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LMS Principal Ken Pickles

New at LMS

By **Patty Brant**
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When LaBelle Middle Schoolers return to class August 18, they will pick up their books, get together with friends and teachers they haven't see all summer and find a new face at the helm.

Well, not really a "new" face. Ken Pickles has been assistant principal there under Dr. Robert Egley for several years.

Dr. Egley is now at the high school and Mr. Pickles is in the principal's office. Mr. Pickles has nine years in administration as both a dean and an assistant prin-

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LaBelle man pleads guilty in toxin case

TRENTON, N.J. — A Florida man has admitted producing and selling potentially deadly toxins ricin and abrin for use as weapons and conspiring to kill a woman in the United Kingdom, U.S. Attorney Paul J. Fishman announced.

Jesse William Korff, 19, of LaBelle pleaded guilty before U.S. District Judge Peter G. Sheridan in Trenton federal court to an information charging him with five counts of developing, producing, transferring and possessing toxins, five counts of smuggling toxins and one count of conspiring to kill a person in a foreign country.



Jesse Korff

and the FBI.

"Jesse Korff admitted producing and selling potentially deadly toxins to strangers over the Internet," U.S. Attorney Fishman said. "Working in the shadows of a se-

cretive computer network favored by cybercriminals, he peddled his poison on a virtual black market of illegal and dangerous goods. Today he admitted he was in the midst of aiding an overseas customer in an attempted murder. Thankfully, an undercover law enforcement officer posing as a buyer was able get Korff off the street before he could conclude the transaction."

"HSI has worked tirelessly with our law enforcement partners to shutter underground websites such as BMR and arrest those responsible for reckless and dan-

gerous illegal activity," Andrew McLees, special agent in charge of HSI Newark, said. "Anyone involved in the sale of toxins designed for use in chemical terrorism must be stopped, and this guilty plea shows HSI's commitment to stopping individuals who show callous disregard for public safety in the interest of making a buck."

"The overriding focus of the FBI's WMD Directorate, and the primary focus of the FBI's overall efforts is prevention," Aaron T.

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The new mission: Finding the way back

By **Patty Brant**
Caloosa Belle

How do you repay a serviceman?

Massage therapists Margie and Ron Stephens of LaBelle have found a unique way to do just that with Task Force Dagger, a non-profit organization with a mission to support disabled Special Operations veterans and their families. Margie and Ron offered their services to these very special people at a Task Force Dagger event in June at Key West.

The group's focus is "Serving those who served US" and supplying their needs through recreational therapy. By providing family activities, they help these American heroes and their families "re-engage with life."

The veterans' needs are vetted by the soldier's chain of command or the US Special Operations Command's Care Coalition to ensure they're valid and that money donated is used properly. The soldiers they help have served

multiple tours in Iraq and Afghanistan and were wounded in combat or in service to their country. This year there were 37 participants including 15 children at the Key West event.

"They're an amazing group," Margie said,

Ron's son Mark is a US Army veteran who retired as a Master Sergeant with Delta Force. He spent 22 years serving his country in Special Operations. It was Mark who got Margie and Ron involved in Task Force Dagger.

Also a wounded vet, Mark is with a group called Teen Research Underwater Exploration (TRUE) which involves teens in oceanographic science and conservation.

According to their web site Truediveteam.org:

"TRUE partners with Task Force Dagger, working with vets and their families to certify them in scuba diving. Task Force Dagger and TRUE Leadership provides

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Submitted photo

Margie and Ron Stephens of LaBelle are committed to the Task Force Dagger Foundation, helping wounded Special Services veterans and their families adapt to their changing lives. The foundation recently put on an event in Key West introducing entire families to the enjoyment of scuba diving. The foundation is a family affair, with their son Mark, a US Army Special Operation veteran.



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Toxin

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Ford, Special Agent in Charge of FBI, Newark, said. "To keep the threat posed by Korff from becoming a reality, the FBI leveraged subject matter experts to include WMD coordinators, special agent bomb technicians, hazardous evidence response teams, surveillance and computer forensics personnel to disrupt the

activities of Korff. The intensive three-day search, evidence collection, analysis and investigation uncovered an international nexus to Korff. Working through FBI legal attachés, information gleaned from the investigation was communicated to foreign law enforcement partners to disrupt international subjects."

According to documents filed in this case and statements made in court:

In April 2013 HSI special agents began investigating illicit sales activity on an underground Internet marketplace known as "Black Market Reloaded" (BMR). The website provided a platform for vendors and buyers to conduct anonymous online transactions involving biological agents, toxins, firearms, ammunition, explosives, narcotics and counterfeit items.

From August 2013 through January 2014 Korff maintained a seller's profile on BMR under the screen name "Snowman840." He advertised the sale of deadly toxins and provided his prospective purchasers with information about quantities necessary to kill a person of a given weight, along with instructions on how to secretly administer the toxin to avoid suspicion. Korff sold ricin and abrin to international purchasers in India, Austria, Denmark and England. He smuggled the toxins from Florida to the international purchasers by concealing the toxins in packages sent through the U.S. Postal Service.

In December 2013 Korff provided a quantity of abrin to a purchaser in London who claimed she intended to kill her mother. After the purchaser's receipt and administration of the initial dose, which she claimed was ineffective, Korff agreed to provide a second quantity of the toxin in order to assist the purchaser in the implementation of the murder plot.

Before Korff had an opportunity to smuggle the second dose of abrin to the London purchaser, a federal undercover agent contacted Korff through BMR and negotiated

the sale of two liquid doses of abrin. Korff told the buyer about his delivery methods – concealing vials in a carved-out and remelted candle – and discussed how much abrin was needed to kill a person of a particular weight and how best to administer the toxin. Korff also assured the buyer that a victim's death would appear to be similar to a bad case of the flu.

Following Korff's arrest, FBI agents searched Korff's property over three days and recovered several computers, castor beans, rosary peas, capsules, vials, jars, syringes, filters, respirators and other items commonly utilized in the manufacture, production, sale, packaging, and shipping of toxins and chemical substances. Among the items recovered was a liquid dose of abrin that Korff had intended to ship to the London purchaser.

The toxin and murder conspiracy charges to which Korff pleaded guilty carry a maximum potential penalty of life in prison and a \$250,000 fine. The smuggling charges carry a maximum potential penalty of 10 years in prison and a \$250,000 fine. Sentencing is scheduled for Nov. 21, 2014. U.S. Attorney Fishman credited special agents of HSI, under the direction of Special Agent in Charge McLees in Newark, New Jersey; special agents of the FBI in Newark, under the direction of Special Agent in Charge Ford; and FBI special agents under the direction of Special Agent in Charge Paul Wysopal, Tampa Division, with the investigation leading to Korff's guilty plea. He also thanked HSI in Ft. Myers, Florida, under the direction of Special Agent in Charge Susan McCormick, for their work. The U.S. Attorney also thanked the FBI's Joint Terrorism Task Force, including the U.S. Postal Inspection Service and the Glades County, Henry County and Lee County, Florida, sheriff's offices for their assistance. Vital support was provided by the Justice Department's National Security Division Counterterrorism Section and FBI WMD Directorate in Washington, the FBI Laboratory Division, the DHS National Bioforensic Analysis Center; the U.S. Attorney's Office for the Middle District of Florida; and the London Metropolitan Police Service (MPS), SO15 Counter Terrorism Command, under the direction of Commander Duncan Ball.

The government is represented by Assistant U.S. Attorney Dennis C. Carletta of the U.S. Attorney's Office National Security Unit in Newark.

