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Big gun push by Obama

President chastises Congress for inaction after mass shootings.

By **ALAN FRAM**
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — President Barack Obama urged lawmakers Thursday to remember the

children gunned down in America and not “get squishy” in the face of powerful forces against gun control legislation, as supporters struggle to win over moderate Democrats before a Senate vote expected next month.

Obama, flanked by grim-faced mothers who have lost their children to guns, said Washington must do something after the tragic

mass shooting in Newtown, Conn., three months ago. He called out to the families of four children killed at Sandy Hook Elementary School sitting in his audience.

“Shame on us if we’ve forgotten,” Obama said. “I haven’t forgotten those kids.”

Obama’s event comes as gun control legislation faces an uncertain future, even though more than

80 percent of people say in polling they support expanded background checks. Backed by a \$12 million TV advertising campaign financed by New York Mayor Michael Bloomberg, gun control groups scheduled rallies around the country Thursday aimed at pressuring senators to back the

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March 30

Egg hunt

The second annual Easter Egg Hunt, sponsored by the Lake City-Columbia County Chamber of Commerce, will be from 10 a.m. to noon at Wilson Park. Back by popular demand, Shana Banana will provide the children’s entertainment. Bellamy Beaver, the mascot for the Ichetucknee Partnership, will also be in attendance. He will open the egg hunt and have giveaways for the children.

Easter activities

Gold Standard Lodge 167 will hold its annual Easter activities from 12:45 to 2:30 p.m. at Annie Mattox Park. There will be fun, games, food and prizes. For more information, call Mike Kelly at (386) 867-6675.

Egg hunt

There will be a children’s Easter egg hunt at 3:30 p.m. at Huntsville United Methodist Church on Lake Jeffrey Road, followed by a potluck supper on the grounds.

March 31

Resurrection Sunday

Glad Tidings Assembly of God, 1571 E. Duval St., will have Resurrection Sunday services at 10:30 a.m. Church youth will present a skit. Daniel and Mona Harris will present special music, and Evangelist Jim Willett of Michigan will deliver the word. For more information, call (386) 365-1533 or visit online on Facebook or at glakecity.org.

Easter service

Wellborn Baptist Church will have an Easter service beginning at 10:30 a.m. The church choir will perform “It Would Take a Cross,” followed by a worship service. The church is on U.S. 90 at Lowe Lake Road in Wellborn. Visit our website at www.wellbornbaptist.com or call (386) 963-2231 for more details.

Resurrection Sunday

Faith in Christ Anglican Church invites the community to experience Resurrection Sunday at 10 a.m. The church is at 282 Magical Terrace. For more information, call Father Don Wilson at (386) 208-9882.

Sunrise service

Wellborn United Methodist Church will have an Easter “Sunrise” service at 7 a.m. at the Wellborn Community Association park west of County Road 250 in Wellborn. The Rev. Matt Dillard, pastor of the Glory to God Ministries in Wellborn, and Dr. Parker, pastor of the Wellborn and Huntsville UM churches, along with Pastor James Jones of Allen Chapel in Wellborn, will conduct the service. A free public breakfast will be offered at the Wellborn UMC fellowship hall following the service.

Wreck on U.S. 90



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A 19-year-old man (seated) was driving west on U.S. 90 when he said he either hit something in the road or ran into the curb, causing him to lose control of his car and hit a minivan in the eastbound lane of U.S. 90 about 3:30 p.m. Thursday. The minivan was waiting to turn at the traffic light at the intersection of Real Road. The collision tore the wheel off the man’s car, but his vehicle continued across U.S. 90 before coming to a rest in front of the Scottish Inn. The minivan had children inside, but no one involved in the crash appeared to be seriously injured, police said.

Pension overhaul bill moves

Senate panel votes out plan considered less drastic than House’s.

By **BRANDON LARRABEE**
The News Service of Florida

TALLAHASSEE — A pension bill headed toward the Senate floor could spark a confrontation with House leaders over the future of the state employees retirement system, though senators say they’re confident they can come up with a compromise.

On a nearly party-line vote, the Senate Appropriations Committee sent the measure (SB 1392) to the Senate floor. Sen. Jeremy Ring, D-Margate, joined 13 Republicans on

the panel in supporting the bill; the other five Democrats opposed it.

The Senate proposal has attracted more support than a more contentious House plan that would shut the traditional, “defined benefit” plan to new public employees and force them into a 401(k)-style “defined contribution” system.

Instead, the Senate proposal would change the default for employees who don’t select a plan in a set period of time to the defined contribution system, lengthen the vesting period for employees who choose the defined benefit plan and give a discount on contributions to employees who enter the investment option.

“Compared to what we might be facing from the other chamber,

this is certainly a much better option for us,” said Gary Rainey, president of Florida Professional Firefighters.

Some retired workers still oppose the changes in the Senate bill, but the unions who appeared at the committee meeting largely backed the overhaul.

Republicans knocked away a handful of Democratic amendments, including one that would have undone the change to the default option. Sen. Eleanor Sobel, D-Hollywood, said public employees who choose the defined contribution plan often end up with tens of thousands of dollars less in their pensions.

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Bribery attempt alleged

By **AMANDA WILLIAMSON**
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A Union County man faces charges of bribery, loitering and marijuana possession after allegedly attempting to pay a Columbia County Sheriff’s Deputy not to arrest him.

During Deputy Patrick Smyth’s arrest of Julian Merriex, 18, for loitering and possession, the suspect attempted to bribe Smyth in an attempt to get the officer to let him go, according to an arrest report.

Smyth arrived at 289 SE

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A different sort of hoops



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Adeon Farmer (left) and Ken Merrick (right) take a break from playing with hula hoops at Richardson Community Center on Thursday while they wait with other kids for the Easter egg hunt to begin.

Storm damage reaches \$500K

County officials still calculating costs of weekend storms.

By **TONY BRITT**
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Storms that ravaged the area during the weekend resulted in at least \$500,000 worth of damage to homes and businesses, according to preliminary estimates from Columbia County officials.

“We’re estimating that the damage from the weekend, in extremely preliminary estimates, was \$500,000 to \$600,000 is how it’s looking right now,”



Morgan

Shayne Morgan, county emergency management director, said Thursday afternoon. “That’s just based on stuff we could see from the outside. It doesn’t take into account what may have happened structurally inside the home and everything.”

“The estimates don’t take into account anything that may have happened inside the home or structurally to the home,” he said. “That may cause those numbers to go up. We’re just going based off what we’ve seen from the outside, looking at the homes our damage assessment teams visited over weekend.”

Damage assessment teams were out for several days looking at storm damage to homes and businesses in the area. According to their reports, at least 50 homes and five businesses were damaged by the storm.

A series of severe thunderstorm caused significant damage to Lake City neighborhoods Saturday, when straight-line winds toppled trees, downed power lines, caused localized flooding and interrupted power to thousands of Florida Power and Light customers. The storms dumped 4 to 6 inches of rain on the county when it blew through, packing wind gusts as high as 70 mph.

American Red Cross officials were helping at least 19 families impacted by the storm.

County officials said there was no damage to any county vehicles, buildings or infrastructure caused by the storm,

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Saturday:
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PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Comedian hurt in diving mishap

SIOUX FALLS, S.D. Comedian Louie Anderson says he's been in pain all week from a recent diving mishap during a taping of the ABC celebrity diving show "Splash."

Anderson, who weighs more than 400 pounds, was trying to do a flip from the 5-meter board when he slammed into the water, landing on his face and chest.

"If I were lying down right now, you would have to help me up," the 60-year-old Anderson said Wednesday. "It's been almost a week and it still hurts almost as much."

Anderson, who skipped diving practice Tuesday night to take the stage in Sioux Falls, S.D., for a show benefiting the Brennan Rock & Roll Academy, said he asked the "Splash" staff after the accident if he was suffering internal bleeding or damage but was told no.

"They said, 'That's your abs. You've never worked them,'" Anderson joked. "The last time I worked them was when I was struggling to get out of my mother. That was it, and I haven't worked them since."

The American version of "Splash," a surprise hit that originated in Europe, has Olympic gold medalist Greg Louganis coaching a diverse cast of celebrities that includes Detroit Lions lineman Ndamukong Suh, 2012 Miss Alabama Katherine Webb, basketball great Kareem Abdul-Jabbar and former Baywatch star Nicole Eggert.

Charlie Daniels has pacemaker surgery

NEW YORK — A representative for Charlie Daniels says the 76-year-old country singer is recovering after having a pacemaker implanted



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Comedian Louie Anderson was able to skip practice from the celebrity diving show "Splash" to do a benefit stand-up show for the Brennan Rock & Roll Academy.

Thursday.

Daniels was diagnosed Monday with "a mild case of pneumonia."



Daniels

Tests at a Nashville, Tenn.-area hospital revealed that he needed a pacemaker to regulate his heart rate. He's scheduled to be released Friday.

Daniels said in a statement that he's feeling better and looking forward to spending Easter with his family.

His Saturday and Sunday performances at Middle Tennessee State University have been canceled. Concerts with his band on April 5 in Englewood, N.J., and April 6 in Newark, Ohio, have been canceled and will be rescheduled. His tour will resume April 11 in Lynchburg, Va.

Daniels has been a member of the Grand Ole Opry for five years. His hits include "The Devil Went Down

to Georgia."

First female Secret Service head sworn in

WASHINGTON — Veteran Secret Service agent Julia Pierson has been sworn in as the agency's first female director.



Pierson

During an Oval Office ceremony, President Barack Obama said Pierson is breaking the mold in the male-dominated agency. He also joked that she would have more control over his life and Vice President Joe Biden's than anyone except their spouses.

The Secret Service is charged with protecting the president, vice president and their families, as well as investigating financial crimes.

■ Associated Press

Celebrity Birthdays

- Host John McLaughlin ("The McLaughlin Group") is 86.
- Comedian Eric Idle is 70.
- Composer Vangelis ("Chariots of Fire") is 70.
- Singer Bobby Kimball of Toto is 66.
- Actor Brendan Gleeson ("Harry Potter") is 58.
- Actor Christopher Lambert ("Highlander") is 56.
- Singer Perry Farrell of Porno for Pyros and Jane's Addiction is 54.
- Comedian Amy Sedaris is 52.
- Model Elle Macpherson is 50.
- Singer-harmonica player John Popper of Blues Traveler is 46.
- Actress Lucy Lawless is 45.

Daily Scripture

For there is one God and one mediator between God and mankind, the man Christ Jesus, who gave himself as a ransom for all people. This has now been witnessed to at the proper time.

—1 Timothy 2:5-6

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AROUND FLORIDA

Vehicle fee cut gets panel OK

TALLAHASSEE — A unanimous Senate panel has cleared a proposal to roll back the fees for automobile registrations — a move that could save Florida drivers \$225 million a year.

The Senate Appropriations committee approved the bill (SB 7132) on Thursday. It would reduce the annual cost to register a vehicle by \$12.

The state would make up the lost money by getting rid of a tax break to insurance companies. It lets them avoid tax on up to 15 percent of their Florida employees' salaries.

The insurance industry and the business lobby oppose the bill, but many senators said it was time to put money back in the pockets of average Floridians.

Foreclosure bill moves in House

TALLAHASSEE — A bill to speed up Florida's residential mortgage foreclosure process is headed to the state House floor.

The measure (HB 87) won approval from the House Judiciary Committee on a 12-6 vote Thursday in its last committee stop before a looming vote in the full House.

Rep. Kathleen Passidomo, R-Naples, says her bill is aimed at unclogging the foreclosure process in a state that's been swamped by foreclosures.

Passidomo says the bill offers guarantees to make sure that borrowers with a "meritorious defense" will be heard in court.

One provision added to the bill would allow judges on senior status to hear



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Real estate agents who won \$1 million in the Powerball pose for a photograph Thursday in Plantation. The 12 agents at Keller Williams Partners Realty in Plantation joined the office pool for last Saturday's Powerball drawing, pitching in \$20 each.

foreclosure cases.

The bill proposes several changes to the procedures governing foreclosures in Florida.

Surveys indicate that Florida still has about a quarter of the nation's foreclosures.

Speaker defends tuition hike

TALLAHASSEE — State House Speaker Will Weatherford is defending a push by the Florida House to hike university and college tuition six percent.

The House has included the hike in budget proposals that were unveiled this week.

This puts the House at odds with Gov. Rick Scott and the Florida Senate. Scott this week called a tuition hike a tax on families. The governor also noted that tuition has been going up steadily the last several years.

But Weatherford told the Florida Board of Governors on Wednesday that students and families are spending as much each year on tuition as they are on their cell-phones. The board is the

panel that oversees the state university system.

The House and Senate have until early May to pass a new state budget.

Woman bilked Medicaid of \$3M

ORLANDO — An Orange County woman is facing charges after she allegedly bilked \$3 million from the state Medicaid system.

Attorney General Pam Bondi said Wednesday that authorities had arrested Janie Vittini.

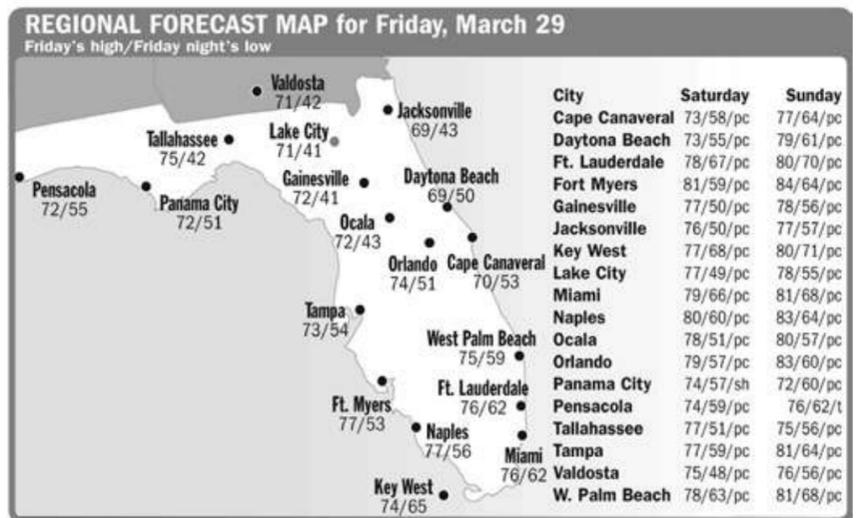
Vittini, the owner of Improving Together, Inc., has been accused of billing Medicaid for mental health services that her company never provided.

Medicaid is a program that provides health care services to the poor.

Investigators accuse Vittini of using the money received from Medicaid to purchase luxury vehicles, trips and jewelry, including Cadillac Escalades, a Ducati Superbike, a seven-person Carnival cruise, a trip to Cozumel, Mexico, and more than \$175,000 of Luis Vuitton products.

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Catching some waves

Adam Steinberg of Flagstaff, Ariz., helps his Dog Booker D. Surfdog catch a wave Thursday afternoon in Cocoa Beach, as they get ready for this weekend's East Coast Dog Surfing Championships held during the Easter Surf Festival at the Cocoa Beach Pier.

Scott, House speaker clash over tuitions

By GARY FINEOUT
Associated Press

TALLAHASSEE — Gov. Rick Scott has made his opposition to tuition hikes for college students well-known in the last several months. He has repeatedly said that he worries that the cost of a college education is getting too high in the state.

"This is a tax, it's a tax on students, it's a tax on families," Scott told reporters earlier this week.

But Scott's opposition has done little to dissuade the Florida House from proposing a 6-percent tuition hike.

House Speaker Will Weatherford on Thursday strongly defended the move, which would generate an estimated \$37 million for the state's 12 public universities.

"Our students and our

parents are spending as much money on their cellphones a year as they are paying for tuition," Weatherford said.

Weatherford, who made his remarks before the Florida Board of Governors, also said that the state's overall tuition rate for university students remains among the lowest in the country. The board is the appointed panel that oversees the university system.

Florida charges undergraduate students an average in-state rate of \$6,232 a year — which ranks about 41st in the nation, according to data compiled by the State University System of Florida.

"We think to just take tuition off the table and ignore the fact that we are ranked so low ... is not right," Weatherford said.

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effort.

Obama said the upcoming vote is the best chance in more than a decade to reduce gun violence. He encouraged Americans, especially gun owners, to press lawmakers home from a congressional spring break to "turn that heartbreak into something real."

"Don't get squishy because time has passed and it's not on the news every single day," Obama said.

Moderate Senate Democrats like Mark Pryor of Arkansas and Heidi Heitkamp of North Dakota are shunning Bloomberg as a meddling outsider while stressing their allegiance to their own voters' views and to gun rights. While saying they are keeping an open mind and that they support keeping guns from criminals and people with mental disorders, some moderates are avoiding specific commitments they might regret later.

"I do not need someone from New York City to tell me how to handle crime in our state. I know that we can go after and prosecute criminals without the need to infringe upon the Second Amendment rights of law-



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President Barack Obama urges Congress to take action on measures to protect children from gun violence, while speaking in the East Room of the White House in Washington on Thursday. Standing with Obama are Vice President Joe Biden, and, according to the White House, law enforcement officials, victims of gun violence, and others the White House did not want to name.

abiding North Dakotans," Heitkamp said this week, citing the constitutional right to bear arms.

Heitkamp does not face re-election next year, but Pryor and five other Senate Democrats from Republican-leaning or closely divided states do. All six, from Southern and Western states, will face voters whose deep attachment to guns is unshakable — not to mention opposition from the still-potent National Rifle Association, should they vote for restrictions the

NRA opposes.

