie County SO, Trenton PD and FWC.

Topics included Animal Diseases, Marks and Brands, Animal Cruelty, Sovereign Citizens and Hate Crimes, GPS and Compass Navigation, Cooking Oil Thefts How to



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White raised over \$3,000 in cash donations toward sponsoring this annual training seminar and is already making plans for the 2015 Annual training Seminar.

Sport Shorts

LHS Football

Football: First day of football practice, for all students interested in playing football this year, will be August 4th at 8:00 a.m. Practice is for both the Varsity and JV football teams. Any questions please email Coach Siner at Sinerc@hendry.k12.fl.us



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Florida SouthWestern to Offer Special Saturday Hours on August 2

July 24, 2014 – Fort Myers, FLA – Florida SouthWestern State College (FSW) (formerly known as Edison State College) will offer special Saturday hours at all locations from 9 a.m.–12 p.m. on Saturday, August 2. All enrollment service offices will be open during these times to assist students in completing any unfinished business for Fall enrollment at FSW. Specific locations are as follows:

- * Thomas Edison (Lee) Campus, 8099 College Parkway, Fort Myers, Building S
- * Charlotte Campus, 26300 Airport Road, Punta Gorda, Building J
- * Collier Campus, 7505 Grand Lely Drive, Naples, FL 34113, Building M
- * Hendry/Glades Center, 1092 E. Cowboy Way, LaBelle, Building A

“We know that sometimes it is hard to stop by the college during the week to complete the necessary paperwork for enrollment and the opportunity to register for

classes,” said Mark Bukowski, Director of Admissions at Florida SouthWestern State College. “By offering Saturday hours on August 2, FSW is welcoming those who are in the process to finish what they need to and ask questions. We also welcome anyone interested in starting the admissions process as well during this time frame.”

During the special Saturday hours, students and applicants can submit documents necessary to complete the admissions process, finalize course registration, pay for classes, meet with financial aid representatives and ask questions related to the admission and registration process. For more information, call (800) 749-2322 or visit www.FSW.edu. For those interested in starting the admissions process, visit www.FSW.edu/admissions.

Florida SouthWestern State College is Southwest Florida’s largest and one of the most affordable institutions of higher education. Annually serving more than 22,000 students globally, FSW offers a variety of nationally-ranked, career-focused academic programs with two- and four-year degrees, and professional certifications. Students are also active in clubs and programs catered to their interests. FSW will debut its intercollegiate athletics program in the fall 2015. Visit www.FSW.edu for more information.

Cammack completes basic

Air Force Airman Mychaela C. Cammack graduated from basic military training at Joint Base San Antonio-Lackland, San Antonio, Texas.

The airman completed an intensive, eight-week program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness and basic warfare principles and skills, Airmen who complete basic training can earn four credits toward an associate in applied science degree through the Community College.

Cammack is the daughter of Lisa Koss of Alpena, Mich., and granddaughter of Lois Koss of LaBelle.

She is a 2013 graduate of Alpena High School, Alpena Mich.

Girl Scouts are in need of volunteer Troop Leaders and Co-Leaders

Girl Scouts is a volunteer-led organization and is in need of new troop leaders and co-leaders for the upcoming school year. Girl Scout volunteers need to complete a volunteer application, criminal background check, and complete proper training. Leaders and co-leaders have the opportunity to create a flexible schedule that works for them. Training, curriculum and support are provided.

As a volunteer, you’ll introduce girls to new experiences that make every day feel like the best day ever. Imagine the smiles, the excitement, the memories you’ll make—those are the moments you’ll share at Girl Scouts.

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Bears and Bikes

Staff and volunteers at Abuse Counseling and Treatment, Inc. would like to show their deep appreciation to all the sponsors of the July 19 Bears and Bikes fundraiser. These signs represent some of the local businesses that played a big part in this event, so important to provide a home for women and children in a very dark place.

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Caloosa Baptist Feeds 400+ Needy People



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Carey Soud, left and Pastor Les Morgan open Caloosa Baptist's door to the hungry.

On Tuesday, July 22, Caloosa Baptist Church provided a place for people to get much needed food. It is estimated that more than four hundred people came and stood in line on the property of the church to receive fruit, meat, vegetables, juice, breakfast foods, and other items, all at no expense.