Mission

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dive certification training for Kids of Wounded Veterans and Gold Star Kids. The TRUE Explorers participate in the training as mentors and dive buddies. Many of these kids will participate in diving events that TRUE and TF Dagger sponsor.

"TRUE also is a partner of TF Dagger and supports the annual Dagger Dive events. The Dagger Dive event supports US Army Special Operations Command (USASOC) Service Members (present and former), their Families, along with Kids of Wounded Veterans and Gold Star Kids. This event is designed to help these families to heal; learn a new skill (SCUBA) and enjoy that new skill together; "Recreational Therapy." T.R.U.E. works with TF Dagger supporting the Service Members and their Families but especially the kids."

Mark said TRUE members also dive and research on coral and scientific fish counts.

A friend who is on the Task Force Dagger Foundation Board of Directors got Mark involved in that group. Mark certifies the Task Force Dagger veterans and their whole families for scuba diving. The TRUE teens, all advanced divers, volunteer to be part of something bigger than themselves.

Together the two groups help vets as they struggle to communicate, to get past their disabilities. Mark said that, for some reason, they often connect with kids easier.

Teaching families to dive is just another way to help them connect.

Task Force Dagger volunteers have many

specialties. They are doctors and chiropractors. They work as physical therapists, acupuncturists, prosthetic specialists, massage therapists like Margie and more.

Like our armed forces, the Task Force is prepared for all eventualities. It has to be. The vets it serves are dealing with so many different types of issues and disabilities including blindness, amputations, depression and pain.

Volunteers also cope with other types of "problems" that crop up. For instance, this year a veteran and his fiancé who had just become engaged, decided to marry that weekend, so the Task Force rolled into action, pulling off an entire wedding in just a few days.

"They're so young," Margie said of the veterans, and they have the will and the attitude to keep going forward in spite of their challenges. "It's humbling."

She also noted the support their wives offer them.

Margie commented, "They thanked us so much for the massage therapy, but we can't begin to thank them." This was Margie and Ron's second time at the Task Force Dagger event and they're already planning to go back again next year.

If you'd like to know more about Task Force Dagger or TRUE, or make a donation, check out truediveteam.org or taskforcedagger.org.

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Arrests

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Laprovius Lashon Fuller, 20, was arrested August 8 and charged with grand theft motor vehicle and loitering and prowling. A. Campbell was arresting officer.

Richard Cooks, 38, was arrested August 11 and charged with a moving traffic violation driving with a suspended license third or subsequent offense and grand theft motor vehicle. H. Kearns was arresting officer.

Bruce Allen Martin Jr., 38, was arrested August 9 and charged with possession of methamphetamines schedule I and possession of cocaine. C. Green was arresting officer.

Johana Marie Delarosa, 22, was arrested August 9 and charged with resisting an officer obstruction without violence, possession of cocaine, possession of heroin over ten grams schedule I and possession/use of drug equipment. C. Green was arresting officer.

Gaige Christian Kirk, 17, was arrested August 5 and charged with burglary of a conveyance unarmed and petit theft first offense \$100-\$300. Sgt. Olvera was arresting officer.

Jose Raul Bonilla, 19, was arrested August 8 and charged with resisting an officer flee/elude law enforcement with lights and siren, moving traffic violation operating a motor vehicle without a valid license and grand theft motor vehicle. A. Campbell was arresting officer.

Wendy Leopold, 24, was arrested August 7 and charged with carrying a concealed weapon firearm and possession of marijuana under 20 grams. D/S Broughton was arresting officer.

Erica Nicole Guerra, 26, was arrested August 8 and charged with grand theft motor vehicle. J. Rayburn was arresting officer.

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Juan Cervantes, 15, was arrested August 10 and charged with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon no intent to kill. M. Brawnner was arresting officer.

William Ramirez, 18, was arrested August 8 and charged with burglary of an unoccupied dwelling and theft \$300-\$5,000. CPD Officer J. Pilon was arresting officer.

Lionel Deshae Pugh, 33, was arrested August 8 and charged with a moving traffic offense driving with a suspended driver license third or subsequent offense. R. Steed was arresting officer.

Ramon Carbajal Hernandez, 58, was arrested August 6 and charged with aggravated battery causing bodily harm or disability. V. Speak was arresting officer.

Javier Cisneros, 42, was arrested August 6 and charged with aggravated battery causing bodily harm or disability. V. Speak was arresting officer.

What is the Ebola Virus Disease?

Recently, there has been news coverage regarding Ebola Virus Disease (EVD).

Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) is one of the Viral Hemorrhagic Fevers. It is a severe, often fatal disease in humans and nonhuman primates (such as monkeys, gorillas and chimpanzees). The first Ebolavirus species was discovered in 1976 in what is now the Democratic Republic of the Congo near the Ebola River. Since then, outbreaks have appeared sporadically.

Symptoms of Ebola - When infection occurs, symptoms usually begin abruptly. Symptoms of EVD typically include fever, headache, joint and muscle aches, weakness, diarrhea, vomiting, stomach pain and lack of appetite. Some patients may experience the following: rash, red eyes, hiccups, cough, sore throat, chest pain, difficulty breathing and swallowing and bleeding inside and outside of the body. The most common occurrence of signs of infection is 8 to 10 days, while symptoms may appear 2 to 21 days after exposure.

Transmission - When an infection does occur in humans, there are several ways in which the virus can be transmitted to others. These include:

- Direct contact with the blood or secretions of an infected ill person
- Exposure to objects (such as needles) contaminated with infected secretions
- Participation in funeral rites that includes direct exposure (contact) to human remains in the geographic area where the outbreak is occurring

EVD is often spread through close contact with infectious secretions when caring for ill persons. In order for the virus to be transmitted, an individual would have to have direct contact with an individual who is currently experiencing symptoms or with their bodily secretions.

Ebola Outbreaks - Ebola virus is typically initially spread to humans after contact with infected wildlife and is then spread person-to-person through direct contact with bodily fluids. Patients can transmit the virus through all stages of the illness, including postmortem (after death), if a person comes in contact with the body during funeral preparations. Precautions should be taken to limit virus transmission, through adequate sterilization of instruments and wearing appropriate protective equipment, such as masks, gowns and gloves. As of August 2014, according to the World Health Organization, a total of 1,603 cases and 887 deaths had been reported across the three affected countries. This is the largest outbreak of Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) ever documented and the first recorded in West Africa.

For more information: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention(CDC): <http://www.cdc.gov/vhf/ebola/index.html> The World Health Organization (WHO): <http://www.who.int/csr/disease/ebola/en/> and <http://www.who.int/csr/resources/publications/ebola/en/>

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Books are closed for new registrations and party changes for the Primary Election.

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.

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



DOH promotes health awareness during Breastfeeding Month

By Pat Dobbins

August is National Breastfeeding Awareness Month and Healthiest Weight Florida, in collaboration with WIC, Healthy Start, the Florida Child Care Food Program and the Bureau of Chronic Disease Prevention, is announcing its own August Breastfeeding Awareness Campaign.

The purpose of the campaign is to promote breastfeeding as a vital health activity as well as encourage breastfeeding friendly communities throughout the state of Florida. Each week a new component will be announced which will introduce new and exciting resources for women and families, employers, child care facilities, hospitals and healthcare professionals.

"Breastfeeding plays a critical role in the health of both mother and child," said Dr. Celeste Philip, Deputy Secretary for Health and Deputy State Health Officer for Children's Medical Services. "Educating and supporting new and expecting parents helps create healthy and sustainable practices that benefit Florida's infants and families."

Infant feeding is one of the most important decisions a family can make. Research shows that babies that receive only breast milk for the first six months of life are less likely to develop a wide range of chronic and acute diseases including ear infections, diarrheal diseases, asthma, obesity and respiratory illnesses. They are also less likely to die from Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS). In addition, breastfeeding for nine months reduces a baby's odds of being overweight by 30 percent.

