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Coming home

TOP: LaBelle Heritage Museum President Joe Thomas kicked off the museum's open house September 4, celebrating the integration of the H.A. Rider home and office into the museum grounds. The museum is still a work in progress after having moved from its Lee Street home. Power is still being extended to the office and storage area, he said. The evening included a thank you from one of the Riders' grandchildren, Janis Davidson, for the recognition of Judge Rider's unique position in LaBelle history. The house (1905) and office (1936) originally stood on SR 80 but were moved to Lee Street. Now they are part of the museum complex at 150 Bridge Street, with its core at the old Poole Store (1911). See more Museum pictures on page 2.

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Patriotic event to mark 9-11



Folks will gather at the LaBelle High School Auditorium for the annual concert honoring the heroes and victims of 9-11. On Saturday, September 13, at the LHS Auditorium beginning at 6 p.m., audiences will enjoy songs from the best of our gospel singers and tributes to our emergency personnel and the work they do on our behalf.

Everyone is welcome. This event is free to the public and is sponsored by The Gathering of Christian Men. For more information please contact Wayne Wilkins 863-673-0767. Remember Saturday, September 13, at 6 p.m. LaBelle High School Auditorium.

Recypoly, Inc. facility committed to Hendry

by Patty Brant
Caloosa Belle

Technology isn't just the way of the future. It's here and it's now. And Hendry County is searching for its share.

A facility called Recypoly, Inc., is one facility that has committed to becoming part of this community.

Run by the Szkolnik family, including CEO John.

Recypoly has 12 years of experience in the field, with a similar facility for cardboard, paper, glass etc. in Miami-Dade called Meter Recovery Facility. When they sold it they began looking for another business to start. Plastic mulch is not yet recycled in Florida, owner John said, making it an open field for new businesses.

For them, it was the place to start. Recypoly, Inc., will be reclaiming polymers from most anything made of plastic - bags

Recently, John said they are in the process of assembling the equipment and should be in production during the month of November or December.

The company is accepting resumes by e-mail at info@recypoly.com, in particular for mechanics and mechanics' helpers, but all information is appreciated.

The facility is making its home at the old Berry plant on SR 80. The company purchased 13.5 acres of the site to put in a 52,000 square foot warehouse with frontage on the highway. The facility will receive

plant mulch and drip tape from area farms as the raw materials for its product,

They will collect these materials several times a year and, instead of them clogging up the landfills or being burned, they can be recycled into useful products.

The plastics recycling business requires close proximity to growers from Tampa to Homestead, allowing them to save money for transport and tipping fees. John said their customers will need to make an appointment and explain in advance what type of materials they will be bringing.

At Recypoly, workers will separate standard plastic, metalized plastic or VIF (Very Impermeable Film which reduces the loss of fumigants and holds moisture) and all LDPE plastic (Low Density Polyethylene which is used as commercial films, carrier bags, protective foams, and some flexible lids and bottles).

Through a specialized process, the plant will turn these materials into high quality black pellets as their end product, which they will sell to companies to manufacture other plastic products.

John said their process is a closed loop - from old plastic items, to pellets to new items.

Recypoly workers will have to clean the raw materials thoroughly. In fact, this operation is so important that Recypoly is ordering special machines from Europe to do the job. They have even sent materials to Europe to be prepared so they can be assured of their high quality plastic pellets.

John said Recypoly will create 18-20 jobs, including mechanics and loaders. The plant will also need a manager.

Eventually, the plant will run virtually 24-7. He said some noise is to be expected and there may be some smell, but it will be confined to the plant itself.

Recypoly, Inc., got its Received Materials certification effective July 1, 2014 and continuing through June 30, 2015.

Equipment is in place, with materials already stockpiled to begin processing. John

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TOP: Seven-year-old second grader Carson Carr, left, and 10-year-old fifth grader Nicholas both attend Country Oaks Elementary School and are great-great-grandsons of the Riders. The boys enjoyed their visit to the museum and especially liked the miniature vintage carriage display. Nicholas liked the two-seater with the fringe, while Carson's favorite was the old dairy wagon. Their mother, Lindsay Carr, is Judge Rider's great-granddaughter. Lindsay said she is proud to be related to the judge, who was a prosecuting attorney during the Depression, and contributed much to the development of the community.

RIGHT: Johnny Doub, born in North LaBelle, and his sister-in-law Irene Doub attended the museum open house. He said Judge Rider officiated at his marriage to Dora Maddox right there in the judge's office. Johnny was a surveyor who worked on important roadways including SR 27 and County Road 78



Upcoming events at the library

“Couponing with Caroline

Would you like to save money, get the most BANG for your BUCK? Then you won't want to miss “COUPONING WITH CAROLINE”, as she teaches you the secrets of finding and using coupons. The program is tonight, Thursday, September 11, from 6:00 to 8:00 pm, at the library.

ings at 10:30. Bring your little ones out for a fun time with Ms. Liz. There will be stories and creative activities.

Moonlight Movie:

September 19 – Moonlight Movie – 7:30 p.m. How to Train Your Dragon. Barron Library has tried to make it easier for your kids to find Accelerated Reading (AR) books they need to read for school, by creating a list broken down into levels. Ask for help in finding just the right book.

Preschool Story Time

Pre-School Story Time will begin again in September, meeting on Tuesday morn-

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points out that it's necessary to have a continuing supply of recyclable material to keep the machines running. Production should begin in October or November, John said.