"We have a politically savvy and a loyal voting bloc, and the politicians know that," said Andrew Arulanandam, spokesman for the NRA, which claims nearly 5 million paying members.

The heart of the Senate gun bill will be expanded requirements for federal background checks for gun buyers, the remaining primary proposal pushed by Obama and many Democrats since 20 first-graders and six women were

shot to death in December at an elementary school in Newtown, Conn. Senate Democratic leader Harry Reid of Nevada has said there aren't enough votes to approve a ban on assault weapons, while prospects are uncertain for a prohibition on large-capacity ammunition magazines.

Background checks apply only to sales by the nation's roughly 55,000 federally licensed gun dealers. Not covered are private transactions like those at gun shows and online.

PENSIONS: Senate panel advances bill

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"That could mean the difference between a secure retirement or outliving your savings and being forced to rely on the public services and possibly Medicaid," Sobel said.

But Sen. Wilton Simpson, the Trilby Republican sponsoring the pension bill, said defaulting workers into the investment plan makes sense, because they are those less likely to be paying attention and more likely to change jobs before the vesting period for the traditional plan passes.

"This gives them a better opportunity to work four or five years in a career, and then change and take their assets with them," Simpson said.

House Speaker Will Weatherford, R-Wesley Chapel, has made closing the defined benefit plan to new employees a top priority for the session.

But that measure is seen as unlikely to pass the Senate.

Still, Senate President Don Gaetz said Wednesday that he thinks there's still time to work out a deal — with Simpson's bill as a possible template for a compromise.

"I think it's possible that we could wind up with no bill, but I think it's more likely that we'll wind up with something that achieves the speaker's goals — and I share those goals

— but at the same time earns enough votes to pass the Senate," said Gaetz, R-Niceville.

Weatherford said last week that Simpson's bill is "better than the status quo."

The Senate Appropriations Committee didn't take up another measure (SB 458) that would overhaul some local pension plans for law enforcement and firefighters. But Ring, a sponsor of the measure, said the committee simply ran out of time and he didn't believe that "foul play" was involved.

"I hope it comes up next week," he said.

DAMAGE: Losses in county estimated at \$500K plus

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but they have not tabulated the overtime costs for cleanup and recovery work. Morgan said crews were still out Thursday afternoon doing cleanup.

City officials estimate the city will pay \$10,000 to \$15,000 in overtime and associated costs for cleanup and other work associated with storm damage.

Wendell Johnson, city manager, said the projected costs for overtime hours was already built into the city's budget.

"Other than the overtime, I don't think that we're going to have any applications for any damage to the city," he said. "It's just the overtime, and really, we build that into our budget anyway."

Johnson said no city vehicles or buildings were damaged by the storm, but there was infrastructure damage when a lightning strike ruptured a water main line that was at least

five feet underground near the Target facility.

Keith Hampton, city director of distribution and collections, said the 12-inch water main was damaged by a lightning strike which caused a 188-inch split.

"It took us about eight hours to get it repaired," he said, noting the estimated repair cost was approximately \$1,500.

Elaine Hinsdale, FPL spokeswoman, did not have a financial estimate for the damage done to FPL equipment by the storm.

"There was extensive damage with debris," she said. "We brought in additional resources from Miami and West Palm to help with the clearing, debris and vegetation removal and to restore power."

Hinsdale said about 9:30 to 10 a.m. Monday around 99.9 percent of its customers in Lake City had power restored.

At aftermath of the storms on Saturday, 5,500 customers were without power, according to FPL officials. On Sunday, another storm caused about 2,300 customers to lose power.

"FPL crews worked through the night, safely, to restore power," Hinsdale said, noting they were incredibly large trees downed and most of the repair work was just restringing the lines. She said not many power poles or transformers were destroyed.

"Trees and power lines don't agree when you have a bad storm with heavy winds," Hinsdale said.

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ANOTHER VIEW

Gov. Scott's re-election nightmare

Welcome to Gov. Rick Scott's re-election nightmare: He runs for a second term, and his chief rival's perceived weakness somehow becomes his chief rival's most surprising strength.

That rival would be Charlie Crist, former governor. He hasn't announced he wants his old job back, but he has raised his profile, hitting the lecture circuit and turning up on TV news shows. Sure looks like politicking.

After governing as a Republican, Crist became an independent and then switched to the Democratic Party. That earned him the enmity of Republicans statewide, who denounced him as a turncoat and an unprincipled flip-flopper. We've criticized him on this editorial page, too.

But not everyone is a Republican. In a survey of 1,000 registered Florida voters conducted in mid-March by the Quinnipiac (Conn.) University Polling Institute, Crist won a hypothetical 2014 race against Scott. Fifty percent of the respondents wanted Crist; only 34 percent wanted Scott.

Here's the bombshell: Half of the respondents said Crist's switch to the Democratic Party showed he is a practical fellow. Considerably less, 40 percent, had a problem with it.

"Those numbers," said Peter Brown, assistant director of the institute, "indicate Republicans will have a tough job turning around Crist's lead over Scott by reminding voters of Crist's evolution."

Republicans will have a tough job anyway. Voters have never warmed up to Rick Scott. They elected him over Democrat Alex Sink, but the Quinnipiac poll shows they'd pick Sink today, 45 percent to 34 percent.

It's not that Scott hasn't tried. He's done his share of flip-flopping, most recently changing positions on Medicaid expansion and teacher pay raises, in an obvious attempt to seem "moderate." His reward? Fellow Republicans call him a RINO and legislators ignore his proposals.

Poor Rick Scott. His weaknesses aren't turning into strengths. They're just ... weaknesses.

■ Northwest Florida Daily News



How's that diet working for you?

Here's the bad news: Diets fail! Statistically, folks who go on a serious weight-loss diet fail. They either try too hard, and lose to hunger, or lose too fast and doom themselves to gain it all back—and then some. I'm not an expert on nutrition, but research shows that there are certain proven principles we can depend upon for successful weight control and for attaining and maintaining a healthy body weight.

Why do diets fail? Significant changes in our diet can be too severe for the body and mind to accept without a fight. The body responds by dumping "hungry hormones" into the bloodstream. Also, when cells don't get the calories they require, they actually begin to starve. It goes without saying, this can be painful.

When we eat less food, there's an accompanying loss of nutrition: vitamins, minerals protein, carbohydrates, fats, and fiber. They're all needed for proper nutrition. Lack of nutrition drives the body to demand more food. Hunger wins.

How about these low carb diets? Not good for long-term results. Carbs not only provide calories, but they function to control water metabolism. So on a low-carb diet, you can lose a pound a day—but, it's mainly water loss. Without carbohydrates to control water metabolism, your body can't store water. It's possible to become dangerously dehydrated. Then when you return to regular meals, your body quickly regains the water, and you gain it all back.



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Here's the good news: You can use proven scientific principles to lose weight and maintain that healthy weight.

The best way to healthy weight control is a healthy diet. We need all the proper nutrients: protein, carbs, fats, (yes, we even need fats!) vitamins, minerals, and fiber.

Avoid convenience foods or snack food. Food companies add sugar, fat, and extra salt, because their research shows that these added ingredients actually create cravings. And, since "junk food" doesn't provide the real nutrition you need, your body demands that you keep eating, in an effort to satisfy your basic nutritional needs. So you overeat, and store the extra calories as fat.

The body is like a machine. It converts food into "you." You are, to a degree, what you eat. The body has caloric needs. Consume fewer than you need, lose weight. More than you need, gain weight.

Your feelings of hunger probably aren't the best guide in deciding the size of your meals. You can use one of the many lists of food calorie contents and portion size available on the internet, or your local library, to educate yourself on general calorie

content. A good rule of thumb? It takes about ten calories a day per pound of body weight to must maintain your weight. For example, if you're 200 pounds, your body requires about 2000 calories a day just to maintain that weight. You can use this principle to reach your goal weight and stay there: Choose your healthy goal weight, and multiply it by ten to determine how much you should eat each day. Let's say you want to weigh 180 pounds. 180 times 10 equals 1800 calories per day.

It's also helpful to take regular meals. Typically, three meals a day reduce hunger, and still allow satisfying meals. For an 1800-calorie diet, that would be about 600 per meal.

Don't obsess over this. It's okay to give in to a little snack rather than feel like a failure and give up. Stop worrying about how long it takes. Be patient. Good things come to those who wait.

For a healthy lifestyle, add a little physical activity. It's not necessary to run a marathon. Walking can be a great way to work out, with the least stress or risk of injury. Include some stretching.

Check with your doctor, to allow for any physical limitations you may have.

How about putting some of these principles to work for yourself? Be healthier and happier. Make the choice now, and make it happen. I'd really like to hear how it's working for you. Let me know, at Bob.Denny8@gmail.com.

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Peace a deadly path for Arab leaders

When meeting with King Abdullah II in Jordan last Friday, President Barack Obama was gracious enough to mention the monarch's great-grandfather, King Abdullah I, who "gave his life in the name of peace."

To Western ears, that sounded like a tribute. To Arab and Muslim ears, it may have sounded like a warning.

To understand why, it's necessary to dip into the history that Westerners seldom learn — and Middle Easterners seldom forget. What we now call Jordan was for centuries a backwater of the Ottoman Empire, the last of the great Islamic caliphates.

Ottoman forces made the mistake of fighting on the losing side in World War I. Defeat precipitated the collapse of the empire and the dissolution of the caliphate. Ottoman lands were divided between the British and the French.

The territory east of the Jordan River, referred to as Transjordan, became part of the British Mandate of Palestine.



Cliff May

In Arabia, fierce warriors of the Saudi clan overthrew the Hashemite clan.

Displaced Hashemites were installed by the British in Transjordan. Abdullah — who had fought against the Ottomans — was named Emir of Transjordan in 1921.

A quarter-century later, when the Palestinian Mandate was dissolved, a fully independent Hashemite Kingdom of Transjordan was founded with Abdullah on the throne. He opposed the establishment of Israel, and his Arab Legion was among the five armies that attempted to crush the fledgling Jewish state in 1948.

In April 1949, Abdullah changed his country's name to what it is today: the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan. Officially, it remained at war

with Israel. Unofficially, Abdullah recognized that a long and bloody conflict with his western neighbor would benefit no one.

In 1951, as he was leaving the al-Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem, he was assassinated by Mustafa Ashu, a member of the Jihad al-Muqaddas, the Army of the Holy War. Winston Churchill said: "I deeply regret the murder of this wise and faithful Arab ruler, who never deserted the cause of Britain and held out the hand of reconciliation to Israel."

You see my point? Imagine you are Mahmoud Abbas, president of the Palestinian Authority. You know that making peace with Israel will bring you the praise of British prime ministers and American presidents. Perhaps you understand that peace would be in the best interest of your people. But you also are keenly aware that serious peace-making will place you and members of your family in severe peril.

Egypt's President Anwar Sadat is another example of that danger.

■ Clifford D. May is president of the Foundation for the Defense of Democracies, a policy institute focusing on terrorism.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

■ To submit your Community Calendar item, contact Jim Barr at 754-0424 or by email at jbarr@lakecityreporter.com.

March 29

Good Friday service

Good Friday service will be at 7 p.m. at New Mount Pisgah African Methodist Episcopal Church, 345 NE Washington St. The preacher will be the Rev. David Scott.

Service of Darkness

Covenant First Presbyterian Church of Live Oak invites the community to attend a Service of Darkness at 8 p.m. As candles are extinguished, there will be a gradual darkening of the sanctuary. The service will be presented by choir and soloists, organ, strings, oboe and bass drum. The church is at 421 White Ave. in Live Oak.

Good Friday service

Faith in Christ Anglican Church will have a Good Friday service at noon. The stations of the cross will be visited. The church is located at 282 Magical Terrace. For more information, call Father Don Wilson at (386) 208-9882.

Church fundraiser

Abundant Life Church, 675 State Road 100, is selling tickets for a grilled chicken dinner to raise money for the church building fund. The dinner will be 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. June 14 on the church grounds. For tickets or more information, contact Pastor Tanner at (386) 984-0310.

Volunteers needed

Shands LakeShore Regional Medical Center Auxiliary is looking for volunteers for a variety of positions around the hospital. Volunteers are asked to work a four-hour shift once per week, but are welcome to work more often. If you have some time to donate, come to the gift shop and pick up an application or call (386)292-8000, ext. 21216.

March 29-30

Living drama

Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church again is presenting "The Road to Calvary," a living drama depicting the events leading up to and including the crucifixion, resurrection and ascension of Jesus Christ. Admission is free. The living tableaux of events can be viewed by driving around a circuit in the church's parking lot. Scenes include The Triumphal Entry, The Last Supper, the Arrest of Jesus in the Garden of Gethsemane, the Trial, Road to Golgotha, the Crucifixion, the Resurrection and the Ascension. This drama includes special lighting, "surround sound" and a cast of over 40 live actors in costume. It will be presented 8 to 9:30 p.m. today and Saturday. The church is at 1272 SW McFarlane Ave. (next to Summers Elementary School). For more information, go online at www.wesleymem.com or call (386) 466-8999.

March 30

Egg hunt

The second annual

Chamber of Commerce mixer



DEREK GILLIAM/Lake City Reporter

The Lake City-Columbia County Chamber of Commerce held a chamber mixer at the Comfort Inn and Suites in Lake City on Thursday. About 70 people attended the event, hosted by Lake City Rotary Club and Altrusa of Lake City.

Easter Egg Hunt, sponsored by the Lake City-Columbia County Chamber of Commerce, will be from 10 a.m. to noon at Wilson Park. Back by popular demand, Shana Banana will provide the children's entertainment. Bellamy Beaver, the mascot for the Ichetucknee Partnership, will also be in attendance. He will open the egg hunt and have giveaways for the children.

Easter activities

Gold Standard Lodge 167 will hold its annual Easter activities from 12:45 to 2:30 p.m. at Annie Mattox Park. There will be fun, games, food and prizes. For more information, call Mike Kelly at (386) 867-6675.

Test drive fundraiser

Rountree-Moore Ford-Lincoln will conduct a Ford Drive One 4 UR School test drive fundraiser from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the dealership on U.S. 90 West. Test drive a new car and the dealership will donate \$20 to Columbia High School. For more information, call George H. Hudson Jr. at (386) 755-0630.

Egg hunt

There will be a children's Easter egg hunt at 3:30 p.m. at Huntsville United Methodist Church on Lake Jeffrey Road, followed by a potluck supper on the grounds.

March 31

Resurrection Sunday

Glad Tidings Assembly of God, 1571 E. Duval St., will have Resurrection Sunday services at 10:30 a.m. Church youth will present a skit. Daniel and Mona Harris will present special music, and Evangelist Jim Willett of Michigan will deliver the word. For more information, call (386) 365-1533 or visit online on Facebook or at gtlakecity.org.

Sunrise service

A "Sunrise" communion service will be from 7 to 7:45 a.m. at Annie Mattox Park. The preacher will be Pastor Joy L. Gallmon.

Easter service

Wellborn Baptist Church will have an Easter service beginning at 10:30 a.m. The church choir will perform "It Would Take a Cross," followed by a worship service. The church is on U.S. 90 at Lowe Lake Road in Wellborn. Visit our website at www.wellbornbaptist.com or call (386) 963-2231 for more details.

Sunrise service

The Greater Truevine Baptist Church will have an Easter sunrise service at 6 a.m. For information, contact the church at (386) 755-9247.

Resurrection service

Faith in Christ Anglican Church invites the community to experience Resurrection Sunday at 10 a.m. The church is at 282 Magical Terrace. For more information, call Father Don Wilson at (386) 208-9882.

Sunrise service

Wellborn United Methodist Church will have an Easter "Sunrise" service at 7 a.m. at the Wellborn Community Association park west of County Road 250 in Wellborn. The Rev. Matt Dillard, pastor of the Glory to God Ministries in Wellborn, and Dr. Parker, pastor of the Wellborn and Huntsville UM churches, along with Pastor James Jones of Allen Chapel in Wellborn, will conduct the service. A free public breakfast will be offered at the Wellborn UMC fellowship hall following the service.

Easter services

Easter worship service will be at 11 a.m. at the Wellborn United Methodist Church, 12005 County Road 137 in Wellborn,

and at 3:30 p.m. at the Huntsville UMC on Lake Jeffrey Road in Lake City. The two churches will then join Pine Grove UMC and New Harmony UMC for a cluster Easter service with special program at the First United Methodist Church in Live Oak, beginning with a 6 p.m. potluck supper.

Sunrise service

Falling Creek Chapel will have an Easter sunrise service at 7 a.m. Breakfast will be served after the service. For more information, call 755-0580.

Easter celebration

New Life Outreach Ministries on Highway 47 will have Easter service at 11 a.m., followed by a celebration and dinner. Activities will include bounce houses and an egg hunt with prizes. For more information, call Pastor Russell McDaniel at 438-5157 or Brother Ken at (386) 288-8044.

Easter brunch, events

The LifeStyle Enrichment

Center, 628 SE Allison Court, will have Easter brunch and family activities from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Rose Mary Catering will serve an all-you-can-eat brunch, featuring omelets and crepes made to order, carved honey ham, fresh fruit and cheeses, decadent desserts, traditional breakfast and lunch items. Cost is \$14.95; half price for children 3 and younger. Easter Bunny and an egg hunt will be at 12:30 (do not have to eat to attend). Have your family photo taken to benefit Senior Services in Columbia County Call (888) 845-0925 for details or reservations. or email shane@rosemarycatering.com.

