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## Suspect nabbed in baseball bat attack

**Victim 'brutally' beaten in Wal-Mart parking lot**

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A homeless man attacked a customer outside Wal-Mart with a baseball bat Monday morning, say police, sending him to a Gainesville hospital with serious head injuries.

Jacob Lerie Henry Jr., 29, was arrested after a five-hour manhunt and charged with attempted felony murder, aggravated battery and burglary.

The victim, Emory Alford, 62, of Lake City, was taken to Lake City Medical Center then transferred to a Gainesville hospital.

Police say the attack, which reports called "brutal," was unprovoked.

According to Lake City Police Department reports, the incident took place around 9:51 a.m. as Alford was exit-

BAT continued on 3A

## Fort White bomb scare proves false



TONY BRITT/Lake City Reporter

Columbia County Sheriff's Office deputy Mark Matthews stands outside the gates of Fort White High School Monday morning after school personnel found a suspicious package on campus.

## Suspicious package was two boxes taped together

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FORT WHITE — Public access to Fort White High School was restricted for more than four hours Monday after school personnel found a suspicious package on campus. The package, which turned out to be two Airsoft gun boxes taped together, contained no harmful materials and no one was hurt in the incident.

The package was found near a classroom door at the school and school officials and authorities closed a school wing and limited access to the building as they examined the package. Officials limited access to teachers, football players and students who were on

campus to take make-up tests in securing the campus.

Keith Hatcher, Fort White High principal, said a teacher found the package at 7:40 a.m.

"Just because it was so suspicious we decided to take every precaution we could take to make sure everybody was safe, the building was safe and the package was handled properly," he said. "The teacher found it and immediately alerted me and after a brief examination from a distance, I determined it would probably be best to call the sheriff's department and let them handle it."

The last day of classes at Fort White High School was Friday and Monday was a teacher work day



TONY BRITT/Lake City Reporter

Fort White High School principal Keith Hatcher (from left) and Columbia County Sheriff's Office deputy Mark Matthews, talk to a Columbia County Fire Fighter Monday morning.

for post-planning. Hatcher estimated around 100 members of the school's faculty and staff were on campus when the package was found.

Hatcher said school officials deemed the package suspicious because of where it was found and because no one on staff could identify it.

Units from the Columbia

County Sheriff's Office, Alachua County Sheriff's Office and Columbia County Fire Rescue arrived at the scene and cordoned off the area until the Alachua County Bomb Squad arrived.

The Alachua County Bomb Squad arrived at the school around 10 a.m. and

SCARE continued on 3A

## Council 'disappointed' in vote plan

**Councilman Ward: Plan amounts to 'voter suppression.'**

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Supervisor of Elections Elizabeth Horne's proposed plan for precincts and polling locations for the upcoming election continues to elicit disapproval from city council members.

In the plan, Lake City residents can vote at the Supervisor of Elections Office or at Richardson Community Center on election

day.

The number of voting precincts in the county have been reduced from 25 to 23, with 13 polling locations instead of the previous 18.

Mayor Stephen Witt said he was concerned about voting citizens having access to the polls.

"I think it's going to discourage voter turnout," Witt said.

NAACP representative Glenel Bowden expressed similar discontent with Horne's proposed plan, saying the lack of polling places within the city will discourage people from voting.

"I think it's unnecessary,"

Bowden said. "I think it's unfair to city residents."

Bowden said Horne's reasoning that the reduction would save costs "doesn't add up."

"It can't be that much of a savings when you think about the inconvenience it's going to cause the people of Lake City," he said.

Councilman George Ward said he was concerned that many voters would not get the message about the change in polling places.

"I agree with what Mr. Bowden said, that's voter suppression," Ward said.

Councilwoman Melinda Moses

said she was concerned that older constituents would be discouraged by crowded polling places on election day.

Absentee and early voting has been made accessible with extended hours at the Fort White Community Center and the Supervisor of Elections Office.

Councilman Eugene Jefferson said he was disappointed that the council received no response from the Supervisor of Elections to their written address concerning the first draft of the proposal.

"I am very disappointed in the response and the lack of commu-

nication from her to not only our citizens, to us as city representatives as well," Jefferson said.

Bowden called Horne's announcement of a Friday press conference on Thursday afternoon "not fair."

"In my spirit, I don't feel good about this change and I hope you don't feel good about it," Bowden said to the council.

City Attorney Herbert Darby said the Florida statute concerning the placement of polling locations is the Supervisor of Elections responsibility.

"It's cut and dry, it's her responsibility," Darby said.

## Season's first big political event draws hundreds

*Editor's note: Time constraints prohibited a full report on this event in today's paper. See Wednesday's Lake City Reporter for a more complete account.*

By LAURA HAMPSON  
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Columbia County residents had one of their first looks at local candidates' platforms Monday night at a forum hosted by the Columbia Teachers Association.

About 200 people attended the forum that was mainly geared to education and the school system. Four candidates for superintendent served as the main event.

Kenneth Burt, running for superintendent, said effective Thursday he will be a

retired school teacher. "But I'm not ready to retire, I'm ready to re-fire," he said.

This year Lake City Middle School's enrollment has soared to 1,098 students, while Richardson Middle School's has dropped to 570, he said. "We have a problem," he said.

"That problem could cost our school system \$150,000 fine for class-size amendment violations. That's not good management," he said. "I believe we need to put less money downtown and more money in the classroom," he said.

"My plan is to turn Niblack Elementary into Niblack Alternative School for curriculum replacement," he said, for students two years behind.

"These students are good kids, they just

need some help. They are also the kids that create a lot of our problems in our middle schools," he said.

Terry Huddleston, also running, said it has been his privilege to be in the Columbia County school system for over 32 years, with 14 years as the principal at Columbia High School, his current position.

Huddleston said he understands students, teachers and curriculum for pre-K to grade 12.

"I understand FCAT, I'm not real thrilled with it either, but I understand that's the game we play at this time," he said.

Glenn Hunter said his 24 years serving on the school board has opened his eyes to the needs of the district.

"Mine's a little bit of a different story,

I'm not from education," he said.

Hunter said his goal for the school district is to be within the top ten in the state. But it will not be achieved by just one person in the district. "It's the people that work in the Columbia County school system."

Sam Markham said he is running for superintendent because "I know that I have the best qualifications."

While serving as superintendent from 2004-08, Markham said "teachers got the best raise they have ever had in the history of the Columbia County School System."

Markham said his masters degree in administration and mathematics and has worked as a teacher and principal. "In short, I have been there and done that," he said.

### TODAY IN PEOPLE

Baldwin has big heart.

### COMING WEDNESDAY

Local news roundup.



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6-8-15-22-47-50  
x4



Monday:  
Afternoon: 6-8-5  
Evening: 0-0-3



Monday:  
Afternoon: 4-4-1-6  
Evening: 0-4-0-1



Sunday:  
17-21-22-26-34

## PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

# Baldwin helps NY school

CAMILLUS, N.Y. — Alec Baldwin wants to make sure students at a central New York school have the opportunity to get outside and play ball.

Local media outlets report that the actor was in the Syracuse area this past weekend to help a local high school's fundraising campaign to save its modified sports program.

The star of "30 Rock" attended an event held Sunday in the gym at West Genesee High School, where one of his nephews plays sports. Baldwin's mother and two sisters live in the Syracuse area.

Baldwin grew up on Long Island, where his father was a high school football and baseball coach.

He donated \$25,000 to save modified sports at West Genesee this school year and is helping raise money for next year's programs.

### Boortz retiring, Cain stepping in

ATLANTA — Conservative talk radio host Neal Boortz announced his retirement Monday after four decades at the microphone, saying he will be replaced by former GOP presidential hopeful Herman Cain.

Boortz said during his morning talk show that his last day will be Jan. 21, 2013, the day of the presidential inauguration. The



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Alec Baldwin is all smiles at the opening ceremony and screening of "Moonrise Kingdom" at the 65th international film festival, in Cannes, southern France. Baldwin was in the Syracuse area this past weekend to help a local high school's fundraising campaign to save its modified sports program.

67-year-old Boortz said he is in good health and plans to enjoy retirement by traveling with his wife.

"This has been a stress-free job for me. It's just been a total and absolutely joy," he said. "I'm going to miss everything associated with doing a talk radio show."

Boortz's show is syndicated across the country through Atlanta's WSB radio, drawing about 6 million listeners on 230 radio stations.

Cain, a 66-year-old Atlanta businessman and former WSB radio show host, dropped out of the presidential race in December after allegations arose of sexual improprieties, which he denied. He will take over Boortz'

timeslot and be distributed to the same radio stations.