According to John, Recypoly will convert 46,000 tons of of recyclables into plastic pellets per year to be shipped out to the world.

A modern automated plant, Recypoly will have its own water treatment plant on site. Contaminents will be confined to a drying bed, and become part of the materials to be reused in the system.

Employees will be trained on the machinery by experienced workers coming from Europe. Machines in LaBelle will be monitored online to trouble shooters across the ocean.

Two shifts of ten hours each will open the plant, with a third shift planned for the future. Maintenance will be a continuing process.

In the past few years, the City of LaBelle retained a bad taste from the now defunct RKO plastics operation. The company received tax incentives from the city, then floundered and died, leaving the city to resolve issues with the state on grant moneys and a pile of materials at its former site on Commerce Drive.

Because of their previous experience in the recycling industry, the Szkolniks know the Department of Environmental Protection people and the proper procedures. John Szkolnik said Recypoly, Inc., has the knowledge, the experience and the will to “Do it the right way.”

Executive Director of the Hendry County Economic Development Council Gregg Gillman said his agency has been working with the Szkolniks for some time, assisting them in procuring necessary permits from the county, South Florida Water Manage-

ment and Department of Environmental Protection. He added that they may also be eligible for Enterprise Zone incentives to aid the facility in becoming a success. EDC will also assist in training local workers through Workforce Florida.

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LHS Counselors Corner

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- Sept. 19, 2014 Seniors: Grad Bash \$40.00 (Total cost \$140.00) NON REFUNDABLE!
 - Sept. 22 College & Career Day – The Chef from Coconut Point Hyatt will demonstrate the culinary arts, with great tasting samples.
 - Sept. 29 – Oct. 3 Homecoming Week
 - Oct. 6—17 FCAT Retakes (Juniors & Seniors who have not passed the FCAT Reading)
 - Oct. 15 PSAT— Seniors OFF! (a junior may be eligible for a scholarship depending on the PSAT score).
 - Oct. 20 Herff Jones Senior meeting
 - Oct. 28 Senior Cap and Gown Orders
 - May 9, 2015 New and Final Date For PROM!
- Milestones Towards Graduation:
1. GPA (minimum 2.0 grade point average for graduation)
 2. Passing score on State Achievement Testing
 3. Graduate with honors: Suma Cum Laude (4.0 GPA), Magna Cum Laude (3.75-

Hope Flu Shot Clinics and other events:

- LaBelle, 475 E. Cowboy Way, LaBelle:
- Public Forum being held by the Area Agency on Aging of SWFL to address the current funding formula for allocations by the state for senior services in Hendry County: This is open to the public and we encourage local participation for our counties needs to be known. 10/7 10:00a.m-11:00a.m..
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 - Research college requirements and deadlines (flchoices.org)
 - Florida bright futures requirements and deadlines (<http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/>)
- The LaBelle Woman's Club, located On Highway 80, will be open to LHS students and their families the 2nd Monday of each month through May 2015. LHS seniors and prior graduates will be assisting the LaBelle Woman's Club with the following services:
- College and Career Preparedness
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 - SAT/ACT Registration
 - Scholarship Research
 - Volunteer Hours (needed for honors graduates and scholarships)

Rhonda Kosh, Guidance Counselor (11th and 12th Grade) koshr@hendry.k12.fl.us, Michelle Zimmerly, Counselor (9th and 10th Grade), zimmerlym@hendry.k12.fl.us, Diane Raulerson, English Language Learner support, raulersond@hendry.k12.fl.us, and Lisa Hegley, Registrar, hegleyl@hendry.k12.fl.us.

NOTICE OF MEETING 2014 HENDRY COUNTY VALUE ADJUSTMENT BOARD

PLEASE BE ADVISED that pursuant to Chapter 194, Florida Statutes, the HENDRY COUNTY VALUE ADJUSTMENT BOARD (VAB) will convene its Organizational Meeting on **Tuesday, September 23, 2014, at 3:30 p.m.** in the Commission Chambers at the Hendry County Courthouse, 25 East Hickpochee Avenue, LaBelle, Florida, for the purpose of considering matters pursuant to the requirements of Florida Statutes, Chapter 194 and other items as may be appropriate or timely. Petitions, complaints and appeals filed with the VAB will be referred to hearings conducted by Special Magistrates at the Hendry County Courthouse; or at other designated locations as needed.

This meeting is open to the public, and interested citizens are invited to attend. No decisions concerning Special Magistrate recommendations will be made by the Board at the meeting.

Anyone who appeals a decision made by the VAB will need a record of the proceedings and for such purpose may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, including the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is based.

The VAB may discuss other related issues in addition to the above matters at the suggestion or request of the Chairman or members prior to or during the meeting.

Barbara S. Butler, Clerk,
Hendry County Value Adjustment Board

Arrest clarification

An arrest listed in the August 28 issue of the Caloosa Belle has caused some unfortunate confusion. The Carol A. Ford, 49, arrested on August 24 and charged with aggravated battery with a deadly weapon is not the same person as Carolyn Dozier Ford. We hope this clears up any confusion.