Easter services

Tustenugee United Methodist Church will have an Easter sunrise service at 7 a.m., followed by breakfast on the grounds. Regular services will be at 11 a.m., followed by dinner and an egg hunt. The church is on County Road 131, one mile south of

County Road 18 in Fort White.

Gun show

Cliffhangers Gun and Knife Show and weapons class will be 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Columbia County Fairgrounds. For more information, call (386) 325-6114.

April 2

Support group

Another Way Inc. provides a domestic violence support group every Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. If you are a current or former survivor of domestic violence, call 386-719-2702 for meeting location and an intake appointment. All services are free of charge and confidential.

Plant clinic

University of Florida Master Gardeners are available every Tuesday and Thursday from 9 a.m. to noon at the Columbia County Extension Office, 164 SW Mary Ethel Lane, at the Columbia County Fairgrounds, to answer questions about lawns and plants. Bring samples for free diagnosis or solutions. For more information, call 752-5384.

April 3

Plant clinic

University of Florida Master Gardeners are available every Wednesday from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Fort White Public Library on Route 47 to answer questions about lawns and plants. Bring samples for free diagnosis or solutions. For more information, call 752-5384.

Gardening program

A program, "Hydroponic Gardening for the Homeowner," will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Agricultural Extension Center at 8202 County Road 417, off U.S. 90 between Lake City and Live Oak. Cost is \$20. The fee includes a starter kit. Dress for hands-on activities, and take a bag lunch. For more information, call the extension office at (386) 362-1725.

OBITUARIES

George Helen Reed

Ms. George Helen Reed, 59, transitioned from this life, March 21, 2013 in the Lake City Medical Center. Helen was born November 2, 1953 to George and Jessie Mae Reed. Both preceded her in death. She was educated in the public schools of Columbia County, and graduated from Columbia High School, with the class of 1973. Brothers, Donald and Nathaniel also preceded her in death. Left to cherish fond memories:



daughter, Lynette Wilson (Robert), son, Ron Harris (Shelethea); devoted companion of 37 years, Joe Lee Adams; grandchildren, Robert "Chucky" Wilson, Jr., Kendrell Wilson, Delvin Wilson; great-grandchildren, Za'Khia Wilson, Dae'Shawn Wilson, Davion Wilson; sisters, Janie Reed, Linda Reed, Deborah Reed, Beverly Ruise, Rhonda Reed, Theresa Bell; brothers, Pastor Tommie Reed (Loretta), Jeffery Reed (Lisa), Larry Reed (Janice); Aunts, Clarethia Bradley (Simon) Ella Mae Sheppard, Ida Mae Sheppard-Ausgood; uncle, Lovell Sheppard (Lavern); special friend, Sharlene Bowden; hosts of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

A Celebration of her life will be 1:00 p.m. Saturday, March 30, 2013 at Souls' Harbor Church of God in Christ, 901 NE Lake Drive, Lake City, FL. The family will receive friends from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Friday, March 29, 2013 at Followers of Christ Ministries, 962 N. Marion Ave. Lake City, FL. Arrangements entrusted to COMBS FUNERAL HOME, 292 NE Washington Street, Lake City, FL. (386) 752-4366. Marq Combs-Turner, L.F.D. "The Caring Professionals"

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The two beasts of Revelation 13 - Part 2

Last week we talked about the first beast of Revelation 13:1-10. V8 says "All who dwell on earth will worship him, whose names have not been written in the Book of Life of the Lamb slain from the foundation of the world".

We turn to the second beast as recorded in verses 11-18. Verse 11 says "Then I saw another beast coming up out of the earth (land), and he had two horns like a lamb and spoke like a dragon". The first thing we should note is this second beast comes up out of the earth or land. Most Bible scholars agree that the earth here means out of Israel. He will be of Jewish descent. This had to be true because according to II

Thessalonians 2:3-4 "Let no one deceive you by any means; for that Day will not come unless the falling away come first, and the man of sin is revealed, the son of perdition, who opposes and exalts himself above all this is called God or that is worshipped, so that he sits as God in the temple of God, showing himself that he is God."

We know that shortly after the rapture of the Church the temple in Jerusalem will be rebuilt. It will not have the outer court of the Gentiles as the first temple did. Anyone that understands Jewish customs will know that there if no way that they would ever allow a Gentile in the temple; let alone the Holy of Holies. So this person will most certainly

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have to be of Jewish descent. This person will no doubt be the Antichrist.

The second beast makes his appearance out of the earth. This beast will have two horns like a lamb; but he has the voice of a dragon. These two beast are world dictators; one political, the

second religious.

Oliver Greene put it this way "When the second beast makes his appearance, things will be leveled off politically. It will be a time of false peace. Let us compare the two beast. The first beast is a secular power; the second beast is a religious power. The first beast is a Gentile; the second is a Jew. The first beast has ten horns; the second had two horns. The first beast is a civil authority; the second is a religious authority. The second beast is subordinate to the first beast. He uses military power of the first beast to force his demand and his dictatorship. The second beast is lieutenant to the first. He appears after the first beast. They do not appear at the same moment. The

first beast is the head of a vast military and political system, and as such he perishes at the coming of the Lord at the close of the Tribulation. No power on earth can withstand this tremendous political beast. The second beast will rule in Palestine. He is the minister of the first beast. The second beast is the one who deceives the world and labors untiringly to put Judaism and all religions on the world into the arms of Satan."

The world church that we hear so much about today will come to pass. Behold today is the day of Salvation!

■ Hugh Sherrill, an ordained Baptist minister and Bible teacher, is available for special Bible studies and revivals.

Law of God or law of the land?

From time to time our country makes a law that comes in conflict with the Law of God. Law makers put their constituents in a position between obeying the laws of the land and the Law of God. It is readily admitted that God says we are to obey the laws of the land, but what should a person do if the law of the land puts them into a position which makes them violate the law of God?

This situation is not particular to our country but has been the case with believers in God for centuries. The Jewish midwives in the days of the Egyptian Pharaohs were instructed to kill any male Jewish newborn. Daniel was instructed that he would eat the king's prepared meals but Daniel concluded that would make him violate God's law. Later in the life of Daniel,

there was a law that prohibited him from praying to his God. Herod the king was going to kill Jesus after the Wisemen came back and told him where Jesus was located. Peter and John were told by the Jewish Sanhedrin Council that they were not to preach about Jesus in the city of Jerusalem.

The Jewish midwives did not obey the command of the Pharaoh. Daniel convinced his overseer to allow him to have a different diet. After learning of the law of the Medes and Persians that prohibited Daniel from praying, the elder statesman Daniel continued his custom of praying three times a day to his God. An angel of the Lord sent the Wisemen back home a different way. Peter and John told the Council, "We must obey God rather than men."

In our country today, we are very fortunate to have a form of

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government which allows us to have some input into the laws which are made. We need to exercise that right. When we must, we need to exercise our rights to protect ourselves from harm just like Paul did when he appealed to Caesar. We need to find a way to not violate the laws of the land while at the same time not violate God's law. We need to find ways that will keep us from having a conflict with the laws of the land.

But what if we are faced with a choice between the law of the land and the law of God and we have exhausted all means to not violate either, what should we do? The obvious answer is that we must make a choice. The question is which one?

There are two examples to help us with this dilemma: the friends of Daniel who were faced with being thrown into the fiery furnace and the aged Daniel who was faced with being thrown to the lions. Daniel's friends expressed their attitude by saying, "Let it be known to you, O King, that we are not going to serve your gods or worship the golden image that you have set up" (Daniel 3:17, 18). The elder Daniel seems to be taking the attitude, he is still going to obey God. However, a statement by Jesus may give us the best advice as to how to handle this situation. Jesus said, "Do not

fear those who kill the body, but are unable to kill the soul' but rather fear Him who is able to destroy both soul and body in hell" (Matthew 10:28).

When we get to the point that we are able to say, "I do not care what happens to my earthly body," then we will be able to make the proper choice of obeying the law of God. When we are faced with a conflict with the law of God, we must always obey God. We do not need to use this as a reason for being rebellious to the laws made by the civil authorities but neither do we need to say that we have no choice but to obey the laws of the land.

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Does a clear conscience matter?

In an article I read recently, the author suggested that a clear conscious is an unattainable goal, and therefore no one should lose sleep worrying or feeling guilty. Is there any truth to this position? Should a clear conscience even be of concern in the end-justifies-the-means mentality of our culture ... or any culture for that matter? In Acts 23:1, the apostle Paul is standing before the Sanhedrin, the highest court of the Jewish nation in New Testament times. In response to the charges brought against him, "Paul looked straight at the Sanhedrin and said, 'My brothers, I have fulfilled my duty to God in all good conscience to this day.'" Why on earth would a clear conscious be Paul's defense?

In order to answer these ques-

tions, the first thing we need is a good working definition of our conscience...what is it exactly? According to the New Testament Lexical Aids, the Greek word for conscience is "syneidesis" which "denotes the faculty of the mind whose nature it is to bear witness to one's own moral conduct." In other words, when you are pondering over a situation, it is your conscience that casts a vote about the rightness of your behavior.

For me this answers at least one of our questions: given that my conscience will be voting on my conduct for the rest of my life, I think it should definitely be a concern! Since Paul voiced this as his defense, I think he felt the same way.

I am so thankful the Bible includes these words of Paul, because his past had more than a few blemishes, and yet he pro-

HEART MATTERS



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nounces his conscience clear. This means it is also possible for all of us without a spotless past to joy a clear conscience in the present! So how do we trade in the sleepless nights for an affirming vote? First, recognize as a believer that the Holy Spirit plays a critical role in creating and maintaining a clear conscience. It is His job to confirm a clear conscience (Romans 9:1) and to

convict a guilty one (John 16:8). Of course, what we would prefer is to ignore our sin, and often try diligently to do just that, but our conscience is the one part of us that refuses to look the other way.

The second thing we often do is attempt to soothe our guilty conscience with good deeds. If we have wronged someone, instead of admitting the wrong and asking for forgiveness, we try to smooth it over by a nice gesture. According to Hebrews 9:9, gifts and sacrifices are not able to clear the conscience. Even when we don't want to hear it, our conscience brings awareness of what we ought to do to get to the bottom of the issue. The rest is up to us.

Finally, Paul encourages us in Hebrews 10:22 to "draw near to God." Often, when we feel guilty, we tend to avoid coming into His

presence. However, when our conscience condemns us, what we need most is to come clean before God. He already knows the intent of our heart, so let's go ahead and get it out in the open. Confess. Ask forgiveness. Ask for instruction if we need to make something right with someone. Then, be assured of God love and forgiveness, and finally get a good night's sleep!

Because every heart matters,

Angie

■ Heart Matters is a weekly column written by Angie Land, director of the Family Life Ministries of the Lafayette Baptist Association, where she teaches bible studies, leads marriage and family conferences, and offers biblical counseling. Follow Angie on Twitter: Angie Land @HeartMtrrs.

Can I have this dance?

Being a PK (preacher's kid) was difficult at times. One of the difficult times was, we just couldn't do some of the things other kids were doing. There were school activities we wanted to attend, like the school dance. It wasn't much... it wasn't the end of the world, but as kids, we thought it was. We just couldn't understand why? We didn't like being 'different'.

Truth be told, preacher's kids, and families are put on a pedestal. They are expected to be better than the other kids, since they are an extension of the Minister, and thus the church. This means being open for all kinds of criticism from mem-

bers. It wasn't all bad of course, but WE had to be especially careful, because we didn't want dad to lose his job on account of us... so dancing was out. We missed the school socials, the proms, and when we started to date, we didn't know how to dance.

Now, some 50 years later, thanks to my wife's encouragement, we've started to dance. At first it was 'Swing' dance, which is nice, but we had to do some travelling each week for lessons. Then we happened to find 'Round Dancing' here in Lake City! I never thought I would 'get it', but since January, we have both been learning, and having fun. Sure I have a long way to go, but 'better late than never'.



Jack Exum Jr.

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Each Monday evening at 6:30 till 8:30 at Richardson Center, we look forward to learning. Along with that, we are starting to learn Square Dancing, Tuesday evenings at Teen Town! Who knows what's next, Waltzing, Line Dancing ... Why not?! Preacher or not, PK or not, here we come!

Who said, "You can't teach

an old dog new tricks", well I'm here to tell you.... this 'old dog' can! Actually everyone can learn, if they want to bad enough. I'm so happy to have a wife who encouraged me to try. Besides, it means being together, making friends, having some good fun. Try it. David did. No he wasn't doing the Round Dance... he was just overjoyed at bringing the Ark of the Lord back. "So David and all the house of Israel brought up the ark of Jehovah with shouting, and with the sound of the trumpet. And it was so, as the ark of Jehovah came into the city of David, that Michal the daughter of Saul looked out at the window, and saw king David leaping and dancing before Jehovah; and

she despised him in her heart" (2 Samuel 6:15-16). (Don't know why Michal "despised him in her heart"... maybe he never learned to dance, or had 'two left feet' like me.)

Sure some dances are not good because they are not intended just for fun. Think about it, there's a reason why they call "Dirty Dancing" dirty.

"Can I have this dance, for the rest of my life...?" I'm so proud, my wife said, "Yes!"

■ Jack Exum Jr. is a freelance writer who lives in Lake City. To find more articles (by Jack Exum Jr. as well as Jack Exum Sr.), Exum books for sale, family pictures, Bible studies, special "For Teens Only" area and more, visit Exum's website, www.jackexum.com.

CHURCH CALENDAR

■ To submit your Church Calendar item, contact Jim Barr at 754-0424 or by email at jbarr@lakecityreporter.com.

March 29

Good Friday service

Good Friday service will be at 7 p.m. at New Mount Pisgah African Methodist Episcopal Church, 345 NE Washington St. The preacher will be the Rev. David Scott.

Service of Darkness

Covenant First Presbyterian Church of Live Oak invites the community to attend a Service of Darkness at 8 pm. As candles are extinguished, there will be a gradual darkening of the sanctuary. The service will be presented by choir and soloists, organ, strings, oboe and bass drum. The church is at 421 White Ave. in Live Oak.

Good Friday service

Faith in Christ Anglican Church will have a Good Friday service at noon. The stations of the cross will be visited. The church is located at 282 Magical Terrace. For more information, call Father Don Wilson at (386) 208-9882.

Church fundraiser

Abundant Life Church, 675 State Road 100, is selling tickets for a grilled chicken dinner to raise money for the church building fund. The dinner will be 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. June 14 on the church grounds. For tickets or more information, contact Pastor Tanner at (386) 984-0310.

Good Friday service

First Presbyterian Church, 697 SW Baya Drive, will have Good Friday service at 7 p.m.

March 30

Egg hunt

There will be a children's Easter egg hunt at 3:30 p.m. at Huntsville United Methodist Church on Lake Jeffrey Road, followed by a potluck supper

on the grounds.

March 31

Sunrise service

The Greater Truevine Baptist Church will have an Easter sunrise service at 6 a.m. For information, contact the church at (386) 755-9247.

Resurrection Sunday

Glad Tidings Assembly of God, 1571 E. Duval St., will have Resurrection Sunday services at 10:30 a.m. Church youth will present a skit. Daniel and Mona Harris will present special music, and Evangelist Jim Willett of Michigan will deliver the word. For more information, call (386) 365-1533 or visit online on Facebook or at gtlakecity.org.

Sunrise service

A "Sonrise" communion service will be from 7 to 7:45 a.m. at Annie Mattox Park. The preacher will be Pastor Joy L. Gallmon.

Easter service

Wellborn Baptist Church will have an Easter service beginning at 10:30 a.m. The church choir will perform "It Would Take a Cross," followed by a worship service. The church is on U.S. 90 at Lowe Lake Road in Wellborn. Visit our website at www.wellborn-baptist.com or call (386) 963-2231 for more details.

Resurrection service

Faith in Christ Anglican Church invites the community to experience Resurrection Sunday at 10 a.m. The church is at 282 Magical Terrace. For more information, call Father Don Wilson at (386) 208-9882.

Sunrise service

Wellborn United Methodist Church will have an Easter "Sonrise" service at 7 a.m. at the Wellborn Community Association park west of County Road 250 in Wellborn. The Rev.



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Easter living drama

Wesley Memorial United Methodist Church again is presenting 'The Road to Calvary,' a living drama depicting the events leading up to and including the crucifixion, resurrection and ascension of Jesus Christ. Admission is free. Wesley has presented 'Road to Calvary' most years since 1991, reminding visitors of the true meaning of Easter. The living tableaux of events can be viewed by driving around a circuit in the church's parking lot. This drama includes special lighting, "surround sound" and a cast of over 40 actors in costume. It will be presented 8 to 9:30 p.m. today and Saturday. The church is at 1272 SW McFarlane Ave. (next to Summers Elementary School). For more information, go online at www.wesleymem.com or call (386) 466-8999.

Matt Dillard, pastor of the Glory to God Ministries in Wellborn, and Dr. Parker, pastor of the Wellborn and Huntsville UM churches, along with Pastor James Jones of Allen Chapel in Wellborn, will conduct the service. A free public breakfast will be offered at the Wellborn UMC fellowship hall following the service.

Easter services

Easter worship service will be at 11 a.m. at the Wellborn United Methodist Church, 12005 County Road 137 in Wellborn, and at 3:30 p.m. at the Huntsville UMC on Lake Jeffrey Road in Lake City. The two churches will then join Pine Grove UMC and New Harmony UMC for a cluster Easter service with special program at the First United Methodist Church in Live Oak, beginning with a 6

p.m. potluck supper.