The church worked with the organization named after singer/songwriter, Harry Chapin, who brought two very large trucks of food. The Harry Chapin group, located across America, works in conjunction with Walmart, and supplies food to the less fortunate.

"It was a great honor to help so many people throughout Hendry County," said Dr. Les Morgan, pastor of Caloosa Baptist. "Harry Chapin and Walmart

were a great blessing to many, many people. We were privileged to work with these folks. We had about 30 of our church members helping, and they were very busy the entire time"

While a count was not taken of exactly how many people received the food, all of the supplies were given out. Fortunately, Caloosa Baptist had a small food pantry for the needy. All of its contents were likewise emptied but no one went away without food.

Both Harry Chapin and Walmart were pleased with the organization of the distribution. Because it went so well, the church was asked to make this a routine event. Caloosa will be hosting another event in the next few months and beyond that as well.

Hendry teacher presented with Shine Award

Hendry County, FL – Governor Rick Scott recognized 37 outstanding educators for their contributions to learning with the Governor's Shine Awards. Kimberly Jordan, a teacher at LaBelle Elementary School was presented with the Shine Award along with other Florida educators who have impacted the lives of students through the classroom. The teachers recognized were all named District Teachers of the Year for their respective counties.

Governor Scott said, "I am so honored to be able to present the Governor's Shine Award to these 2014-2015 District Teachers of the Year. As we celebrate Florida's successes in education we must applaud our teachers' commitment to educating Florida's children. Florida's students are among the best in the nation thanks to the commitment of our great educators. Our wonderful teachers play a fundamental role in preparing our students for college and a career.

On behalf of the Hendry

County EDC's Education Improvement Task Force, congratulations, Kimberly Jordan.

About the Hendry County Economic Development Council

The Hendry County Economic Development Council is a collaboration of public and private entities established to promote sustained economic growth within Hendry County. The Hendry County EDC is focused on creating a diverse business structure while maintaining a high quality of life through investment in community education, workforce development, and promotion of the County's rich heritage. The staff of the Hendry County EDC provides a range of services to assist businesses seeking to relocate or expand in Hendry County. For more information visit: www.hendryedc.com.

It's Time for School Physicals

Hendry Regional Medical Center is all set to provide school physicals for the children in our 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 medical facilities. 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.

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MEETING NOTICE
HENDRY COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
PUBLIC NOTICE
Selection Committee Meeting for RFP 2014-14

There will be a ranking meeting on Tuesday, August 12, 2014 at 9:00 a.m. to review and rank the submittals for Disaster Debris Removal and Disposal Services for Hendry County. The meeting will be held at the Hendry County Emergency Management Operations Center, located at 4425 West State Road 80, LaBelle, FL 33935. All interested are encouraged to attend. For further information, please contact the Hendry County Emergency Management's Office at (863) 674-5400.

If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Board with respect to any matter considered at such meeting or hearing, he/she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he/she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Si necesita la asistencia de un interprete que hable espanol para participar un esta reunion, por favor pongase en contacto con Lupe Taylor al (863) 674-5400.

Public comment will be allowed at the time the item is being considered. If you wish to speak, you need to make the Committee Chair aware.

Karson Turner, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
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Public Notice

HENDRY COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
NOTICE OF MEETING LOCATION CHANGES

Notice is hereby given that the Hendry County Board of County Commissioners' regularly scheduled meeting on August 12, 2014, at 5:00 p.m. will be held at the Hendry County Courthouse, Commission Chambers, 25 East Hickpochee Avenue, LaBelle, Florida.

The Board's regularly scheduled meeting on August 26, 2014, at 5:00 p.m., will be held at Clewiston City hall, Commission Chambers, 115 West Ventura Avenue, Clewiston, Florida.

The meetings are open to the public. If a person decides to appeal any decision made with respect to any matter considered at these meetings, he/she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he/she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. Please note that matters may be discussed at the meetings which are not on the prepared agenda for the meetings.

Si necesita la asistencia de un interprete que hable espanol para participar un esta reunion, por favor pongase en contacto con Myra Johnson al (863) 675-5240.