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Community Briefs

Free HIV testing

In 2009, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention reported persons aged 50 and older accounted for approximately:

- 17 percent of new HIV/AIDS diagnoses
- 36 percent of persons living with AIDS
- 24 percent of all AIDS diagnoses
- 45 percent of all deaths of persons with AIDS

The AIDS Institute (Washington, DC) is holding the 7th annual National HIV/AIDS and Aging Awareness Day on September 18, 2014. In observance of NHAAAD, the FL Department of Health in Hendry and in Glades counties will offer free HIV testing for anyone on Thursday, September 18, from 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. at the health department at 1100 Olympia St, Clewiston; 1140 Pratt Blvd, LaBelle; and 1021 Health Park Dr, Moore Haven. HIV has no age limit! Get tested.

Fundraiser for child

His Vision Our Hands and Bull Pit Ministries will be sponsoring a benefit BBQ on Saturday, September 27, at the LaBelle rodeo grounds to raise money to help pay medical expenses for Bella Parrish who is going to Boston Children's Hospital in September for a medical procedure. Tickets can be purchased before or that day at the BBQ. Bull Pit Ministries will be having their rodeo buck out following the BBQ. Menu is: Pulled Pork dinner with baked beans, cole slaw, bread and tea. Price: \$8. A Cake and Pie Raffle will also be held.

Take AARP

Smart Driver Course

You will learn defensive driving techniques; proven safety strategies; new traffic laws and rules of the road. Saturday, September 20, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Arrival time 8:45 a.m. Bring your lunch. Come to Hope Connection, 475 E. Cowboy Way, LaBelle, To register call Kathy at 675-1576. Checks accepted, payable to: AARP. If you're a member, bring your AARP ID Number and driver license. Classroom course: \$15 for AARP member; \$20 non-members. For more information visit www.aarp.org/drive. Upon completion you may be eligible for an auto insurance discount. Other restrictions may apply. Consult your agent for details.

Bok Tower Wildflower Day Bus Trip

Bok Tower Gardens in Lake Wales is declaring Saturday, September 20, as Wildflower Day. Enjoy a variety of films, meet noted wildflower and conservation authors, and visit Bok Tower Gardens and Pinewood Estate. The City of LaBelle bus will meet at the LaBelle City Hall (481 W Hickpochee Ave./Hwy 80) at 8 a.m. return at 5:30 p.m. The \$35 fee for this event sponsored by the City of LaBelle includes Transportation on 21 passenger bus and admission to both Bok Tower Gardens and Pinewood Estate. (Fifteen pre-paid reservations are needed to defray expenses for this trip.) Bring a picnic lunch or purchase lunch at the restaurant at Bok Tower. Pre-payment may be mailed or hand delivered to the LaBelle City Hall by Thursday, September 18, to "City of LaBelle" c/o Ron Zimmerly, PO Box 458 LaBelle, FL 33975. Include your name, phone number and number of participants attending on the envelope with payment. For reservation and information call Margaret England at 863-674-0695.

Tobacco free partnership to meet

Meeting Type: Tobacco-Free Partnership September 18, at 4 p.m., Carlson United Methodist Church in LaBelle.

Meeting Type: Drug-Free Hendry County Coalition September 18, at 4:30 p.m., Carlson United Methodist Church in LaBelle.

All members of the community are welcome to join both meetings! The more the merrier!

Back by special request! Genealogy series

Below is the calendar for our Genealogy Series. The first class will be an interactive workshop using the internet for research and using my personal information as example of Public Trees. The other lectures will be conducted by Bryan Mulcahy from Lee County Library System. The lectures are a \$10.00 donation to the club, and refreshments will be available for donation. Please call me at 863-673-1144 or email noel_tina@hotmail.com for reservations and questions.

Tuesday, September 16, 6:30-8 p.m. In-

teractive On-line Research and Public Trees (bring computer and family tree info if desired)

Tuesday, October 21, 6:30-8 p.m. Overcoming Research Roadblocks

Tuesday, November 18, 6:30-8 p.m. Immigration and Ship Passenger Lists

Tuesday, December 16, 6:30-8 p.m. Naturalization Process

Tuesday, January 20, 6:30-8 p.m. Westward Migration

Tuesday, February 16, 6:30-8 p.m. Maps and Genealogical Research

Stress management

Let Your Body Win: Stress Management Plain and Simple with Jackie Ferguson. This free wellness seminar will take place Friday, September 19, at Carlson Memorial United Methodist Church 10 a.m.-3 p.m. The Healthier Hendry Glades Task Force is a partnership of over 30 agencies working together to prove the health of the people of Hendry and Glades. One of their efforts is a Healthier Me! Program to help people lose weight, eat healthier, be active and reduce stress. The seminar by Jackie Ferguson is offered to area community partners and fellow workers. RSVP or for more information call Mary Ruth Prouty at 674-4041 ext. 135 or email Mary.Prouty@flhealth.gov. Fifty seats available. Lunch provided by Cracker Cooking and Catering.

LaBelle Garden Club to meet

The LaBelle Garden Club will meet Monday, September 22, at 7 p.m. at the Dallas Townsend Center at 1085 Pratt Blvd. in LaBelle. The speaker will be Dr. Mongi Zekri, Multi-County Citrus Agent IV, University of Florida, IFAS, Hendry County Extension Office, LaBelle. There is a wealth of useful local garden data available on these websites: labellegardenclub.org and <http://citrusagents.ifas.ufl.edu/agents/zekri/index.htm>

Bring a friend. Refreshments served, (Bring a treat if you'd like to share something). If you have a plant to exchange - or produce from your garden - Great - if not come anyway, you'll come away with one or more plants and have a fun filled evening with so much to learn! For more information, call President Dave at 863-342-8233 or Nikki at 239-564-2005.