Sunrise service

Falling Creek Chapel will have an Easter sunrise service at 7 a.m. Breakfast will be served after the service. For more information, call 755-0580.

Easter celebration

New Life Outreach Ministries on Highway 47 will have Easter service at 11 a.m., followed by a celebration and dinner. Activities will include bounce houses and an egg hunt with prizes. For more information, call Pastor Russell McDaniel at 438-5157 or Brother Ken at (386) 288-8044.

Easter services

Tustenugee United Methodist Church will have an Easter sunrise service at 7 a.m., followed by breakfast on the grounds. Regular services will be

at 11 a.m., followed by dinner and an egg hunt. The church is on County Road 131, one mile south of County Road 18 in Fort White.

Easter services

First Presbyterian Church, 697 SE Baya Drive, will have Easter service at 10:30 a.m.

April 1

Women's Bible study

A women's Bible study class will be held each Monday at 9:30 a.m. at the Class Extension of Our Redeemer Lutheran Church, 436 SW McFarlane Ave. All denominations are welcome. For more information, call Esther at (386) 752-9909.

April 3

Men's Bible study

Our Redeemer Lutheran

Church will have a men's breakfast and Bible study from 7 to 8 a.m. each Wednesday at the church, 5056 SW State Road 47, one mile south of Interstate 75. For more information, contact Pastor Bruce Alkire at (386) 755-4299.

April 5

Choral program

A Mal Chorus Showcase will be at 7 p.m. at New Mount Pisgah African Methodist Episcopal Church, 345 NE Washington St. Call (386) 752-1830 for more information.

Fish dinner

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church, 5056 SW State Road 47 in Lake City, prepares fish dinners every Friday from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. The dinner is \$6 for two Alaskan pollock filets, corn, baked beans, hush-puppies, cole slaw and tartar sauce. Take out or eat in.

April 6

Gospel sing, supper

Lee Worship Center Church and Living Word Faith Fellowship will have a potluck supper and gospel sing. The supper will be at 6 p.m. and the singing will start at 7. For more information or to get on the program, call Allen at (850) 869-9977. The church is at 471 SE Magnolia Drive in Lee.

Seminar for men

A seminar "Men Making Men: Saving our Sons" will be from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at New Mount Pisgah African Methodist Episcopal Church, 345 NE Washington St. There will be sessions for men 18 and older, as well as for young men 10 to 17 years old. The Rev. Kenneth Irby will be the presenter. Registration is \$10. Breakfast and lunch will be served. For more information, call (386) 752-1830.

Study: Better TV might improve kids' behavior

By **DONNA GORDON BLANKINSHIP**
Associated Press

SEATTLE — Teaching parents to switch channels from violent shows to educational TV can improve preschoolers' behavior, even without getting them to watch less, a study found.

The results were modest and faded over time, but may hold promise for finding ways to help young children avoid aggressive, violent behavior, the study authors and other doctors said.

"It's not just about turning off the television. It's about changing the channel. What children watch is as important as how much they watch," said lead author Dr. Dimitri Christakis, a pediatrician and researcher at Seattle Children's Research Institute.

The research was to be published online Monday by the journal Pediatrics.

The study involved 565 Seattle parents, who periodically filled out TV-watching diaries and questionnaires measuring their child's behavior.

Half were coached for six months on getting their 3-to-5-year-old kids to watch shows like "Sesame Street" and "Dora the Explorer" rather than more violent programs like "Power Rangers." The



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Elizabeth Jensen, 6, center, and her brother Joe Jensen, 2, left, are given the special afternoon treat of a little TV time, at their home in Seattle. The children's mother Nancy Jensen was a participant in a new University of Washington study on the effects of television viewing on kids. As a result of what she learned, her children spend more time with hands-on toys and less time watching TV.

results were compared with kids whose parents who got advice on healthy eating instead.

At six months, children in both groups showed improved behavior, but there was a little bit more improvement in the group that was coached on their TV watching.

By one year, there was

no meaningful difference between the two groups overall. Low-income boys appeared to get the most short-term benefit.

"That's important because they are at the greatest risk, both for being perpetrators of aggression in real life, but also being victims of aggression," Christakis said.

The study has some flaws. The parents weren't told the purpose of the study, but the authors concede they probably figured it out and that might have affected the results.

Before the study, the children averaged about 1-2 hours of TV, video and computer game watching a day, with violent content

making up about a quarter of that time. By the end of the study, that increased by up to 10 minutes. Those in the TV coaching group increased their time with positive shows; the healthy eating group watched more violent TV.

Nancy Jensen, who took part with her now 6-year-old daughter, said the

Online:

Pediatrics: www.pediatrics.org

study was a wake-up call.

"I didn't realize how much Elizabeth was watching and how much she was watching on her own," she said.

Jensen said her daughter's behavior improved after making changes, and she continues to control what Elizabeth and her 2-year-old brother, Joe, watch. She also decided to replace most of Elizabeth's TV time with games, art and outdoor fun.

During a recent visit to their Seattle home, the children seemed more interested in playing with blocks and running around outside than watching TV.

Another researcher who was not involved in this study but also focuses his work on kids and television commended Christakis for taking a look at the influence of positive TV programs, instead of focusing on the impact of violent TV.

"I think it's fabulous that people are looking on the positive side. Because no one's going to stop watching TV, we have to have viable alternatives for kids," said Dr. Michael Rich, director of the Center on Media and Child Health at Children's Hospital Boston.

Legoland Florida announces expansion

Associated Press

WINTER HAVEN — The world's largest Legoland theme park will expand this summer to include a new ride and interactive play area based on the company's popular Legends of Chima product line.

Legoland Florida officials announced that the new section will include an interactive water ride called The Quest for Chi, a Lego-building challenge, a 4-D movie and a meet-and-greet with costumed characters.

"This is the first time a theme park has invested in a major expansion concurrently with the rollout of a new brand and product line, and it was an easy decision based on how well LEGO Legends of Chima has been received by children and those who are young at heart around the world," said Legoland Florida General Manager Adrian Jones in a news release.

According to Lego's website, the Chima storyline is about a pristine, natural paradise that has become a battle ground for eight animal tribes.

"Best friends are now enemies. The animals fight for control of a natural resource called CHI, a powerful element that is both a source of life and potential destruction," the website reads.

The Lego-building challenge will revolve around "Speedorz" chariots, which are the vehicles used by the

animal tribes.

The park will also offer a full "Legends of Chima" product line at its stores.

Since opening in October 2011, the location has added hotels, a Star Wars-themed area and a water park.

Legoland is based on the building-block toys and has rides and attractions geared toward ages 2 to 12. The Winter Haven location is one of five Lego-based theme parks in the world, and the company's largest.



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Legoland Florida General Manager Adrian Jones speaks at the construction site during a news conference to announce the expansion of the attraction with the addition of "The World Of Chima" at the theme park in Winter Haven.

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Monitoring your kids on Facebook? That's so 2009

By ANNE FLAHERTY
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — After Friendster came MySpace. By the time Facebook dominated social media, parents had joined the party, too. But the online scene has changed - dramatically, as it turns out - and these days even if you're friends with your own kids on Facebook, it doesn't mean you know what they're doing.

Thousands of software programs now offer cool new ways to chat and swap pictures. The most popular apps turn a hum-drum snapshot into artistic photography or broadcast your location to friends in case they want to meet you. Kids who use them don't need a credit card or even a cell-phone, just an Internet connection and device such as an iPod Touch or Kindle Fire.

Parents who want to keep up with the curve should stop thinking in terms of imposing time limits or banning social media services, which are stopgap measures. Experts say it's time to talk frankly to kids about privacy controls and remind them - again - how nothing in cyberspace every really goes away, even when software companies promise it does.



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Rebecca Levey, mother of 10-year old twin daughters, sits in the girls' bedroom in New York. Levey, who also runs a tween video review site called KidzVuz.com and blogs about technology and education issues, says, children need to understand the pitfalls of carelessly sharing personal information online.

"What sex education used to be, it's now the 'technology talk' we have to have with our kids," said Rebecca Levey, a mother of 10-year-old twin daughters who runs a tween video review site called KidzVuz.com and blogs about technology and education issues.

More than three-fourths of

teenagers have a cellphone and use online social networking sites such as Facebook, according to the Pew Research Center's Internet and American Life Project. But Facebook for teens has become a bit like a school-sanctioned prom — a rite of passage with plenty of adult chaperones — while newer apps such as Snapchat and Kik

Messenger are the much cooler after-party.

Even Facebook acknowledged in a recent regulatory filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission that it was losing younger users: "We believe that some of our users, particularly our younger users, are aware of and actively engaging with other products and services similar to, or as a substitute for, Facebook," the company warned investors in February.

Educators say they have seen kids using their mobile devices to circulate videos of school drug searches to students sending nude images to girlfriends or boy-friends. Most parents, they say, have no idea.

A stay-at-home mom of eight kids in Burke, Va., Eileen Patterson said she used to consider herself fairly tech savvy and frequently spends time on Facebook.

But she was shocked to learn her kids could message their friends with just an iPod Touch mp3 player. She counts nine wireless devices in her home and has taken to shutting off her home's Wi-Fi after 9 p.m., but she describes her attempt to keep tabs on her kids' online activity "a war I'm slowly losing every day."

"I find myself throwing up my hands every now and again," Patterson said. "Then I'll see something on TV or read an article in the paper about some horrible thing that happened to some poor child and their family, and then I try to be more vigilant."

Mobile apps refer to the software applications that can be downloaded to a mobile device through an online store such as Apple's iTunes. According to the Federal Trade Commission, there are some 800,000 apps available through Apple and 700,000 apps on Google Play.

Among the most popular mobile apps among kids is Instagram, free software that can digitally enhance photos and post them to your account online. Kids on Instagram whose parents closely monitor their text messages, Facebook posts or emails can also chat with their friends using the service. Their photos can also be shared on other social media sites such as Facebook, which bought Instagram last year.

Then there's Snapchat, among the top 10 free iPhone apps available. Snapchat lets a user send a text, photo or video that purportedly self-destructs within 10 seconds of being opened.

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Section B

Kirkman makes opening day roster

Local pitcher will be used in relief for Rangers.

By **BRANDON FINLEY**
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This time he won't have to wait for the call. Lake City native Michael Kirkman will be part of the Texas Rangers from opening day on in the 2013 season.

Kirkman appeared in 28 games last season and pitched 35 1/3 innings. He allowed 24 hits, gave up 15 earned runs, walked 17 batters and struck out 38 players.

Kirkman compiled a 1-2 record and had a 3.82 ERA for the season.

Kirkman was originally drafted out of Columbia High in 2005 by the Rangers in the fifth round.

The pitcher made his major league debut on Aug. 21, 2010 against the Baltimore Orioles in Baltimore.

He went 1 1/3 innings with three strikeouts and didn't give up a hit in middle relief of an 8-6 loss for the Rangers.

Kirkman had been on fire this spring before a rough outing on Wednesday, but

he had already received the good news of being part of the opening day roster.

Kirkman gave up three runs in the sixth inning of a loss for the Rangers, but had previously worked nine scoreless innings in the spring while allowing only three base runners.

Rangers manager Ron Washington had said earlier this spring that he was considering Kirkman for the fifth man in the Texas' rotation.

Nick Tevesch was eventually chosen for that role, but Kirkman will be used as one of the main setup guys for the Rangers this season.

For now, Kirkman will most likely see action beginning in the eighth inning along with relief pitcher Robbie Ross.

Washington told the *Dallas Morning News* on Wednesday that the bullpen was wide open.

"That doesn't mean it won't be (Jason) Frasor," Washington said. "That doesn't mean it won't be someone else. But right now, out of the chute, it would be Ross and Kirkman."

Mike Adams handled the role of eighth-inning leads last season.

Kirkman handled the news of not being named a starter well and considered it an honor just to be thought of for the role.

"My biggest goal was to make this team," Kirkman told the *Dallas Morning News*. "I had no idea that I would even have a glimmer of a chance at starting. It was nice to even be thought of for that."



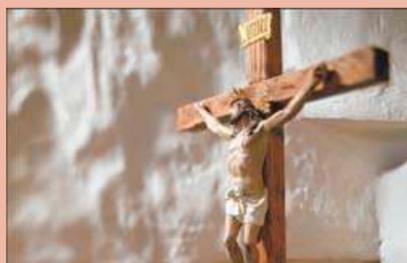
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Texas Rangers relief pitcher and Lake City native Michael Kirkman pitches in a baseball game against the Cleveland Indians on Aug. 31 in Cleveland.

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TV sports

Today
BOXING
9 p.m.
ESPN — Champion Brian Vera (22-6-0) vs. Donatas Bondorovas (17-3-1), for NABO middleweight title, at Verona, N.Y.

GOLF
9:30 a.m.
TGC — European PGA Tour, Trophée Hassan II, second round, at Agadir, Morocco

4 p.m.
TGC — PGA Tour, Houston Open, second round, at Humble, Texas

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
7:15 p.m.
CBS — NCAA Division I tournament, regional semifinal, Oregon vs. Louisville, at Indianapolis

7:37 p.m.
TBS — NCAA Division I tournament, regional semifinal, Kansas vs. Michigan, at Arlington, Texas

9:45 p.m.
CBS — NCAA Division I tournament, regional semifinal, Michigan St. vs. Duke, at Indianapolis

10:17 p.m.
TBS — NCAA Division I tournament, regional semifinal, Florida Gulf Coast vs. Florida, at Arlington, Texas

TENNIS
3 p.m.
ESPN2 — ATP World Tour/WTA, Sony Open, men's semifinal, at Key Biscayne

7 p.m.
ESPN2 — ATP World Tour/WTA, Sony Open, men's semifinal, at Key Biscayne

Saturday
BOXING
10:15 p.m.
HBO — Champion Khabib Allahkverdiev (18-0-0) vs. Breidis Prescott (26-4-0), for WBA junior welterweight title; Brandon Rios (31-0-1) vs. Mike Alvarado (33-1-0), for vacant WBO interim junior welterweight title, at Las Vegas

COLLEGE SOFTBALL
Noon
FSN — UCF at Tulsa

GOLF
9 a.m.
TGC — European PGA Tour, Trophée Hassan II, third round, at Agadir, Morocco

1 p.m.
TGC — PGA Tour, Houston Open, third round, at Humble, Texas

3 p.m.
NBC — PGA Tour, Houston Open, third round, at Humble, Texas

HORSE RACING
6 p.m.
NBCSN — NTRA, Florida Derby, at Hallandale and Louisiana Derby, at New Orleans

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
4:20 p.m.
CBS — NCAA Division I tournament, regional final, at Washington or Los Angeles

6:55 p.m.
CBS — NCAA Division I tournament, regional final, at Washington or Los Angeles

MEN'S COLLEGE LACROSSE
7 p.m.
NBCSN — Duke at Harvard

SOCCER
8:30 a.m.
ESPN2 — Premier League, Manchester United at Sunderland

3:30 p.m.
NBCSN — MLS, Philadelphia at New York

7 p.m.
ESPN2 — Mexican Primera Division, Cruz Azul vs. Atlas, at Mexico City

TENNIS
Noon
CBS — ATP World Tour/WTA, Sony Open, women's championship match, at Key Biscayne

WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Noon
ESPN — NCAA Division I tournament, regional semifinal, at Bridgeport, Conn.

2 p.m.
ESPN — NCAA Division I tournament, regional semifinal, at Bridgeport, Conn.

9 p.m.
ESPN — NCAA Division I tournament, regional semifinal, at Spokane, Wash.

11 p.m.
ESPN2 — NCAA Division I tournament, regional semifinal, at Spokane, Wash.

BASKETBALL

NBA schedule

Today's Games
Washington at Orlando, 7 p.m.
Atlanta at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
Charlotte at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.
Toronto at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.
Houston at Memphis, 8 p.m.
Oklahoma City at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
Miami at New Orleans, 8 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.

Brooklyn at Denver, 9 p.m.
Utah at Portland, 10 p.m.

Saturday's Games
Chicago at Dallas, 2 p.m.
Orlando at Atlanta, 7 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Houston, 8 p.m.
Memphis at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
Charlotte at Philadelphia, 8 p.m.
Oklahoma City at Milwaukee, 8:30 p.m.
Brooklyn at Utah, 9 p.m.
Indiana at Phoenix, 10 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Sacramento, 10 p.m.
Portland at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.

NCAA tournament

EAST REGIONAL
Regional Semifinals
Thursday
Miami vs. Marquette (n)
Indiana vs. Syracuse (n)
Regional Championship
Saturday
Semifinal winners, TBA

SOUTH REGIONAL

Regional Semifinals
Today
Kansas (31-5) vs. Michigan (28-7), 7:37 p.m.

Florida Gulf Coast (26-10) vs. Florida (28-7), 30 minutes following
Regional Championship
Sunday
Semifinal winners, TBA

MIDWEST REGIONAL

Regional Semifinals
Today
Louisville (31-5) vs. Oregon (28-8), 7:15 p.m.

Duke (29-5) vs. Michigan State (27-8), 30 minutes following
Regional Championship
Sunday
Semifinal winners, TBA

WEST REGIONAL

Regional Semifinals
Thursday
Arizona vs. Ohio State (n)
Wichita State vs. La Salle (n)

Regional Championship
Saturday
Semifinal winners, TBA

FINAL FOUR

At The Georgia Dome
Atlanta

National Semifinals
Saturday, April 6
Midwest champion vs. West champion, 6 or 8:30 p.m.