Board of County Commissioners of Hendry County, Florida
Karson Turner, Chairman

466504 CN 7/31/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **US Bank as C/F FL Dundee Lien Inv, LLC**, the holder 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 | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
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| 1223 | 2010 | 1284331-A0000950000 | Yoel Morejon |

The Northwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 28, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30.00 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 422, PIONEER PLANTATION, an unrecorded subdivision.

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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, 2014**, which is the **28th day of August, 2014**.

Dated this **16th** day of **July, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
Clerk of Circuit Court
Hendry County, Florida

466378 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

Public Notice

MEETING NOTICE
HENDRY COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
PUBLIC NOTICE
Selection Committee Meeting for RFP 2014-14

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Karson Turner, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
466525 CN 7/31/2014

Public Notice

MEETING NOTICE
HENDRY COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
PUBLIC NOTICE
Selection Committee Meeting for RFP 2014-15

There will be a meeting on Tuesday, August 12 at 9:00 a.m. to review and rank the submittals for Emergency Debris Monitoring for Hendry County. The meeting will be held at the Hendry County Emergency Management Operations Center, located at 4425 West State Road 80, LaBelle, FL 33935. All interested are encouraged to attend. For further information, please contact the Hendry County Emergency Management's Office at (863) 674-5400.

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Karson Turner, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
466521 CN 7/31/2014

Public Notice

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **TC Tampa J, LLC PNC C/O TC Tampa J, LLC**, the holder 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 | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 5423 | 2011 | 4104329-HP100080180 | Ronald W Steigerwald |

Lot 18, Block 8, PORT LABELLE HOLIDAY PARK UNIT NO. 1, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 4, Page 3, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

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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, 2014**, which is the **28th day of August, 2014**.

Dated this **16th** day of **July, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
Clerk of Circuit Court
Hendry County, Florida

466373 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

Public Notice

MEETING NOTICE
HENDRY COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
PUBLIC NOTICE
Selection Committee Meeting for RFP 2014-15

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Karson Turner, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners
466521 CN 7/31/2014

Public Notice

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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| CERT. NO. | YEAR | DESCRIPTION | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1142 | 2010 | 1224331-01000000120 | Winder VI LLC |

Lot 12, Block 0, the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 22, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. SUBJECT to an easement for an access road of the East 30.00 feet thereof.

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Barbara S. Butler
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Hendry County, Florida

466376 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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| CERT. NO. | YEAR | DESCRIPTION | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1576 | 2011 | 1144432-A0002470100 | Crystal I LLC |

The North one-half of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of Section 14, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Also known as Tract 2895, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.

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| CERT. NO. | YEAR | DESCRIPTION | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1063 | 2010 | 1044430-02000040023 | Pushpa Bhuvan Chandran |

Lot 8, Tract 2, LESS the North 1237.50 feet thereof, Block 4 GERBER GROVES SECTION 2, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 3, Pages 26 thru 31, inclusive, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

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Dated this **16th** day of **July, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466375 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

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| CERT. NO. | YEAR | DESCRIPTION | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1614 | 2011 | 1154432-A0000490100 | Benito H Diaz |

The West one-half of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 15, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof and subject to an easement for an access road of the South 40 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 3267, 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.

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 Hendry County, Florida

466385 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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| CERT. NO. | YEAR | DESCRIPTION | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 2173 | 2011 | 1264432-A0001170000 | Roberto Cruz |

The South one-half of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 26, 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 914, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.

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Dated this **16th** day of **July, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466386 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **G. Flash G.P. Inc.**, the holder 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 | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 2130 | 2010 | 1254432-A0000570000 | Pinot IV LLC |

The South one-half of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 25, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. SUBJECT to an easement for an access road of the East 30 feet thereof. (Also known as Lot 5068, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.)

Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-44-25-A00-0057-0000
 Property Address: 260 S Zambria Street, Clewiston, FL 33440

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Dated this **16th** day of **July, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466369 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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| CERT. NO. | YEAR | DESCRIPTION | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1175 | 2010 | 1274331-010000H0110 | Verona A LLC |

The Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 27, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Also known as Tract 11, Block H, of DIAMOND "J" ESTATES, PIONEER PLANTATION, 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 Fourth Thursday** in the month of **August, 2014**, which is the **28th day of August, 2014**.