Bingo is back!

Bingo returns to Our Lady Queen of Heaven Catholic Church on Friday, September 12. Early Bird 6:45 p.m., regular bingo 7 p.m. Remember prizes for the 15 regular games increase when at least more than 40 are in the hall by 7 p.m. and prizes for the eight specials increase when more than 55 are in the hall by 7 p.m. So bring a friend, come early and enjoy the goodies at the snack bar before Bingo starts.

Wanted: 1970s LHS Alums

Join your classmates and friends from the classes of 1970 to 1979 for an informal get-together in September. Spend a few hours catching up on the last thirty or forty years. Bring yearbooks and photos to share, along with your memories of the life, love and laughter of LaBelle High School. Help us get the word out! Saturday, September 20, 3-6:30 p.m. at Pancho & Corleone Restaurant, Hwy 80 West (next to American Legion), LaBelle. REGISTER ONLINE: <http://classreport.org/usa/fl/LaBelle/lhs/1975/>; CONTACT: Judi Kennington-Korf 239-560-7285 msjudikk@aol.com or Cindy Miller 863-673-3855 cinmn75-pianogirl@yahoo.com for additional details.

MCA events for August

There will be no regular MCA meeting until the third Thurs. in September.

VFW news

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

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.

DAV flea market

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Submitted photo/Lily Hart

Behind the Red Doors; Thank You St. Matthews House

The LaBelle Community Woman's Club has been very busy updating the club this summer. They held a clean-up day in June where club members, family and friends came together and cleaned up the outside of the club. They not only cut back the shrubs and bushes, but they also pressure-washed the landing and steps. Then club members took on the task of re-painting the iconic double red doors and painting the ladies' restroom. The ladies needed some extra help painting and found it quickly after having a chat with Donna Adams, the manager of the Port LaBelle Inn. She told a few club members about the wonderful work that the St. Matthew's House men have been doing at the Inn. She explained that each of the men come from different working backgrounds and that she has used their talents to do improvements at the Inn. Soon after our chat, the club received a call from St. Matthew's House and a visit. A few short days later, the young men were busy at The Woman's Club painting the men's bathroom and the kitchen cabinets. They were happy to do the painting. All were cheerful, hardworking and respectful of the ladies. They did an outstanding job and asked if they could help us again! Members of the Woman's Club look forward to partnering with St. Matthew's House on future projects and recommend them to any organization in town needing community service work with an attitude of excellence! The LaBelle Community Woman's Club is currently fundraising to update the club floor. If you would like to help with a donation of money or supplies, please contact them at info@gfwclabelle.org or visit the club any Tuesday morning between 9:30 and 11:00.



Submitted photo

Kiwanis and St. Matthew's House

Vann Ellison, President/CEO for the St. Matthew's House was recently a guest speaker for the Kiwanis Club of LaBelle to talk about services that will be provided in LaBelle. St. Matthew's House is comprised of three primary missions: Homeless Shelters, Feeding Ministries, and Substance Abuse Programs. Currently, they operate a 114-bed shelter in Naples and a 44-bed shelter in Immokalee with facilities housing men, women, and families. Their program is a structured recovery program where residents must adhere to covenants which prohibit drug or alcohol use, require them to do daily chores, and to work with case managers on pre-agreed upon plans for transition to independence. Their Feeding Ministries Program offers direct assistance to provide emergency groceries up to twice monthly for families at or below the poverty line with small children or elderly in the household. They distributed over 8,000 bags of groceries in 2013 and their soup kitchen has served two meals per day for the past 25 years. You can visit www.stmatthewshouse.org for more information. Pictured: Arlene Bettencourt-President of the Kiwanis Club of LaBelle and Vann Ellison.

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Earnel Charlie 'Ernie'

Ford, Sr., 81

LABELLE — Earnel Charlie "Ernie" Ford, Sr., age 81, of LaBelle, passed away September 8, 2014 in LaBelle.

He was born May 13, 1933 in Desoto County, Fla., to the late Roy Hollis Ford and the late Anna Belle (Jordan) Ford. Ernie was a longtime resident of LaBelle and retired as an Investigator with the Hendry County Sheriff's Office after 33 years of service. He was a veteran of the US Navy and a member of both VFW and American Legion. Ernie was also a member of LaBelle Masonic Lodge #379 F. & A.M.

He is survived by his wife, Beatrice Jewel (Cockram) Ford; children, Joan (Cecil) Music of LaBelle and Billy (Grace) Ford of Moore Haven; five grandchildren, ten great-grandchildren and; one great-great grandchild. Ernie was preceded in death by his son, Earnel Charlie Ford, Jr. in 1971.

Funeral Services will be 10 a.m., Thursday September 11, 2014, at Fort Denaud Cemetery in LaBelle with Pastor L. W. Howard officiating. Interment will follow at Fort Denaud Cemetery.

Arrangements by Akin-Davis Funeral Home - LaBelle.

Gertie Mae Jones, 89

LABELLE — Gertie Mae Jones, age 89, of LaBelle, passed away September 7, 2014 in her home surrounded by her loving husband and family.