South champion vs. East champion, 6 or 8:30 p.m.

National Championship
Monday, April 8
Semifinal winners, 9 p.m.

Conference records

Through Sunday

(Selections in parentheses)

Conference	W	L	Pct.
Atlantic Sun (1)	2	0	1.000
Big Ten (7)	10	3	.769
Missouri Valley (2)	3	1	.750
Atlantic Coast (4)	5	2	.714
Atlantic 10 (5)	7	4	.636
Pacific-12 (5)	5	3	.625
Southeastern (3)	3	2	.600
Big East (8)	6	5	.545
West Coast (2)	2	2	.500
Colonial (1)	1	1	.500
Conference USA (1)	1	1	.500
Ivy (1)	1	1	.500
Mid-Eastern (1)	1	1	.500
Big 12 (5)	3	4	.429
Mountain West (5)	2	5	.286
America East (1)	0	1	.000
Big Sky (1)	0	1	.000
Big South (1)	0	1	.000
Big West (1)	0	1	.000
Horizon (1)	0	1	.000
Metro Atlantic (1)	0	1	.000
Mid-American (1)	0	1	.000
Northeast (1)	0	1	.000
Ohio Valley (1)	0	1	.000
Patriot (1)	0	1	.000
Southern (1)	0	1	.000
Southland (1)	0	1	.000
Southwestern (1)	0	1	.000
Summit (1)	0	1	.000
Western Athletic (1)	0	1	.000
Sun Belt (2)	0	2	.000

Four in Sweet 16

Conferences that have accounted for four or more of the Sweet 16 since the NCAA tournament field expanded to 64 teams in 1985 (x-reached Final Four; y-won national championship):

1985 — ACC (Georgia Tech, Maryland, North Carolina, N.C. State); Big East (Boston College, x-Georgetown, x-St. John's, y-Villanova)

1986 — ACC (x-Duke, Georgia Tech, North Carolina, N.C. State); SEC (Alabama, Auburn, Kentucky, x-LSU)

1989 — ACC (x-Duke, North Carolina, N.C. State, Virginia); Big Ten (x-Illinois, Indiana, y-Michigan, Minnesota)

1990 — ACC (Clemson, x-Duke, x-Georgia Tech, North Carolina)

1992 — ACC (y-Duke, Florida State, Georgia Tech, North Carolina)

1993 — ACC (Florida State, y-North Carolina, Virginia, Wake Forest)

1995 — ACC (Maryland, x-North Carolina, Virginia, Wake Forest)

1996 — SEC (Arkansas, Georgia, y-Kentucky, x-Mississippi State)

1997 — Pac-10 (y-Arizona, California, Stanford, UCLA)

1998 — Pac-10 (Arizona, x-Stanford, UCLA, Washington)

1999 — Big Ten (Iowa, x-Michigan State, x-Ohio State, Purdue)

2001 — Pac-10 (Arizona, Southern Cal, Stanford, UCLA)

2002 — Big 12 (x-Kansas, Missouri, x-Oklahoma, Texas)

2003 — Big East (Connecticut, Notre Dame, Pittsburgh, y-Syracuse)

2006 — Big East (Connecticut, Georgetown, Villanova, West Virginia)

2009 — Big East (x-Connecticut, Louisville, Pittsburgh, Syracuse, x-Villanova)

2012 — Big East (Cincinnati, x-Louisville, Marquette, Syracuse); Big Ten (Indiana, Michigan State, x-Ohio State, Wisconsin)

2013 — Big Ten (Indiana, Michigan, Michigan State, Ohio State)

NIT

Quarterfinals

Wednesday
Iowa 75, Virginia 64
BYU 79, Southern Mississippi 62
Baylor 79, Providence 68

At Madison Square Garden
New York

Semifinals

Tuesday
BYU (24-1) vs. Baylor (21-14), 7 p.m.
Maryland (25-12) vs. Iowa (24-12), 9:30 p.m.

Championship

Thursday, April 4
Semifinal winners, 9 p.m.

Women's NCAA

OKLAHOMA CITY REGIONAL

Regional Semifinals
Sunday
Oklahoma (24-10) vs. Tennessee (26-7), 4:35 p.m.

Baylor (34-1) vs. Louisville (26-8), 7:05 p.m.

Tuesday
Regional Championship
Semifinal winners

SPOKANE REGIONAL
Regional Semifinals
Saturday
Stanford (33-2) vs. Georgia (27-6), 9:04 p.m.

California (30-3) vs. LSU (22-11), 11:32 p.m.

Regional Championship
Monday
Semifinal winners

NORFOLK REGIONAL
Regional Semifinals
Sunday
Notre Dame (33-1) vs. Kansas (20-13), 12:04 p.m.

Duke (32-2) vs. Nebraska (25-8), 2:32 p.m.

Regional Championship
Tuesday
Semifinal winners

BRIDGEPORT REGIONAL
Regional Semifinals
Saturday
Delaware (32-3) vs. Kentucky (29-5), 12:04 p.m.

Connecticut (31-4) vs. Maryland (26-7), 2:30 p.m.

Regional Championship
Monday
Semifinal winners

FINAL FOUR
At New Orleans Arena
New Orleans

National Semifinals
Sunday, April 7
Oklahoma City champion vs. Spokane champion, 5:30 or 8 p.m.

Norfolk champion vs. Bridgeport champion, 5:30 or 8 p.m.

National Championship
Tuesday, April 9
Semifinal winners, 7:30 p.m.

BASEBALL

Spring Training

Today's Games
St. Louis vs. N.Y. Mets at Port St. Lucie, 12:10 p.m.

Boston vs. Minnesota at Fort Myers, 1:05 p.m.

Tampa Bay vs. Detroit at Lakeland, 1:05 p.m.

N.Y. Yankees at Washington, 2:05 p.m.
Cleveland vs. Kansas City at Surprise, Ariz., 3:05 p.m.

Toronto at Philadelphia, 7:05 p.m.
San Diego vs. Texas at San Antonio, Texas, 8:05 p.m.

Chicago Cubs at Houston, 8:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox at Milwaukee, 8:10 p.m.

Cincinnati vs. Arizona at Scottsdale, Ariz., 9:40 p.m.
L.A. Angels at L.A. Dodgers, 10:10 p.m.
Oakland at San Francisco, 10:15 p.m.

Baseball calendar

Sunday — Opening day, Texas at Houston. Active rosters reduced to 25 players.

AUTO RACING

Race week

NASCAR SPRINT CUP

Next race: STP Gas Booster 500, April 7, Martinsville Speedway, Martinsville, Va.

Last week: Kyle Busch raced to his first victory of the season after rivals Denny Hamlin and Joey Logano wrecked on the final lap at Fontana. Hamlin and Logano made contact racing side-by-side in the final lap of their first race since they confronted each other a week earlier at Bristol. Hamlin is expected to be sidelined at least six weeks.

Online: <http://www.nascar.com>

NATIONWIDE
Next race: O'Reilly Auto Parts 300, April 12, Texas Motor Speedway, Fort Worth, Texas.

Last week: Kyle Busch extended Joe Gibbs Racing' Fontana Nationwide winning streak to nine, holding off Sam Hornish Jr. for his third victory in five races this year.

CAMPING WORLD TRUCK
Next race: Kroger 250, April 6, Martinsville Speedway, Martinsville, Va.

IZOD INDYCAR
Next race: Grand Prix of Alabama, April 7, Barber Motorsports Park, Birmingham, Ala.

Last week: Andretti Autosport's James Hinchcliff won the season-opening race at St. Petersburg for his first IndyCar victory.

Online: <http://www.indycar.com>

FORMULA ONE
Next race: Chinese Grand Prix, April 14, Shanghai International Circuit, Shanghai.

Last week: Red Bull's Sebastian Vettel won the Malaysian Grand Prix.

Online: <http://www.formula1.com>

NHRA MELLO YELLO DRAG RACING
Next event: SummitRacing.com NHRA Nationals, April 5-7, The Strip at Las Vegas Motor Speedway, Las Vegas.

Online: <http://www.nhra.com>

HOCKEY

NHL schedule

Today's Game
New Jersey at Tampa Bay, 7:30 p.m.
Minnesota at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.
Anaheim at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.
Columbus at Calgary, 9 p.m.

Saturday's Games
Boston at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.
N.Y. Islanders at Pittsburgh, 1 p.m.
Nashville at Colorado, 3 p.m.
Carolina at Winnipeg, 3 p.m.
Toronto at Ottawa, 7 p.m.

N.Y. Rangers at Montreal, 7 p.m.
Washington at Buffalo, 7 p.m.
New Jersey at Florida, 7:30 p.m.
Los Angeles at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
Vancouver at Edmonton, 10 p.m.
Phoenix at San Jose, 10:30 p.m.

(Week of April 1-6)

Monday

■ Columbia High tennis in District 5-3A tournament at Jonesville Tennis Center in Gainesville, TBD

■ Columbia High baseball at Valdosta High, 5 p.m.

Tuesday

■ Columbia High tennis in District 5-3A tournament at Jonesville Tennis Center in Gainesville, TBD

■ Fort White High softball vs. Suwannee High, 6 p.m.

■ Columbia High baseball at Suwannee High, 7 p.m. (JV-4)

Wednesday

■ Columbia High, Fort

GAMES

White High track at Oak Hall Invitational, 3 p.m.

■ Fort White High baseball vs. Bishop Kenny High, 7 p.m.

Thursday

■ Columbia High weightlifting in District 2-2A sectional at Oakleaf High, 2:30 p.m.

■ Fort White High track at Florida Relays, TBA

■ Columbia High softball vs. P.K. Yonge School, 6 p.m.

■ Fort White High softball at Dixie County High, 7 p.m.

■ Fort White High baseball at Keystone Heights High, 7 p.m.

Friday

BOWLING

Team standings: 1. Knock em Down; 2. Wild Things; 3. 2 Plus 2.

Team high handicap game: 1. Bubba & His Bubetts 856; 2. Ups & Downs 802; 3. Jo's Crew 783.

Team high handicap series: 1. Quirky Quad 2,487; 2. Strippers 2,419; 3. 3 Plus one 2,357.

High scratch game: 1. Joyce Hooper 181; 2. Joanne Denton 166; 3. Louise Atwood 158. 1. David Duncan 202; 2. George Mulligan 200; 3. Art Joubert 184.

High scratch series: 1. Judy Johnson 554; 2. Amy Musselwhite 489; 3. DeDe Young 464. 1. Lee McKinney 617; 2. Ric Yates 548; 3. Bill Dolly 518.

High handicap game: 1. Betty Brown 229; 2. Diane Madsen 225; 3. Doreen Walters 218. 1. Wayne Johns 244; 2. Vernon Black 226; 3. Tom Young 223.

High handicap series: 1. Betty Carmichael 686; 2. (tie) Jane Sommerfeld, Jeanne Sireci 638; 4. Janie Posey 631. 1. Dan Ritter 707; 2. Bill Price 656; 3. Winton Brewer 607.

High average: 1. Judy Johnson 156.41; 2. Joyce Hooper 153.89; 3. Elaine Nemeth 153.53. 1. David Duncan 190.71; 2. Bill Dolly 188.46; 3. George Mulligan 181.46.

(results from March 7)

MONDAY NIGHT MAVERICKS
Team standings: 1. Ronsonet Service (160.5-79.5); 2. Bias Well Drilling (133.5-106.5); 3. Team 10 (130.5-109.5).

High scratch game: 1. J.J. Hilbert 279; 2. (tie) Allen Personette, Gregg Moravec 269; 4. Carl McGhghy 265.

High scratch series: 1. Gregg Moravec 739; 2. Ed Meehan 671; 3. Teo Parra 670.

High handicap game: 1. Carl McGhghy 301; 2. Allen Personette 291; 3. J.J. Hilbert 290.



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Florida's Mike Rosario (3) is lifted by teammate Erik Murphy as they celebrate winning a third-round game against Minnesota in the NCAA college basketball tournament Sunday in Austin, Texas. Florida defeated Minnesota 78-64. Florida plays Florida Gulf Coast University today.

State showdown: Florida Gulf Coast goes up against Florida

By **STEPHEN HAWKINS**
Associated Press

ARLINGTON, Texas — A week ago, Florida Gulf Coast University was just another overlooked No. 15 seed — a longshot at best to nearly everyone eyeballing their NCAA tournament brackets.

Now the Eagles are the high-flying show from "Dunk City" in the round of 16, the darlings of the South Regional and a bracket-busting team everybody is talking about even when surrounded by former national champions Michigan, Kansas and Florida.

"Things have changed dramatically," FGCU coach Andy Enfield said.

"The way we looked at it, we did make history. ... We feel like we shocked the world," said Brett Comer, the guard with 22 points and 24 assists in two NCAA games. "Nobody picked us to beat Georgetown, or San Diego State, for sure. We're going to prepare for Florida the same way. We're going to try to win again."

Florida Gulf Coast (26-10) plays the SEC regular-season champion Gators (28-7), the No. 3 seed in the South, on Friday night. The improbable intrastate showdown is magnified even more at Cowboys Stadium, where the court is on a raised stage and below giant high-definition screens that had the players' attention on Thursday.

"Even if you make big plays, it's hard to get a good angle on that TV, you have to stand right on the edge (of the court)," Eagles forward Chase Fieler said. "We'll have to run more toward the sideline to see it."

This group doesn't need one of the world's largest HD displays to appear larger than life, though any highlight dunks sure will look good on the big screens.

How about a few shots up there of their sun-soaked campus in Fort Myers, Fla., with its manmade lakes and a beach? The school's first classes were held in August



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Florida Gulf Coast players have some fun after practice for a regional semifinal game in the NCAA college basketball tournament on Thursday in Arlington, Texas. Florida Gulf Coast faces Florida on today.

1997, making FGCU younger than the players who have put it on a national stage.

"I never heard of Florida Gulf Coast until actually I started to visit the school and to attend it," admitted Sherwood Brown, the dreadlocked showman who leads the Eagles in scoring (15.6 points per game) and rebounds (6.6 rpg) and is their only senior starter.

After their two NCAA tournament victories in Philadelphia, the Eagles arrived home early Monday morning. All the players were in back in class a few hours after that, though the atmosphere had certainly changed on the campus with an enrollment of 13,468.

"It was a busy week, just with the attention and the media being around. And the students were excited about what's going on and talking to us," Fieler said.

"But now we're in Dallas, we can feel the game starting to get closer and closer," Enfield said. "Just like the Georgetown and San Diego State games got closer and closer. And they're very, very focused."

While Florida Gulf Coast was back home getting accolades and trying to prepare among a pep rally-type atmosphere, the Gators

spent the entire week in Texas. They stayed in the Lone Star State instead of going back-and-forth after beating Minnesota last Sunday in Austin, about three hours away.

The Eagles are in the round of 16 in only their second season being eligible for the NCAA tournament. Florida, a state school with nearly 50,000 students, has a roster loaded with NCAA experience.

It is the first time that two teams from the same state have met in this round of the NCAA tournament.

Florida, which won consecutive national titles in 2006 and 2007, has been to regional finals each of the last two years. But this is the last chance for seniors Kenny Boynton, Erik Murphy and Mike Rosario to get a championship of their own.

"We remember the pain it caused for us last year," Boynton said. "I think we used it to learn. ... We've been close. And our goal is to get further this year."

The Gators, Kansas, Marquette and Ohio State are the only teams in the NCAA round of 16 for the third season in a row. It is the first time Florida has done that.

Yet, most of the atten-

tion is going to the smaller school about 250 miles away that the Gators have played only once before. That was a 94-60 Florida victory at home in 2008, when Florida Gulf Coast was in only its second season of Division I competition.

Florida Gulf Coast did play this season against the third Florida team that made it to the round of 16. The Eagles won 63-51 at home Nov. 13 against Miami, the ACC regular-season and tournament champion and No. 2 seed in the East Regional.

Florida presents quite a challenge, ranked second nationally allowing only 54 points a game. But neither Georgetown or San Diego State allowed much more than that.

FGCU scored 78 against the Hoyas, including a 21-2 run, and scored 17 in a row in the second half against the Aztecs on the way to 81 points.

"We're playing against a really, really good team that's playing as well as anybody in the country right now. And they've had some incredible runs," Florida coach Billy Donovan said. "I know there are a lot of nice stories out there. But we've got focus on the stuff that we need to do going into the game."

Heat start to move on after streak ends

By **TIM REYNOLDS**
Associated Press

Their winning streak finally over, the Miami Heat did on Thursday what they had planned to do all along.

They took the day off. While the circus atmosphere around the team may slow down now — until the playoffs start, anyway — the way the reigning NBA champions go about their business over the final 11 games of the regular season probably will not. Miami's epic, historic, sometimes-mind-boggling 27-game winning streak ended with a 101-97 loss to the Chicago Bulls on Wednesday night, and Heat guard Dwyane Wade was among those sounding absolutely relieved afterward.

"It really didn't matter to us," Wade said. "If you get it, it's awesome. If you don't, we still won 27 games in a row. That's pretty awesome. So, we really weren't like, 'We've got to get that record.' Not at all. And now that it's over, I'm glad it's over."

Next up: Friday night at New Orleans, where the Heat will try to return to their winning ways.