Dated this **16th** day of **July, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466377 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

Public Notice

Public Notice

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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| CERT. NO. | YEAR | DESCRIPTION | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|---|
| 2189 | 2010 | 1254432-A0001950100 | Luis Angulo & Paola C Dalmasso c/o Luis Angulo |

The North one-half of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 25, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to a canal easement over and across the North 30 feet thereof and subject to an easement for ingress, egress and utilities over and across the West 30 feet thereof. (Also known as Lot 609, Montura Ranch Estates, an unknown subdivision.)

TOGETHER WITH a 1963 WOLVERINE single-wide mobile home having Identification No. GAW1729, Title No. 1289726 and RP Decal No. 12119048, which is permanently affixed to real property, (Lien Holder: Wachovia Bank, NA)

Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-44-25-A00-0195-0100
 Property Address: 415 S. Trebol Street, Clewiston, FL 33440

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, 2014**, which is the **28th day of August, 2014**.

Dated this **16th** day of **July, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466370 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **US Bank as C/F FL Dundee Lien Inv, LLC**, the holder 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 | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|-------------------------------|
| 806 | 2010 | 1274329-01000020461 | Artemis Development Group LLC |

A parcel of land lying in Section 4, Township 44 South, Range 29 East, Hendry County, Florida, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at the Southwest corner of the Northeast one-quarter of the one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of said Section 4, run South 89 degrees 40'39" East, 331.66 foot along the South line of said Northeast one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter to the Point-of-Beginning; thence North 00 degrees 19'21" East, 682.98 feet; thence South 89 degrees 40'39" East, 333.55 feet; thence South 00 degrees 19'21" West, 682.98 feet to the said South line of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter; thence North 89 degrees 40'39" West, 333.55 feet along said South line to the Point-of-Beginning. SUBJECT to and together with a 30 foot roadway easement over and across the South 30 feet thereof and contiguous to the North boundary described as follows: Commencing at the Northwest corner of the herein described parcel; thence South 89 degrees 40'30" East, 333.55 feet; thence South 00 degrees 19'21" West 30.00 feet; thence North 89 degrees 40'39" West, 243.55 feet to the beginning of a tangent curve to the left; thence run 57.92 feet along the arc of said curve, with a radius of 90.00 feet, a central angle of 36 degrees 52'12" and a chord of South 71 degrees 53'15" West, 56.92 feet, to a point of reverse curvature to the beginning of a tangent curve to the right; thence run 38.61 feet along the arc of said curve, with a radius of 60.00 feet, a central angle of 38 degrees 52'12" and a chord of South 71 degrees West, 37.95 feet to the tangent end of said curve; thence North 80 degrees 07'30" East, 60.00 feet to the Point-of-Beginning.

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Dated this **16th** day of **July, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466374 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **G. Flash G.P. Inc.**, the holder 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 | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 3163 | 2010 | 1214334-010000U0030 | Daisy Bell Williams |

Lot 5, Block U of Harlem Addition No. 3, according to the plat recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 7, of the Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

TOGETHER WITH a 2001 FLEETWOOD double-wide mobile home having Identification Nos. FLFL170A29004AV31 & FLFL170B29004AV31, Title Nos. 83363325 & 83364006 and RP Decal No. 24064646 & 24064950, which is permanently affixed to real property. (Lien Holder: Conesco Finance Servicing Corp.)

Parcel Identification Number: 1-34-43-21-010-000U.003.0
 Property Address: 1218 Della Tobias Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

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.

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Dated this **16th** day of **July, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466372 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
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| CERT. NO. | YEAR | DESCRIPTION | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1546 | 2011 | 1144432-A0001160100 | Naomi Shaw |

The East one-half of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 14, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Also known as Tract 2760, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.