Mothers benefit from breastfeeding with a decreased risk for breast and ovarian cancers. The Florida Department of Health, as well as medical organizations such as the World Health Organization and the American Academy of Pediatrics, strongly recommends that babies exclusively breastfeed for about the first six months of life and continue to breastfeed for at least one to two years to achieve optimal health.

Based on 2013 data from the Centers



Pat Dobbins

for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), only 71.8 percent of women in Florida have ever tried breastfeeding compared to the national average of 76.5 percent. The Department of Health offers a variety of programs, materials and resources to encourage breastfeeding friendly environments throughout the sunshine state.

- The Florida WIC Program offers counseling and breastfeeding materials to pregnant and breastfeeding clients. WIC also participates in the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) breastfeeding peer counseling program.

- Florida's Healthy Start promotes healthy behaviors and provides services to pregnant women, women in between pregnancies, infants and children to obtain the support needed to reduce the risks for poor health outcomes.

- The Florida Child Care Food Program (CCFP) awards recognitions to breastfeeding friendly facilities and provides education to child care providers through workshops, online modules, and educational materials.

- The Bureau of Chronic Disease Prevention supports the Baby-Friendly Hospital Initiative, a recognition established by Baby-Friendly USA promoting human milk as the best source of nourishment for new babies. Evidence shows several specific practices in birth facilities can significantly affect breastfeeding initiation, duration and exclusivity.

For more information, visit www.HealthiestWeightFL.com/bf.

Healthiest Weight Florida is a public-private collaboration bringing together state agencies, not-for-profit organizations, businesses, and entire communities to help Florida's children and adults make consistent, informed choices about healthy eating and active living.

Witches Brew

by Pudge Lehman

My friend Ann gave me some hints to share... We need all the help we can get in these trying times ...

To cut calories use clear soda like Sprite or 7UP to replace the oil in your cake mix but check for doneness a few minutes earlier. Dark soda will remove rust from metal by soaking overnight ... I've said this before and will repeat once more ... why do we drink something that will dissolve rust?

Use vinegar as a substitute for wine in a recipe by mixing 1 part vinegar to 3 parts water, then use whatever amount the recipe calls for.

Am I the only one who has noticed the amount of stuff they are saying we need to buy? Special mouthwash for braces? Spe-



cial detergents to clean our washers and dishwashers? If they clean our clothes and dishes shouldn't they clean themselves at the same time? It's as if they want our hard earned money pretty

badly.

My annual sister week in New Smyrna went swimmingly and if you heard the special news report of a whale with flowery looking skin it was only me taking a dip in the ocean ... The first fifteen years of my life were spent in an old cracker house in South Beach, which was the poor end of Miami Beach in the '30s, so it brought back many good memories.

FHP graduates sixty-three new troopers

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. – Sixty-three new troopers joined the ranks of the Florida Highway Patrol after graduating from FHP's Training Academy. The graduates join the nearly 1,800 troopers who patrol the state's roads each day to provide protection and assistance to Florida residents and visitors.

"For 75 years, the men and women of the Florida Highway Patrol have built a tradition dedicated to upholding the Patrol's motto of "Courtesy, Service, Protection" to the people of this great state," said Col. Brierton, director of the Florida Highway Patrol. "This graduating class represents the future of this agency. I commend them for their dedication and commitment, and I wish them well in their careers with the Patrol."

State Senator Bill Montford, the keynote speaker at today's ceremony, congratulated the graduates for their accomplishment. "The members of the 128th Recruit Class have put in countless hours of physical and mental training to prepare for a career with the Florida Highway Patrol," Sen. Montford said. "They have shown their undaunted

commitment to serving with the Patrol and making our highways safer. It's a commitment for which we should all be grateful."

Members of the 128th basic recruit classes went through twenty-five weeks of intense physical and classroom training covering topics such as human relations, law, firearms, defensive tactics, vehicle operations and first aid. While at the Academy, recruits also participated in several community service activities, including blood drives and volunteering to help those living with developmental disabilities.

FHP honored new Trooper Christopher Latimer with the Executive Director's award for achieving the highest grade point average at the academy. The Patrol presented the Directors Award to new Trooper Marla Cupperdoll for demonstrating extraordinary courtesy and dedication during the 25 weeks of training.

Two of the new officers have been assigned to Glades County: Jose Rivero and Ricardo Ruano.

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School Briefs

“H.E.R.E.” Home Educator’s Monthly Encouragement

Please join us to enjoy a delightful meal, delicious coffee or tea and have some much needed time of fellowship! These monthly meetings give us, as home educators, an opportunity to discuss event planning, curriculum that works for our students and the ones that don’t, offer advice to one another regarding scheduling, educational theories, record keeping, home school regulations, and so on. Each meeting is unique and

truly depends on the needs of those in attendance. Older students are welcome to come and have their own mini-meeting at the same time. Please join us. Don’t forget to “Sign up” at www.HEREhappenings.com so we can look forward to seeing all of you! Come be a blessing and get blessed!

Incoming ninth graders

2014—2015 Incoming 9th Grade LHS Cowboys & Cowgirls are invited to the 9th Grade Student Orientation Day Thursday,

August 14, 2014 Students: 7:40 a.m.—12 p.m.; Students only—7:40—11:00 a.m.; Parents—11:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. lunch is provided for students. The event is to kick off the 2014-15 school year with success, meet other freshmen, receive schedules, badges, and pointers on being a dynamic high school student.

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT STUDENTS ARRIVE AT 7:40.

Get acquainted at UES

Upthegrove Elementary will be having a “Get-Acquainted” Open House from 8-9:30 a.m. on Friday, August 15, 2014.

Upthegrove Elementary will be having an Open House with Rotary Club Spaghetti

Dinner on Thursday, September 18, 2014. The spaghetti dinner will start at 5:00 p.m. The Open House will be 5:30-7 p.m.

West Glades

West Glades School summer office hours are Monday-Thursday from 8 am-4 p.m. Please come in and get your child enrolled as soon as possible.

Get acquainted night is on Thursday August 14, from 4-6 p.m.

UES

FCAT parent reports are available for pick-up in the office at UES. Summer office hours are Monday-Thursday 7:30-4:30.

Remember: Every child is a human caution sign

TALLAHASSEE, Fla.— August brings the end of the summer break and the beginning of a new school year in Florida. It’s an ideal time for focusing on child safety, and the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles will do just that by launching its Child Safety Awareness Month. The theme of this inaugural awareness campaign is “Every Child is a Human Caution Sign.”

“Whether playing in the yard, riding in the backseat of a vehicle, or waiting at a school bus stop, a child is a human caution sign,” said Captain Nancy Rasmussen, Chief of Public Affairs for the Florida Highway Patrol. “They are living reminders that we need to slow down, pay attention, and abide by traffic laws for their safety as well as our own.”

Each week, DHSMV will focus on different traffic related safety issues involving children, such as seatbelts and child restraints, bicyclist and pedestrian tips, school bus safety, and making sure a child is not behind the vehicle when backing up. The Department, in partnership with other state agencies, will be distributing safety reminders, such as:

- Be Alert While Backing
 - Walk around your vehicle to check for children playing.
 - Turn off your radio to better hear your surroundings.
 - Keep your foot on the brake until you completely shift into reverse.
 - Back out slowly.
 - Teach children to never play in, on, around, or under vehicles.
 - Know your vehicle’s blind spots and look again before backing.
- Bicycle and Pedestrian Safety
 - While on a bicycle, ride in the same direction as traffic and obey all traffic signs, signals and lane markings.
 - Always use a headlight and taillight at night.
 - Pedestrians should use the sidewalk if there is one; if not, walk on the side of the road facing traffic.
 - Always cross streets where pedestrians are expected, such as corners and crosswalks.
 - And be visible. Wear bright and reflective colors on your clothes, shoes and/or wristbands.