"We tell people the cold, hard truth and the facts," Cain told Boortz during his show Monday. "I want to continue to express my views and help educate people about what's going on in this country. It's like you say: the dumb masses are ruining this country."

Cain is the former CEO of Godfather's Pizza. Since dropping out of the GOP race, he has provided daily commentary on Boortz's show and filled in when the longtime host went on vacation.

As a candidate, Cain was best known for his "9-9-9" tax plan to overhaul the U.S. tax code. The plan would have set income, corporate and sales taxes

at 9 percent each. Boortz said he will do daily commentary for Cain's show and will help out when the former politician takes a break.

"I couldn't be happier. It's going to be great," Boortz said. "I'm really looking forward to saying to Donna, 'Where do you want to go now?'"

### Tony's promise a rousing night

NEW YORK — The Tony Awards will be heavy on showcasing works on Broadway this season, with performances from Ricky Martin, Raul Esparza, Audra McDonald, Matthew Broderick and the casts of "Godspell" and "Ghost The Musical," among many others.

Producers Monday revealed a list of performances that include all four new musicals

— "Newsies," "Nice Work If You Can Get It," "Once" and the now-closed "Leap of Faith" — but also the revivals "Follies," "Evita," "The Gershwins' Porgy and Bess" and "Jesus Christ Superstar."

The show will even have performances from several plays, including "End of the Rainbow," "Peter and the Starcatcher" and "One Man, Two Guvnors."

The Tonys will air live on CBS from the Beacon Theatre in New York City on Sunday. Neil Patrick Harris returns as host.

### Celebrity Birthdays

- Actress Katherine Helmond is 77.
- Actor Spalding Gray is 71.
- New England Patriots owner Bob Kraft is 71.
- Musician Kenny G. is 56.
- Singer Brian McKnight is 43.
- Actor Mark Wahlberg is 41.
- Actress Susan Lynch is 41.
- Baseball player Russ Ortiz is 37.
- Musician Pete Wentz is 32.
- Football player Marques Colston is 28.

### Daily Scripture

**"Yours, LORD, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the majesty and the splendor, for everything in heaven and earth is yours. Yours, LORD, is the kingdom; you are exalted as head over all."**

- 1 Chronicles 29:11 NIV

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## AROUND FLORIDA

### Election qualifying losing personal touch

TALLAHASSEE — The tradition of Florida candidates standing in line to personally file their qualifying papers is just a memory.

Only one candidate was on hand as qualifying opened at noon Monday for federal and state offices.

They include newly redistricted congressional and legislative seats as well as a U.S. Senate seat.

Most candidates were relying on other people or delivery services to get their papers filed by noon Friday.

The new district lines are expected to cause some office-seekers to change their political plans. Florida this year added two more congressional districts to bring the state's total to 27 because of population growth between 2000 and 2010.

Clay County Clerk of Courts James Jett was first in line. He's trying to unseat U.S. Rep. Cliff Stearns, a fellow Republican.

### Suit claims cruise ship didn't help

MIAMI — A second lawsuit has been filed in Miami claiming that a U.S.-based cruise ship wrongly failed to stop for three Panamanian anglers adrift in a disabled boat in the Pacific Ocean.

Attorneys said Monday the federal lawsuit was filed against Princess Cruise Lines on behalf of the family of 16-year-old Fernando Osorio Rodriguez, one of two who perished. The third fisherman, 18-year-old Adrian Vazquez, survived after

being rescued some 600 miles from where the boat set out.

The lawsuit claims the Star Princess liner breached its maritime duties by failing to stop for the men March 10. The lawsuit contends three passengers reported seeing the disabled boat to a cruise employee. The cruise line has said passengers never told the captain.

The lawsuit seeks unspecified damages. Vazquez has also sued.

### Biden to deliver commencement

MIAMI — Vice President Joe Biden will deliver a high school commencement speech at the Miami Marlins stadium.

Biden will speak to the graduating class of Cypress Bay High School on Monday afternoon.

The speech is one of just three high school graduation addresses the vice president will deliver this spring.

Political analysts say it's no surprise Biden has chosen to deliver remarks in Florida, a key swing state in the upcoming elections. He'll also be able to address one of the Obama campaign's target audiences: the youth vote.

### 3 migrant workers killed in van crash

ORMOND BEACH — Florida Highway Patrol has identified three Haitian migrant farmworkers killed when their van flipped over in central Florida.

Sgt. Kim Montes said Monday that Benito

Delice, Sonja Maubrun and Berteau Nazaire died at the scene Sunday morning. All were from West Palm Beach. None wore a seat belt.

They were among 15 farmworkers in the van traveling to New Jersey for work.

Montes says one of the van's tires separated, causing the driver to lose control on Interstate 95 near the Volusia-Flagler county line.

Two passengers were hospitalized in critical condition. Nine other passengers also were injured.

### 2 die in separate diving incidents

TAVERNIER — Deputies say a 64-year-old

Tennessee woman and a 66-year-old southwest Florida man died in separate diving incidents in the Florida Keys over the weekend.

The Monroe County Sheriff's Office says Anne and Robert Morey of Monterey, Tenn., were planning to dive in a rock quarry in Tavernier Sunday afternoon.

Deputies say Robert Morey told his wife to go ahead while he got more weights. He says he found her not breathing about 20 minutes later in water 40 feet deep. She was pronounced dead at a hospital.

On Saturday, John and Nancy Dowicki were snorkeling near John Pennekamp State Park. Members of the boat crew say they saw John Dowicki drifting away. They pulled him onto the boat and performed CPR but he was dead on the scene.

## THE WEATHER



### REGIONAL FORECAST MAP for Tuesday, June 5

City	Wednesday	Thursday
Cape Canaveral	90/74/t	87/74/t
Daytona Beach	92/72/c	88/72/t
Ft. Lauderdale	91/75/c	86/76/t
Fort Myers	88/73/c	90/74/t
Gainesville	91/69/t	90/68/t
Jacksonville	90/71/t	90/71/t
Key West	88/79/sh	88/79/sh
Lake City	91/68/t	90/67/t
Miami	87/76/c	87/77/t
Naples	85/74/c	84/74/t
Ocala	93/70/t	90/68/t
Orlando	93/75/c	91/73/t
Panama City	87/74/t	86/73/t
Pensacola	89/76/t	85/71/t
Tallahassee	89/71/t	89/70/t
Tampa	90/76/c	88/74/t
Valdosta	90/70/t	87/68/t
W. Palm Beach	90/74/c	88/73/t

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#### TEMPERATURES

High Monday	92	Sunrise today	6:29 a.m.
Low Monday	70	Sunset today	8:30 p.m.
Normal high	90	Sunrise tom.	6:29 a.m.
Normal low	68	Sunset tom.	8:30 p.m.
Record high	102 in 1985		
Record low	60 in 1933		

#### PRECIPITATION

Monday	0.00"
Month total	0.01"
Year total	13.09"
Normal month-to-date	0.72"
Normal year-to-date	16.71"

#### SUN

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Sunrise tom. 6:29 a.m.

Sunset tom.

## Local man seriously injured after hit and run

By JESSIE R. BOX  
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A Lake City man was listed in serious condition after a Miami resident driving a semi-truck on northbound I-75 struck him at 12:20 a.m. Sunday, according to the Florida Highway Patrol.

An alert was issued

based on pieces of a broken taillight at the scene. Juan Carlos Robles-Feguered was apprehended by an agriculture inspection officer on I-10 in Suwannee County at 5:03 a.m. Sunday. Clothing fibers and hairs were discovered on Robles' vehicle, reports said.

Robles-Feguered was traveling north on I-75

when he allegedly steered the vehicle on the edge of the roadway and the right rear of the truck's trailer struck the victim, who was loading a disabled vehicle onto a tow truck when the incident occurred.

Robles-Feguered has been released from Columbia County Detention Facility on bond.



Robles-Feguered

## The nation's eyes are on Wisconsin

By SCOTT BAUER  
Associated Press

MADISON, Wis. — The battle over Gov. Scott Walker's agenda has attracted millions of dollars from out of state, campaign volunteers from across the country and months of concentrated attention from the two major political parties.

But on Tuesday, the only voices that matter will be those of Wisconsin voters deciding whether to keep Walker or fire him and hand his job to the Milwaukee mayor. After more than a year in the national spotlight, both sides are preparing for a razor-thin margin.

Polls show Walker, a Republican just 17 months into his term, with a small lead over Democrat Tom Barrett.

"Now it's our turn to speak," an exuberant Barrett told campaign workers Monday in Portage. "We the people of the state of Wisconsin are going to reclaim our future."