She was born Oct. 20, 1924, in Okeechobee, to Claudie and Nero (Williams) Tyner. She married Stanley Jones in 1942; he survives. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother and great-great grandmother. She will be dearly missed by her entire family and her friends.

Survivors include her loving husband, Stanley Jones; three sons, Howard and wife Sharon Jones, Lloyd and wife Mae Jones, Robert Jones; and three daughters, Hazel White, Linda and husband Brad McCormick, Paula and husband Henry Laka; fifteen grandchildren; eleven great grandchildren, and four great-great grandchildren.

Memorial services will be 2 p.m., Saturday, September 13, 2014 at Akin-Davis Funeral Home, LaBelle with Pastor Howie Grimm, officiating. Visitation will be 1 hour prior to service on Saturday Akin-Davis Funeral Home, LaBelle.

Cremation arrangements by Akin-Davis Funeral Home - LaBelle.

Jimmy Reed Campbell, Sr.

OKEECHOBEE — Jimmy Reed Campbell, Sr.

went home to be with the Lord on September 3, 2014.

He was born Oct. 23, 1934 in Nashville, Tenn., to the late George Waterson and the late Sylvia Mae (Reed) Campbell, Jr. He served his country in the United States Army.

He is survived by his wife of 57 years, Helen Corbitt Campbell of Okeechobee, Florida; one son, Jimmy Reed Campbell, Jr. and wife Kim of Chelsea, Alabama; and one daughter, Stephanie Kandessi Campbell of Cape Coral, Florida; six grandchildren, and four great grandchildren.

A celebration of his life will be 1:30 p.m., Saturday, October 11, 2014 at the home of his brother-in-law, Tom Corbitt. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation in his name to Hope Hospice, 9470 Healthpark Circle, Fort Myers, Florida 33908.

Evelyn A. Foss, 106

Nov. 7, 1907-Sept. 3, 2014

LABELLE — Evelyn A. Foss, age 106, of LaBelle, passed away September 3, 2014 in LaBelle from complications of advanced age.

Evelyn Allen Foss was born in Louisa County, Iowa on November 14, 1907 to Minton Allen and Louis Jarvis Allen. She was educated in public schools in Columbus Junction and at Parsons College in Fairfield, Iowa. Evelyn married Roy Badham. To this union, one daughter, Norma Royene Badham was born. Following, Mr. Badham's death she married August Foss. They were married 59 years and to that union, one daughter, Joanne Foss was born.

Evelyn and August were involved in their church, boy scouts, girl scouts, and the Avion Travelcade Club. Evelyn spent the first forty six years of her life in Columbus City, Iowa before moving to Largo, Florida. She later moved to Old Town, Florida where she lived forty five years before moving to LaBelle, Florida to be near her daughter Royene.

She is survived by her daughter, Royene Hankins of LaBelle, Florida; son in law, Dick Hendrickson of Washington, Iowa; four grandchildren, twelve great grandchildren, and seven great-great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her daughter, Joanne Foss Hendrickson; son-in-law, Wayne Hankins; both husbands, one granddaughter,



her parents, five brothers, and one sister.

Funeral services will be held at a later date at Old Town Methodist Church. Burial will be in Old Town Cemetery. Memorials can be made to the Old Town Methodist Church, Old Town, Florida.

Evelyn's family would like to thank the staff and residents of Oakbrook of LaBelle for their loving care of our mother and grandmother during her last years.

Cremation and Funeral arrangements are being handled by Akin-Davis Funeral Home - LaBelle, Fla. and Rick Gooding Funeral Home in Cross City, Fla.

Vickie Elaine (Hazellief) Murphy,

57

LABELLE — Vickie Elaine (Hazellief) Murphy went home to The Lord on September 7, 2014.

She was born November 10, 1956 in Fort Pierce to Doyle and Syble Hazellief. She had been a resident of Labelle for 19 years and worked with special needs children at West Glades School near Muse. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Labelle.

She was preceded in death by her parents and one son, Joshua Dewayne Rigdon.



She is survived by her husband of 19 years, Ronnie Murphy of Labelle; brothers, Dewaine Hazellief (Wendy) of Okeechobee, Darrell Hazellief (Bonita) of Okeechobee and Gene Allen Hazellief (Helen) of Fort Pierce; daughter, Margaret Williams (Jim) of Labelle; and two sons, Doyle Rigdon (Emily) of Palmdale and Cliff Rigdon of Okeechobee. She has three grandchildren, Tori, James, and Laine, of Labelle, as well as beloved nieces, Nicki Campbell (Chad) of Okeechobee, Ashley Arnold (Scooter), Shylene Henrion (Joe); and nephew, Travis Hazellief (Fallon). She loved as daughters, Sonja Kelly of Okeechobee, and Leigh Grafton of Laurel, Miss. She cherished the students and staff at West Glades School.

Visitation will be 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., Thursday, September 11, 2014 at Buxton & Bass Okeechobee Funeral Home. Funeral service will be at 10 a.m., Friday, September 12, 2014 at Buxton & Bass Okeechobee Funeral Home with Pastor Frank Deery officiating. Interment will follow at Basinger Cemetery.