Bus Safety

- Motorists are required to stop when approaching a school bus that is stopped with its red lights flashing and STOP arms extended.

- The only time traffic approaching an oncoming school bus does not need to stop, is if there is a raised barrier such as a concrete divider or at least five feet of unpaved space separating the lanes of traffic.

- Motorists should be alert and watch for children especially near schools, bus stops, school buses, and in school parking lots.

- At bus stops, children should wait in a safe place away from the road.

- Children should never walk behind a bus.

- Remember, Stop on Red, kids ahead! Seatbelts and Child Restraints

- Buckle up. A seatbelt is your vehicle’s most important safety feature, but it only works if you use it.

- Florida law requires the use of seat belts by drivers of motor vehicles and all children riding in a vehicle under the age of 18.

- Keep children in the back seat, at least through age 12, if possible. Front seat air bags, when deployed, can be dangerous to children.

- A new law taking effect in January 2015 will require children 4 and 5 years of age to ride in a booster seat.

To view the Department’s Child Safety Awareness Month video, go to: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ykzgp5iwiPU>.

For more information on this and other safety campaigns sponsored by the DHSMV visit www.flhsmv.gov/SafetyTips/, or contact the DHSMV Communication Office at (850) 617-3102.

The Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles provides highway safety and security through excellence in service, education and enforcement. The Department is leading the way to a safer Florida through the efficient and professional execution of its core mission: the issuance of driver licenses, vehicle tags and titles and operation of the Florida Highway Patrol. To learn more about DHSMV and the services offered, visit www.flhsmv.gov, follow us on Twitter @FLHSMV or find us on Facebook.

Get school physicals now

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. HRMC sug-

gests using yearly school physicals 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 Forbes Family Care Center in Clewiston 863-983-3434 or the Convenient Care Center in LaBelle 863-675-2356.

PUBLIC NOTICE FROM THE HENDRY COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD

Hendry County School Board today announced an amendment to its policy for serving meals to students under the School Breakfast Programs for the 2014-2015 school year. All students will be served breakfast at no charge at the following sites:

Country Oaks Elementary School
LaBelle Elementary School
Upthegrove Elementary School
LaBelle Middle School
LaBelle High School
LYDA

Central Elementary School
Eastside Elementary School
Westside Elementary School
Clewiston Middle School
Clewiston High School
CYDA

For additional information please contact **Hendry County School Board, Attention: Darrell Harris, Food Service Manager, Food Service Department, P.O. Box 1980, LaBelle, Florida 33975, Phone: (863) 674-4113, E-mail Address: harrisd@hendry.k12.fl.us**.

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Open auditions at the Firehouse Community Theatre: Are you ready for your closeup?

Do you love being the center of attention? Have you ever been referred to as a "Drama Queen"? Do you regularly practice your Oscar acceptance speech in the bathroom mirror? If you answered YES to any of these questions, please consider auditioning for one of our 2014-2015 season shows.

The Firehouse Community Theatre is holding open auditions for all our upcoming shows on Saturday, August 16, from 10 a.m. till noon at the theater, located at 241 North Bridge Street in LaBelle.

We are looking for men and women of all ages to be a part of our exciting 22nd season. Excerpts from scripts will be provided at the auditions. However, if you plan to audition for Little Shop of Horrors or Back on Broad-

way, please be prepared to sing 16 bars of music. If being on center stage is not your cup of tea, we are also in need of light and sound technicians, seamstresses, set builders, directors, producers, backstage managers and general helpers. Whatever your talent, the Firehouse welcomes you. Please stop by during auditions and fill out an information sheet. If you have any questions, do not hesitate to call at (863) 675-3066 or email your queries to info@firehousecommunitytheatre.com. The 22nd Season is as follows: *Marrying Walt* – a comedy about a senior citizen park in Florida October 31 and November 1, 2, & 7, 8, 9, 2014 *Drinking Habits* – a laugh out loud farce about nuns, spies and a secret wine operation December 12,

13, 14 & 19, 20, 21, 2014 *Little Shop of Horrors* – world famous comedy, horror musical January 9, 10 (shows at 2 p.m. & 7 p.m.) and January 11 & 15, 16, 17, 18, 2015 *Up Close from a Distance* – a supernatural love story and winner of the 2013 CBJ Playwriting Contest February 20, 21, 22 & 27, 28, March 1, 2015 *Back on Broadway* – Nick Fidanza's popular, annual musical revue March 20, 21, 22 & 27, 28, 29, 2015 *Guilty Conscience* – the 2nd "Off Bridge Street" production season, a suspenseful mystery with attorneys and murder plots April 24, 25, 26 & May 1, 2, 3, 2015

For more information on the Firehouse Community Theatre, please visit their website:

www.firehousecommunitytheatre.com or call the Ticket Hotline at (863) 675-3066.

Church Briefs

Christian Men to meet

The August meeting of the LaBelle Gathering of Christian Men will be held at the Methodist Church, 310 Campbell St. 7 p.m., on Monday the 18th all men of LaBelle are invited to join us for dinner and a message. For direction or information please call Clay Townsend at 863-674-0699.

Children's movie

Christ the King Lutheran Church is offering to the elementary school children of LaBelle a free children's movie on Friday, August 15, at 7:30 p.m. Join us for some fun in our air-conditioned hall with free hot dogs, popcorn and drink. The movie showing is "The Lego Movie." This animated story follows Emmet, an ordinary, rules-following, perfectly average LEGO mini-figure who is mistakenly identified as the most extraordinary person and the key to saving the world. Christ the King Church is located ¼ mile west of State Route 29 (at Fiesta Food Mart)

on County Route 78.

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.

Stroke, osteoporosis screening coming to LaBelle

by Lehigh Regional Medical Center

LaBelle, Florida – Residents living in and around the LaBelle, Florida community can be screened to reduce their risk of having a stroke or bone fracture. Carlson Memorial United Methodist Church will host Life Line Screening on 9/3/2014. The site is located at 310 Campbell Street in LaBelle. Mary Lou Alvadi of Niceville, FL attended a Life Line Screening and said, "Thank you, Life Line Screening, for making me aware of a problem I never knew existed." This event is being Sponsored By: Lehigh Regional Medical Center

Four key points every person needs to know:

- Stroke is the third leading cause of death and a leading cause of permanent disability

- 80 percent of stroke victims had no apparent warning signs prior to their stroke

- Preventive ultrasound screenings can help you avoid a stroke

- Screenings are fast, noninvasive, painless, affordable and convenient

Screenings identify potential cardiovascular conditions such as blocked arteries and irregular heart rhythm, abdominal aortic aneurysms, and hardening of the arteries in the legs, which is a strong predictor of heart disease. A bone density screening to assess osteoporosis risk is also offered and is appropriate for both men and women.

All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. For more information regarding the screenings or to schedule an appointment, call 1-877-237-1287 or visit our website at www.lifelinescreening.com. Pre-registration is required.

Obituaries

William D. Carsten, 86

LABELLE — William D. Carsten Passed away July 29, 2014 in Clewiston.

He was born Aug. 27, 1926 in Fort Wayne, Indiana to the late Otto and Pauline Carsten. For many years he and his wife owned and operated the Breach Variety Store on Fort Myers Beach, before retiring in LaBelle.