During Monday's first campaign stop, Walker said he expects a close race, too, and he's focused on turning out voters who supported his efforts to take on public-employee unions.

"We want to move on and move forward," Walker said at a plastics plant near Madison. He was joined by his wife, Tonette, who wore a button that read "Luv My Gov."

Walker planned other campaign stops at a brewery in Stevens Point and a distillery in Green Bay before wrapping up with a nighttime rally in Milwaukee.

Barrett was spending most of

Monday in western and northern Wisconsin before ending his day with a rally at a United Auto Workers union hall in Kenosha.

Walker is only the third governor in U.S. history to face a recall vote. The other two lost, most recently California Gov. Gray Davis in 2003. Wisconsin's recall election is a rematch of the 2010 governor's race in which Walker defeated Barrett by 5 percentage points.

Anger over Walker and his conservative agenda began building almost as soon as he took office in January 2011. Just a month into his term, Walker took the state by surprise with a proposal to effectively end collective bargaining rights for most state workers — a measure he said was needed to ease budget problems. The recall idea emerged soon thereafter.

But the recall petition drive couldn't officially start until November, months after Walker signed the union changes into law. Organizers hit the streets a week before Thanksgiving and spent two months gathering more than 900,000 signatures — about 360,000 more than were needed to trigger the election.

Retired teacher Jan Stebbins cast her ballot early for Barrett, just as she did two years ago. She said she's been offended by Walker, not by what he's done but "how he's done it."

Stebbins can't stand the division

that's emerged in the past two years.

By Wednesday morning, she hopes the state "gets back to a little bit more unity," she said. "I don't know what will happen."

Todd Schober, a financial planner

from Racine, voted for Walker in 2010 and plans to do so again on Tuesday.

"When is this going to end?" he asked after shaking his head and sighing. "I'm just going to be so glad when it's all over."

Walker, the 44-year-old son of a minister, has remained unflappable throughout the campaign just as he was during the massive protests that raged at the Statehouse for weeks as lawmakers debated his proposal.

Along the way, he's become a star among Republicans and the most successful fundraiser in Wisconsin politics, collecting at least \$31 million from around the country since taking office. That obliterated his fundraising record of \$11 million from 2010.

About \$63 million has been spent on the race so far, including \$16 million from conservative groups such as the Republican Governors Association, Americans for Prosperity and the National Rifle Association.

Democratic groups — including those funded by unions, the Democratic Governors Association and the Democratic National Committee — have poured in about \$14 million, based on a tally from the government watchdog group the Wisconsin Democracy Campaign.

The majority of Walker's donations have come from people outside Wisconsin. Most of Barrett's \$4.2 million came from inside the state.

The race has broad implications for national labor unions. It's also seen as a proxy fight for the presidential election, especially given the importance of Wisconsin and its 10 electoral votes.

## New DEP website features stories on Suwannee River

By JESSIE R. BOX  
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The Florida Department of Environmental Protection in conjunction with American Rivers and the National Park Service has launched "River Stories," a storytelling website that aims to engage people in understanding, enjoying and conserving their waterways.

"The 170-mile Suwannee River Wilderness Trail is one of Florida's premier paddling trails," said Donald Forgione, Florida Park Service Director.

Using National Geographic Maps' ground-breaking GeoStories platform, River Stories combines maps, photos and video

to take viewers on virtual tours of waterways across the country.

"Once you've seen the Suwannee River Story, you'll want to experience the river for yourself," Forgione said.

The Suwannee River is one of only 10 waterways in the United States initially featured in River Stories.

"In addition to six blue ribbon state parks along the river's shores, the Florida Park Service has partnered with local and regional governments and businesses to create a series of river camps and hubs all within a day's paddle of each other," Forgione said.

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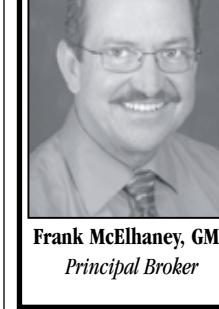
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## BAT: Suspect caught

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ing Wal-Mart after shopping and heading to his vehicle at the far end of the parking lot. There he was attacked by Henry, who reportedly did not say anything or demand anything before he began striking Alford in the head with the baseball bat.

James Maness, cleaning his car at the car wash on the other side of Southwest Bascom Norris Drive, saw the attack take place and yelled at the suspect to "stop" and started heading across the street to intervene.

Henry then fled on foot, south across U.S. Highway 90, dropping the bat he used to attack Alford several rows over in the park-

## SCARE: No bomb found

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began investigating the package.

"They determined the package was empty," Hatcher said. "It probably took them about two hours to sound the all-clear."

Sgt. Jayson Levy, Alachua County Sheriff's Office public information officer, said the suspicious package was two Airsoft gun boxes taped together.

Levy said Alachua County Bomb Squad technicians used a tool to open the box from a distance after it was X-rayed.

"They found nothing in there that was of bombing material," he said.

Hatcher and a Columbia County Sheriff's deputy manned the school's front gate limiting access to only first responders and emergency personnel as the situation unfolded.

"We had a lot of rubber-neckers, but a majority of the people who actually stopped had legitimate business here," Hatcher

especially appreciate all the work and effort of the officers of the Lake City Police Department."

Steve Shaw, Lake City Police Department public information officer, said Henry was charged with burglary of a structure because he broke into the old Sears building.

Authorities said there was no indication Henry knew the victim before the attack. They did not know where the baseball bat came from.

"Where ever he (Henry) came from, he brought the bat with him," Shaw said.

Henry was booked into the Columbia County Detention Center without bond.

He is originally from South Carolina, police said. It is not known how long he has been in Lake City.

nately enough it was determined it was innocuous," he said.

"Our staff did exactly the right thing," said Mike Millikin, Columbia County Superintendent of Schools, who was also on scene most of Monday morning after he learned of the situation.

"We just wanted to be on the safe side and fortu-

able to release the students from football workouts this morning over to the community center."

The campus was given the all clear around 12:30 p.m.

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## ONE OPINION

### Keeping church and state separate

**M**ore than 40 Catholic individuals, dioceses and universities have sued the Obama administration to prevent trampling of their First Amendment right to practice religion by forcing them to pay for abortifacients, sterilizations, contraception, devices and pills that would violate their religious beliefs.

We would be stunned and alarmed if the courts reject their arguments, grounded as they are in the constitutionally protected right to free exercise of religion.

But sadly, it's unsurprising that President Barack Obama's administration attempts such abuses. The administration also has distorted the Constitution to presume authority for dictating Americans buy a private insurance policy or pay a fine.

Both these egregious authoritarian mandates stem from the Affordable Care Act, which the administration uses to bludgeon the Constitution. We shudder to think what other constitutional violations lie ahead as the president's bureaucrats churn out more diktats under Obamacare, which doesn't take full force until 2014.

The media shamefully has downplayed the 43 Catholic lawsuits, despite the gravity of the potential infringement of rights.

The administration this year already suffered a 9-0 ruling by the high court slapping down its attempt to dictate employment policies to a Lutheran School. The frightening inclinations of this administration are unmistakable.

"We do not seek to impose our religious beliefs on others," said Notre Dame University president John Jenkins. "We simply ask that the government not impose its values on the university when those values conflict with our religious teachings."

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### Twenty years on borrowed time

**S**he was one of the bravest people I have ever known.

Her diagnosis of non-Hodgkin's lymphoma in 1992, though a shock, never dimmed her spirit. "I'm going to beat it" she declared. And she did - for a few years anyway.

After nine years, the cancer began coming back for repeated attacks - like the Hydra of Greek mythology. Her courage never wavered as she continued to undergo radiation, chemotherapy, and every kind of test known to modern medicine.

During periods of remission she would maximize every minute - savoring times with family, visiting historic sites, enjoying the beauty of nature, even watching a small alligator that had made its home on the grounds of Shands Hospital's Hope House. After all, she said, Gainesville was "Gator Country," so having an alligator mascot made sense!

Five years ago the doctors said the only treatment left was a bone marrow transplant; she was placed on the waiting list. After prayer and waiting a couple of months, a donor was located and the transplant was made. Following that were several months of recovery. Two of her brothers took turns staying with her so she wouldn't be alone.

Since she was in isolation to protect her from germs, she began a weblog, in which she wrote to friends and family, referring to herself as "the bionic woman." You might have thought she was on a vacation somewhere, as she joked about her baldness and "pigging out on Black Jack Cherry ice cream" - one of the few foods she could swallow. She related amusing anecdotes about the nurses flirting with her handsome brothers.

There was never a hint of self-pity. The fuzzy hair that finally grew back was better than no



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hair! Her optimism was an inspiration to everyone who knew her.