Those wishing to leave a message of condolence may sign the register book at, www.OkeechobeeFuneralHome.com

All arrangements are entrusted to the direction and care of the Buxton, Bass and Conway families of the Buxton & Bass Okeechobee Funeral Home, 400 North Parrott Avenue, Okeechobee, Florida, 34972.

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Church Briefs

Christ the King movie night

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the world. Christ the King Church is located just ¼ mile west of State Route 29 (light at fiesta food mart) on County Route 78.

Christian Men to meet

The September meeting of the LaBelle Gathering of Christian Men will be held at the Port LaBelle Inn, located at 1563 Oxbow Drive, LaBelle, at 7 p.m. on Monday, September 15. All men of LaBelle are invited to join us for dinner and a message. For directions or information please call Clay Townsend at 863-674-0699.



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Rotary

Country Oaks Elementary School Principal, Mr. James Sealey, presented to the LaBelle Rotary Club the basics of Florida State Standards, which is being implemented into the Hendry County Educational System. Mr. Sealey explained these Florida State Standards were designed to better prepare students for college and careers in the work place. Standards are set to ensure that students have consistent educational goals, no matter where they live. Supporters believe that students taught with these standards will be prepared to compete in the global economy. The standards don't describe how subjects should be taught. They leave the curriculum and teaching methods up to individual states and school districts. But they do explain what kinds of skills are expected of students in each grade and critical areas that should be covered. So far, the standards cover English language arts, mathematics and writing. Pictured with Rotary of LaBelle Tuesday speaker James Sealey (center), is Rotarian Joe Timm on the left, and Rotary President Holly Kobie.

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Harris Fellow

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will today as Cary Soud becomes a Paul Harris Fellow. His gift to The Rotary Foundation's educational and humanitarian programs are a commitment to peace and to a better life for people across the world whom he may never meet. This is a truly selfless action. The Rotary Foundation carries out an array of programs that achieve beneficial changes in our world: improved living conditions, increased food production, better education, wider availability of treatment and rehabilitation for the sick and disabled, new channels for the flow of international understanding, and brighter hopes for peace. In becoming a Paul Harris Fellow, Mr. Soud joins a remarkable company of persons throughout the world, all recognized for their devotion to the ideal of good will, peace and understanding. It is the goal of Rotarians the world over, and one that Mr Soud clearly shares. Pictured left to right is Cary Soud, recipient of Rotary Paul Harris Award, Holly Kobie Rotary, President, and presenter Richard Yoraschek, Rotary Foundation Chair.



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NOTICE OF ELECTION PROCEDURES FOR CENTRAL COUNTY WATER CONTROL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors for the Central County Water Control District, "the District," adopted election procedures at their regular meeting on July 7, 2014. If you are interested in qualifying as a candidate for the Board of Supervisors, you will need to notify Carolyn Hester, Manager for the District at the Central County Water Control District Administrative Offices, located at 475 S. Cabbage Palm Street, Montura Ranch Estates, Clewiston, Florida, telephone: (863) 983-5797 **no later than September 18, 2014 before 5:00 p.m.** The District will hold a landowners' election for two seats on the five (5) member Board of Supervisors on October 18, 2014. A copy of the election procedures may be obtained by contacting Carolyn Hester, Manager at the address or phone number listed above. PLEASE GOVERN YOURSELVES ACCORDINGLY.

CENTRAL COUNTY WATER CONTROL DISTRICT
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REQUEST FOR BIDS

CONSTRUCTION OF ROAD IMPROVEMENTS CR 78, PHASE III, CRESCENT AVENUE S.W. TO NOBLES ROAD, AND PHASE VI, CRESCENT AVENUE S.W. TO OLD NORTH RIVER ROAD, LABELLE, FL

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Bid No. 2014-18
OPENING DATE AND TIME: October 9, 2014 at 2:00 P.M.

Sealed Bids will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of Hendry County, Florida, "Construction of Road Improvements, CR 78, Phase III, Crescent Avenue S.W. to Nobles Road, and Phase VI, Crescent Avenue S.W. to Old North River Road, LaBelle, FL." 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 **October 9, 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, FL 33975 (mailing address), by calling (863) 675-5222, or on the Purchasing website located at www.hendryfla.net.

Bidders are encouraged to attend the Pre-Bid Conference on Tuesday, **September 23, 2014, at 10:00 a.m.** at the Engineering Department, 99 East Cowboy Way, LaBelle, Florida 33935.

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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 Board of County Commissioners
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Public Notice

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR TAX DEED

Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **Land Bank International, 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
5312	2010	4104329-13025340090	First American Bank c/o Special Assets

Lot 9, Block 2534, PORT LABELLE UNIT 13, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4, Page 55, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday** in the month of **October, 2014**, which is the **16th day of October, 2014**. Dated this **3rd day of September, 2014**.

467124 CN 9/11,18,25 & 10/2/2014
 Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

NOTICE OF MEETING

The Barron Water Control District Board of Supervisors will meet at 2:00 P.M. on Wednesday, September 24, 2014 at the office of the District, 3293 Dellwood Terrace, Port Labelle, Florida.

The purpose of the meeting is to conduct routine business that may require Board action.

This meeting is open to the public.

Mark Colbert, Chairman
 467147 CGS 9/11/2014

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The North one-half of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of Section 35, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. SUBJECT to an easement for an access road of the West 30.00 feet thereof. Also known as Lot 3852, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES.