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Dated this **16th** day of **July, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466381 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS FOR DESIGN & PERMITTING SERVICES AND CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING/INSPECTION SERVICES FOR CONSTRUCTING A 12-FOOT WIDE RIGHT TURN LANE FROM SOUTHBOUND CR 835, A 12-FOOT WIDE LEFT TURN LANE FROM NORTHBOUND CR 835 AND A PROPOSED PRIVATE ACCESS ROAD SERVING THE MAIN ENTRANCE OF AN INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN HENDRY COUNTY

RFQ No. 2014-17

Opening Date and Time: **August 14, 2014 @ 2:00 p.m.**

Hendry County is seeking engineering firms interested in providing professional services for construction of a 12-foot wide right turn lane from southbound CR 835, a 12-foot wide left turn lane from northbound CR 835 and a proposed private access road serving the main entrance of a commercial development in Hendry County, Florida. Firms submitting must have expertise in roadway and drainage design permitting services, and construction engineering/inspection services. Proposers shall have all services available in-house or may propose multiple firms, which have joined together to provide the various required disciplinary services in order to offer a complete submission. Individuals and firms properly registered in the State of Florida are encouraged to submit their qualifications for consideration. All submittals (see Part IV, Submission Requirements) received in response to this RFQ will be reviewed by a County Evaluation Committee. In order to be considered, submittals must be received by the Board of County Commissioners at the C. E. Hall Building (Clerk's Office) in the Hendry County Courthouse Complex, 25 E. Hickpochee Avenue, LaBelle Florida by 2:00 p.m., August 14, 2014, at which time all responses to this request will be recorded in the presence of one (1) or more witnesses.

A copy of the Instructions and Bid Documents can be obtained from the Hendry County Engineering Office, by email at kgonan@hendryfl.net, online at www.hendryfla.net, or by calling (863) 675-5222. Instructions and RFQ documents will be emailed upon request.

The solicitation does not commit Hendry County to award any contracts, to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of a response to this RFQ, or to contract for any services. The County reserves the right to reject any or all submittals received as a result of this solicitation, or to cancel in part or in its entirety this RFQ, if it is in the best interest of the County to do so.

Hendry County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and Drug/Smoke Free Work Place.

Si necesita la asistencia de un interprete que hable español para participar en esta reunion, por favor pongase en contacto con Myra Johnson al (863) 675-5240.

Karson Turner, Chairman
 Board of County Commissioners
 466263 CN/CB 7/17,24,31;8/7,14/2014

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REQUEST FOR BIDS
SUPPLY AVIATION FUELS TO AIRPORTS IN HENDRY COUNTY

BID NO. 2014-12
 OPENING DATE AND TIME: **August 21, 2014, at 2:00 p.m.**

Sealed Bids will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of Hendry County, Florida for the supply of aviation fuels to airports in Hendry County, Florida. In order to be considered, bids must be received by the Board of County Commissioners c/o the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Attn: Barbara Butler, at the C. E. Hall Building, Room A-226, Hendry County Courthouse Complex, 25 E. Hickpochee Avenue, LaBelle, Florida, by **August 21, 2014, at 2:00 p.m.**, at which time all responses to this request will be recorded in the presence of one or more witnesses.

A copy of the Instructions and Bid Documents can be obtained from the Hendry County Engineering Department, located at 99 East Cowboy Way, LaBelle, Florida (for pick up), Post Office Box 1607, LaBelle, Florida 33975 (mailing address) or by calling (863) 675-5222.

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Karson Turner, Chairman
 Board of County Commissioners
 466323 CN/CB 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

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| 3022 | 2010 | 1144334-040000F0190 | Oscar Carranza + Jackie Carranza |

Lot 19, Block F, of SHERWOOD SUBDIVISION, according to the Plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 5, Pages 127 and 128, of the Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

TOGETHER WITH a 1991 HOMES OF MERIT double-wide mobile home having Identification Nos. FLHMB44031361A & FLHMB44031361B, Title Nos. 61033638 & 61026745 and RP Decal Nos. 12597829 & 12597831, which is permanently affixed to real property.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-34-43-14-040-000F-019.0
 Property Address: 1230 Liberty Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

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Dated this **16th** day of **July, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466371 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014



Time to clean out the attic, basement and/or garage? Advertise your yard sale in the classifieds and make your clean up a breeze!

Reading a newspaper helps you understand the world around you. No wonder newspaper readers are more successful people!

Community Briefs

SCF time!