After the transplant, she did fairly well for awhile and relocated from Florida to south Georgia to be near her parents. Although she initially lived with her brother and sister-in-law, she visited the parents several times a week, taking care of them as they grew more disabled.

Finally she moved in with them.

Joining a local church, one of her greatest joys was singing in the choir. She was so proud of that choir; every week she would e-mail recordings of their Sunday hymns to family and friends.

A few months ago, we learned she had been admitted to the hospital in Valdosta, so David and I drove down to visit her. She was cheerful as always, dismissively minimizing her suffering. "I just needed a bag of blood," she joked.

After awhile, though, she told us in a more serious tone that she was through with treatment. "I'm not going through it again," she declared. I guess we knew at that point that she probably wouldn't live more than a few months. She knew it too, and she was ready.

She relished the fact that she lived long enough to watch her

daughters grow into beautiful, accomplished young women.

During those next few months she repeatedly went for "a bag of blood," as her platelets -and her strength - continued to diminish.

One day she woke up with unbearable pain, and was rushed to the hospital. Knowing there was nothing they could do, doctors gave her morphine and sent her to a hospice facility.

We visited her last week. Though somewhat confused and groggy from the morphine, she said simply "This time I knew..."

A couple of days later we learned she had requested to go home. She didn't want to die in a strange place; it was better to be with family. So the parents had a hospital bed brought in, and a nurse came to service the morphine pump.

It wasn't a surprise when the phone rang early Tuesday morning, and Aunt Edna's sad voice told me "Melanie is gone."

Although I was prepared, a few tears escaped anyway. I've never known a sweeter, more optimistic person. Through every treatment, every pain, every ordeal, she had never complained. In her weblog, she declared "I'm always surprised when I wake up in the morning, and thank Jesus for another day!"

She saw the best in every person and every situation. I never heard her criticize or speak disparagingly of anybody except for an ill-mannered physician and a somewhat sadistic nurse that she nicknamed "Dr. Full of Himself" and "Nurse Ratchet."

She had her funeral planned before she left - what she wanted to wear, where she would be buried, and the fact that it would be held in her beloved church where she had so enjoyed singing with the choir.

My dear cousin Melanie's pain is over. Now she is singing in Heaven's choir.

### Revised date for end of the world

**F**or those of you who took the news hard that the world will not end this December, NASA has new hope and an approximate date - 4 billion years from now.

That's when the Milky Way galaxy - that's us - will collide with the Andromeda galaxy, which is about the same size and age as our own, almost twins astronomers say.

Scientists have long seen Andromeda heading in our direction, at approximately 1.2 million miles an hour, really crawling in terms of space speed, but figured that it would miss or only graze the Milky Way.

But among the many break-



**Dale McFeatters**

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through discoveries of the Hubble Space Telescope is that Andromeda will indeed plow into the Milky Way. Said Roeland van der Marel, an astronomer with the institute that operates the Hubble, "This is pretty violent as things go in the universe. It's like a bad car crash in galaxy-land."

At <http://hubblesite.org> there's a colorful image of what the

merged galaxies might look like from Earth, spectacular enough almost to be worth waiting around for.

Once Andromeda arrives, the collision itself will take about 2 billion years. That should give us some time to make other arrangements - all those planets we're discovering should be good for something - because although NASA assures Earth and the planets will survive, the sun will not. It will be flung somewhere else and shortly after go dead.

Again, that's 4 billion years from now. Mark your calendars accordingly.

■ Dale McFeatters is editorial writer for Scripps Howard News Service.

## ANOTHER OPINION

### Watering down college degrees

**W**hat people subsidize, they get more of. Consequently, about 40 percent of Americans have college degrees, compared with 5 percent in 1940. This growth industry has been unnaturally boosted by government subsidizing higher education with direct funding and more indirectly with low-interest student loans.

This has been mistaken for progress. In reality, it is the victory of the entitlement-minded over those who foot the bill. Ironically, they often are the same young people. As with all income-redistribution schemes it has unpleasant, unintended consequences.

Almost everyone now realizes living off borrowed money is one of the causes of today's faltering economy. Bills come due. They don't always buy what was intended.

Home mortgages inflated to reckless amounts and credit card debt buried consumers. They provided short-term joy rides, only to become great financial burdens. Defaults are economically damaging. Lenders lose, borrowers lose and the economy eventually self-corrects with contractions, as seen in recent years.

The more than \$1 trillion in student loans is another symptom of short-sighted appetites for instant gratification, oblivious to long-term consequences. These debts, much like government-subsidized and incentivized mortgages, have ballooned to ruinous levels.

College enrollment is up 38 percent in the past decade. More than 20 million people are enrolled. Some students amass six-figure loan debts by graduation, and too often can't even find a paying job.

Nearly 30 percent of college students with loans drop out. Dropouts, according to the Education Sector think tank, are four times more likely to default on their loans.

Much of this problem results from the misguided notion that anyone who can pick up a pencil should attend college. As columnist Robert Samuelson wrote in the *Register*, "We overdid it. The obsessive faith in college has backfired." As Register editorial writer Mark Landsbaum previously noted, "Not only is a college education not necessarily all it's cracked up to be, it's not as necessary as you've been led to believe."

Government-backed loans and subsidies encouraged colleges to accept more students because tuition is paid upfront, unlike tuition debts.

Vocational education has been downplayed and bad-mouthed. Even in our high-tech culture, 69 percent of jobs don't require post-high school degrees, the government says. To admit more students, entrance standards were lowered. "We've dumbed down college," Mr. Samuelson wrote.

[F]orty five percent of college students hadn't significantly improved their critical thinking and writing skills after two years," concluded the authors of a book, "Academically Adrift."

Unfortunately, the herd mentality persists, urging and luring ever more young people onto campus, instead of creating new vocational and tech apprenticeships. Living off borrowed money remains attractive, at least until the bill comes due, especially for the unemployed.

■ The Orange County Register

# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## June 5

### Charity baby shower

Ladies of the Lulu Community are having a baby shower for the Pregnancy Care Center Tuesday at the Lulu Community Center. Bring an unwrapped gift and join us.

## June 6

### Wire craft class

Stephen Foster Folk Culture Center State Park will host a beginning wire craft class presented by demonstrator Sue Rowand on Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Participants will learn the basic techniques of crafting a bangle bracelet using precious metal wire. Included in the workshop are: the instructions, use of all tools required to complete the project and all materials needed. The cost will be \$30. For more information on the workshop or to register, please call the park Gift Shop at (386) 397-1920.

### Builders meeting

Columbia County Builders' Association is looking forward to their lunch Wednesday at Guan Dong when Allison McGrath, Real Estate Manager for Florida of Plum Creek will speak. Arrive about 11:30 a.m. Enjoy the buffet and meeting, which starts at noon. CCBA members \$12 and non-CCBA members \$15. To RSVP call 867-1998.

### Friendship luncheon

The June Friendship Luncheon of the Lake City Newcomers and Friends will be at Texas Roadhouse, 3039 Hwy 90, Wednesday at 11:30 a.m. All members, guests and friends are welcome. For more information call 755-2175.

### Coping workshop

A workshop designed to assist with coping after the loss of a spouse will be offered to the public from 11 a.m. to noon Wednesday at the Wings Education Center, 857 SW Main Blvd. in Lake City. The workshop, facilitated by Jerry Tyre, will be free. For more information, contact Vicki Myers at 755-7714, Ext. 2411, or (866) 642-0962. The Wings Education Center is a program of Hospice of Citrus County, Inc./Hospice of the Nature Coast.

## June 7

### Education seminar

Learn how to apply, recertify and make changes to your Food Assistance, Medicaid and Cash Assistance using your My ACCESS account during the ACCESS Education Seminar scheduled for 3 p.m. Thursday at the DCF



JASON MATTHEW WALKER/Lake City Reporter

## Water fun

Brittany Bethea (left) instructs a group of people during a water aerobics class Wednesday at the Columbia County Aquatic Complex.

Lake City Service Center, 1389 West US Highway 90.

## June 8

### Moore fundraiser

A fundraiser for Ann Moore (Little), whose husband passed away with brain cancer, will be held from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday at the Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church, on South 47 just past the Dollar General Store. Chicken dinners, with green beans, new potatoes, rolls and pound cake, will be sold for \$8 a plate. The meals can be eaten in, taken out or delivered. If delivery is desired, call Anne Little at (386) 365-4267 or Sandra Freeman at (386) 752-8402 with how many meals are needed and what time they are needed.