Survivors include his wife, Carol, of 55 years, sons; Tex (Patricia) Marchal of Lake Placid, Billy (Bonnie) Marchal of LaBelle and Robert (Diana) Marchal of Indianapolis, Ind.

He was a loving husband, father and grandfather and will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

Funeral Arrangements were handled by Hodges Funeral Home, Lehigh Acres and private services were held for the family on August 7, 2014.

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New

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principal at LHS and LMS.

Even before school started, he said he realized that being principal is very different. Quoting President Harry Truman, he noted, "The buck stops here."

It's been a busy summer. Mr. Pickles hired 13 new teachers, five brand new teachers and eight veterans, in subjects across the board.

Mr. Pickles said he comes from the community - has been involved in it for years - and understands it. That makes him able to tap into many people and organizations willing and able to help. When a need comes up, he said he can meet with the school's community partners, including the health department, United Way and others like Big Brothers Big Sisters, which is coming in. All have roles to play at the middle school, he points out, because all are services that help kids.

Mr. Pickles knows who to call for help. Experience, he said, is the key.

Changes are coming. For instance, the schools are moving away from FCAT and going to what are called Florida Standards, Mr. Pickles said, sort of a tweaked Common Core standard.

Middle schoolers can look forward to other changes, too. For instance, LMS is changing from its maroon and white colors to red and white to mirror the high school. The idea is to share a common identity with the high school; to build a relationship and also pride in the community.

Math teacher Dustin Ledford, a former Hendry County Teacher of the Year from LHS is making some changes. Middle schoolers have been taking Algebra 1 eighth grade, but he's challenging seventh graders with it this year and adding geometry to eighth graders' schedule. That will give them two math credits to take to the high school, The move is being welcomed by parents, Mr. Pickles said. Some 40 kids have already signed up for the classes.

Another big change for the school - there is no assistant principal, but two deans. Veteran teacher Bobbie Spratt returns and is joined by John Klinger, who has been at the middle school for six years teaching science and is retired military.

In general middle school is a different culture, according to Mr. Pickles, and the toughest changes for middle schoolers are always

the natural physical and social upheavals. They're just starting to figure out who they are and who they want to be. At the same time, they have to get ready for high school.

Middle school is a gauntlet of challenges daily for everyone, he said pointing out, "Everyone has bad days. We need to have patience and keep trying different things to reach each kid."

One of the most difficult situations for middle schoolers, and those responsible for them, is bullying. It's a challenge that takes time to figure out, Mr. Pickles said, adding that it's not just one single type of kid who gets bullied. There can be many different reasons why a kid gets picked on and there are almost 800 students at the middle school every day. Staff must counsel both the ones being bullied and the bullies. The school board has a manual staff must follow in those situations, but it simply takes time for kids to open up and a solution can be found.

Middle school is a great place for kids to get into sports. At LMS they have a choice of football, volleyball, and boys or girls basketball.

He also hopes to offer soccer before too long.

All sports are self sufficient, meaning the school board pays for coaches only. The athletic department must fund-raise for uniforms, tickets, referees and so on.

Former Middle School Football Coach Russ Bell began the long term project of providing a football field for LMS - a dream that continues but probably won't be coming true very soon. Mr. Pickles said the school is in need of a lot of topsoil for the field before it can move forward.

Mr. Pickles said he welcomes parents' input and their calls when they have issues. He's very willing to adapt to working parents' schedules.

"My job is to solve problems," he points out "We've got a good staff, good kids," adding they're excited to work with the community. "The kids' job is to learn."

He's looking forward to the new year and hopes anyone in the community that has a program they think might be of help will bring it to his attention, including churches, civic organizations and so on. He's very willing for them to come talk to the kids or volunteer. Just come see. There are lots of ways to help. The middle school open house is tonight, Thursday, August 14, 4-6 p.m.

Community Briefs

Take a Florida Forest Break

If you are searching for an affordable day or weekend trip in Florida, then look no further than your Florida State Forest. There are currently 35 Florida State Forests with 1,058,000 acres of designated trails for hiking, biking, horseback riding and off highway vehicle riding. Annual passes are now available; the annual day use entrance pass costs thirty dollars (\$30) and is valid for one year of unlimited visits. The annual pass allows the driver and up to seven passengers entry into any Florida State Forest where a fee is routinely required. Entrance Fee for designated areas is \$2.00 per person, chil-

dren under 6 admitted free.

For over 75 years, Florida Forest Service has been preserving large parcels of land for recreation and the state's future natural resource needs. These hidden treasures along Florida provide a break from the hectic city life and allow you to relax in "old Florida" style. Florida State Forest trails serve as outdoor classrooms for people of all ages to explore and learn.

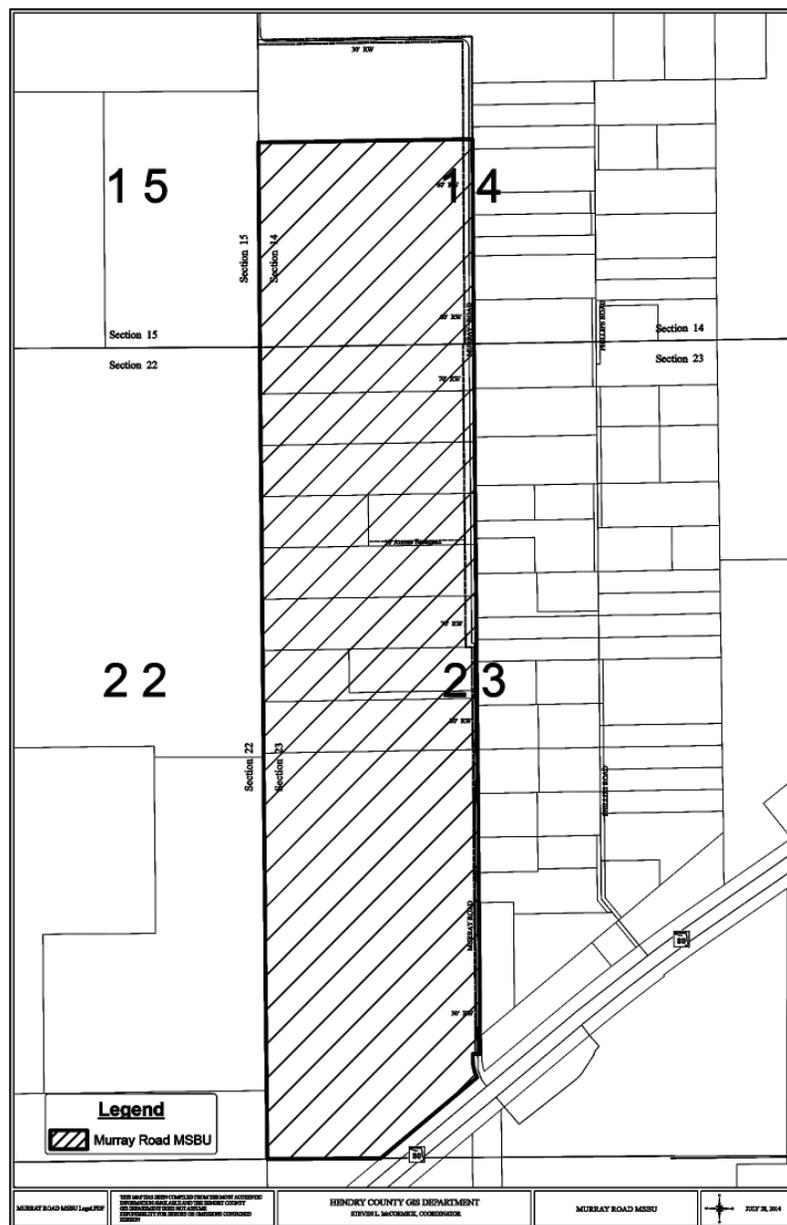
Come to yoga

Come to yoga at Maple Corner Clubhouse Monday-Wednesday at 3:30 p.m. Call Sharyn at 609-707-0940 for a reservation.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON LEVY OF NON-AD VALOREM ASSESSMENTS AND COLLECTION BY THE UNIFORM METHOD FOR MURRAY ROAD MUNICIPAL SERVICE BENEFIT UNIT