The Swamp Cabbage Festival Committee will hold its first meeting for the 2015 Festival Monday, August 4, 6:30 p.m. at City Hall. All those who would like voting privileges must represent a business or organization and bring a letter designating its delegate and an alternate. Everyone, please be thinking of a theme for the 2015 festival and be ready to roll up your sleeves!

Ball room dance classes are back

After a five year hiatus Diane and Nick Fidanza are once again offering their beginners ballroom dance classes. Did you ever go to a wedding reception, birthday party or holiday event and just sit there while the music plays and others are out on the dance floor having a great time? Now you will no longer have to sit and watch others doing what they call dancing!

Dance classes are being held in the club house at Maple Corners on Whidden Road, just north of LaBelle (directions to be provided). Since starting the classes in 2006, over 150 LaBelle residents and people from as far away as Clewiston and Fort Myers have gone through the paces and learned to "cut

a rug" in style. Students in the beginning classes have learned to dance the waltz, fox trot, rhumba, swing and Texas Two Step with a few steps of the polka and merengue thrown in.

At the request of the students an advanced class was added a few years ago in which the students were given some additional steps for the dance they had already learned, along with being introduced to the cha cha, samba and mambo, It's easier than you think and you will be amazed at your ability after the eight weeks of lessons are over (just in time for all those holiday parties!) In addition to the group classes Diane and Nick have also taught private lessons as well as preparing couples for that special dance on their wedding day. Classes are held on Monday evenings beginning on September 29, 7-8 p.m. Class size is limited to the first 15 couples, so call to reserve your place in the class at 675-1020.

Help the animals

The Caloosa Humane Society is holding a big yard sale on August 2 from 8 a.m.-1 p.m. We have many new items, come shop and support our homeless pets at the shelter. We also need donations of salable items for our yard sales. All proceeds go directly to benefit the animals at the shelter. Park Ave. be-

hind the LaBelle Auction Co., 390 N. Bridge Street. For more information call 675-0997. The animals thank you for your continued support.

VFW

VFW Post 10100 will pay the initial membership fee for Armed Forces personnel serving in harm's way or recently discharged. Post 10100 is also the home post of AMVETS Post 2012. All honorably discharged veterans are eligible for AMVETS membership.

Remember Charcoal Broiled Burgers every Saturday from 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. and Bingo every Sunday at 2:00.

Hendry Soil and Water Conservationists to meet

The Hendry Soil and Water Conservation District will hold its regularly scheduled Board meeting on August 28, at 1 p.m. in the large conference room of the Dallas B. Townsend Agricultural Building. Meetings are open to the public.

Join the Girl Scouts at one of these fun events

The Girl Scouts will be going to the mov-

ies! Visit them at Barron Library to sign up your daughter(s) starting at 7:15 p.m. While you're there enjoy the Disney Princess movie, Enchanted, starting at 8:15 p.m. on August 1. Enjoy popcorn and refreshments while you get to know your new troop friends. Please bring a chair or blanket to this event.

For more information on joining or becoming a volunteer, please contact Jennifer Welch at 941-302-0005 or jeniferw@gsgcf.org.

Help Woman's Club help

The LaBelle Woman's Club is asking for monetary donations for the Days for Girls Project to finish up the supplies needed for the remaining kits. The club still needs donations of 100 percent cotton material. There is someone at the club house every Tuesday from 9-11:30 a.m.

Donate to Salvation Army

Help the Salvation Army provide for those in need by donating cans of meat or soup. Please drop them by 133 N. Bridge Street.

DAV flea market

Come out every Saturday to the Disabled American Veterans flea market, off Martin Luther King Blvd. Lots of deals - lots of items - lots of fun! Call 239-728-5332.

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| 1581 | 2011 | 1144432-A0002590100 | Argelio A & Magaly G Rivas |

The North one-half of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 14, 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 2869, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.

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Dated this 16th day of July, 2014.

Barbara S. Butler
Clerk of Circuit Court
Hendry County, Florida

466384 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

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| CERT. NO. | YEAR | DESCRIPTION | NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED |
|-----------|------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1575 | 2011 | 1144432-A0002470000 | Verona A LLC |

The South one-half of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of Section 14, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for a drainage canal of the South 30 feet thereof. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 2896, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.