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 Barbara S. Butler
 Clerk of Circuit Court
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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
570	2011	1324229-A0000570200	Milton A Eck Est

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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
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.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the **Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Third Thursday** in the month of **October, 2014**, which is the **16th day of October, 2014**. Dated this **3rd day of September, 2014**.

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 Clerk of Circuit Court
 Hendry County, Florida

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **Richard III, 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
3476	2007	4104329-090230500400	Tiffany Raquel Hosterman

Lot 4, Block 2305, Port La Belle Unit #9, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 144, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

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 Hendry County, Florida

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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
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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 Hendry County, Florida

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HENDRY COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE

SUBMITTED BY: C. Gordon Swaggerty, Jr. DATE: 9/23/14

SUBJECT AREA: 342 Hazing

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY OF PURPOSE: The proposed rule establishes the hazing.

CITATION OF LEGAL AUTHORITY: 1006.135 F.S.

CITATION OF SPECIFIC LEGAL REFERENCE: 1006.135 F.S.

FULL TEXT: A copy of the full text of the proposed rule may be obtained, without cost, at the Office of the Superintendent of Schools.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: The proposed rule establishes the policy for hazing.

STATEMENT OF REGULATORY COSTS: The proposed policy revision will create no additional district economic impact in excess of \$100.00 except for the costs of printing and distributions.

LOCATION OF MEETING, TIME AND DATE: Hendry County School Board Meeting Room, 25 E. Hickpochee Avenue, LaBelle, FL at 5:30 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard on September 23, 2014.

Notice: Inspection and copying of all written materials constituting public records submitted to the agency regarding draft rules may be obtained by request to the Superintendent of Schools.

Notice: The School Board may recognize any material which may be judicially noticed and to incorporate them into the record of the rule making proceeding. The School Board may incorporate material by reference into the proposed rule.

Notice: If you need an accommodation in order to participate in this process, please notify the Superintendent of Schools at (863) 674-4642 or at the Hendry County Courthouse, LaBelle, Florida 33935 at least 48 hours prior to the meeting or workshop.

Notice: If the School Board adopts the proposed rule, one certified copy of the proposed rule shall be filed in the Office of the Superintendent of Schools pursuant to 120.54(3)(e), F.S. 466863 CN 8/28;9/4,11 CB 9/11/2014

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
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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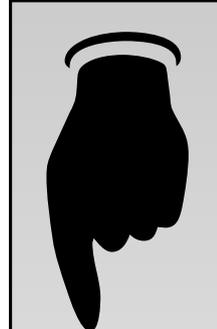
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NOTICE:
AUCTION on Friday September 12th, 2014 at 9:00 a. m. at 1233 N. W. Avenue L, Belle Glade, Florida

• Property of: **Ruby Moseley**- Living room suite, freezer, bedroom suite, miscellaneous boxes. 466993 SUN 9/4,11/2014



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School Briefs

Spaghetti at UES

The Rotary Club of LaBelle will be serving Spaghetti dinner Thursday evening, Sept 18, from 5-7 p.m. The school is located just South of Curry Street and to the West of Main Street, on Bronco Court, LaBelle. All you can eat din-

ners are \$5 each with all profits contributed to the school for special projects.

COES: Celebrate Family

September 16, 6-7 p.m. 6:00- Title 1 Presentation

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
520	2010	1324229-A0000110200	Full Gospel Tabernacle of LaBelle Fla Inc

Begin at the Southwest corner of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 32, Township 42 South, Range 29 East, Hendry County, Florida; thence North 00 degrees 04' 00" West, 428.18 feet; thence North 89 degrees 52' 48" East, 30 feet to the East right-of-way of Thigpen Road and the Point-of-Beginning; thence continue 390 feet; thence North 00 degrees 40' 00" West, 165 feet; thence South 89 degrees 52' 40" West, 390 feet; thence South 00 degrees 04'00" East, 165 feet to the Point-of-Beginning.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
539	2011	1324229-A0000130000	Joseph David & Patricia M Kennington

Commence at the Northeast corner of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 32, Township 42 South, Range 29 East, Hendry County, Florida; thence South 89 degrees 54'50" West, along the North line of said Southwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter, a distance of 285 feet to the Point-of-Beginning; thence South 0 degrees 04'40" East, a distance of 170.84 feet; thence South 30 degrees 56'31" West, a distance of 300.77 feet; thence South 0 degrees 04'40" East, a distance of 189.17 feet; thence South 89 degrees 52'40" West, a distance of 260.08 feet; thence North 0 degrees 04'00" West, a distance of 602.91 feet; thence North 89 degrees 54' 50" East, a distance of 414.96 feet to the Point-of-Beginning.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
548	2011	1324229-A0000320300	James J & Barbara Lee Hoff

Lots 6 and 7, more particularly described as follows: Commence at the center of Section 32, Township 42 South, Range 29 East, Hendry County, Florida, and run N 89 degrees 59'00" W, 765.62 feet, follow the quarter section line; thence N 00 degrees 04'00" E, 299.80 feet to the Point-of-Beginning of the parcel of land described herein; thence N 89 degrees 57'30" W, 200 feet; thence N 00 degrees 04'00" E, 125 feet; thence S 89 degrees 56'45" E, 200.00 feet; thence S 00 degrees 04'00" W, 125 feet to the Point-of-Beginning. The North 7 1/2 feet to be utilized for road right-of-way.