TAKE notice that a public hearing will be held before the Board of County Commissioners of Hendry County, Florida, at 5:30 p.m. on September 10, 2014, at the Commission Room, Clewiston City Hall, 115 West Ventura Avenue, Clewiston, Florida, for the purpose of considering the levy of a non-ad valorem assessment within the Murray Road Municipal Service Benefit Unit. The proposed assessment will be collected by the Tax Collector and the assessment will be collected annually until terminated. All affected property owners may appear and be heard at the public hearing and also have the right to file written objections with the Hendry County Administrator, Post Office Box 2340, LaBelle, Florida 33975, at anytime within 20 days from the date of this publication.

The purpose of the non-ad valorem assessment is to cover the costs necessary to perform minimal maintenance on Murray Road and related drainage within the Murray Road Municipal Service Benefit Unit assessment area. The amount of the proposed assessment is \$800.00 per Parcel per year. The parcels subject to the assessment are depicted on the map herein.



If a person decides to appeal any decision made with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, 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 Myra Johnson al (863) 675-5240.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA
Karson Turner, Chairman

Grants available for children's healthcare

TAMPA, Fla., (Aug. 11, 2014) – The UnitedHealthcare Children's Foundation (UHCCF) is seeking grant applications from families in need of financial assistance to help pay for their child's health care treatments, services or equipment not covered, or not fully covered, by their commercial health insurance plan.

Qualifying families can receive up to \$5,000 per grant with a lifetime maximum of \$10,000 per child to help pay for medical services and equipment such as physical, occupational and speech therapy, counseling services, surgeries, prescriptions, wheelchairs, orthotics, eyeglasses and hearing aids.

To be eligible for a grant, children must be 16 years of age or younger. Families must meet economic guidelines, reside in the United States and have a commercial health insurance plan. Grants are available for medical expenses families have incurred 60 days prior to the date of application as well as for ongoing and future medical needs. Parents or legal guardians may apply for grants at www.UHCCF.org, and there is no application deadline.

In 2013, UHCCF awarded more than 1,700 medical grants, worth \$5.6 million, to children and their families across the United States for treatments associated with medical conditions such as cancer, spina bifida, muscular dystrophy, diabetes, hearing loss, autism, cystic fibrosis, Down syndrome, ADHD and cerebral palsy.

UHCCF was founded in 1999. Since 2007, UHCCF has awarded more than 7,500 medical grants, totaling more than \$23 million, to children and their families across the United States, including a total of 422 grants to Florida families and children, totaling more than \$1.1 million.

"Thousands of children struggle every day for something many of us take for granted – our health. That reality is the driving force behind UnitedHealthcare Children's Foundation's mission to help families in need access medical care that will improve their child's health. Our medical grants have already helped hundreds of Florida children in need and thousands across the U.S., and we are looking to help thousands more children in the future," said David Lewis, United Healthcare CEO Central & North Florida.

New children's book to raise funds

To help raise additional funds for its child medical grant program, UHCCF has published a new children's book, "Oliver & Hope's Adventure Under the Stars" – the second book in the Oliver & Hope series.

The new 32-page hand-illustrated book continues the story of Oliver the lovable bear and Hope the spirited butterfly as they join their friends Millie the barn owl and Chewie the English bulldog for their first camping trip. The night is filled with amazing discoveries and silly games that make the shadows a little less scary and the adventure a lot more fun. The book follows last year's award-winning book, "Oliver & Hope's Amusing Adventure."

Both "Oliver & Hope's Adventure Under the Stars" and "Oliver & Hope's Amusing Adventure" are available on Amazon.com for \$13.95 each. The first 250 people who purchase an "Oliver & Hope's Adventure Under the Stars" book will receive a Chewie the English bulldog plush toy, to be shipped separately.



Proceeds from UHCCF products, including the Oliver & Hope books, help fund UHCCF grants that help families pay for children's medical expenses not covered, or not fully covered, by commercial insurance. Also, organizations and private donors can make tax-deductible donations to UHCCF at www.UHCCF.org. Donations are used for grants to help children and families in the region in which they are received.

Both books were written and illustrated by Meg Cadts and Samantha Fitch. Meg Cadts is the pen name for the UHCCF team of writers and contributors.

The Oliver and Hope characters also host their own page on the UHCCF website, Oliver & Hope's Clubhouse (www.UHCCF.org/oliverandhope), which features free audio-book versions of the books, activities and games.

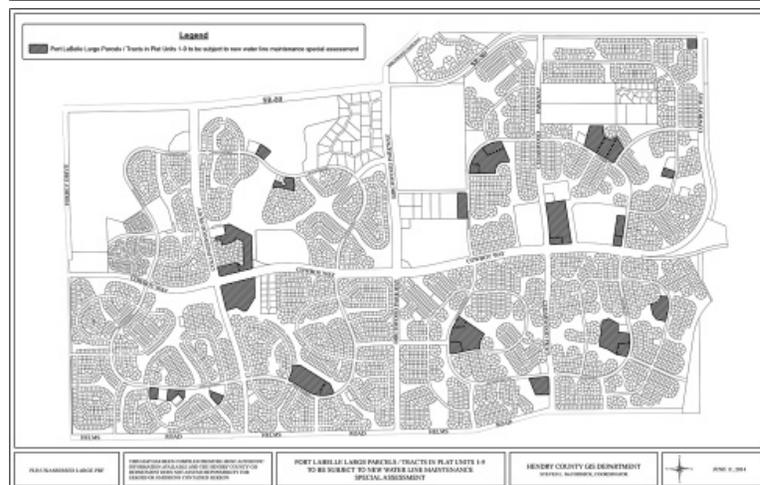
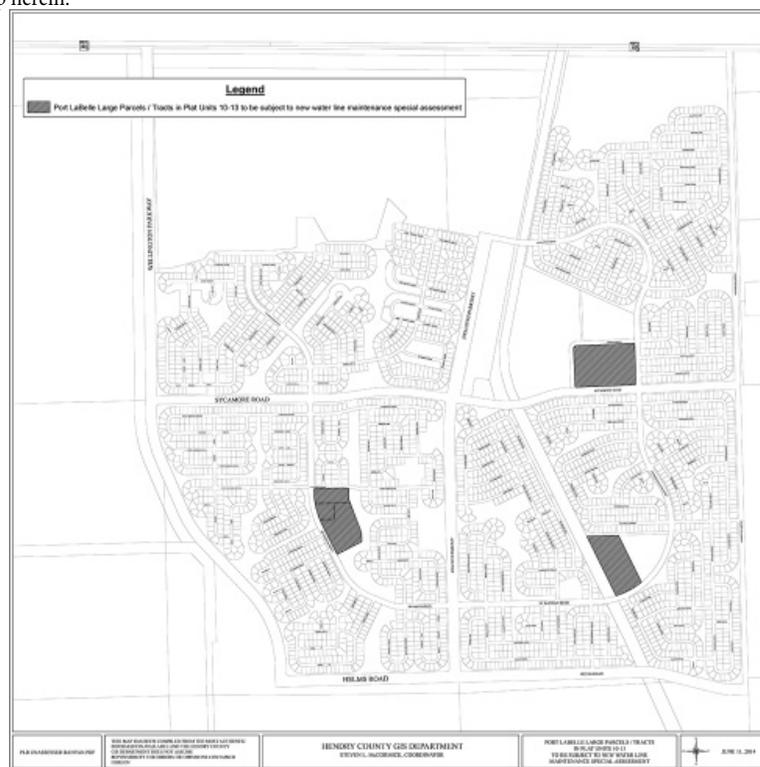
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About UnitedHealthcare Children's Foundation The UnitedHealthcare Children's Foundation (UHCCF) is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization that provides medical grants to help children gain access to health-related services not covered, or not fully covered, by their parents' commercial health insurance plan. Families can receive up to \$5,000 annually per child (\$10,000 lifetime maximum per child), and do not need to have insurance through UnitedHealthcare to be eligible. UHCCF was founded in 1999. Since 2007, UHCCF has awarded more than 7,500 grants valued at over \$23 million to children and their families across the United States. UHCCF's funding is provided by contributions from individuals, corporations and UnitedHealth Group (NYSE: UNH) employees. To apply, donate or learn more, please visit www.UHCCF.org.