Miami's quest for NBA history ended with the Heat six games shy of matching the 1971-72 Los Angeles Lakers for the league's longest winning streak. The Lakers will keep their record, but the biggest Lakers star of this generation offered the Heat plenty of respect when their run was over.

"I think just as a student of the game, as a fan of the game, you appreciate those kind of streaks and you realize how difficult it is to put together that big of a streak," Lakers star Kobe Bryant said after learning of the Heat loss. "Obviously the Lakers winning 33 in a row was phenomenal, but the Heat's one was just as impressive."

Still, the Heat insist they can get better.

When Indiana beat the Heat on Feb. 1, Miami coach Erik Spoelstra's postgame theme was that

his club had to get better. Nearly two months later, when the Heat streak ended in Chicago, much of Spoelstra's postgame remarks had the same theme.

Players understood his point.

"At the end of the day, a win is a win in our league," said reigning MVP LeBron James, who averaged exactly 27 points per game during the 27-game winning streak. "We've gotten better throughout the season. Each and every month we've improved. We've started from behind some games, but for the most part we've played some great basketball. We're not a team that builds bad habits. That's not even who we are so we're not worried about that."

No matter how they did it, no matter how many double-digit deficits they erased or fourth-quarter comebacks they pulled off, the bottom line was Miami enjoyed 7 1/2 weeks of dominance.

Entering Thursday, 10 NBA teams hadn't won 27 games yet this season.

"Really proud of the grind of the last few weeks from my guys," Miami forward Shane Battier, who was part of a 32-game win streak at Duke, 22 with the Houston Rockets and now 27 with the Heat, wrote on Twitter early Thursday. "The focus and effort (and luck) was phenomenal."

Battier closed that tweet with two hashtagged words — onward and upwards.

Whether it was because they were revered or reviled, the Heat probably got more eyeballs on NBA regular-season basketball than any team had in some time, with people watching to root for either the streak continuing or the streak ending.

They were must-see TV, as proven by national networks like ESPN and NBA TV scrambling to pick up Heat games as the streak rolled along. ESPN said the overnight rating for Heat-Bulls was the fifth-best of any regular-season game ever shown on the network.



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Miami Heat center Chris Bosh (1) shoots over Chicago Bulls forward Luol Deng during the first half in Chicago on Wednesday.

DEAR ABBY

Pressure to have sex causes girl to feel relationship angst



Abigail Van Buren
www.dearabby.com

DEAR ABBY: My boyfriend and I have been dating for several months. He's fun and caring, and we spend a lot of time together. He's different from other boys I have dated. We can talk to each other about anything.

My only concern is our relationship physically. He makes it very clear that he wants to go all the way with me. He isn't rude or pushy about it. I don't want to rush into anything. We are both virgins (he does have more experience), and while I have known him for a long time, I don't know him as well as I'd like.

I want to wait until we have dated for at least six months. He says he respects my decision and says he doesn't want to pressure me. I still feel a little rushed. All of our friends have had sex, but I don't want it to be about our hormones in the heat of the moment.

I hate saying no to him. I know he won't leave me, but I feel bad for leaving him frustrated. Would it be wrong to agree to having sex with him - something we both want - even if I don't know if we're ready for the next step? - UNSURE IN CANADA

DEAR UNSURE: Yes, it would be wrong. The first time you have sex it should be because you are 100 percent sure you are ready, and he is the right person.

And as for feeling guilty because you are leaving him frustrated - I have a solution. Socialize with him in group settings and spend less time alone together. That way there will be less frustration for him and less temptation for both of you.

DEAR ABBY: I am a

single mother raising a 15-year-old son. For most of his life it has just been the two of us. I now regret that I put him in bed with me when he was a baby. As he grew older, I encouraged him to sleep in his own bed, but it would last only a few nights, and then he would sneak back into my room.

I was married for three years when he was around 11, and he'd sneak into my husband's and my bedroom after we were asleep and sleep on a couch in there.

His problem is he is terrified of the dark and believes in ghosts, monsters, etc. He says he has a phobia and I believe him. I tried getting a dog for him to sleep with and night-lights, but nothing worked. If I lock him out, he lays awake all night, scared to death. - TROUBLED IN ARIZONA

DEAR TROUBLED: Some sessions with a psychologist who specializes in phobias would be the quickest way to help your son overcome his problem. And when you consult with one, I am sure the therapist will recommend that your son stay away from violent video games, and movies or television shows that feature ghosts, monsters or anything else that goes "bump" in the dark because they could only increase his fears.

DEAR ABBY: I'm different from other girls. I don't wear girly clothes. I prefer dark clothes and makeup. My mom thinks I'm strange because I dress differently. Do you think I look like a freak for not conforming, or is there nothing wrong with being different? - DIFFERENT IN WASHINGTON

DEAR DIFFERENT: I would never call you a "freak" because of your attire. It is common for young people to express their individuality by their dress, hairstyle and makeup. There is, however, a point when a person's style choices can be limiting.

My question for you would be, "Are you getting

the kind of attention you WANT from presenting yourself this way?" The answer should determine how you choose to dress.

DEAR ABBY: There's this guy I like, "Joey." My sister likes him, too. Joey and I are not dating, although we are very close friends. My sister (of course) decided to ask him out on a date. I'm so upset with her. It has been two days since their date and I'm still not talking to her.

I can't believe she asked him out when she knew I was about to. I don't want to ruin our relationship, but Joey is now into her. Please give me some advice before I do something terribly wrong. - CAN'T TAKE IT IN FLORIDA

DEAR CAN'T TAKE IT: If your sister jumped in knowing you were interested in Joey, it was sneaky and wrong. But you have nothing to gain by declaring war over it. Keep your options open and bide your time. With luck, their romance will blow over - and when it does, if you have maintained your position as Joey's "close friend," you can make your move then. It may take nerves of steel, but I have faith in you, and it will be worth it in the long run.

DEAR ABBY: My niece is being married soon on the East Coast. My husband and our two teenaged children have been invited to attend. We cannot afford the multiple airfares and the cost of hotel accommodations that attending this wedding would require.

We don't look poor and we don't act poor, but money is very tight right now because we're paying for the last semester of our third child's college tuition. I had already sent a lovely shower gift to my niece.

How can we gracefully decline the invitation without offending anyone? We also have household repairs that have to be attended to. - JUST DON'T HAVE IT IN SAN DIEGO

DEAR JUST DON'T HAVE IT: As I see it, you have two choices - respond by saying you have a "conflict," or tell these relatives you would love to be there, but with the cost of a college education these days, you can't swing it. (I vote for the latter.)

DEAR ABBY: I lost my mom last year. It was unexpected, and my father and I are still hurting. Mom had a friend who never fails to tell me how the loss of her mother and her husband was much more painful for her than my loss. Every time I have the unfortunate luck of answering the phone when she calls, she'll ask how I'm doing, then launch into how hard it was on her and I don't know the true pain that she does.

I am sick of people telling me they understand how I feel and what I'm going through. No one knows the depth of what I'm experiencing, except maybe my sibling. I moved back home to take care of my wonderful mother.

And Abby, please know how sorry I am for the loss of your own dear mother, and thank you for letting me vent. - HOLE IN MY HEART IN OCEAN SPRINGS, MISS.

DEAR HOLE IN YOUR HEART: I'm sorry for your loss, too, and you're welcome. Please know that no rule of etiquette says you have to listen to that woman's insensitive prattle. The next time she starts, it is perfectly acceptable to stop her cold and tell her that when she compares her pain to yours she is being insensitive, and that if she does it one more time you will hang up. Clearly, she is not calling to see how you're doing; she is calling to dump. There are times when you must protect yourself, and this is one of them.

Write Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com or P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, CA 90069.

HOROSCOPES

THE LAST WORD
Eugenia Last

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Rely on your intelligence and your insight to lead you in the right direction. Refrain from making an impulsive move because someone is pressuring you. Make plans to get together with friends, relatives or someone you haven't seen in a long time. ★★★

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Get together with someone you respect or who has the expertise you need in order to pursue a new venture. Events that are geared toward learning as well as having fun will enable you to make new friends and hone your skills.★★★

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Get down to business and finish what you start. You'll have a much better time once the work is complete and you can do as you please. Offering your services or help will boost your reputation. Love and romance are highlighted.★★★

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Treat colleagues diplomatically to avoid being talked about behind your back. Take a critical look at your current situation as well as what you have to offer. Updating your skills or the way you do things will help you advance.★★★

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Don't let responsibilities

drag you down. Work hard and fast to put the work behind you. Traveling or getting together with someone special will encourage you to strive for a more fulfilling lifestyle. Love is on the rise.★★

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Double-check your personal financial investments and papers. Making a couple of adjustments can save you from a loss. An experienced individual can offer you good advice regarding a partnership. Don't let pressure push you in the wrong direction.★★★

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Do something creative, get together with friends or do something busy or expanding your interests will leave you with some interesting thoughts about how you can raise your income and your standard of living.★★★

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Your vision will be clear and a decision you make regarding your personal life, home and family will help you gain respect and the support you need to move forward with your plans. Invest in you and your talent.★★★

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Put your plans into motion. Fixing up your home or making a move that will improve

your lifestyle is possible. Love is in the stars, and altering the way you do things will lead to an adventure that will bring you greater happiness.★★★

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Not everyone will agree with what you say or do. Be careful while traveling or doing anything physical. Minor mishaps will set you back. Taking an unusual approach to a job you are required to do will bring you recognition.★★★

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Rely on past experience to help you

JUMBLE

Unscramble these four Jumbles, one letter to each square, to form four ordinary words.

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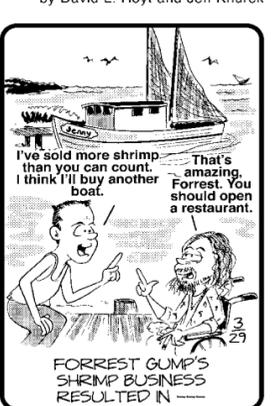
Answer here:

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: ONION STASH COUPLE COUGAR

Answer: When they counted the prisoners, the result was a - "CON-CENSUS"

THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME by David L. Hoyt and Jeff Knurek



Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

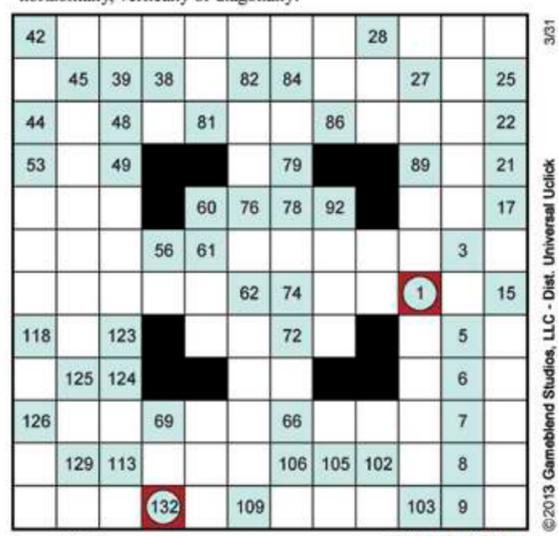
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FIND THE PATH - SOLVE THE PUZZLE

Complete the grid so that numbers 1 - 132 connect horizontally, vertically or diagonally:



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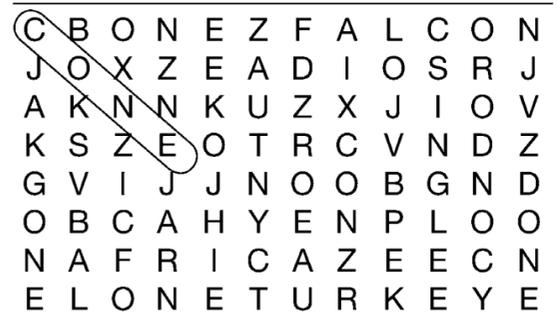
Dif. ★★★★★

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Find and Circle...

- Seven four-letter words ending in ONE
- Three six-letter birds
- Three continents
- Romantically available
- Spanish goodbye



Puzzle Solutions on the next page.

HIDATO FIND THE PATH - SOLVE THE PUZZLE

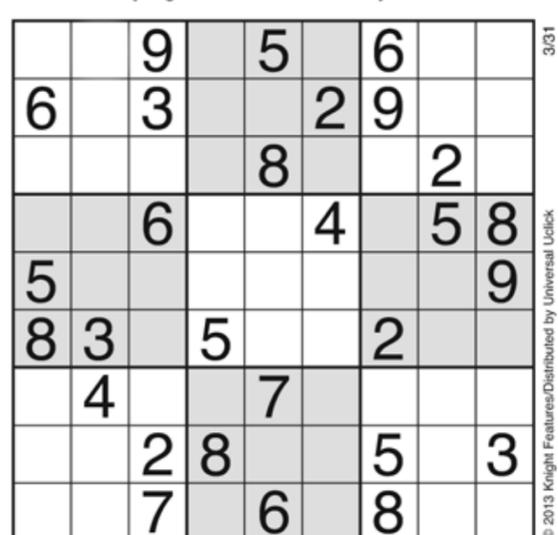
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PLAY4

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Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains every digit from 1 to 9 inclusively.



DIFFICULTY RATING: ★★★★★

PLAY4 By John Wilmes

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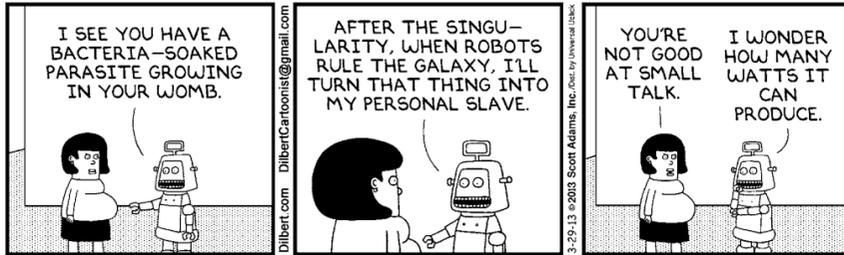
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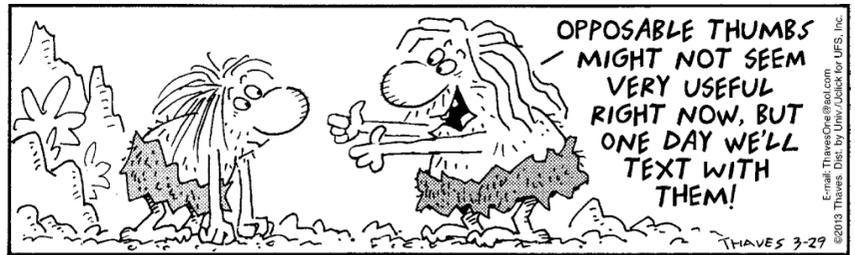
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HAGAR THE HORRIBLE



FRANK & ERNEST



CLASSIC PEANUTS



FOR BETTER OR WORSE



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.

"YIDSVV GPSUS AV O JNNM WUAMOL
 A I L N Y U D A W S , G P S U S B O I K S I N
 S O V G S U V Y I M O L ."
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Previous Solution: "I love talking about women because they are a constant study and you're always learning." — Mario Lopez

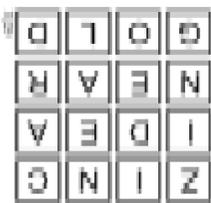
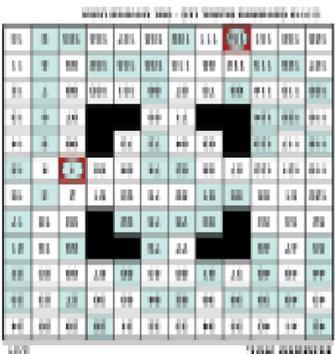
TODAY'S CLUE: C equals B

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PUZZLE ANSWERS

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Answers to Friday's puzzle: BONE CONE DONE GONE LONE NONE TONE / TUR-KEY CONDOR FALCON / AFRICA EUROPE ASIA / SINGLE / ADIOS

ACROSS

- 1 Float like a cork
- 4 Oz. or lb.
- 7 Blast
- 10 Historian's word
- 11 Founding
- 13 Timber wolf
- 14 Born as
- 15 Tynan portrayer
- 16 Moon and sun
- 17 Went off the track
- 19 Heavy hydrogen discoverer
- 20 Actress — Hagen
- 21 Diplomat
- 23 Safecracker
- 26 More uncouth
- 28 Skip stones
- 29 ER workers
- 30 Zeus' shield
- 34 Urbane
- 36 Pitcher — Maglie

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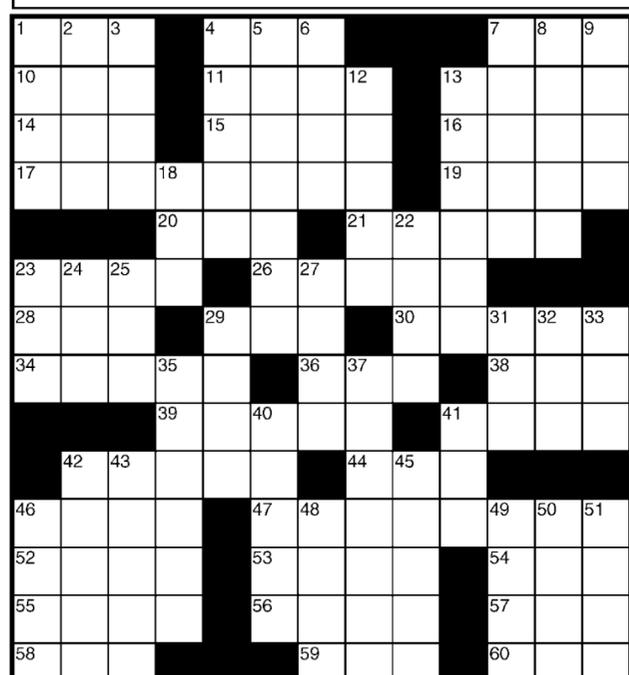
- 38 NASA counterpart
- 39 More than lethargic
- 41 Defeat
- 42 Come next
- 44 Gentle blow
- 46 Make a sweater
- 47 Take back in
- 52 Machu Picchu founder
- 53 Yen
- 54 Not close
- 55 Membership fees
- 56 Canyon reply
- 57 Rollover subj.
- 58 Term of respect
- 59 That girl
- 60 Decimal base

Answer to Previous Puzzle



- 4 Look forward to
- 5 Wild duck
- 6 Waterfront event
- 7 Don Diego de la Vega
- 8 Convent
- 9 Flower
- 12 Like old jeans
- 13 Mona Lisa site
- 18 31-day mo.
- 22 Patricia of "Cookie's Fortune"
- 23 Fabric meas.
- 24 — Claire, Wis.
- 25 College stat
- 27 Glasnost initials
- 29 Deli list
- 31 Earth, in combos
- 32 Soyuz destination
- 33 Airline to Sweden
- 35 Panoramas
- 37 Legation member
- 40 Hair-raising
- 41 CD predecessors
- 42 Boredom
- 43 More helpful
- 45 Find repugnant
- 46 Moppets
- 48 Work with acid
- 49 What — —?
- 50 Infrequent
- 51 Kind of muffin

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Marquette forward Davante Gardner (54) reaches for a loose ball ahead of Miami forward Julian Gamble (45) during the first half of an East Regional semifinal on Thursday in Washington.