## June 9

### Filipino dinner, dance

The Filipino American Cultural Society of Lake City will have a Filipino Independence Day Dinner and Dance from 6 to 10 p.m. Saturday at the Epiphany Catholic Church social hall in Lake City. All FACS members and guests please plan to attend this special night of fellowship, entertainment, music, dancing and cultural food. Please bring a covered dish. Free to members. Cover charge is \$10 for nonmembers. For information call 386-965-5905.

### Flower arranging class

Bruce Cavey of The Gardener's Emporium will present a hands-on, instructional program on flower arranging at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Fort White Branch Library. This free program is sponsored by the Friends of the Columbia County Public Library.

### Middle Alzheimer's class

The Alzheimer's

Association in partnership with Columbia County Senior Services will be presenting a workshop from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday entitled "Living with Alzheimer's for Caregivers" at the Lifestyle Enrichment Center in Lake City. This program is designed for caregivers of persons with middle stage Alzheimer's disease or some other memory disorder. Anyone who wishes to learn more about Alzheimer's disease and caregiving strategies is welcome. Topics covered will include: changing relationships, safety, respite care, personal care issues, and dealing with challenging behaviors. To register for this workshop or for more information, please contact the Alzheimer's Association at (800) 272-3900.

## June 11

### Cancer support group

The Womens Cancer Support Group of Lake City will meet at Baya Pharmacy East, 780 SE Baya Drive, from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Monday. This will be an evening of sharing and support. For more information call 752-4198.

## June 12

### Medicare seminar

The Lifestyle Enrichment Center of Lake City is sponsoring a free Medicare educational seminar on Tuesday, June 12 from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Moderated by Irv Crowetz of C/C and Associates. The seminar will cover what you need to know about Medicare such as when to enroll and what's covered. This is educational, not a sales seminar. Please RSVP 755-3476.

## June 13

### Newcomers meeting

The regular meeting of the Lake City Newcomers

and Friends will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, June 13 at Eastside Village Clubhouse. Our Program is our annual picnic and bingo. Come Join the fun. Lunch is \$11.00.

### Youth Day Camp

UF/IFAS Columbia County Extension is offering a 4H Food Preservation Day Camp for ages 10 and up, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. June 13-14. Youth do not have to be registered in 4H to participate. Fee is \$10 for registered 4H youth, \$15 for non-4H and youth should bring a lunch. The deadline to register is June 8. To register or for more information please contact the Extension Office at (386) 752-5384.

## June 15

### High Springs Theater

"Sylvia" by A. R. Gurney opens at the High Springs Community Theater, 130 NE First Avenue, on June 15 and runs through July 8 for twelve weekend shows. This bitter-sweet romantic comedy focuses on the havoc created when Greg, the husband, brings home a stray dog, Sylvia, much to the consternation of Kate, his wife. Tickets are available at The Framery of Lake City, 386-754-2780; online at highspringscommunitytheater.com; and at the door, if seating is available. Show times are Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m., and Sundays at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$11 for adults, \$8 for children 12 and under and \$9 for seniors on Sundays.

## June 16

### CHS class reunion

The Columbia High School Class of 2002 Reunion will be Saturday, June 16 at 7 p.m. at Columbia County Fairgrounds banquet hall. Tickets can be

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## June 19

### NARFE meeting

National Active and Retired Federal Employees will meet 1 p.m. June 19 at the Life Style Enrichment Center. There will be a presentation of the residential fire safety program in accordance with the street guidelines of the National Safety Council and the National Fire Protection Association. For more information call 755-0907.

## June 21

### End of life ethics

The Hospice Foundation of America's Educational Teleconference titled: "End-of-Life Ethics", will be held from 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. June 21 at the Hospice of the Nature Coast Wings Community Education Center in the Lake City Plaza on SW Main Street. Call (386) 755-7714, Ext. 2411 for more info.

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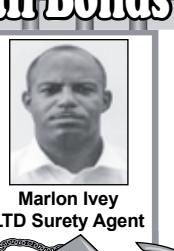
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Parrish Family Funeral Home Chapel in Lake City with Pastor Louie Mabrey officiating. Interment will follow the service at Forestlawn Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends at the funeral home from 5:00-7:00 PM Tuesday evening. Arrangements are under the direction of the DEES-PARRISH FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, 458 S. Marion Ave., Lake City, FL 32025, (386) 752-1234 please sign the online family guestbook at [www.gatewayforestlawn.com](http://www.gatewayforestlawn.com)

Mulberry, FL; 4 grandchildren, Jennifer Denise, Christopher Scott, Timothy Daniel & Eric Michael Laramore also survive. Memorial services will be held at a later date. GATEWAY-FORESTLAWN FUNERAL HOME, 3596 South US Hwy 441, Lake City, Florida 32025, (386) 752-1954 is in charge of arrangements. Please leave words of encouragement for the family at [www.gatewayforestlawn.com](http://www.gatewayforestlawn.com)

Mr. Michael E. Westcott, 58, of Lake City, died May 29, 2012 at his residence. A native of Jacksonville, Florida, Mr. Westcott had been a resident of Lake City for the past twenty-three years having moved here from Jacksonville Beach. He was a member of the Fletcher High School graduating Class of 1972 and had been employed with the electrical division of the city of Jacksonville Beach for many years prior to his becoming disabled. He was also well known in the Neptune Beach area for managing "Ellen's Kitchen" his mother's popular family restaurant that was there for many years. In his spare time Mr. Westcott enjoyed hunting, fishing and gardening. He was a Christian.

### Michael E. Westcott

Catherine M. Laramore, 77, died on Wednesday, May 30, 2012 at Lake City Medical Center. She was the daughter of the late Stacy & Annie (Plair) McNeal. She had a resident of Lake City for the past 42 years having moved here from Pompano Beach, Florida. She was preceded in death by her parents, her brother, James E. McNeal; sisters, Helen Prevatt and Mary Adell Neslein, and her husband of 48 years, James D. Laramore. Survivors include her sons, Stacy David Laramore and James David Laramore both of Lake City, FL.; daughter, Cynthia LeAnn Carroll (David) of Lake City, FL.; sister, LaVerne Hopkins of

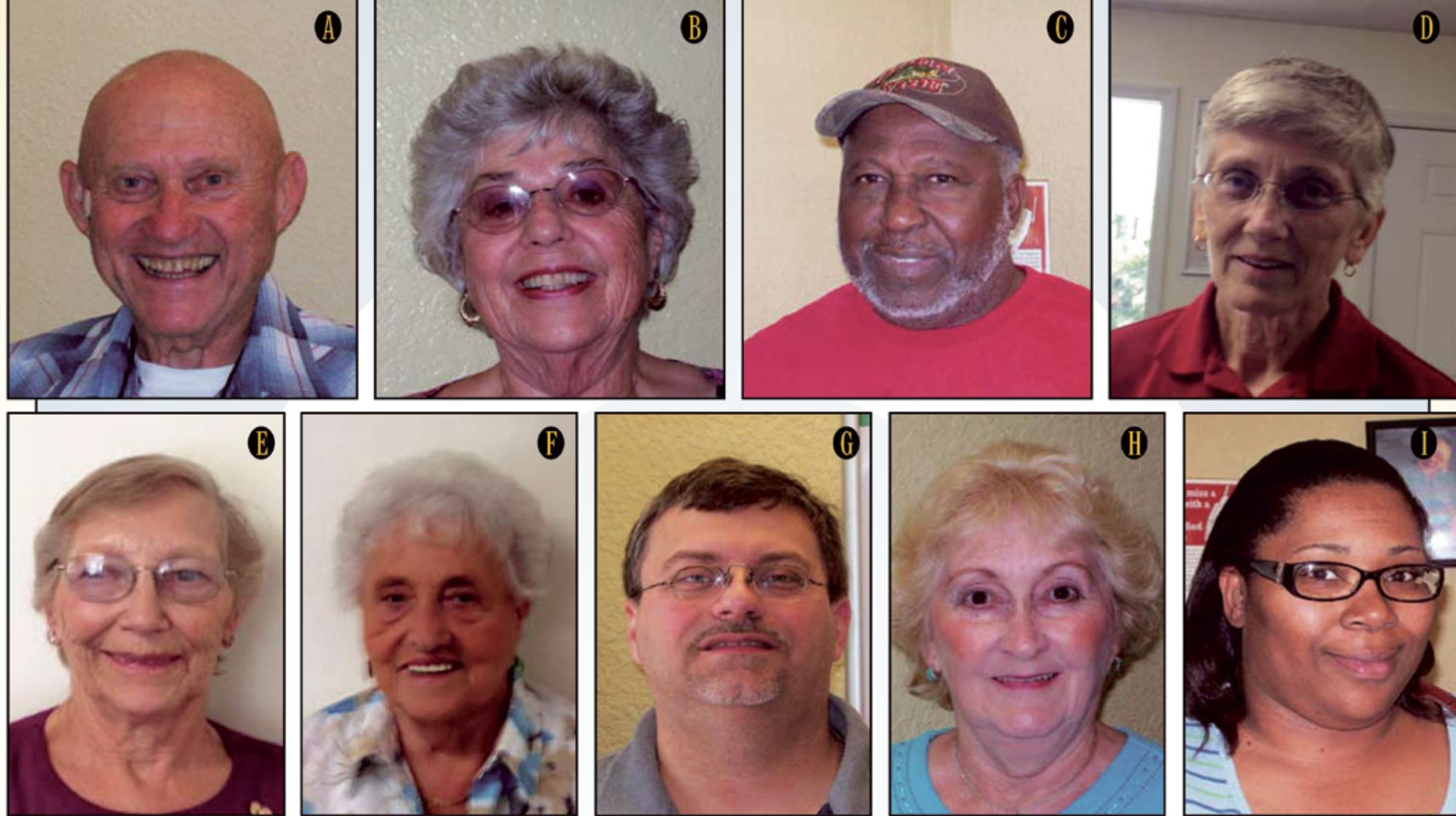
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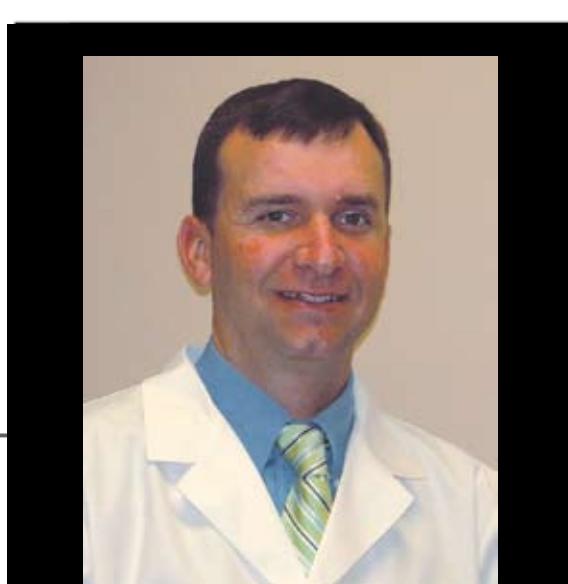
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Section B