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Dated this 16th day of July, 2014.

Barbara S. Butler
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466382 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

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Joseph Crockett graduates from Samford University

BIRMINGHAM, AL (07/16/2014)(read-Media)-- Joseph Wester Crockett of Fort Denaud, FL graduated from Samford University's Cumberland School of Law during recent commencement exercises. Crockett earned a Juris Doctor degree.

Crockett was one of 900 students to receive a bachelor's, master's or doctoral degree in one of seven ceremonies.

Samford University is Alabama's top-ranked private university and provides nationally-recognized academic programs rooted in its historic Christian mission. U.S. News & World Report ranks Samford 3rd among regional universities in the South, and the university is widely acknowledged as a leader in liberal arts and professional school education. Founded in 1841 and located in suburban Birmingham, Samford is the 87th oldest institution of higher learning in the U.S. and enrolls 4,800 students from 44 states and 22 countries in its 10 academic units: arts, arts and sciences, business, divinity, education, health professions, law, nursing, pharmacy and public health. Samford also fields 17 NCAA Division I teams that compete in the tradition-rich Southern Conference. www.samford.edu

United Way elects new officers and board members

FORT MYERS, Fla. (July 22, 2014) –New officers and eleven new board members were elected at the recent United Way of Lee, Hendry, Glades, and Okeechobee Annual Meeting. Officers and Executive Committee Members for 2014-2015 are the following:

Board Chair: Robert Wilson – ENTERPRISE HOLDINGS

Vice Chair: John Clinger – Clinger, Sizemore & Associates/Bank of America

Treasurer: Patricia Heath – Interop Technologies

Assistant Treasurer: Craig Folk, Miller, Helms & Folk PA

Secretary: Mary Vlasak Snell – Pavese Law Firm

Immediate Past Chair: Tom Uhler – Uhler & Vertich Financial Planners

Joining the United Way Board of Directors are the following:

Orestes Baez – The News-Press Media Group

Lee Bellamy – Homewood Suites, Bell Tower Shops

Charles Chapman – Hendry County Government

Michael Clark – United Mechanical, Inc. Roger Desjarlais – Lee County

Douglas Forster – Chico's FAS
Chauncey Goss – Goss Practical Solutions

Derek Jones – Wells Fargo Bank
Buddy Kubesh – Publix Super Markets

Jennifer Lafferty – CenterState Bank
Brett Tessier – Publix Super Markets

Since the inception of United Way in 1957, over 128 million dollars have been raised and distributed in our community.

All money raised in the United Way campaign stays in the local community to help support the local human service network.

United Way Partner Agencies and initiatives such as the, Alvin A Dubin Alzheimer's Resource Center, LARC, Harry Chapin Food Bank, the Boys and Girls Clubs, and United Way 211 serve a diverse range of needs in our community including nurturing children and youth, strengthening families, meeting critical needs such as helping the elderly and disabled live independently, and empowering communities by bringing health and human services to neighborhoods.

In addition to raising funds for human service organizations in our community, the United Way promotes partnerships and collaborations among agencies and initiatives, helping them to work together focusing on issues and solutions that continue to improve lives.

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HOMES
\$59,000 - OLDER home 3/1 w/ workshop on 1 ac in the city. New A/C, fenced.
\$79,000 - 2/2 Villa over looking Port LaBelle Marina. Features a split floor plan and new A/C.
\$89,900 - 2/2 completely remodeled condo with 1,020 sq. ft. Includes a deeded carport.
\$97,500 - Quiet dead end street in Belmont remodeled 3/2 w/screened lanai.
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WILD RICE MEAT LOAF

INGREDIENTS

- 1 pound extra-lean ground beef
- 8 ounces Cheddar cheese, shredded
- 1 small onion, minced
- 1 cup bread crumbs
- ½ cup all-purpose flour
- 2 eggs

- 1 teaspoon pepper
- ½ teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon sage
- 3 cups cooked wild rice

DIRECTIONS

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees. Combine the ground beef, cheese, onion, bread crumbs, flour, eggs, pepper, salt, sage and wild rice in a

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