Marquette knocks off Miami to reach Elite 8

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Jamil Wilson scored 16 points, Vander Blue and Davante Gardner had 14 apiece, and Marquette advanced to the Elite Eight for the first time since 2003 with a 71-61 win over Miami on Thursday night.

The third-seeded Golden Eagles took a double-digit lead in the first half and never relinquished it, quite the contrast from their nail-biters earlier in the NCAA tournament. They shot 54 percent from the field and held the Hurricanes to 35 percent. Miami missed 18

of 26 3-point attempts.

Marquette (26-8) will face either top-seeded Indiana or No. 4 Syracuse in the East Regional final on Saturday.

Shane Larkin scored 14 points for the second-seeded Hurricanes (29-7), who matched the best run in school history.

Seminoles eke out eighth straight winning season

By BRENT KALLESTAD

Associated Press

TALLAHASSEE — After four straight NCAA tournament appearances, Florida State is sitting home this spring watching three other in-state schools still in the hunt for a national title.

Although Florida State coach Leonard Hamilton is disappointed to be a spectator, he's excited for former Seminole assistant coach Andy Enfield taking upstart Florida Gulf Coast into the round of 16 against longtime archrival Florida on Friday. Hamilton's former team, Miami, is also in the tournament.

"It's good for the state of college basketball in the state," Hamilton said Thursday. "I know how they felt when they were watching us."

Just a year after winning its first Atlantic Coast Conference championship with a team featuring half a dozen seniors, the Seminoles struggled all season on the way to an 18-16 record.

"You're going to have a year when you have to regroup," Hamilton said Thursday. "That's the challenging part, what motivates you to come back and get right back in that national spotlight."

Hamilton needs to find a replacement for scoring leader Michael Snaer, but otherwise has everyone back from a team that finished 18-16 after their opening-round NIT loss to Louisiana Tech. The Seminoles didn't defeat a top tier team until late-season home court victories over Virginia and North Carolina State.

Florida State was eliminated from the ACC tournament by North Carolina and saw its season end four days later with an NIT loss to Louisiana Tech. The Seminoles had a tough time on their home floor too, losing to South Alabama and Mercer.

"That's part of what we go through," Hamilton said. "This is kind of our regrouping year."

Snaer leaves as the school's eighth leading

scorer and a legacy of a half dozen game-winning shots in the final seconds, including four this season that enabled the Seminoles to eke out a winning record for an eighth straight year.

"Overall, we built the foundation that I think we can stand on," Hamilton said.

Hamilton said Thursday that his young team will be right back in the thick of things next year with four experienced seniors available to pick up the slack created by Snaer's departure.

Okaro White and Terrance Shannon, a pair of 6-8 forwards, return along with 6-11 center Kiel Turpin and shooting guard Ian Miller, who limped through his junior season with a bad ankle. Shannon also missed a major portion of the season with a neck injury suffered in mid-January.

"Okaro and Michael had to carry the load and those were heavy loads," Hamilton said. "I've always tried to have the veterans carry the load."

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NASCAR INSIDER

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NASCAR champ Alan Kulwicki remembered 20 years after his death

April 1 marks the 20th year since NASCAR's then-reigning Cup champion Alan Kulwicki perished in a plane crash en route to the races at Bristol Motor Speedway. Kulwicki died along with Mark Brooks, Dan Duncan and Charlie Campbell, all employees of Kulwicki's sponsor Hooters, when the plane Campbell was flying crashed on approach to Tri-Cities Airport near Blountville, Tenn.

Kulwicki, 38, was struck down in his prime and lost to the sport before many people, inside and outside the garage, really got to know him. He was independent, choosing to drive his own car rather than accepting offers to drive for other top-notch teams. He insisted on being a hands-on member of his crew, and at the time was one of the few engineers in the garage, as he had a degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

Veteran NASCAR publicist Tom Roberts worked with Kulwicki during his championship season of 1992 and during his five-race reign the next year.

"He was well ahead of his time," Roberts said. "He carried a briefcase. He was business in the garage. A lot of times that worked against him in that when he came in the garage area, he was so totally focused that people misunderstood him."

Roberts recalls hearing terms like "aloof" and "distant" and "no personality" used to describe Kulwicki, but he said those descriptions are off base.

"It's totally untrue," he said. "But he was so dedicated and so focused that when he got in the garage area, it was his workplace. A lot of people didn't understand that. He could be going between his hauler and his car and he could walk by you and he'd act like he didn't know you existed, but that was just his level of determination and focus in the garage area."

"Outside the garage area, it was totally different. It's unfortunate that very few people got to know him."

Roberts said if NASCAR had the mandatory press sessions for top drivers that are routine today back in Kulwicki's time, things would have been different.

"I certainly wish we'd had that opportunity," he said. "It would have been difficult to explain to Alan that you're going to have to lay down the tools and the thinking just for 10 minutes to come out and talk to these people, but he definitely would have garnered a lot more attention, gotten more respect and certainly a bigger fan following."

Roberts said that despite his natural tendencies to focus on things mechan-



Alan Kulwicki (right) with Tom and Joni Roberts at the 1992 NASCAR awards banquet.

ical, Kulwicki had vowed to be more public during the 1993 season.

"He was determined to be a great champion," Roberts said.

Roberts was the publicist for Rusty Wallace during Wallace's year as champion, and Kulwicki had closely followed Wallace's performance as the face of the sport.

"Alan also remembered going to the final drivers meeting of the 1990 season and seeing Rusty receiving a standing ovation from his peers for being such a great champion and going beyond the call of duty," Roberts said. "I think Alan was hoping for the same thing for himself."

Roberts said Kulwicki had planned to take some time off after being honored at NASCAR's annual awards banquet to recharge for the new season, but his duties as team owner got in the way.

"Alan was hoping to take a handful of books and go somewhere in the Caribbean and just kick back for a week, be left alone and get his mind rested and get ready to come back again," he said. "But because he was one to do it all, he never got an opportunity to do anything during that off-season."

At Speedweeks 1993, Kulwicki began to feel the pressure of running a race team, driving and representing the sport as champion, all at the same time.

"I remember the Thursday before the [qualifying races]," Roberts said.

"He said: 'I don't know if I can handle this pressure.' My comment to him was, this is the height of it. Once we leave Daytona, things go back to more of a normal routine, something you'll be able to handle."

And for five races it worked out that way. Kulwicki finished fourth at Rockingham, third at Richmond and sixth at Darlington in his final race.

On the night of the fateful flight, Roberts was scheduled to be on the plane with his driver, but decided to take a commercial flight so Kulwicki could have some private discussions with the Hooters representatives.

He's left now with memories of a man he respected both as a driver and as an individual.

"I was blessed to be in that environment," he said.

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Logano justifies blocking of Stewart at Auto Club

Among the things Joey Logano did in the closing laps of the Auto Club 400 was bring out the A.J. Foyt-like beast in Tony Stewart.

When Stewart was growing up, one of his heroes was the legendary Foyt, who later became Stewart's mentor as he followed in Foyt's career tire tracks, racing any kind of car on any kind of track, almost always with great success. Stewart, like Foyt, became a team owner, fielding cars in several circuits and even owning the cars he drives in the Sprint Cup Series.

Stewart also is much like Foyt when it comes to speaking his mind and in handling what he perceives as disrespect from others.

On Sunday, Logano and Denny Hamlin, who had waged a war of words all week over an incident at Bristol Motor Speedway the Sunday before, wrecked on the last lap, opening the door for Kyle Busch, who had led the most laps but was third with one to go, to get a surprise win.

The wreck, which occurred when Logano appeared to move up the track and into Hamlin, sent Hamlin into a concrete wall without SAFER barriers attached and eventually to the hospital. Logano was unapologetic in his post-race comments.

"He probably shouldn't have done what he did last week, so that's what he gets," Logano said of Hamlin, who was hospitalized overnight after complaining of back pain.

But Logano's biggest worry going forward may be from Stewart, who was angered that Logano blocked him twice.

Stewart blocked Logano's car after the race, climbed out of his own car, and an altercation with Logano and his crew ensued.

Stewart said Logano has a lesson coming from him.

"He is a tough guy on pit road as soon as one of his crew guys gets in the middle of it," Stewart said. "Until then, he's a scared little kid. Then he wants to throw a water bottle at me.

He is going to learn a lesson. He's run his mouth long enough. He has sat there and done this double standard, and he's nothing but a little rich kid that has never had to work in his life.

"He's going to learn with us working guys that had to work our way up how it works."

Logano said the blocking was justified.

"I had to throw the block there," he said. "That was a race for the lead. I felt if the 14 [Stewart] got underneath me, that was going to be the end of my opportunity to win the race, so I was just trying to protect the spot I had."

The Logano-Hamlin incident not only opened the door for Busch to win the race, it allowed Dale Earnhardt Jr. to finish second.

Joe Gibbs Racing said in a statement that Hamlin suffered an L1 compression fracture in his lower spine. He is expected to fly home to North Carolina where he will be evaluated later this week.



Joey Logano is held back by crew members after an altercation with Tony Stewart (not pictured) at Auto Club Speedway.

NOTEBOOK



Warner Hodgdon (right) with Neil Bonnett

Childress' cars honor Hodgdon

The Sprint Cup cars at Auto Club Speedway from Richard Childress Racing carried memorial logos in honor of Warner Hodgdon, the California industrialist who also was a visionary track owner, team owner and sponsor in NASCAR in the late 1970s through the mid-1980s. Hodgdon passed away on March 20.

Among the drivers sponsored by Hodgdon was Childress himself, back when he was the driver of the No. 3 Chevrolet later made famous by the late Dale Earnhardt.

"Warner was a great friend and partner who helped change the landscape of NASCAR team ownership in the late 1970s," Childress said. "I learned a lot about business from the advice he gave me over the years. Warner was an entrepreneur with a great vision for where stock car racing could go, and we stayed in touch long after his time in racing ended. He was a great friend and will be missed."

Hodgdon was a part owner of tracks in Nashville, Bristol, Phoenix, North Wilkesboro and Richmond. He owned parts of two race teams, including Junior Johnson's, and sponsored many a race in the series now known as Sprint Cup.

Even though his NASCAR career unraveled rather quickly following problems involving his off-track interests and he disappeared from the scene, he is remembered as a visionary by many, including team owner Eddie Wood, whose family race team had sponsorship from Hodgdon in 1981 and 1982.

When Purolator decided to get out of the sport, Hodgdon stepped in immediately to keep the team going.

"We got word one afternoon that Purolator was leaving," Wood recalled. "Neil Bonnett introduced us to Warner, and by the next afternoon we had a deal in place."

Wood said Hodgdon saw the future of NASCAR long before others in the sport realized its potential. He said Hodgdon was working on a deal to televise the 10 races held at tracks in which he held ownership stakes and knew how to maximize a sponsor's investment in the sport.

"He was doing things 30 years ago like they're done today," Wood said. "He had jets and helicopters. He was the first to use tractor-trailer transporters and vans painted with sponsor's logos. He was so forward-thinking, way ahead of the curve."

Shrinking field affects teams

The shrinking this year of the Nationwide Series starting field, from 43 cars to 40, is working against teams with limited funding. Morgan Shepherd, Danny Efland and Joey Gase were at Bristol, but did not qualify for the race under the new format. Tony Raines and Chase Miller went to Auto Club Speedway, but failed to qualify.

For Shepherd, now 71, the Bristol setback was a major one. He posted this on Facebook: "Just going to let everyone know that I do not know if or when we will be attending another race event in 2013 due to non-funding. We have given all the efforts every way we could. Just can not go any longer. Sorry to disappoint. We have and are always looking for sponsors."

Last year, Shepherd, a 15-time winner on NASCAR's No. 2 circuit, ran 21 races and showed up for 10 more, but failed to qualify.

Patrick won't race in F1

Among the questions posed to Danica Patrick in her media session at Bristol Motor Speedway was one about her interest in Formula One racing. The question came after Formula One's boss Bernie Ecclestone mentioned her favorably on the F1 website.

"It looked like he was kind of acknowledging my ability to drive a car, so that was kind of," Patrick said, adding that she's not interested in a test drive in an F1 car.

"It is a lot of work to get fitted in the car comfortable enough to go drive it. Then I run the risk of what if it doesn't go well, and then people judge me for that. So, unless it was something that I was really serious, I wouldn't do it."

NUMERICALLY SPEAKING

25 Career Sprint Cup victories for Kyle Busch, which ties him with Matt Kenseth, Jim Paschal and Joe Weatherly on the all-time list

54 Career Nationwide Series victories for Kyle Busch, who got his latest win driving car No. 54 at Auto Club Speedway

10 Points positions lost by Clint Bowyer at Auto Club Speedway, to 14th in the standings, the most of any driver

2 Drivers in the top 10 in Sprint Cup points without a top-five finish this season: Greg Biffle, in fifth place, and Paul Menard, in eighth

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to the Final Judgment of Foreclosure dated the 14th day of March, 2013, in the above styled cause, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash in the in the 3rd floor of the Columbia County Courthouse in Lake City, Florida, at 11:00 A.M. on Wednesday the 17 day of April, 2013 the following described property:
Lot 24, Oak Meadows Plantation, Unit 3, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded at Plat Book 8, Page 43, in the Public Records of Columbia County, Florida.
IF YOU ARE A PERSON CLAIMING A RIGHT TO FUNDS REMAINING AFTER THE SALE, YOU MUST FILE A CLAIM WITH THE CLERK NO LATER THAN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE. IF YOU FAIL TO FILE A CLAIM, YOU WILL NOT BE ENTITLED TO ANY REMAINING FUNDS. AFTER 60 DAYS ONLY THE OWNER OF RECORD AS OF THE DATE OF THE LIS PENDENS MAY CLAIM THE SURPLUS. DATED this 14 day of March, 2013.
P. DEWITT CASON
Clerk of the Court
By: /s/ B. Scippio
As Deputy Clerk
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MARCH 22, 29, 2013

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT ORDINANCE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
The Board of County Commissioners of Columbia County, Florida will at its regular meeting on Thursday, April 18, 2013, in the Columbia County School Board Administration Building, 372 West Duval Street, Lake City, Florida at 5:30 p.m. consider the adoption of an ordinance entitled:
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND RESTATING COLUMBIA COUNTY ORDINANCE NO. 2004-26, AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE HOURS OF SALE OF LIQUOR AND OTHER ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND PROHIBITING PERSONS UNDER 21 YEARS OF AGE FROM ENTERING OR REMAINING ON THE PREMISES OF CERTAIN BUSINESSES LICENSED TO SELL AND CONSUME ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ON THE PREMISES, INCLUDING CERTAIN EMPLOYEES; PROVIDING LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS; RECITING AUTHORITY; PROVIDING DEFINITIONS; PROVIDING HOURS OF SALE FOR WEEKDAYS; PROVIDING HOURS OF SALE FOR SUNDAYS; PROVIDING SPECIAL HOURS OF SALE ON DECEMBER 31 WHEN THAT DATE IS A SUNDAY; PROVIDING SPECIAL HOURS OF SALE FOR RESTAURANTS AND PRIVATE CLUBS; PROVIDING PATRONAGE AND EMPLOYMENT AGE RESTRICTIONS; REPEALING CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE COUNTY CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.
The substance of the above-named ordinance is as provided in its name. Copies of the proposed ordinance are available for inspection at the office of the County Manager located in the County Administration Complex, 135 NE Hernando Avenue, Lake City, Florida, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Any interested party may appear and be heard at this public hearing.
In the event any person decides to appeal any decision by the Board of County Commissioners with respect to any matter relating to the consideration of the ordinance at the above-referenced public hearing, a record of the proceeding may be needed and in such event, such person may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the public hearing is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence on which the appeal is to be based.
In accordance with the *Americans With Disabilities Act*, a person needing special accommodations or an interpreter to participate in this proceeding should contact Lisa Roberts 386/752-1006 or T.D. Services 386/758-2139, at least seven (7) days prior to the date of the hearing. DATED this 25th day of March, 2013.
/s/ P. DeWitt Cason by Linda H. Odom
P. DEWITT CASON
Clerk of Court