## FROM THE SIDELINE

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## One-sport wonders

**T**he criteria for the *Lake City Reporter's* Sports Athlete of the Year calls for success across sports. However, if the award was to go to an athlete based on a performance in one sport, Columbia softball would have had two very viable candidates.

Kayli Kvistad and Stephanie Pilkington both had fantastic seasons and each have earned scholarships in softball.

Pilkington signed with the University of South Alabama this fall before her senior season and Kvistad committed to the University of Florida as a sophomore this season.

For the program, it was a passing of the torch this season. Pilkington was the undeniable leader of the Lady Tigers during her four-year run and Kvistad is ready to step into that leadership role. Both are monsters at the plate.

Pilkington hit .429 with six home runs this season

while Kvistad has power numbers not seen in Lady Tigers' history.

The sophomore hit 14 home runs to up her career total to 25 at Columbia. She also hit an incredible .605 at the plate.

The numbers game is really incredible when you start breaking down what the two did. Unfortunately, it's only numbers.

Pilkington did a lot for the team that you can measure in stats including her leadership role. According to softball coach Jimmy Williams she has been the leader and glue of the Lady Tigers for many years.

But numbers alone would show you just how deserving she is of having the athletic performance of the year when compared to anyone but Kvistad.

When putting everything together, the two are on equal playing fields and the only number that either will tell you matters is the number of wins.

Pilkington and the rest of the Lady Tigers' seniors have instilled a winning tradition for the last four years and now it will be Kvistad's job to keep that tradition going.

She shouldn't have a hard time doing that if she can continue to produce at the same level she has during her first two seasons.

With 25 career home runs already, it's not out of the realm of possibility for her to end her career with 50. But I bet Kvistad would prefer 50 more wins during her junior and senior seasons.

## Tiger's back

Woods makes late charge to win Memorial.

By DOUG FERGUSON  
Associated Press

DUBLIN, Ohio — Tiger Woods needed only two words to explain where the Memorial fits in on his road back from wherever he was to wherever he is going.

"I won," he said.

When trying to chart his progress, golf becomes a lot like watching tennis.

He wins at Sherwood, and then can't shake Robert Rock in Abu Dhabi. Phil Mickelson blows him away at Pebble Beach, and then Woods shoots a career-best final round of 62 to put a scare into Rory McIlroy. He withdraws from Doral with a sore Achilles tendon, and then wins by five at Bay Hill. He has the worst three-tournament stretch of his career, and then goes through a week at Muirfield Village where he hardly misses a shot.

He's back. He's finished. He's back. And on it goes.

"I'm sure by Tuesday I'll be retired and done," Woods said Sunday. "And then by the time I tee it up at the U.S. Open,



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Tiger Woods raises his putter after making a birdie putt on the 18th hole during the final round of the Memorial golf tournament on Sunday in Dublin, Ohio. Woods birdied three of his last four holes to win the Memorial and match tournament host Jack Nicklaus with his 73rd title on the PGA Tour.

it might be something different."

He was smiling at his own exaggeration, though there was a weariness to

his tone that became even more pronounced when he concluded, "But I'll let you guys figure it out."

His remarkable rally at

the Memorial makes the temptation greater than ever to proclaim that he has turned the corner and is picking up speed.

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## TELEVISION

### TV sports

#### Today COLLEGE SOFTBALL 8 p.m.

ESPN2 — World Series, finals, game 2, Oklahoma vs. Alabama, at Oklahoma City

#### CYCLING 4 p.m.

NBCSN — Critérium du Dauphiné, stage 2, Lamastre to Saint Felician, France (same-day tape)

#### MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL 7 p.m.

MLB — Regional coverage, L.A. Dodgers at Philadelphia or Tampa Bay at N.Y. Yankees

#### 8 p.m.

WGN — Chicago Cubs at Milwaukee

#### NBA BASKETBALL 8:30 p.m.

ESPN — Playoffs, conference finals, game 5, Boston at Miami

#### TENNIS 1 p.m.

ESPN2 — French Open, quarterfinals, at Paris (same-day tape)

## BASKETBALL

### NBA playoffs

#### CONFERENCE FINALS (Best-of-7)

#### Saturday

Oklahoma City 109, San Antonio 103, series tied 2-2

#### Sunday

Boston 93, Miami 91, OT, series tied 2-2

#### Monday

Oklahoma City at San Antonio (n)

#### Today

Boston at Miami, 8:30 p.m.

#### Wednesday

San Antonio at Oklahoma City, 9 p.m.

#### Thursday

Miami at Boston, 8:30 p.m.

### WNBA schedule

#### Saturday's Games

Chicago 94, Atlanta 92, OT

Indiana 91, New York 68

#### Sunday's Games

Connecticut 94, Washington 86

Phoenix 79, Tulsa 72

New York 87, Indiana 72

Minnesota 83, San Antonio 79

Los Angeles 67, Seattle 65

#### Today's Game

Atlanta at New York, 7 p.m.

#### Wednesday's Game

Seattle at Minnesota, 8 p.m.

## BASEBALL

### AL standings

#### East Division

W L Pct GB  
Tampa Bay 31 23 .574 —  
Baltimore 30 24 .556 1

New York 29 24 .547 1 1/2  
Boston 28 26 .519 3

Toronto 28 26 .519 3

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Chicago 31 23 .574 —  
Cleveland 28 25 .528 2 1/2

Detroit 25 29 .463 6

Kansas City 23 29 .442 7

Minnesota 20 33 .377 10 1/2

#### West Division

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Texas 32 22 .593 —  
Los Angeles 28 27 .509 4 1/2

Seattle 24 32 .429 9

Oakland 23 31 .426 9

#### Late Saturday

Baltimore 2, Tampa Bay 1

Seattle 10, Chicago White Sox 8, 12

innings

Minnesota 7, Cleveland 4

Detroit 4, N.Y. Yankees 3

L.A. Angels 3, Texas 2

#### Sunday's Games

N.Y. Yankees 5, Detroit 1

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### TELEVISION

Toronto 5, Boston 1  
Tampa Bay 8, Baltimore 4  
Kansas City 2, Oakland 0  
Chicago White Sox 4, Seattle 2  
Minnesota 6, Cleveland 3  
Texas 7, L.A. Angels 3

#### Monday's Games

Minnesota at Kansas City (n)

Seattle at L.A. Angels (n)

Texas at Oakland (n)

#### Today's Games

Cleveland (Jimmeren 5-4) at Detroit (Smly 2-1), 7:05 p.m.