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The purpose of the non-ad valorem assessment is to maintain water lines within the Port LaBelle Utility District Municipal Service Benefit Unit. The amount of the proposed assessment is \$0.0375 per Front-foot per month, not to exceed \$11.25 per tract per month. The tracts subject to the assessment are depicted on the map herein.



If a person decides to appeal any decision made with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, 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 Myra Johnson al (863) 675-5240.

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Barron Library's Summer Program

Sponsored by Kiwanis Club of LaBelle
 A Healthy Lifestyle, Food & Exercise was the theme for the final summer program at Barron Library. Following the presentation, everyone went outside for exercises, carnival games and healthy snacks. All of the photos entered into the High School Photo Contest are now on display at the library. You won't want to miss seeing this display and voting for your favorite. The photos will also be voted on by a panel of judges and the winning photographer will be announced August 16.



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Hendry County Extension Agents bring home the bacon

Hendry County Extension Director is delighted to report that the Hendry County Extension Office hit a home run at the recent National Association of County Agricultural Agents (NACAA) Annual Meeting and Professional Improvement Conference held in Mobile, Alabama at the end of July.

4-H/Livestock Agent Sonja Crawford was awarded the NACAA Distinguished Service Award which is the highest honor bestowed by the National Association of County Agriculture Agents.

The Distinguished Service Award, or DSA, is awarded annually to only 2 percent of the nation's Extension Agents. This award is bestowed by the agent's peers in recognition for outstanding programs and service to clientele, usually over decades of effort. Sonja has been the Hendry County 4-H Extension Agent for over 17 years. She came to the program in 1997 after graduation from the University of Florida.

Regional Livestock Agent Lindsey Wiggins received the NACAA Achievement Award. The Achievement Award recognizes Agents with less than 10 years of service in Cooperative Extension Service who have exhibited excellence in the field of professional Extension. Lindsey is a Hendry County native who joined Extension after graduation from the University of Florida and came to Hendry County after a brief time in Highlands County.

Extension Director and Regional Vegetable Extension Agent Gene McAvoy was the National Winner in the NACAA/Bayer Advanced Communication Award in the Bound Book category for his recently published book "Vegetable Pest ID and Control, Volume 2."

Regional Sugarcane Agent Les Baucum received Honorable Mention in the Applied Research category in the Poster Competition.

McAvoy remarks that he can't help but brag a little on the Hendry County Agents and explains that the Hendry County Extension Team did extremely well in Mobile and collectively took home more awards than any single Extension Office in the United States by a factor of two. He notes that he cannot adequately express his gratitude and appreciation for the dedication and professionalism of the Hendry County Extension Agents and adds that Hendry County and the SW Florida Ag Industry is fortunate to have such a knowledgeable and talented group of individuals serving the community.



Submitted photo/Gene McAvoy

Lindsey Wiggins, left, Hendry County Livestock Agent is pictured with the livestock agent from Okeechobee County Courtney Davis. The pair were the only Achievement Award winners from Florida. The awards were presented at the National Association of County Agricultural Agents (NACAA) Annual Meeting and Professional Improvement Conference in Mobile, Alabama.



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Sonja C. Crawford, Extension Agent III, 4-H Youth Development/Livestock, University of Florida/IFAS Extension, Hendry County Extension Service was awarded the NACAA Distinguished Service Award

Helping patients transition from hospital to home

Hendry Regional Medical Center's Swing Bed Program

Time is of the essence when you are recovering from surgery or an accident. At some point in your recovery, acute hospital care is no longer necessary, but you may not quite be physically ready to go home. Hendry Regional Medical Center is committed to helping patients get back to their normal lives as quickly and safely as possible. Our swing bed program may be the step that will help meet your health care needs and serve as a transition home.

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Call Hendry Regional Medical Center today at 863-902-3003 for additional information.



Community Briefs

Widows to meet

The Widows Support Group will meet August 21 at Sal Cal's Pizza at 11:30 a.m. All widows welcome.

VFW news

Come to VFW Post 10100 for a Wing & Sing on Saturday, August 23, at 5 pm. Test your singing voice and enjoy Chicken Wings for 50 cents each.

Charcoal Broiled Burgers every Saturday 11:00-1:30





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Bundles of love

Abuse Counseling and Treatment, Inc., has actively collected numerous teddy bears and stuffed animals to be distributed to children in tough spots by law enforcement and other groups working with children caught up in life's difficulties. Here Vickey Coley of ACT provides this Florida Highway Patrol trooper with some of the stuffed animals for distribution. The toys were part of the admission to the Bears and Barbecue event July 19. That's Vickey's son Josh with them.



Submitted photo/Waddy Thompson

Rainbow world

Waddy Thompson shot this perfect rainbow photo toward evening Friday, August 8, from Bob Mason Park on the north side of the river. What more needs to be said?



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Merit Retention... Florida Justices, Judges and Judicial Elections

Mary Evans was recently a guest speaker for the Kiwanis Club of LaBelle. Mary spoke on behalf of the Florida Bar about Merit Retention of Florida Justices and Judges.

She was admitted to the Florida Bar in 2003 and is also a Florida Supreme Court Certified Family Law Mediator. She has served the Lee County Bar Association in several capacities and is The Lee County Bar's immediate Past President. She has also served the Florida bar in various capacities including being a participant in the Florida Bar's speaker bureau program. The Speakers Bureau exists to promote among Florida citizens an understanding of our constitutionally based system of government, knowledge about the justice system and an appreciation of the role lawyers play to protect the rights of all. Contact information for guest speaker scheduling: 239.226.1062 or 239.223.1036; mary@maryevanslawyer.com; Rowland@maryevanslawyer.com. Pictured: Arlene Bettencourt-President of the Kiwanis Club of LaBelle and Mary Evans


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Teen Getting Behind the Wheel? Let Safety Be Your Guide

By Pat Dobbins

Teenagers can hardly wait to get behind the wheel for the very first time but parents tend to have mixed feelings. Reaching teens with any kind of message is a difficult challenge for parents. Parents are relieved that they don't have to always be the chauffeur, but worry about their teen's safety. Parents need to "practice what they preach". Teens are more likely

to wear a seatbelt, follow the rules of the road, and be a calm and courteous driver if they see you doing the same.

Teens need to remember that driving is a privilege, not a right, and not all teens are ready to drive even when the law says they can. Just because a teen has a permit, doesn't mean they are ready for every driving condition. Most crashes involving teen drivers include one of the following factors: Nighttime driving, speeding, teen passengers, weather conditions, reckless driving, inexperience, and alcohol.