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March 29, 2013

Legal

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA, IN AND FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY CIVIL DIVISION
CASE NO. 2009-CA-260
BAC HOME LOANS SERVICING, L.P.,
Plaintiff,
vs.
JERRY H. STRICKLAND; THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF JERRY H. STRICKLAND; CAROLYN STRICKLAND; THE UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF CAROLYN STRICKLAND; IF LIVING, INCLUDING ANY UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF SAID DEFENDANT(S), IF REMARRIED, AND IF DECEASED, THE RESPECTIVE UNKNOWN HEIRS, DEVISEES, GRANTEES, ASSIGNEES, CREDITORS, LIENORS, AND TRUSTEES, AND ALL OTHER PERSONS CLAIMING BY, THROUGH, UNDER OR AGAINST THE NAMED DEFENDANT(S); UNKNOWN TENANT #1; UNKNOWN TENANT #2;
Defendant(s)
NOTICE OF SALE
Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to a Final Summary Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above-styled cause, in the Circuit Court of Columbia County, Florida, I will sell the property situate in COLUMBIA County, Florida, described as: A PART OF THE SW 1/4 OF SECTION 3, TOWNSHIP 4 SOUTH, RANGE 17 EAST, COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCE AT THE SW CORNER OF THE SW 1/4 AND RUN N 00 DEGREES 04' 06" E, ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID SW 1/4 1427.47 FEET; THENCE N 88 DEGREES 45' 23" E, 955.24 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, ALSO BEING A POINT ON THE SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF A 60.00 FOOT EASEMENT; THENCE N 00 DEGREES 41' 07" W, 60.42 FEET; THENCE N 88 DEGREES 45' 46" E, 109.91 FEET; THENCE S 00 DEGREES 41' 07" E TO THE SAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF EASEMENT, 60.42 FEET; THENCE CONTINUE S 00 DEGREES 41' 07" E, 145.21 FEET THENCE N 87 DEGREES 35' 24" W, 110.07 FEET; THENCE N 00 DEGREES 41' 07" W, 138.21 FEET TO THE SAID SOUTH RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF EASEMENT, ALSO THE POINT OF BEGINNING.
GRANTOR RESERVE AN EASEMENT FOR INGRESS AND EGRESS OVER AND ACROSS THE NORTH 60 FEET THEREOF.
To include a :
2007 Horton Homes, Inc., VIN GAF634A79848SH21 and 97532123
2007 Horton Homes, Inc., VIN GAF634B79848SH21 and 97532083
A/K/A
290 SE BUCK GLEN LAKE CITY, FL 32025
at public sale, at West door of the Columbia County Courthouse 145 N. Hernando Street, Lake City, FL 32056 at 11:00 AM, on the 14 day of August, 2013.
Any person claiming an interest in the surplus from the sale, if any, other than the property owner as of the date of the lis pendens, must file a claim within 60 days after the sale.
Witness, my hand and seal of this court on the 11 day of March, 2013.
CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT
By: /s/ B. Scippio
Deputy Clerk
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MARCH 22, 29, 2013

PUBLIC AUCTION

Will be held by Davis towing & Recovery, Inc., in Columbia County at 1226 NW Main Blvd., Lake City, FL 32055
Sale Date - 4/9/13 at 9am
1998 DODGE NEON 1B3ES47C7WD547776
1991 OLDS 4DR 1G3CW53L2M4321227
1994 FORD EXPLORER 1FMDU32X0RUD14900
1987 CADILLAC 1G6DW51Y5H9738422
1994 TOYOTA CAMERY 4T1GK12E3RU855137
1997 VW JETTA 3VWSA81H3VM038204
2002 CHRYSLER TOWN & COUNTRY 2C8GP543X2R535467

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MARCH 29, 2013

Legal

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, STATE OF FLORIDA. GENERAL CIVIL DIVISION
Case No. 2010-CA-000546
WELLS FARGO FINANCIAL SYSTEM FLORIDA, INC.
Plaintiff,
vs.
BERNIE J. MCENTEE A/K/A BERNARD J. MCENTEE; UNKNOWN SPOUSE OF BERNIE J. MCENTEE A/K/A BERNARD J. MCENTEE; VALERIE J. MCENTEE; and UNKNOWN OCCUPANTS, TENANTS, OWNERS, AND OTHER UNKNOWN PARTIES, including, if a named defendant is deceased, the personal representatives, the surviving spouse, heirs, devisees, grantees, creditors, and all other parties claiming by, through, under or against that defendant, and all claimants, persons or parties, natural or corporate, or whose exact legal status is unknown, claiming under any of the above named or described defendants,
Defendants.
NOTICE OF SALE
Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the Order or Final Judgment entered in this cause, in the Circuit Court of Columbia County, Florida, I will sell the property situated in Columbia County, Florida, described as:
LOT 16, FAIRVIEW ESTATES, A SUBDIVISION AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 4, PAGE 85, PUBLIC RECORDS OF COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA.
Property Address: 467 SW Nantuckett Court
Fort White, FL 30238
Parcel I.D.: 26-75-16-04323-016
at public sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, on the third floor of the Columbia County Courthouse, 173 NE Hernando Avenue, Lake City, Florida 32056 at 11:00 a.m. on April 17, 2013.
ANY PERSON CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE SURPLUS FROM THE SALE, IF ANY, OTHER THAN THE PROPERTY OWNER AS OF THE DATE OF THE LIS PENDENS, MUST FILE A CLAIM WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE.
DATED this 14 day of March, 2013.
P. DEWITT CASON
Clerk of Circuit Court
By: /s/ B. Scippio
Deputy Clerk
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MARCH 22, 29, 2013

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT, THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO.: 11-338-CA
COLUMBIA BANK, a Florida Banking Corporation, Plaintiff,
vs.
FRANCIS S. OOSTERHOUDT, III a.k.a F.S. OOSTERHOUDT, III a.k.a FRANCIS SAMUEL OOSTERHOUDT, III,
Defendant.
CLERK'S NOTICE OF SALE UNDER F.S. CHAPTER 45
NOTICE IS GIVEN that, in accordance with the Stipulated Final Judgment of Foreclosure entered in the above-styled cause, I will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash at the Columbia County Courthouse, Courtroom 1, 173 Northeast Hernando Avenue, Lake City, Florida 32055 at 11:00 a.m. on April 10, 2013, the following described property:
Lot 18, WOODS AT FALLING CREEK, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Rural Residential Development Book 1, Pages 18-21, Public Records of Columbia County, Florida.
ANY PERSON CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE SURPLUS FROM THE SALE, IF ANY, OTHER THAN THE PROPERTY OWNER AS OF THE DATE OF THE LIS PENDENS MUST FILE A CLAIM WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER THE SALE.
Dated: March 12, 2013
P. DeWitt Cason
Clerk of Court
By: /s/ B. Scippio
Deputy Clerk
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March 22, 29, 2013

NOTICE UNDER FICTITIOUS NAME LAW, PURSUANT TO SECTION 865.09, FLORIDA STATUTES

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, desiring to do business under the fictitious name **SURPRISE VALLEY FIRE-ARMS**, located at **1591 NW HAMP FARMER RD. LAKE CITY, FL 32055**, in the County of Columbia, in the City of Lake City, Florida 32055, intends to register said name with the Division of Corporations of the Florida Department of State, Tallahassee, Florida.
Dated this 26th day of March, 2013.
Doe Mountain Enterprises, LLC
05538056
March 29, 2013

Legal

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA
CASE NO. 12-2012-CA-000650
SUNTRUST MORTGAGE, INC.
Plaintiff,
v.
HOMER A. ZARTMAN, ET AL.
Defendants.
NOTICE OF ACTION
TO: EARL JUNIOR BARFIELD; HELEN LOUISE SELTZER; and all unknown parties claiming by, through, under or against the above named Defendants, who are not known to be dead or alive, whether said unknown parties claim as heirs, devisees, grantees, assignees, lienors, creditors, trustees, spouses, or other claimants.
Current Residence for EARL JUNIOR BARFIELD is unknown, but whose last known address was: 313 N.W. OLIVE GLN., LAKE CITY, FL 32055-9216
95 FOUR IRON CT., SUMMERVILLE, SC 29483
Current Residence for HELEN LOUISE SELTZER is unknown, but whose last known address was: 313 N.W. OLIVE GLN., LAKE CITY, FL 32055-9216
YOU ARE NOTIFIED that an action to foreclose a mortgage on the following property in Columbia County, Florida, to-wit:
LOT 25 CARTER PLACE, UNRECORDED, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS: COMMENCE AT THE SW CORNER OF THE NW 1/4 OF SECTION 5, TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH, RANGE 17 EAST, COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA, RUN THENCE N 0°57' WEST 775.54 FEET; RUN THENCE N 88°52' EAST, 585.00 FEET TO POB; CONTINUE N 88°52' EAST 225 FEET; RUN THENCE S 0°57' EAST, 315.51 FEET TO NORTH LINE OF LIVE STREET; THENCE S 88° 52' WEST, ALONG NORTH LINE OF OLIVE STREET, 225 FEET; THENCE N 0°57' WEST 315 FEET TO POINT OF BEGINNING. TOGETHER WITH A 1989 SKYLINE - OAKSPRINGS DOUBLE WIDE MOBILE HOME ID #3262-0645AY TITLE #47717605 AND ID #3262-0645BY TITLE #47712603.
has been filed against you and you are required to serve a copy of your written defenses, if any, to it on DOUGLAS C. ZAHM, P.A., Plaintiff's attorney, whose address is 12425 28th Street North, Suite 200, St. Petersburg, FL 33716, on or before April 24, 2013 or within thirty (30) days after the first publication of this Notice of Action, and file the original with the Clerk of this Court at P.O. Box 2069, Lake City, FL 32056-2069, either before service on Plaintiff's attorney or immediately thereafter; otherwise, a default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint petition.
WITNESS my hand and seal of the Court on this 13 day of March, 2013.
P. DeWitt Cason
Clerk of the Circuit Court
By: /s/ B. Scippio
Deputy Clerk

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March 29, 2013
April 5, 2013

Public Auction to be held

MAY 6, 2013 at 8AM at Ozzie's Towing & Auto, LLC 2492 SE Baya Ave. Lake City FL, 32025. (386)719-5608
Following Vin Number:
2001 DODGE
Vin# 1B3ES46CX1D264847

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MARCH 29, 2013

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY, FLORIDA PROBATE DIVISION

File No.: 13-64-CP
IN RE: ESTATE OF LEONA H. DEESE, Deceased.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
The administration of the estate of LEONA H. DEESE, deceased, whose date of death was December 10, 2012, is pending in the Circuit Court for Columbia County, Florida, Probate Division, the address of which is 173 NE Hernando Avenue, Lake City, Florida 32055. The names and the addresses of the personal representative and the personal representative's attorney are set forth below.
All creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate on whom a copy of this notice is required to be served must file their claims with this court WITHIN THE LATER OF 3 MONTHS AFTER THE TIME OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE OR 30 DAYS AFTER THE DATE OF SERVICE OF

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A COPY OF THIS NOTICE ON THEM.
All other creditors of the decedent and other persons having claims or demands against decedent's estate must file their claims with this court WITHIN 3 MONTHS AFTER THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS NOTICE.
ALL CLAIMS NOT FILED WITHIN THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH IN SECTION 733.702 OF THE FLORIDA PROBATE CODE WILL BE FOREVER BARRED. NOTWITHSTANDING THE TIME PERIODS SET FORTH ABOVE, ANY CLAIM FILED TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DECEDENT'S DATE OF DEATH IS BARRED.
The date of first publication of this notice is MARCH 22, 2013
Co-Personal Representative:
/s/ Gary M. Hodge
GARY M. HODGE
19515 NW 170th Lane
High Springs, FL 32643
/s/ Rhonda D. Higdon
RHONDA D. HIGDON
13116 NW 142nd Terrace
Alachua, FL 32615
Attorney for Co-Personal Representatives:
/s/ Matthew C. Mitchell
MATTHEW C. MITCHELL
Attorney for Gary M. Hodge
Florida Bar Number: 0028155
Brannon, Brown, Haley & Bullock, P.A.
P.O. BOX 1029
Lake City, FL 32056
Telephone: (386) 752-3213
Fax: (386) 755-4524
mcm@bbattorneys.com

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MARCH 22, 29, 2013

To place your classified ad call
755-5440
Lake City Reporter

100 Job Opportunities

F/T Accounts Receivables Clerk. Other office duties include: Quickbooks, Word & Excel. Email resume hrhd7@yahoo.com

ACCOUNTING - Minimum of 2 college accounting courses up to Degree in Accounting. Applicant should be technology and keyboard proficient either as a student or work experience. Start \$15 hour if qualified. Mail resume showing course completed with year and school, job experience, and salary requirements to:
Accounting, P.O. Box 821,
Lake City, FL 32056-0821

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Seeking manager for our Lake City area office. Management/Supervisory, financial institution and credit evaluation exp REQ. Great pay and benefits! App REQ and avail at www.sunstatefcu.org. Fax to 386-462-4686. DFWP,EOE

CDL Class A Truck Driver. Flatbed exp. for F/T SE area. 3 years exp or more. Medical benefits offered. Contact Melissa or Sandy@ 386-935-2773

CMS Professional Staffing Inc.,
Seeking individuals with recent background experience ranging from general business to sales & finance. Must be proficient with Email and Microsoft office. A positive attitude and great work ethic are a must. Salaries vary in range. Fax resume to 386-758-9047.

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Mechanic needed with tools and experience. Southern Specialized Truck & Trailer. 386-752-9754

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Mechanic needed at Fla.Rock&Tank Lines In White Springs. Diesel expnc req'd in maintenance & repair of tractor trailers. 45-50hrs/wk Class A CDL license preferred. Excellent Benefits! email: mcomer@patriottrans.com or fax 904-858-9008

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120 Medical Employment

MEDICAL RECEPTIONIST Full-time receptionist for medical office in Lake City. Experience required. Email resume to mafaisalmd@gmail.com or fax to 386-758-5987

F/T Lab Tech needed for Family Practice office. Must have FL license & exp as Lab supervisor. Email resume to rharris@healthcareinstitute.net

F/T position available in busy medical office M-F, 2 year degree. Req'd, Medical Terminology a plus. Send resume to rharris@healthcareinstitute.net

Immediate opening available for F/T or P/T **Nurse Practitioner** or **Physicians Assistant** in well established Primary Care office. Call 755-0645 or fax 961-9541

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310 Pets & Supplies

Found female pit bull off 252 and Peacock Rd. Call to identify. 386-365-7532 or 386-623-3761

Free to Good 2 home (2)cute gray tiger kittens, 4 1/2 mths old. Neutered, shots, leukemia free, litter trained, not declawed, must stay together. 386-755-0057

PUBLISHER'S NOTE Florida Law 828.29 requires dogs and cats being sold to be at least 8 weeks old and have a health certificate from a licensed veterinarian documenting they have mandatory shots and are free from intestinal and external parasites. Many species of wildlife must be licensed by Florida Fish and Wildlife. If you are unsure, contact the local office for information.

407 Computers

Complete Dell Desktop \$100.00 386-755-9984 or 386-292-2170

408 Furniture

BLACK AND GLASS TV STAND \$35. **SOLD**

Medium walnut wooden day bed with trundle. Almost new mattress and bedding. \$75 **SOLD**

430 Garage Sales

PUBLISHER'S NOTE All Yard Sale Ads Must be Pre-Paid.

440 Miscellaneous

GUNSHOW: 3/30 & 3/31 @ The Columbia County Fairgrounds, Hwy 247 Lake City. \$5 Sat 9am-4pm, Sun 9am-3pm. Info: 386-325-6114

High Efficiency Heat Pumps 100% Financing Pymts. as low as \$56 per mo. w.a.c. Call 386-330-0135, LLC #CAC1815182

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630 Mobile Homes for Rent

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2013 DOUBLEWIDE \$33,995 inc. set-up, trim-out & A/C Call 386-288-8379.

3BR/2BA 28X64 in a great location, a lot of upgrades, fireplace. Only \$2,500 down \$399 a month. Call Paula at 386-752-1452 or E-mail ammonspaula@yahoo.com

Bank Owned! 1/1 home in lake community on 1 acre. Priced to sell at just \$55,000. All offers considered. 386-362-4539 **Poole Realty** MLS#81365

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Cute Church surrounded by beautiful countryside. Comes with a 1996 DWMH on 1 acre, pole barn Sylvia Newell, 386-590-2498 **Poole Realty** MLS#78419

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3 DWELLINGS on 5+ acres, main house approx 2453 sqft, 2 story, 3 car garage \$349,000. Anita Handy, 386-208-5877 **Poole Realty** MLS#82510

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New **2013 Jacobsen 28X48 3/2** (2 Left) \$39,995 Del & Set. North Pointe Homes Gainesville 352-872-5566

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4BR/1BA Very Large lot. Very Clean, lots of shade \$895 mo. + \$895. dep. 386-752-7578

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