Tampa Bay (Shields 6-3) at N.Y. Yankees (Petitte 2-2), 7:05 p.m.

Baltimore (Hammel 6-2) at Boston (Lester 3-4), 7:10 p.m.

Minnesota (Liriano 1-5) at Kansas City (B.Chen 4-5), 8:10 p.m.

Toronto (R.Romero 6-1) at Chicago White Sox (Humber 2-2), 8:10 p.m.

Seattle (Beavan 3-4) at L.A. Angels (Richards 0-0), 10:05 p.m.

Texas (D.Holland 4-4) at Oakland (Blackley 0-0), 10:05 p.m.

#### Wednesday's Games

Cleveland at Detroit, 7:05 p.m.

Tampa Bay at N.Y. Yankees, 7:05 p.m.

Baltimore at Boston, 7:10 p.m.

Minnesota at Kansas City, 8:10 p.m.

Toronto at Chicago White Sox, 8:10 p.m.

Seattle at L.A. Angels, 10:05 p.m.

Texas at Oakland, 10:05 p.m.

St. Louis at Houston, 8:05 p.m.  
Chicago Cubs at Milwaukee, 8:10 p.m.  
Colorado at Arizona, 9:40 p.m.

## NCAA Regionals

#### Late Saturday

Appalachian State 5, Oklahoma 4

#### Sunday

Oklahoma 2, Army 1, 10 innnings, Army eliminated

Appalachian State 6, Virginia 5

Oklahoma 5, Virginia 4, Virginia eliminated

#### Monday

Appalachian State vs. Oklahoma (n)

Game 7 — Appalachian State vs. Oklahoma (n) (if necessary)

#### Late Saturday

St. John's 5, North Carolina 4

#### Sunday

North Carolina 5, East Carolina 3, ECU eliminated

St. John's 9, North Carolina 5, St. John's advances

#### Late Saturday

Vanderbilt 9, N.C. State 8

#### Sunday

N.C. State 17, UNC Wilmington 5, UNCW eliminated

N.C. State 6, Vanderbilt 5

#### Monday

Vanderbilt vs. N.C. State (n)

#### Late Saturday

South Carolina 5, Clemson 4, 12 innnings

#### Sunday

Clemson 5, Coastal Carolina 3, Coastal eliminated

South Carolina 4, Clemson 3, South Carolina advances

#### Late Saturday

Florida State 8, Samford 1

#### Sunday

Samford 3, Mississippi State 2, Miss. State eliminated

Florida State 5, Samford 2, Florida St. advances

#### Late Saturday

Florida 6, Georgia Tech 2

#### Sunday

Georgia Tech 3, College of Charleston 0, C of C eliminated

Florida 15, Georgia Tech 3, Florida advances

#### Late Saturday

UCF 9, Stony Brook 8

#### Sunday

Stony Brook 10, Missouri State 7, Missouri St. eliminated

Stony Brook 12, UCF 5

#### Monday

UCF vs. Stony Brook (n)

#### Late Saturday

Kentucky 8, Valparaiso 1, Valparaiso eliminated

Kent State 7, Purdue 3, Kent State advances

#### Late Saturday

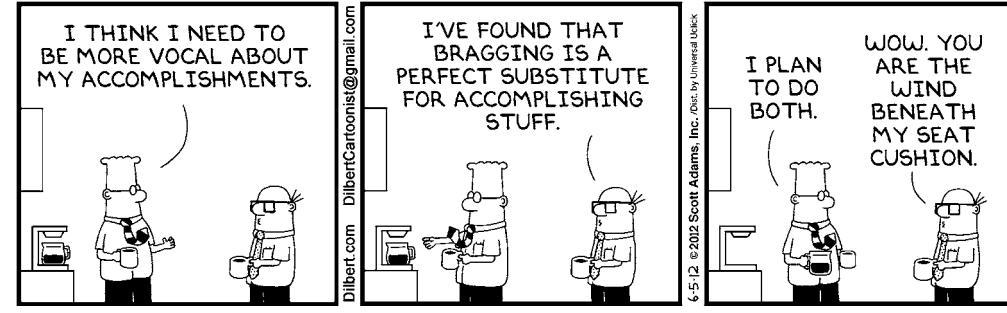
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#### Sunday

Oregon State 11, Louisiana-Monroe 2, Louisiana-Monroe eliminated

LSU 6, Oregon State 5, 10 inn

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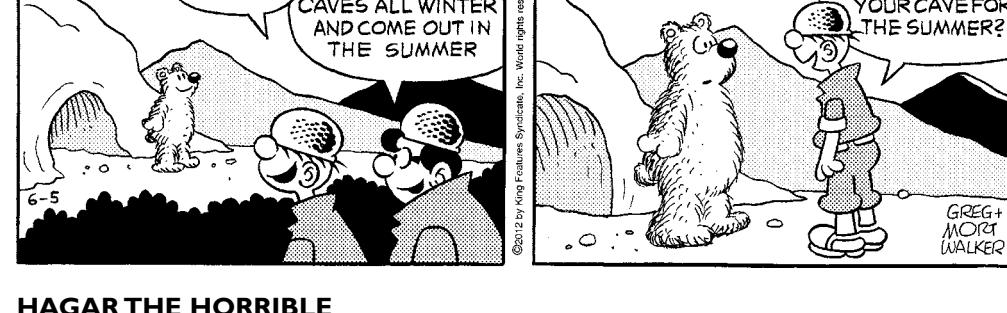
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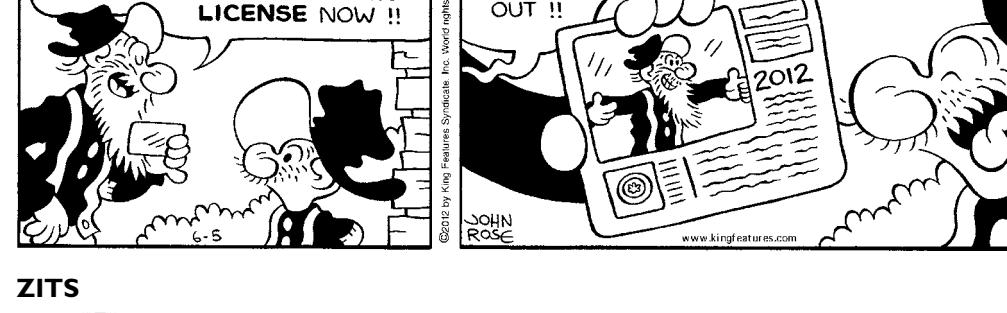
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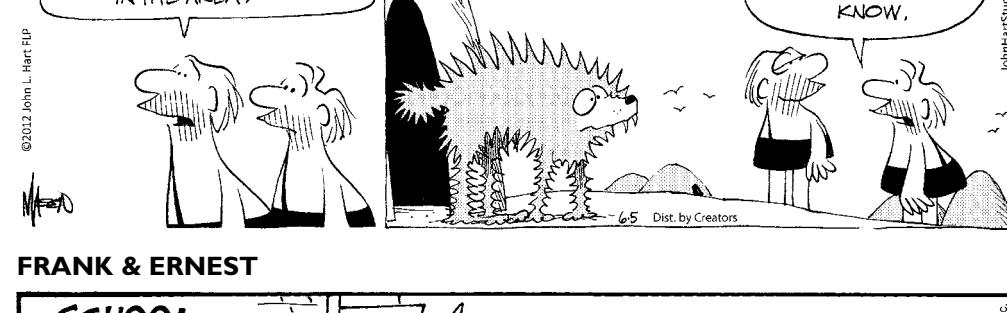
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## DEAR ABBY

## Girl who gave up virginity now feels used by a jerk



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DEAR ABBY: My husband and I have been married for one week. We have been together for three years. The problem is his last girlfriend. She was married three years ago, but will not leave him alone.

It never fails that when we are out, and she and her husband are at the same place, she confronts my husband about how sorry she is for the past and wants him to take her back. He tells her it is over. Her husband knows that she does not love him but loves my husband.

I am so tired of this, Abby. What do I need to do the next time this happens? Do I call her and tell her to leave him alone? – STEAMING IN GARDEN CITY, KAN.

DEAR STEAMING: Do not call her. The next time it happens, your HUSBAND should tell her he is not interested, that he is happily married now, and that she is making herself and her husband look ridiculous.

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## HOROSCOPES

THE LAST WORD  
Eugenio Last

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19): Speak from the heart, and you will capture the attention of someone who can offer you options. Travel plans or visiting new places will get you thinking about what will benefit you most. Consider starting your own business. Love is in the stars.