Motor vehicle crashes are the number-one cause of death among American teens and sixty-five percent of teen passenger deaths happen when another teenager is driving! Over 5,000 teens die each year in car crashes! That's over 13 teens per day!

The best thing a parent can do is to start teaching children at a young age about safe driving and then once the teen has a permit, let them practice-practice-practice! Ultimately, the teen will have to make decisions about their driving habits, but it's up to parents to be role models and enforce rules to encourage safe driving. Ask your insurance agent or the local department of motor vehicles for more information on teen driving and remember to buckle up!



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Continuing education

LaBelle Middle School teachers took an hour out of their first day back to take a yellow bus tour around LaBelle and surrounding area. We have many new teachers to our school and many who do not live in our fine city. This was to remind teachers what it is like to ride a bus for an hour before you get to school and an hour or more getting home. The picture shows some of the teachers at the end of the ride. New principal, Mr. Ken Pickles was the tour guide.

Community Briefs

Bingo every Sunday 2:00

Remember 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.

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

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GED Prep	9900126-111	Mon&Wed	08/18/14	12/18/14	6:00pm-9:00pm	\$30		Mrs. Charneski	LHS-15-012	
GED Prep	9900126-112	Tues&Thur	08/19/14	12/18/14	6:00pm-9:00pm	\$30		Mr. Lutkenhaus	LHS-15-012	
ESOL	9900040-112	Mon&Wed	08/18/14	12/18/14	6:00pm-9:00pm	\$30		Mrs. Alaniz	LHS-15-008	
ESOL	9900040-113	Tues&Thur	08/18/14	12/18/14	6:00pm-9:00pm	\$30		Mrs. Pratt	LHS-15-008	

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Public Notice

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Selection Committee Meeting for RFQ 2014-17
There will be a meeting on **Thursday, August 21, 2014,** at 9:30 a.m. to review and select the submittals for Designing and Permitting Services and CEI Services for construction of a 12' wide turn lane from southbound and northbound CR 835 to the proposed private access road serving the main entrance of an industrial development in Hendry County. The meeting will be held at the Hendry County Administrative Conference Room, located at 640 Main Street, LaBelle, FL 33935. All interested are encouraged to attend. For further information, please contact the Hendry County Engineer's Office at (863) 675-5222 or (863)-983-1588.
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466709 CN 8/14/2014

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466759 CN/CB 8/14/2014

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2693 2011 1074433-03000190010 Eila III LLC
Lot 1 in Block 19 of WOODLAND SUBDIVISION, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 4, page 1 thru 2 of the 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.
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Barbara S. Butler
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466694 CN 8/14,21,28;9/4/2014

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1269 2009 1134432-A0000900000 Ana M Quintana-Marquez
The West one-half of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 13, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the North 80 feet thereof. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 3605, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.
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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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466374 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

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CERT. NO. YEAR DESCRIPTION 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
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AUCTION on Friday August 15th, 2014 at 9:00 a. m. at 1233 N. W. Avenue L, Belle Glade, Florida
• Property of: **Joyce Buckner-** Living room Suite, Floor lamp, Tree, Headboard, Mattress and Box Spring. 466514 SUN 8/7,14/2014

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806 2010

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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
 Property Address: 1218 Della Tobias Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

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

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1131	2011	1274331-010000G0080	Jake & Eileen Pearson TR ITF Austin J Pearson and Xavier J Pearson, minor children

The Southeast one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 27, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Also known as Lot 8, Block G, PIONEER PLANTATION, an unrecorded subdivision.

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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.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
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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466384 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
242	2009	1184428-A0001160000	Winsome Building Concepts LLC

The East one-half of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 18, Township 44 South, Range 28 East, Hendry County, Florida.

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1513	2011	1144432-A0000820000	Lou's Properties Inc

The South one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 14, 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 Tract 3441, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.

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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
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

466382 CN 7/24,31;8/7,14/2014

Public Notice

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 of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, Attn: Barbara Butler, at the C.E. Hall Building, Room A-226, Hendry County Courthouse Complex, 25 E. Hickpoche 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.

This solicitation does not commit Hendry County to award any contracts, to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of a response to this Bid, 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 Bid, if it is in the best interest of the County to do so.

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 466323 CN/CB 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 **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
1345	2011	1324332-A0000730000	Steven C Dettmar Est

The North one-half of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 32, Township 43 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida.

TOGETHER WITH a 1980 MANA single-wide Mobile Home having Identification No. F060710D5460, Title No. 19003542, and RP Decal No. R053895, which is permanently affixed to real property. (Mobile Home Title is in the name of Natalie Agness Dettmar. Lien Holder: Alliance Funding.)

Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-43-32-A00-0073.0000
 Property Address: 4506 Everhigh Acres Road, Clewiston, FL 33440

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 Dated this **6th day of August, 2014**.

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

466711 CN 8/14/2014

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED
Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **County of Hendry**, 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
1456	2009	1154432-A0001740100	Leovidio & Frances Abad + Jorge Diaz + Ada Diaz

The North one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 15, 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 Tract 2530, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.

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 Dated this **6th day of August, 2014**.

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

466702 CN 8/14,21,28;9/4/2014

Public Notice

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

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Community Briefs

Volunteers needed

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MCA events for August

There will be no Regular MCA meeting until the third Thurs. in September. August 23, Saturday, Country Jam Session and Pot Luck Dinner at 6-9 p.m. All of the events are open to the pub-

lic 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. Refreshments will be served.

For further information call 863-674-0467.

Ball room dance classes are back

After a five year hiatus Diane and Nick Fianza 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.



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Community Briefs

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ACT offers counseling and related services

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 forensic examinations for survivors of rape. For more information please call 239-939-3112 or 1-888-956-7273.

AA meetings

Help with problem drinking is available through AA at the following times and locations: Sunday 7 p.m. Church of the Good Shepherd, Collingwood Ave. in Port LaBelle; Tuesday 8 p.m. First Christian Church, Ford St., LaBelle; Wednesday noon Good Shepherd; Thursday 8 p.m. First Christian; Friday 7 p.m. Good Shepherd; Saturday 9 a.m. Good Shepherd. In Clewiston the meetings are held Monday and Wednesday 7 p.m. at St. Martin's Episcopal Church. WC Owens Ave. For those affected by someone else's drinking, AlAnon is in LaBelle Thursday at 8 p.m. First Christian Church. Further information available by calling AA intergroup at 239-275-5111.

Mini health fairs

Ace Homecare and Oakbrook of LaBelle - Mini Health Fairs - August 2014

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Mini Health Fair: LaBelle Commons - Friday August 22, 2014 at 10:00 a.m. 284 Bryan Ave., LaBelle. Ace HH License#: 299991018.

Mini Health Fair: Clewiston Senior Center, Monday August 25, 2014 at 11:30 a.m. Next to The John Boy Auditorium, Clewiston Florida 33440. Ace HH License #299991018.

Mini Health Fair: Hope Connections LaBelle - Friday August 22, 2014 11:00 a.m., Cowboy Way LaBelle. Ace HH #: 299991018.

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 - 1/2 (10-ounce) package frozen spinach, thawed

- 1 unbaked (9-inch) deep-dish pie shell
- 2 tablespoons melted butter

DIRECTIONS

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees. Rinse the chicken and pat dry. Cook the chicken in a nonstick skillet until light brown. Combine the eggs, half-and-half, pepper and salt in a mixer bowl and beat well. Add the onion and cheese and mix well. Pat the thawed spinach with a paper towel. Stir into the egg mixture. Brush the pie shell with the melted butter. Pour in the egg mixture. Add the chicken.

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