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Public Notice

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER ADOPTION OF AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION

Notice is hereby given that the Hendry County Board of County Commissioners will hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday, September 23, 2014, at 5:00 p.m., in the Hendry County Courthouse, Commission Chambers, 25 East Hickpoche Avenue, LaBelle, Florida, to consider an ordinance relating to fire prevention and protection entitled as follows:

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE HENDRY COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES, CHAPTER 1-9, FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION, ARTICLE II, FIRE MORATORIUM, SECTION 1-9-22, AUTHORITY TO IMPOSE MORATORIUM; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS OF LAW; PROVIDING FOR CODIFICATION, INCLUSION IN CODE, AND SCRIVENER'S ERRORS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

The meeting is open to the public. All interested persons may appear and be heard with respect to the proposed ordinance.

If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the Hendry County Commission with respect to any matter discussed at such 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.

A copy of the proposed Ordinance is available for inspection on weekdays between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. at the Office of the County Attorney, 110 Broward Avenue, LaBelle, Florida.

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

467069 CN/CB 9/11/2014

Parents will receive information regarding the Title 1 funds available to Country Oaks and how those funds are used to promote student success. The yearly PTO Schedule will be handed out.

6:20-7:00 Connecting Schools w/Families and Creativity. Mrs. Luckey will present an exercise and video to help parents visualize their child's success in the future.

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LMS teacher

LaBelle Middle School would like to highlight veteran teacher Ms. Jodi Higginbotham. She was born in Ft. Payne, Alabama, but grew up in Tampa, Florida. She attended Chamberlain HS and graduated from Jacksonville State University with a Bachelor of Science and a Master's of Science in Business Education. She also holds a Bachelor of Science from Tampa College in Computer Programming. She has been the Future Business Leaders of America sponsor at the high school level and middle school level for 22 years. In 2011-12 she claimed the LMS Teacher of the Year award. That same year she was honored at the State level as Florida FBLA Sponsor of the year. She has two children, Robert and Ryan, and three grandchildren, all girls. Her hobbies include: reading, traveling, playing words with friends, and watching old movies. Although Ms. Higginbotham has enjoyed her time with kids in Hendry County, she does look forward to retiring to Alabama.

LMS: Parent involvement

LaBelle Middle School supports and acknowledges as truth the Florida Department of Education's recommendations for Parent Involvement. Please read carefully, evaluate your involvement as a parent and if you can improve it, please plan to come to the next PTO meeting on September 22nd in the library at 6 p.m.:

WHAT WE KNOW ABOUT PARENT INVOLVEMENT – Florida Department of Education

Students with parents who are involved are more likely to:

- Earn higher grades and test scores, AND enroll in higher-level programs
- Be promoted, pass their classes, and earn credits
- Attend school regularly
- Have better social skills, show improved behavior, and adapt well to school
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Cash prizes and ribbons will be awarded. Entry fees for Arts of the Inland and Art Council of Southwest Florida members is \$10 per artwork. Non-members fee is \$20 per entry.

The Arts of the Inland is a 501(c)3 non-profit umbrella arts organization committed to recognizing and promoting artists in the inland area of south Florida. Members include visual, literary and performing artists.

For further information contact: LaVon Koenig 239-303-5849 or artsinland@gmail.com.

Mini Health Fairs for September 2014

Ace Homecare and Oakbrook Health and Rehabilitation Center will host these health fairs in September. They are free and open to the public. They include free blood pressure, weight, pulse and oxygen checks.

Mini Health Fair: LaBelle Commons- Friday, September 12, at 10:00 a.m. 284 Bryan Ave., LaBelle, Ace HH License #299991018.

Mini Health Fair: Hope Connections LaBelle- Friday, September 12, 11:00 a.m. Cowboy Way LaBelle, Ace HH #299991018.

Mini Health Fair: Clewiston Senior Center, Monday, September 15, at 11:30 a.m. Next to The John Boy Auditorium, Clewiston Florida 33440. Ace HH License #299991018.

Mini Health Fair: Hope Connections Moore Haven, Wednesday, September 17, at 11:30 a.m. 691 US 27 NW Moore Haven. Ace HH License #299991018.

Community Brief

For the Love of Music

Oakbrook Health and Rehabilitation Center will be hosting a fundraiser on Saturday, September 27, from 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

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RECIPE OF THE WEEK!

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- 1½ (16-ounce) package frozen hash brown potatoes
- 1 pound sausage, browned, drained
- 1 cup shredded Cheddar cheese
- 6 eggs, beaten
- ¾ cup milk

- ¾ teaspoon dry mustard
- ½ teaspoon salt
- Dash of pepper

DIRECTIONS

Layer the potatoes, sausage and cheese in a greased 9-by-13-inch baking dish. Combine the eggs, milk, mustard, salt and pepper in a bowl. Pour over the sausage mixture. Refrigerate, covered, for up to 10 hours. Preheat the oven to 350 degrees. Bake for 30 to 40 minutes or until set. Let stand for 10 minutes before serving. Yield: 8 to 10 servings.

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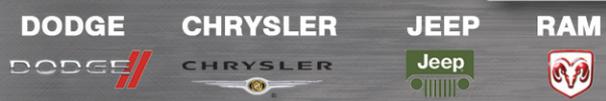
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