★★★★★

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20): Getting together with old friends will bring back both good and bad memories. Don't fall into a recurring pattern that will set you back. Forward thinking followed by progressive action is the only path to take. Choose your friends carefully. ★★★★

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20): Jump at the chance to offer or receive a favor. Give-and-take will help you finish what you start. An expense will pay off if you invest in yourself and the skills you need to get ahead. Strive for greater security. ★★★

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22): Hidden information will make you look bad. Offer what you can, but be careful not to promise more than you can deliver. If you want to make a good impression, you have to reach your quota or honor a promise. Use common sense. ★★★

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22): Cooperation will be your

ticket to success. Love is in the stars. Nurturing your current relationship or scouting around for the perfect partner will bring positive results. Stabilizing your personal life will help improve your domestic situation. ★★★

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Cover your back, but don't withhold information in the process. You are only as good as your word, so make what you say and do today count. An after-hours business event will reconnect you with someone who can offer assistance. ★★★★

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Share your ideas with people who have common interests. Outsiders will be more helpful than those close to you. A new concept or philosophy will bring about a lifestyle change. Love will play a role in a decision you must make. ★★

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Don't take "no" for an answer. Collect what's owed to you. Put pressure on anyone who has been unfair. A new spin on an old partnership will bring greater equality to your relationship. Embrace change and strive for positive transformation.

★★★★★

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Jump at any chance to share your plans with someone special. Love is on the rise, and positive changes at home will bring greater awareness of what you want long-term. Anger and jealousy are a waste of time.

★★★★★

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Don't hide your feelings, or nothing will change. Take action and show your determination to get what you want. Don't let someone else's responsibilities stand in your way. You need enough freedom to do your own thing. ★★★

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Take your goals seriously, and strive to be the person you want to be. Offer suggestions to someone with whom you want to spend more time. Making changes at home will benefit you financially and emotionally. Love is highlighted. ★★★★

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20): Avoid a scene. If discord prevails, move on before things get ugly. Don't prompt an altercation with someone because you are angry. It's better to walk away. A new space will help you re-establish your plans for the future.

## CELEBRITY CIPHER

by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

J O J R L J C M N S G T N G O K K J H M L Z M N  
S G K J P P G X H W M L P G C C . J P P J V N O J R  
L J C M N X N A C U W M Z N W N R L N P X .  
— O J H P N M L N O J C

Previous Solution: "If you fall down, get up and walk again. If you can't walk, crawl. If that idea fails, have another one." — Dick Clark

TODAY'S CLUE: N sjenbe R

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Thursday Wed., 10:00 a.m. Wed., 9:00 a.m.  
Friday Thurs., 10:00 a.m. Thurs., 9:00 a.m.  
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SIN THE CIRCUIT COURT, THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA.

PROBATE DIVISION

CASE NO. 12-90 CP

IN RE: The Estate of FRANKLIN DELEON MICKLER,

Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

The administration of the estate of FRANKLIN DELEON MICKLER, deceased, whose date of death was November 21, 2011, whose Social Security Number is XXX-XX-2774, is pending the Circuit Court for Columbia County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is Columbia County Courthouse, Post Office Box 2069, Lake City, Florida 32056-2069. The names and addresses of the personal representatives and the personal representatives' attorney are set forth below.

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

All other creditors of Decedent and other persons having claims or demands against Decedent's estate, must file their claims with this Court

WITHIN THREE MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.

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

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

The date of first publication of this notice is June 5, 2012.

RUBY M. JONES

Personal Representative

1349 NW Jake Glen

Lake City, FL 32055

LUCINDA MICKLER

Personal Representative

2699 Fairmount Lane

Tallahassee, Florida 32308

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Attorney for Personal Representative

05532957

June 5, 2012

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05532890

June 5, 6, 7, 2012

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Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received in the Columbia

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P.M. on June 21, 2012, for Columbia

County Project No. 2012-4. This of-

fice is located on the second floor of

the Courthouse Annex at 135 Her-

nando Avenue, Room 203 Lake City

32055.

The project consists of

• removal and disposal of 51 existing

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• placement of 44 Corrugated Metal

Pipes (side drains)

• placement of 6 Reinforced Con-

crete Pipes (cross drains)

• concrete mitered end sections

• Roadway/Driveway repair via lim-

erock and asphalt placement.

The Bid Forms and Construction

specifications may be obtained from

the County's web site at

<http://www.columbiacountyfla.com/>

PurchasingBids.asp.

The successful bidder will be re-

quired to furnish the County Man-

ager with a performance bond and li-

ability insurance prior to commencing

work.

The Columbia County Commission

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bids and to add to the contract or de-

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June 5, 2012

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June 5, 2012

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June 5, 2012

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE

3RD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT, IN AND

FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY,

FLORIDA

CIVIL DIVISION

CASE NO.: 12-2010-CA-000176

**100 Job Opportunities**

11 Temporary Farm Workers Needed. Employer: Pleasureview Farms LLC - Pleasureview, KY. Perform all duties of Tobacco, Hay/Straw, Row Crop, & Greenhouse/Nursery Production; including seeding, fertilizing, planting, plowing, weeding, spraying, irrigating, harvesting, & packaging; and general farm maintenance. Employment Dates: 07/15/2012 - 01/15/2013. Random drug testing may be done after hire at the employer's expense. Wage of \$9.38/hr. Worker guaranteed 3/4 of contract hours. Tools provided at no cost. Free housing provided to non commuting workers.

Transportation & subsistence reimbursed when 50% of contract is met. Apply for this job at the nearest Florida One Stop Career Center or call 386-755-9026 and reference job order KY0453758.

11 TEMPORARY Farm Workers Needed. Employer: D & H Farms LLC - Herndon, KY. Perform all duties of Tobacco, Hay Straw, & Row Crop Production; including seeding, fertilizing, planting, plowing, weeding, spraying, irrigating, harvesting, & packaging; and general farm maintenance. Employment Dates: 07/21/2012 - 12/31/2012. Random drug testing may be done after hire at the employer's expense. Wage of \$9.38/hr. Worker guaranteed 3/4 of contract hours. Tools provided at no cost. Free housing provided to non commuting workers.

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12 TEMP Farmworkers needed 7/9/12-12/31/12. Workers will seed, set, cut, house, & strip tobacco; bend, stoop, lift, load & stack hay. Must have 3 months verifiable experience working in tobacco. Subject to random drug testing at employer's expense. Guaranteed 3/4 of contract hours. Work tools, supplies & equip provided at no cost. Free housing provided for non-commuting workers. Transportation & subsistence reimbursed to worker upon completion of 50% of contract, or earlier, if appropriate. \$9.38/hr. Worksites in Hancock Co. KY. Report or send a resume to nearest local FL Agency of Workforce Innovation office or call 386-755-9026 & reference Job #KY0452684 Stan Armstrong Farms - LaCenter, KY

14 Temporary Farm Workers Needed. Employer: White Oak Tobacco LLC - Scottsville, KY. Perform all duties of Tobacco Production; including seeding, fertilizing, planting, plowing, weeding, spraying, irrigating, harvesting, & packaging; and general farm maintenance. Employment Dates: 07/25/2012 - 02/05/2013. Random drug testing may be done after hire at the employer's expense. Wage of \$9.38/hr. Worker guaranteed 3/4 of contract hours. Tools provided at no cost. Free housing provided to non commuting workers. Transportation & subsistence reimbursed when 50% of contract is met. Apply for this job at the nearest Florida One Stop Career Center or call 386-755-9026 and reference job order KY0455017.

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25 TEMPORARY Farm Workers Needed. Employer: Tobacco Way Farms LLC - Hopkinsville, KY. Perform all duties of Tobacco, Straw/Hay, Row Crop, & Greenhouse/Nursery Production; including seeding, fertilizing, planting, plowing, weeding, spraying, irrigating, harvesting, & packaging; and general farm maintenance. Employment Dates: 07/23/2012 - 01/12/2013. Random drug testing may be done after hire at the employer's expense. Wage of \$9.38/hr. Worker guaranteed 3/4 of contract hours. Tools provided at no cost. Free housing provided to non commuting workers.

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3 TEMPORARY Farm Workers Needed. Employer: John Maddux - Pembroke, KY. Perform all duties of Tobacco & Hay/Straw Production; including seeding, fertilizing, planting, plowing, weeding, spraying, irrigating, harvesting, & packaging; and general farm maintenance. Employment Dates: 07/17/2012 - 12/14/2012. Random drug testing may be done after hire at the employer's expense. Wage of \$9.38/hr. Worker guaranteed 3/4 of contract hours. Tools provided at no cost. Free housing provided to non commuting workers.

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